

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2017 - 2018**

Outcome: Skills and Training

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000914

Senator Cameron, Doug provided in writing

Skilling Australians Fund (Individuals)

Question

How many individuals will be supported into apprenticeships and traineeships by the fund over each year of the forward estimates? Please breakdown by apprenticeship/traineeship/qualification level/occupation/industry/state or territory. Please provide the modelling and assumptions those projections are based upon.

Answer

The number of individuals supported by the Skilling Australians Fund and details of qualification levels, occupations, industries and jurisdictions will depend on negotiations with the states and territories, which are currently underway.

Overall, the Commonwealth is aiming to support up to 300,000 apprentices, trainees, pre-apprentices/trainees and higher level apprentices.