

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

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

Outcome: Skills and Training

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000996

Senator Cameron, Doug provided in writing

Skills for Education and Employment Program (Group Training)

Question

How is small group training funded within the contract? Please outline the mechanisms and the prices associated, for the current contract and the previous contract.
How much small group training has been funded each financial year of the program since its commencement? Please report by region and by service provider.

Answer

Under the 2013–17 contract, Skills for Education and Employment (SEE) Program providers could offer clients up to 20 hours of Small Group Training (SGT) when a client first commences training. Providers invoice the department through “SEEOnline” once the client completes their SGT hour allocation. The payment rate is based on the provider’s tendered hourly training rate plus 50 per cent. In the new contract commencing 1 July 2017 providers will not be separately funded for SGT.

The level of funding provided for SGT over the period 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2016, the last full financial year, is outlined at **Attachment A**. The level of funding represents an estimate on the basis of multiplying the number of hours by the estimated price.

Attachment A

Provider Legal Name	Service Deliver Area (SDA) - Current Contract Region	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16
		\$	\$	\$
Auswide Projects Ltd.	ACT/Queanbeyan	510		
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	Alice Springs District NT	49,206	64,632	7,623
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	Darwin Daly Region NT	2,420	2,790	
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	Far West Alice Region NT	12,164	1,888	
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	Gapuwiyak-Yirrkala Region NT	6,853		
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	Maningrida Region NT	2,099		
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	North East Alice Region NT	12,336	14,663	
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	Wadeye Region NT	7,281	21,863	7,470
Career Employment Australia Incorporated	Capricornia	669	69	
Career Employment Australia Incorporated	Gold Coast	234	62	
Career Employment Australia Incorporated	Ipswich	796		
Career Employment Australia Incorporated	Logan	508		
Career Employment Australia Incorporated	North Brisbane	468	69	
Career Employment Australia Incorporated	Outer North Brisbane	441		
Career Employment Australia Incorporated	South Brisbane	555	14	
Career Employment Australia Incorporated	Sunshine Coast	67		
Djerriwarrh Employment & Education Services Inc.	Westgate		59	61
Industries Services Training Pty Ltd	Groote Region NT		1,367	
J & B Personnel Pty Ltd	Toowoomba	388	1,261	422
Macquarie Community College	Northern Sydney	3,065	2,443	302
Melbourne Polytechnic	Plenty	117		
Mission Australia	Geraldton WA	4,778		
Mission Australia	Hobart	10,266	2,256	5,283
Mission Australia	Katherine Region NT	12,137		
Mission Australia	Kiewa	1,027	253	
Mission Australia	Lachlan	3,493	350	
Mission Australia	Launceston	7,834	2,323	116
Mission Australia	Manning	590	79	
Mission Australia	Patterson	3,036	69	
Mission Australia	Port Lincoln/Ceduna SA	1,134	160	
Mission Australia	Shoalhaven	3,233		
Mission Australia	South Eastern	7,972	1,051	
Mission Australia	Southern Ranges	1,207	189	
Mission Australia	West and North West	2,707	451	
Mission Australia	Whyalla (C)	652		
Mission Australia	Wollongong	3,241	283	495
MTC Australia Limited	Central Western Sydney	228	234	
Navitas English Pty Limited	Canterbury/Bankstown	369	59	
Navitas English Pty Limited	Fairfield			60
Navitas English Pty Limited	Inner Sydney		214	467
Navitas English Pty Limited	Inner Western Sydney	669	740	
Nortec Employment and Training Ltd	Clarence	650	241	218

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		\$	\$	\$
Nortec Employment and Training Ltd	Coffs Harbour	900	156	15
Nortec Employment and Training Ltd	North Coast	3,252	71	
Nortec Employment and Training Ltd	Richmond	3,543	1,184	298
Nortec Employment and Training Ltd	Tweed	2,090	440	
Progressive Training (WA) Pty Ltd	Kimberley WA		4,480	11,808
South Metropolitan Youth Link Inc.	Central and West Metro	16,651	20,834	9,704
South Metropolitan Youth Link Inc.	Dale	481	612	709
South Metropolitan Youth Link Inc.	Karratha Region WA	10,528		
South Metropolitan Youth Link Inc.	Southern	8,864	1,218	
Status Works Pty Ltd	Northern Adelaide	23,940	17,123	1,804
Status Works Pty Ltd	Southern Adelaide	49,205	28,180	4,708
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	Alice Springs NT	180		
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	Cairns	22,572	9,179	1,867
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	Darwin	2,752		
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	Derby/Gibb River Region WA	2,437		
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	East Kimberley Region WA	1,127		
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	Galiwin?ku Region NT	1,850	1,512	
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	Gapuwiyak-Yirrkala Region NT	2,590		
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	Hobart	660		
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	Milingimbi/Ramingining Region NT	12,581		
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	North Barkly Region NT	12,920	10,943	572
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	West Alice Region NT	4,275	1,052	
STEPS Disability QLD Inc	West Arnhem Region NT	1,062		
TAFE NSW – Hunter Institute	Central Coast	6,020	770	
TAFE NSW – Hunter Institute	Hunter	4,456	645	144
TAFE NSW – Hunter Institute	Lower Hunter	7,277	1,691	259
TAFE NSW – Hunter Institute	Upper Hunter	553	216	79
TAFE NSW – New England Institute	Gwydir Namoi	1,063	484	496
TAFE NSW – New England Institute	Keepit	1,601		
TAFE NSW – Western Institute	Windamere		70	72
TAFE NSW –North Coast Institute	Coffs Harbour	678	284	291
TAFE SA Adelaide South Institute	Eastern Adelaide	1,516	81	
TAFE SA Adelaide South Institute	Northern Adelaide	4,203	94	
TAFE SA Adelaide South Institute	Western Adelaide	2,736	96	
TAFE SA Regional	Adelaide Hills	1,980	189	
TAFE SA Regional	Fleurieu/Kangaroo Island	528		
TAFE SA Regional	Gawler	973	283	41
TAFE SA Regional	Kadina/Clare		297	463
TAFE SA Regional	Murraylands	2,440	313	
TAFE SA Regional	Port Pirie	47		
TAFE SA Regional	Riverland	1,414	162	
TAFE SA Regional	South East	799	222	
TAS TAFE	Launceston	7,969	9,706	1,272
The Learning Workshop Pty Ltd	Western Tablelands Region QLD	14,116	11,547	1,664
The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth	Central and West	7,995	2,401	261

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		\$	\$	\$
Centacare Skills Training Centre	Metro			
The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth Centacare Skills Training Centre	East Metro	13,580	2,210	346
The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth Centacare Skills Training Centre	North Metro	25,011	5,847	802
Verto Ltd	Clarence		950	465
Verto Ltd	Keepit	131		
Verto Ltd	Patterson	520	189	
Vocational Education and Training	Carpentaria Region QLD	214		
Vocational Education and Training	Mt Isa QLD	253	32	
Vocational Education and Training	South Brisbane	7		
Vocational Education and Training	Western DownsQLD	292		
WISE Employment Ltd	Adelaide Hills		40	242
WISE Employment Ltd	Gawler	1,210		1,023
WISE Employment Ltd	Kadina/Clare	599	229	28
WISE Employment Ltd	Northern Adelaide	1,131	728	11,028
WISE Employment Ltd	Riverland			1,251
WISE Employment Ltd	South East		175	
Total		461,169	257,067	74,225