

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2013-2014**

Outcome 2 - Schools and Youth

Department of Education Question No. ED0385_14

Senator Wright provided in writing.

Question

Teach for Australia (regarding previous question ED0224_14)

With regard to a question on notice (reference number ED0224_14) that Senator O'Neill asked in the October 2013 Supplementary Budget Estimates hearing. It refers to a 'Cohort One', being the first round of trainees to enter the program, and a Cohort Two. How many Cohort One teachers are still teaching in the classroom? a. Can you provide a breakdown of these by state and territory? b. How many Cohort Two teachers entered training, and how many are still in the classroom? i. How are these broken down by state and territory?

Answer

a) Cohort 1: 45 started the Teach for Australia Programme in 2010 and 43 completed the programme in 2011. Of these, 20 are still teaching in 2014, 18 in Victoria, and one each in the ACT and Tasmania.

b) Cohort 2: 43 started the Teach for Australia Programme in 2011 and 43 completed the programme in 2012. Of these, 19 are still teaching in 2014, 15 in Victoria, 2 in the ACT, 1 in NSW and 1 teaching overseas.