

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace  
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Budget Estimates 2011-2012**

**Outcome 4 - Employment & Participation Policy**

**DEEWR Question No.EW0374\_12**

**Senator Fifield asked on 31/05/2011, Hansard page 87.**

**Question**

**Newstart - Recipients Transitioned into Full-Time Work**

Senator FIFIELD: How many Newstart recipients have transitioned into full-time work in 10-11? Would you have that? Ms Paul: No, I think that is an on-notice one. Senator FIFIELD: If you could also take on notice for 09-10 and 08-09, thank you.

**Answer**

There are a variety of reasons for a person to stop receiving Newstart Allowance and the Department does not have specific data on the numbers transitioning to full time work.