

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES: 17 OCTOBER 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE11/0403) Program 5.1: Settlement Services for Migrants and Refugees

Senator Cash (L&CA 125) asked:

Provide an analysis of those ethnicities who take up private tutoring under the AMEP program.

Answer:

In 2010-11, 4613 AMEP clients from 122 countries of origin participated in the AMEP's Home Tutor Scheme.

The top 10 countries of origin of Home Tutor Scheme participants in 2010-11 were:

The People's Republic of China (21.2 percent)

Myanmar (9.7 percent)

Afghanistan (7.3 percent)

Iraq (5.6 percent)

Sudan (5.3 percent)

South Korea (4.4 percent)

Vietnam (4.2 percent)

Lebanon (3.2 percent)

Thailand (2.5 percent)

Iran (2.2 percent)