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# Next Step Year 12 Completers

# Next Step

## 2024 Year 12 completers survey

Post-school destinations of Year 12 completers from 2023

# **Carmel College (Thornlands)**



## Introduction

This detailed Next Step report belongs to your school and can be used for school planning. It provides information about Year 12 completers' transitions into further education, training and employment approximately six months after completing school.

The results are from the Department of Education's Next Step – Year 12 Completers survey, which attempts to contact all Year 12 completers from state, Catholic or independent schools in Queensland.

Post-school destinations are influenced by the transitioning environment, which can limit the options available to young people. Low response rates may not give an accurate summary of the cohort's destinations.

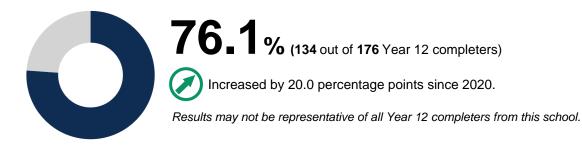
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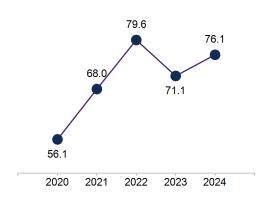
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## Survey response rate



#### Response rate over time



#### School's response rate compared with SA4 region and state

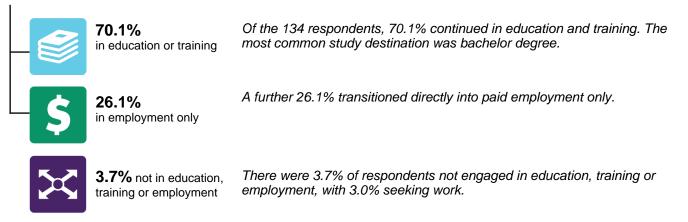


# **Post-school engagement**

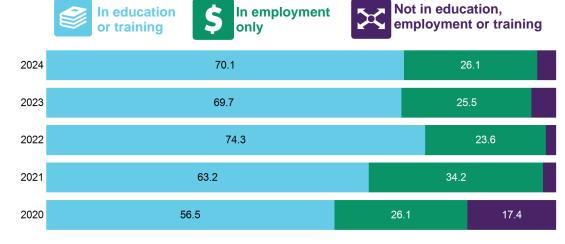
Year 12 completers from Carmel College (Thornlands) have been categorised by their engagement in education and training, or employment. Survey respondents who are both working and studying are included in education and training. Apprentices and trainees are required to undertake a study component to their qualification so are also considered to be in education and training.

### Engagement in education, training or employment

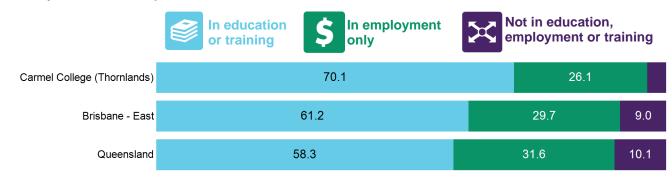
96.3% engaged in education, training or employment



#### Engagement over time



#### How does your school compare?



# **Main destination**

This section examines the post-school destinations of survey respondents from Carmel College (Thornlands) in 2024.

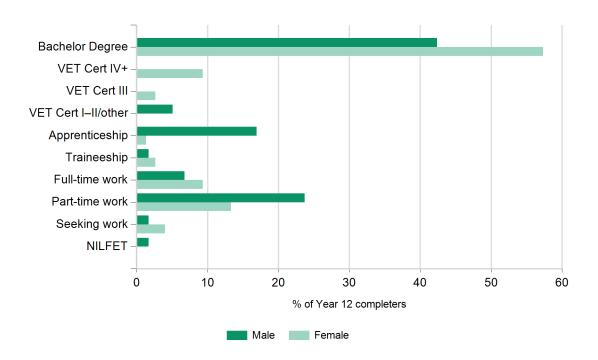
All Year 12 completers were assigned to a main destination. This categorisation system prioritises education-related destinations over other destinations. For example, Year 12 completers who were both studying and working are reported as studying for their main destination (see Appendix 2).

4.5% of respondents deferred a tertiary offer and are reported in their current post-school destination in this report.

#### Main destination by gender

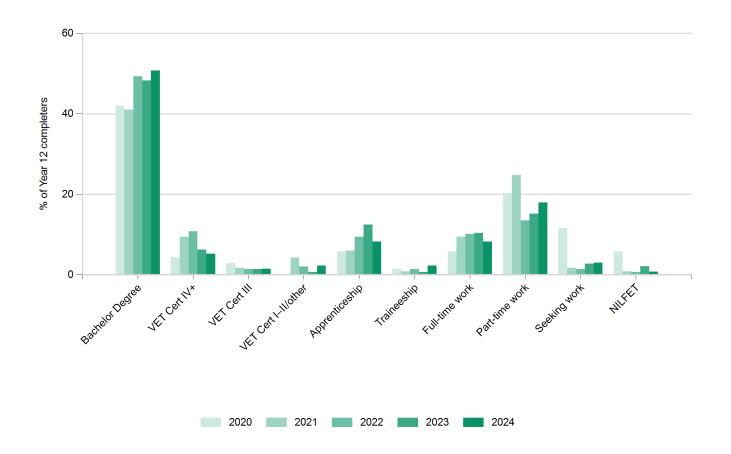
Main destination	Male		Female		Total	
	number	%	number	%	number	%
Bachelor Degree	25	42.4	43	57.3	68	50.7
VET Certificate IV+	0	0.0	7	9.3	7	5.2
VET Certificate III	0	0.0	2	2.7	2	1.5
VET Certificate I–II/other	3	5.1	0	0.0	3	2.2
Apprenticeship	10	16.9	1	1.3	11	8.2
Traineeship	1	1.7	2	2.7	3	2.2
Full-time employment	4	6.8	7	9.3	11	8.2
Part-time employment	14	23.7	10	13.3	24	17.9
Seeking work	1	1.7	3	4.0	4	3.0
NILFET*	1	1.7	0	0.0	1	0.7
Total	59	100.0	75	100.0	134	100.0

\*NILFET: Not in the labour force, education or training.



#### Main destinations over time

Main destination	202	0	202	1	202	2	202	3	202	4
	no.	%								
Bachelor Degree	29	42.0	48	41.0	73	49.3	70	48.3	68	50.7
VET Certificate IV+	3	4.3	11	9.4	16	10.8	9	6.2	7	5.2
VET Certificate III	2	2.9	2	1.7	2	1.4	2	1.4	2	1.5
VET Certificate I–II/other	0	0.0	5	4.3	3	2.0	1	0.7	3	2.2
Apprenticeship	4	5.8	7	6.0	14	9.5	18	12.4	11	8.2
Traineeship	1	1.4	1	0.9	2	1.4	1	0.7	3	2.2
Full-time employment	4	5.8	11	9.4	15	10.1	15	10.3	11	8.2
Part-time employment	14	20.3	29	24.8	20	13.5	22	15.2	24	17.9
Seeking work	8	11.6	2	1.7	2	1.4	4	2.8	4	3.0
NILFET	4	5.8	1	0.9	1	0.7	3	2.1	1	0.7
Total	69	100.0	117	100.0	148	100.0	145	100.0	134	100.0



## Main destinations of subgroups

## Main destination for students who completed a VET qualification in school (VETiS) There were 97 respondents who completed a VETiS.

Main destination	VETIS	5	non-V	ETiS	Tot	Total		
	number	%	number	%	number	%		
Bachelor Degree	40	41.2	28	75.7	68	50.7		
VET Certificate IV+	6	6.2	1	2.7	7	5.2		
VET Certificate III	2	2.1	0	0.0	2	1.5		
VET Certificate I–II/other	2	2.1	1	2.7	3	2.2		
Apprenticeship	11	11.3	0	0.0	11	8.2		
Traineeship	3	3.1	0	0.0	3	2.2		
Full-time employment	10	10.3	1	2.7	11	8.2		
Part-time employment	19	19.6	5	13.5	24	17.9		
Seeking work	3	3.1	1	2.7	4	3.0		
NILFET	1	1.0	0	0.0	1	0.7		
Total	97	100.0	37	100.0	134	100.0		

Main destination for students who participated in a school-based apprenticeship or traineeship (SAT) There were 9 respondents who participated in a SAT.

Main destination	SAT	non-SAT	Tot	al
	number	number	number	%
Bachelor Degree	2	66	68	50.7
VET Certificate IV+	1	6	7	5.2
VET Certificate III	0	2	2	1.5
VET Certificate I–II/other	0	3	3	2.2
Apprenticeship	2	9	11	8.2
Traineeship	2	1	3	2.2
Full-time employment	1	10	11	8.2
Part-time employment	1	23	24	17.9
Seeking work	0	4	4	3.0
NILFET	0	1	1	0.7
Total	9	125	134	100.0

# Main destination for students who received an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) or International Baccalaureate Diploma (IBD) There were 83 respondents who received an ATAR or IBD.

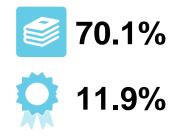
Main destination	ATAR or I	ATAR or IBD		BD	Total	
	number	%	number	%	number	%
Bachelor Degree	61	73.5	7	13.7	68	50.7
VET Certificate IV+	1	1.2	6	11.8	7	5.2
VET Certificate III	0	0.0	2	3.9	2	1.5
VET Certificate I–II/other	3	3.6	0	0.0	3	2.2
Apprenticeship	2	2.4	9	17.6	11	8.2
Traineeship	1	1.2	2	3.9	3	2.2
Full-time employment	3	3.6	8	15.7	11	8.2
Part-time employment	11	13.3	13	25.5	24	17.9
Seeking work	0	0.0	4	7.8	4	3.0
NILFET	1	1.2	0	0.0	1	0.7
Total	83	100.0	51	100.0	134	100.0

Main destination for Aboriginal students and Torres Strait Islander students There were 3 respondents who identified as Aboriginal peoples and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

Main destination	Aboriginal Neither and Torres Aboriginal nor Strait Torres Strait Islander Islander		Tota	al
	number	number	number	%
Bachelor Degree	2	66	68	50.7
VET Certificate IV+	0	7	7	5.2
VET Certificate III	0	2	2	1.5
VET Certificate I–II/other	0	3	3	2.2
Apprenticeship	0	11	11	8.2
Traineeship	0	3	3	2.2
Full-time employment	0	11	11	8.2
Part-time employment	0	24	24	17.9
Seeking work	1	3	4	3.0
NILFET	0	1	1	0.7
Total	3	131	134	100.0

# **Education and training**

This section examines the education and training destinations and includes Bachelor Degree, VET Certificate IV+, VET Certificate III, VET Certificate I-II/other, Apprenticeship and Traineeship main destinations.



94 out of 134 Year 12 completers from Carmel College (Thornlands) continued in education or training in 2024.

16 Year 12 completers from Carmel College (Thornlands) were enrolled in a double degree, combining two bachelor degrees into a single course of study.

## What are they studying?

## Study field (broad) by gender

	Male		Femal	e	Total	
Study field*	number	%	number	%	number	%
Health	5	12.8	19	34.5	24	25.5
Society And Culture	7	17.9	16	29.1	23	24.5
Management And Commerce	5	12.8	9	16.4	14	14.9
Engineering And Related Technologies	11	28.2	2	3.6	13	13.8
Natural And Physical Sciences	2	5.1	5	9.1	7	7.4
Architecture And Building	6	15.4	0	0.0	6	6.4
Creative Arts	3	7.7	3	5.5	6	6.4
Education	2	5.1	4	7.3	6	6.4
Other	2	5.1	1	1.8	3	3.2
Total (students)	** 39	—	** 55	—	** 94	

Field of study categories based on the Australian Standard Classification of Education.

\*Both fields of study have been included for 8 students enrolled in a double degree in more than one broad field. \*\*Total number of students is less than combined total of all study fields.

#### Study field (broad) by level of study

	Bachelor Degree		Othe	er	Total	
Study field*	number	%	number	%	number	%
Health	18	26.5	6	23.1	24	25.5
Society And Culture	23	33.8	0	0.0	23	24.5
Management And Commerce	11	16.2	3	11.5	14	14.9
Engineering And Related Technologies	6	8.8	7	26.9	13	13.8
Natural And Physical Sciences	7	10.3	0	0.0	7	7.4
Architecture And Building	1	1.5	5	19.2	6	6.4
Creative Arts	4	5.9	2	7.7	6	6.4
Education	4	5.9	2	7.7	6	6.4
Other	2	2.9	1	3.8	3	3.2
Total (students)	** 68	—	26	100.0	** 94	—

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\*Both Fields of study have been included for 8 students enrolled in a double degree in more than one broad field. \*\*Total number of students is less than combined total of all study fields.

## Study field (narrow) by gender

	Male		Female	)	Total	
Study field*	number	%	number	%	number	%
Nursing	1	2.6	14	25.5	15	16.0
Other Health	3	7.7	5	9.1	8	8.5
Behavioural Science	1	2.6	6	10.9	7	7.4
Electrical and Electronic Engineering and Technology	6	15.4	0	0.0	6	6.4
Business and Management	4	10.3	2	3.6	6	6.4
Law	2	5.1	4	7.3	6	6.4
Other Natural and Physical Sciences	2	5.1	4	7.3	6	6.4
Building	5	12.8	0	0.0	5	5.3
Other Society and Culture	2	5.1	3	5.5	5	5.3
Teacher Education	1	2.6	4	7.3	5	5.3
Sales and Marketing	0	0.0	4	7.3	4	4.3
Other Engineering and Related Technologies	2	5.1	0	0.0	2	2.1
Banking, Finance and Related Fields	1	2.6	1	1.8	2	2.1
Economics and Econometrics	1	2.6	1	1.8	2	2.1
Manufacturing Engineering and Technology	1	2.6	1	1.8	2	2.1
Performing Arts	1	2.6	1	1.8	2	2.1
Visual Arts and Crafts	1	2.6	1	1.8	2	2.1
Studies in Human Society	0	0.0	2	3.6	2	2.1
Aerospace Engineering and Technology	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Architecture and Urban Environment	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Communication and Media Studies	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Maritime Engineering and Technology	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering and Technology	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Other Education	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Rehabilitation Therapies	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Sport and Recreation	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Accounting	0	0.0	1	1.8	1	1.1
Automotive Engineering and Technology	0	0.0	1	1.8	1	1.1
Biological Sciences	0	0.0	1	1.8	1	1.1
Dental Studies	0	0.0	1	1.8	1	1.1
Other	2	5.1	7	12.7	9	9.6
Total (students)	** 39	—	** 55	—	** 94	—

Field of study categories based on the Australian Standard Classification of Education. \*Both fields of study have been included for 14 students enrolled in a double degree in more than one narrow field. \*\*Total number of students is less than combined total of all study fields.

#### Study field (narrow) by level of study

	Bachelor D	Degree	Other		Total	
Study field*	number	%	number	%	number	%
Nursing	12	17.6	3	11.5	15	16.0
Other Health	7	10.3	1	3.8	8	8.5
Behavioural Science	7	10.3	0	0.0	7	7.4
Electrical and Electronic Engineering and Technology	1	1.5	5	19.2	6	6.4
Business and Management	6	8.8	0	0.0	6	6.4
Law	6	8.8	0	0.0	6	6.4
Other Natural and Physical Sciences	6	8.8	0	0.0	6	6.4
Building	0	0.0	5	19.2	5	5.3
Other Society and Culture	5	7.4	0	0.0	5	5.3
Teacher Education	3	4.4	2	7.7	5	5.3
Sales and Marketing	2	2.9	2	7.7	4	4.3
Other Engineering and Related Technologies	2	2.9	0	0.0	2	2.1
Banking, Finance and Related Fields	2	2.9	0	0.0	2	2.1
Economics and Econometrics	2	2.9	0	0.0	2	2.1
Manufacturing Engineering and Technology	2	2.9	0	0.0	2	2.1
Performing Arts	0	0.0	2	7.7	2	2.1
Visual Arts and Crafts	2	2.9	0	0.0	2	2.1
Studies in Human Society	2	2.9	0	0.0	2	2.1
Aerospace Engineering and Technology	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
Architecture and Urban Environment	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
Communication and Media Studies	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
Maritime Engineering and Technology	0	0.0	1	3.8	1	1.1
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering and Technology	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
Other Education	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
Rehabilitation Therapies	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
Sport and Recreation	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
Accounting	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
Automotive Engineering and Technology	0	0.0	1	3.8	1	1.1
Biological Sciences	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	1.1
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## Where are they studying?

## Study institution by gender

	Male		Fema	le	Tota	I
Institution name	number	%	number	%	number	%
Griffith University	7	17.9	15	27.3	22	23.4
Australian Catholic University	7	17.9	9	16.4	16	17.0
Queensland University of Technology	4	10.3	9	16.4	13	13.8
The University of Queensland	6	15.4	6	10.9	12	12.8
TAFE Queensland Greater Brisbane	4	10.3	3	5.5	7	7.4
TAFE Queensland SkillsTech	5	12.8	1	1.8	6	6.4
Other private training college	2	5.1	4	7.3	6	6.4
Interstate university	0	0.0	3	5.5	3	3.2
Other institution	1	2.6	1	1.8	2	2.1
Other/Unspecified Queensland TAFE	1	2.6	1	1.8	2	2.1
Bond University	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
Interstate TAFE	1	2.6	0	0.0	1	1.1
James Cook University	0	0.0	1	1.8	1	1.1
Southern Cross University	0	0.0	1	1.8	1	1.1
TAFE Queensland Gold Coast	0	0.0	1	1.8	1	1.1
Total	39	100.0	55	100.0	94	100.0

## How are they studying?





92.6% combining study with paid employment



# **Employment (total)**

This section examines the labour market outcomes for Year 12 completers from Carmel College (Thornlands).

# **\$** 91.0%

**122** out of **134** Year 12 completers were in paid employment in 2024. This figure includes **35** who were only working and **87** who were both working and studying.

## What jobs are they doing?

## Occupation by gender

	Male	)	Femal	е	Total	
Occupational unit group	number	%	number	%	number	%
Sales Assistants (General)	7	12.7	17	25.4	24	19.7
Checkout Operators and Office Cashiers	6	10.9	9	13.4	15	12.3
Bar Attendants and Baristas	4	7.3	2	3.0	6	4.9
Child Carers	0	0.0	6	9.0	6	4.9
Waiters	0	0.0	6	9.0	6	4.9
Shelf Fillers	4	7.3	0	0.0	4	3.3
Fast Food Cooks	3	5.5	1	1.5	4	3.3
Nursing Support and Personal Care Workers	0	0.0	4	6.0	4	3.3
Receptionists	0	0.0	4	6.0	4	3.3
Electricians	3	5.5	0	0.0	3	2.5
Plumbers	3	5.5	0	0.0	3	2.5
Other Miscellaneous Labourers	2	3.6	1	1.5	3	2.5
Retail Supervisors	1	1.8	2	3.0	3	2.5
Carpenters and Joiners	2	3.6	0	0.0	2	1.6
Aged and Disabled Carers	1	1.8	1	1.5	2	1.6
Kitchenhands	1	1.8	1	1.5	2	1.6
Packers	1	1.8	1	1.5	2	1.6
Other Clerical and Office Support Workers	0	0.0	2	3.0	2	1.6
Pharmacy Sales Assistants	0	0.0	2	3.0	2	1.6
Building and Plumbing Labourers	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Call or Contact Centre and Customer Service Managers	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Commercial Cleaners	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Defence Force Members - Other Ranks	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Delivery Drivers	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Electronics Engineers	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Freight and Furniture Handlers	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Gaming Workers	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Other	9	16.4	8	11.9	17	13.9
Total	55	100.0	67	100.0	122	100.0

Occupation category based on the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations.

## What industry are they working in?

## Industry by gender

	Male		Femal	е	Total	
Industry	number	%	number	%	number	%
Retail Trade	14	25.5	26	38.8	40	32.8
Accommodation & Food Services	17	30.9	15	22.4	32	26.2
Health Care & Social Assistance	1	1.8	17	25.4	18	14.8
Construction	11	20.0	0	0.0	11	9.0
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	3	5.5	1	1.5	4	3.3
Arts & Recreation Services	2	3.6	2	3.0	4	3.3
Manufacturing	2	3.6	1	1.5	3	2.5
Education & Training	1	1.8	2	3.0	3	2.5
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	0	0.0	2	3.0	2	1.6
Administrative & Support Services	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Other Services	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Public Administration & Safety	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Wholesale Trade	1	1.8	0	0.0	1	0.8
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	0	0.0	1	1.5	1	0.8
Total	55	100.0	67	100.0	122	100.0

Industry categories are based on the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC).

## How are they working?



# Not in Education, Employment, or Training (NEET)

This section examines the reasons why Year 12 completers from Carmel College (Thornlands) were not engaged in education, employment or training.



**5** out of **134** Year 12 completers were not engaged in education, employment or training at the time of the survey.

## Why are they not studying?

#### Main reason for not studying

Main reason	Total
	number
Don't feel ready for study at the moment	2
Looking for work/apprenticeship/traineeship	2
Not interested in further study/already finished studying	1
Total	5

## Have they had work since school?

**ii** 60.0%

**3** out of **5** Year 12 completers were not working or studying at the time of the survey, but had paid employment at some time since finishing school.

#### Main reason for stopping previous job

Main reason	Total
	number
Not satisfied with the job	2
Employer went out of business	1
Total	3

## Are they seeking work?



4 out of 5 Year 12 completers were not working or studying at the time of the survey, but were seeking work.

#### Main reason unsuccessful getting a job

Main reason	Total
	number
Disability	1
Health reasons	1
Not enough job experience	1
Not trying very hard	1
Total	4

## Why are they not seeking work?



1 out of 5 Year 12 completers was not working or studying at the time of the survey and was not seeking work, also known as NILFET.

#### Main reason not looking for a job

Main reason	Total
	number
Accepted a job that will start at a later date	1
Total	1

## Where to from here?



# Appendices

## Appendix 1 – Acronyms and initialisms

ATAR	Australian	Tertiary	Admission	Rank

- DW Data withheld
- IBD International Baccalaureate Diploma
- NA Not applicable
- NILFET Not in the labour force, education or training
- SAT School-based apprenticeships and traineeships
- TAFE Technical and further education
- VET Vocational Education and Training

## Appendix 2 – Explanatory notes

## Main destination

A structured hierarchy of study and labour force destinations for Year 12 completers, who were assigned to categories as follows:

- students were assigned to the relevant higher education or VET category, even if they were also employed
- apprentices and trainees were assigned to their respective category and classified as education and training since their training involves study
- those assigned to a labour force category (employed or seeking work) were not also undertaking study
- those who were not studying and not in the labour force (not employed and not seeking work) were categorised as NILFET.

#### Main destination categories

Education and training – higher education	ation
Bachelor Degree*	Studying at Bachelor Degree level (including Honours), or higher.
Education and training - VET categor	ries
VET Certificate IV+*	Studying at Certificate IV, Diploma, Advanced Diploma or Associate Degree level (excluding apprentices and trainees).
VET Certificate III*	Studying at Certificate III level (excluding apprentices and trainees).
VET Certificate I–II/other*	Studying at Certificate I or II level (excluding apprentices and trainees). This category also includes students in an unspecified VET course, other basic course (e.g. short course) and unknown course level.
Apprenticeship*	Employment-based apprenticeship.
Traineeship*	Examples we get the and train eaching
Hameeship	Employment-based traineeship.
Employment only	Employment-based traineeship.
•	Working full-time (35 hours or more per week) and not in an education or training category. This includes people with multiple part-time or casual jobs that total 35 hours or more.
Employment only	Working full-time (35 hours or more per week) and not in an education or training category. This includes people with multiple part-time or casual
Employment only Full-time employment	<ul> <li>Working full-time (35 hours or more per week) and not in an education or training category. This includes people with multiple part-time or casual jobs that total 35 hours or more.</li> <li>Working part-time or casual (fewer than 35 hours per week) and not in an education or training category.</li> </ul>
Employment only Full-time employment Part-time employment	<ul> <li>Working full-time (35 hours or more per week) and not in an education or training category. This includes people with multiple part-time or casual jobs that total 35 hours or more.</li> <li>Working part-time or casual (fewer than 35 hours per week) and not in an education or training category.</li> </ul>

\*Some respondents may also be in employment or seeking work.



#### More information

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