

Ringwood Secondary College (22475)

2019 RTO Performance Detailed Report



Introduction

This report details the 2019 results of the *Student Satisfaction Survey* and from the *Employer Satisfaction Survey*, as well as results from previous years of the surveys (where available).

Additional information regarding your student profile, the surveys, and how to read and interpret your results are included at the end of the report.

In 2019, 54 students from Ringwood Secondary College (22475) took part in the survey. This is a response rate of 31.4%. The average response rate for all of Victoria was 35.7%.

In 2019, 26 of the respondents in the survey were completers and 28 were early leavers.

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Performance measures

This table provides an overview of the 11 performance measures and is followed by a detailed analysis of these results.

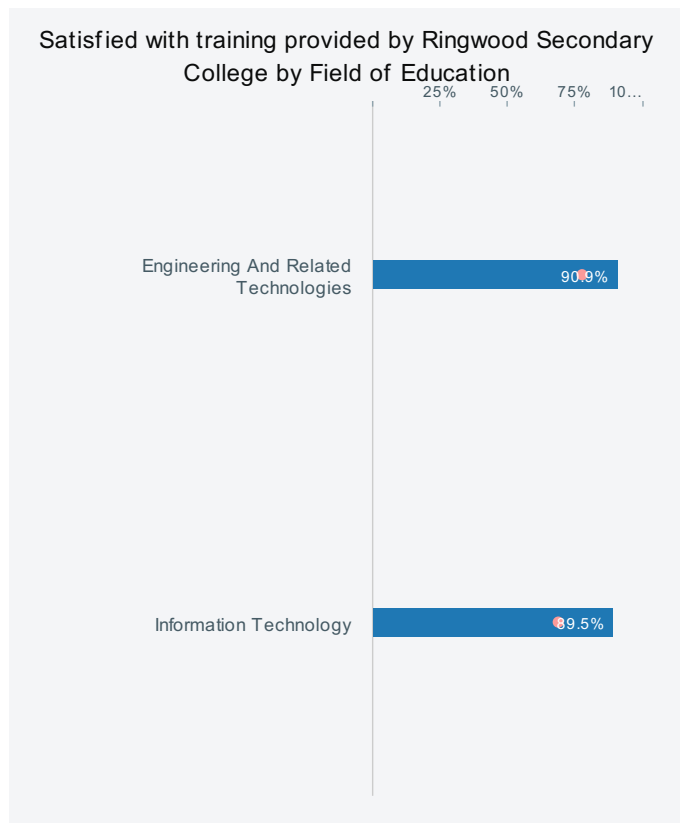
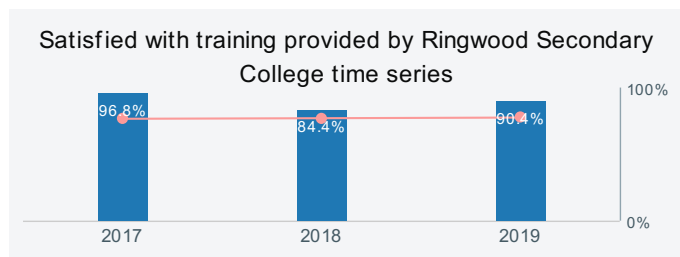
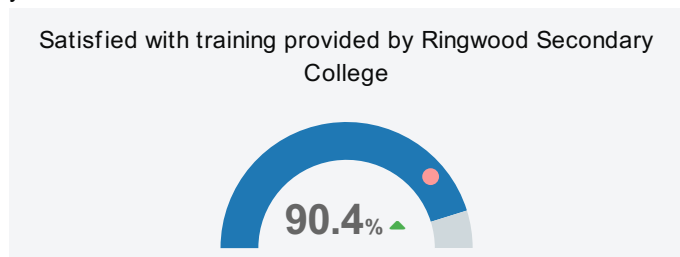
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	2019	2018	Trend	Victoria
Student experience				
Proportion of VET students who were satisfied with training provided by Ringwood Secondary College	90.4% ▲	84.4%		77.5%
Proportion of VET students who reported a positive perception of teaching	83.3% ▲	80.0%		68.3%
Proportion of VET students who reported a positive perception of the assessment process	82.7% ▼	86.7%		69.5%
Proportion of VET students who were satisfied with generic skills and learning experiences	41.5% ▼	50.0%		46.8%
Student outcomes				
Proportion of VET students who achieved their main reason for training	77.8% ▼	89.1%		73.5%
Proportion of VET students with an improved employment status after training	56.3% ▼	63.4%		45.2%
Proportion of VET students who went on to further study at a higher level than their completed training	20.8% ▼	28.2%		19.9%
Proportion of VET students who would recommend Ringwood Secondary College	84.6% ▲	84.4%		76.0%
Employer feedback				
Proportion of employers who were satisfied with training provided by Ringwood Secondary College	85.0% ▼	90.0%		78.5%
Proportion of employers who would recommend Ringwood Secondary College	87.5% ▲	85.0%		73.6%
Proportion of employers who reported improvement in the generic skills of their apprentices and trainees	56.4% ▼	60.0%		59.5%

▲ Higher than previous year ▼ Lower than previous year

Student experience

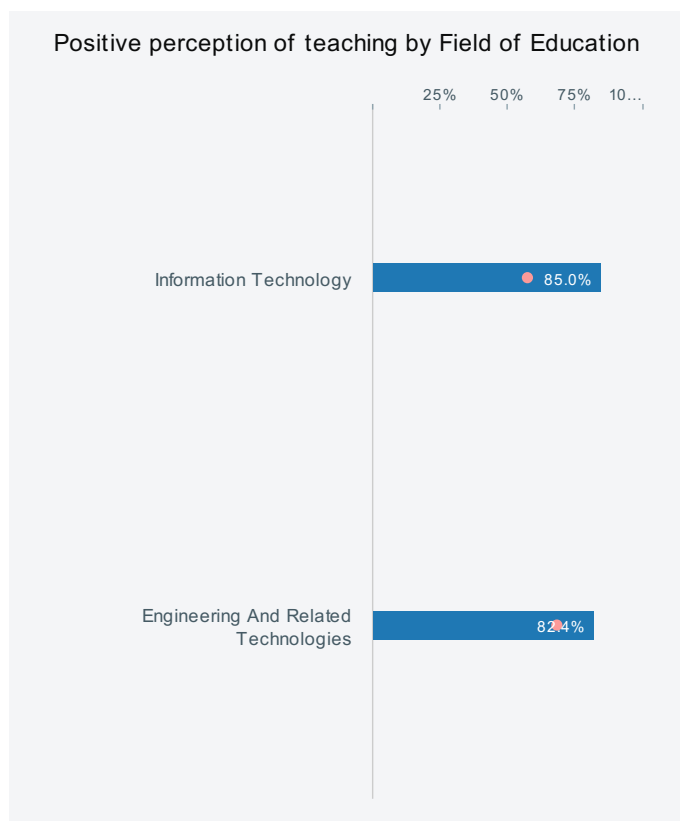
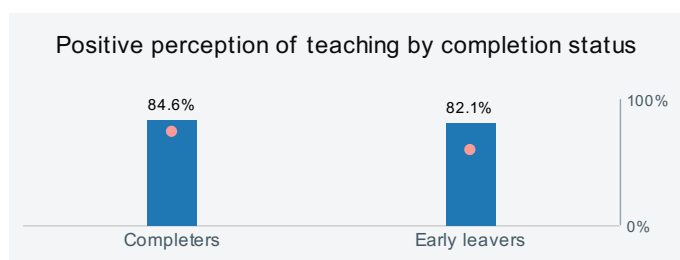
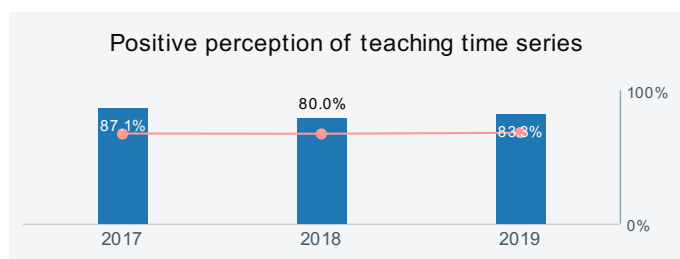
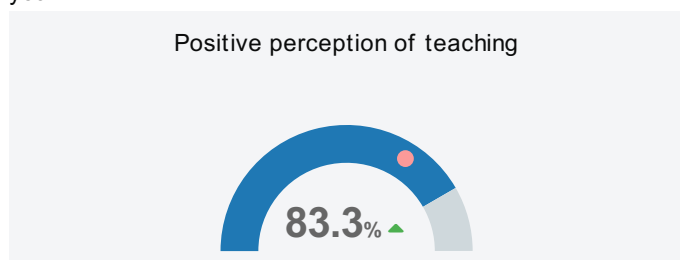
Proportion of VET students who were satisfied with training provided by Ringwood Secondary College

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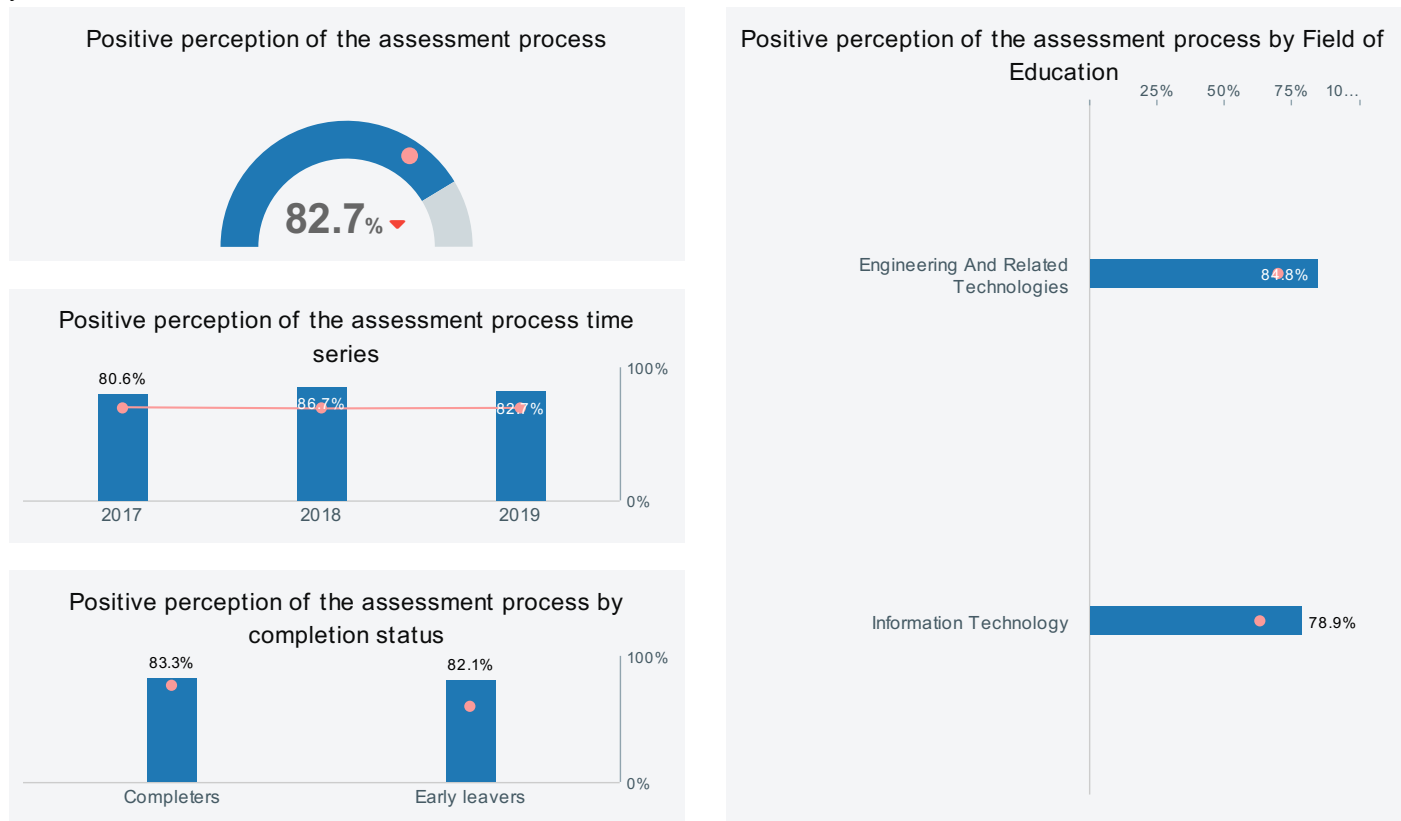
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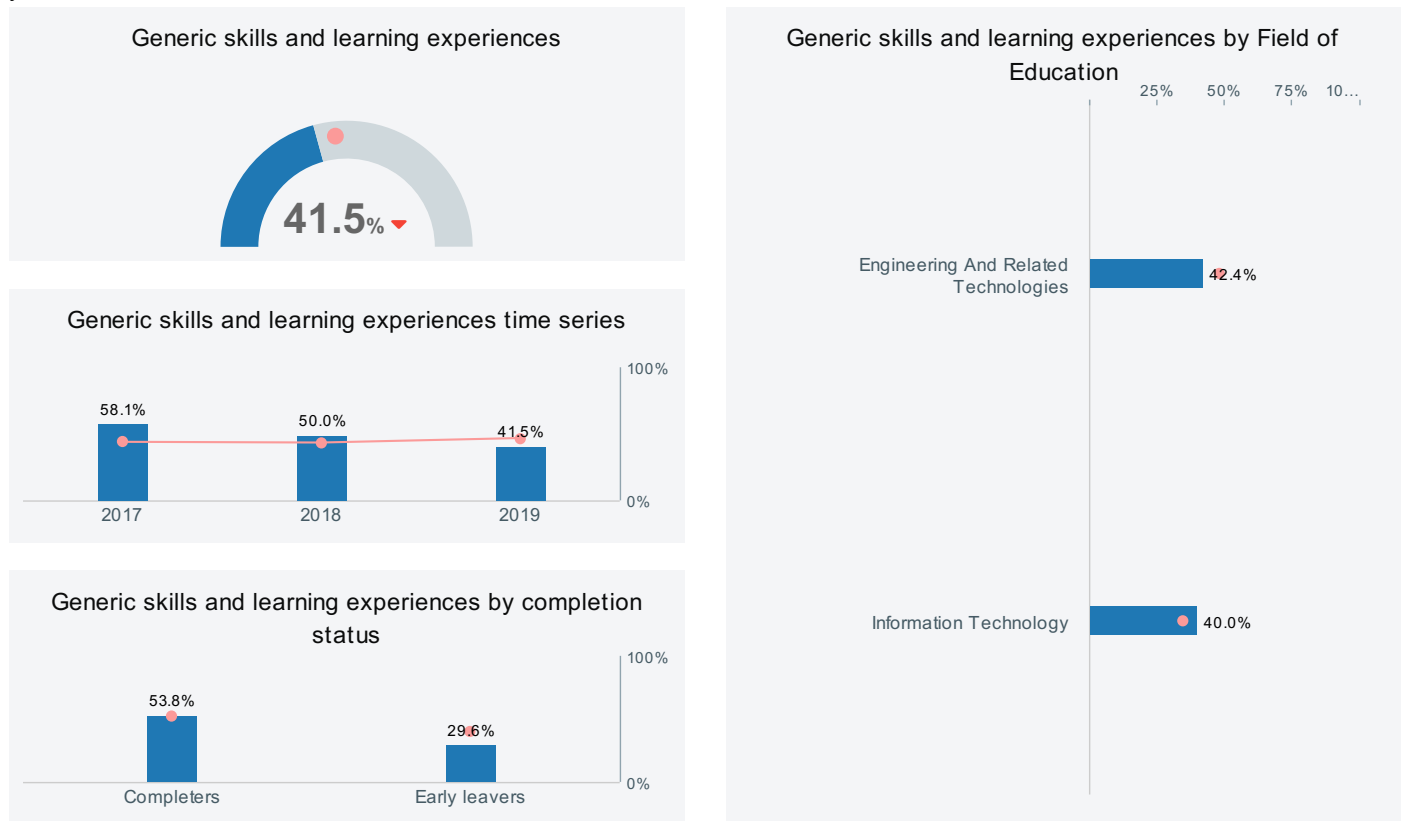
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Proportion of VET students who were satisfied with generic skills and learning experiences

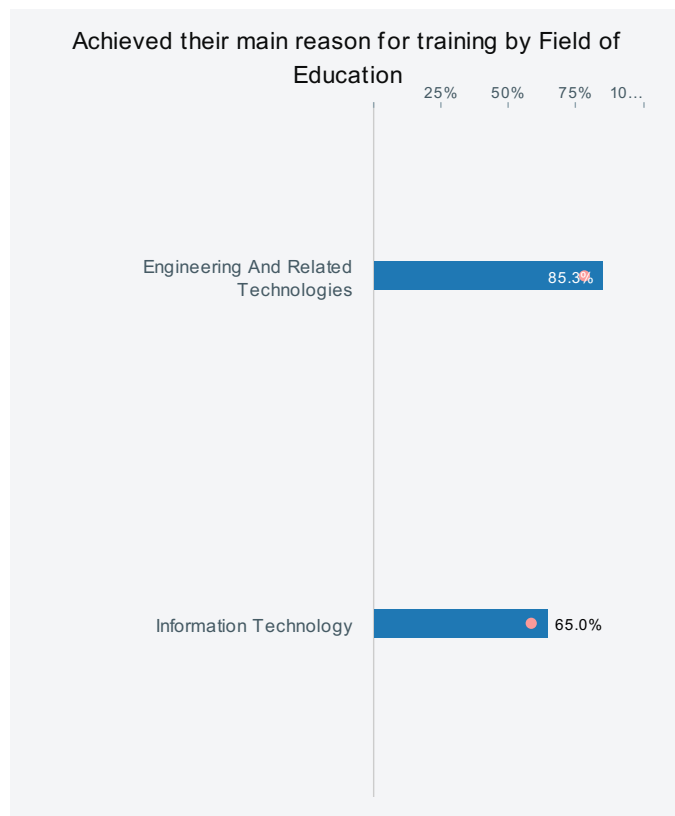
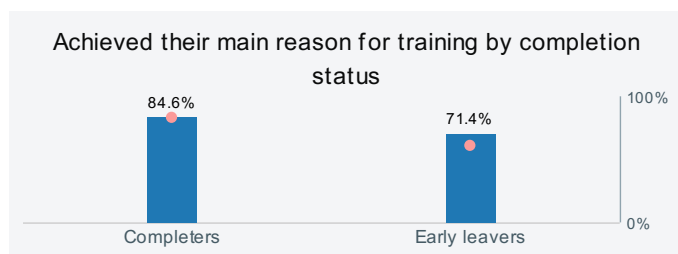
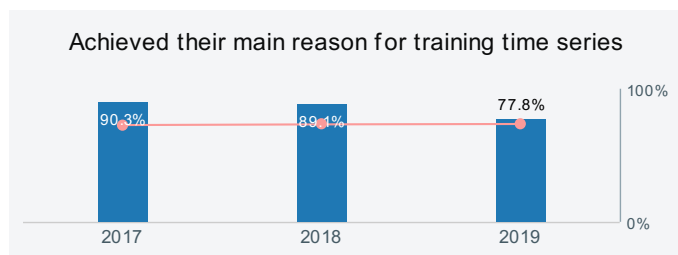
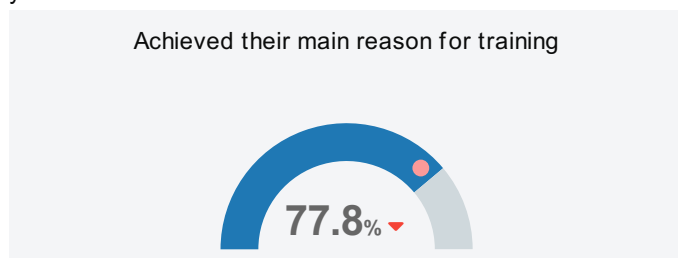
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Student outcomes

Proportion of VET students who achieved their main reason for training

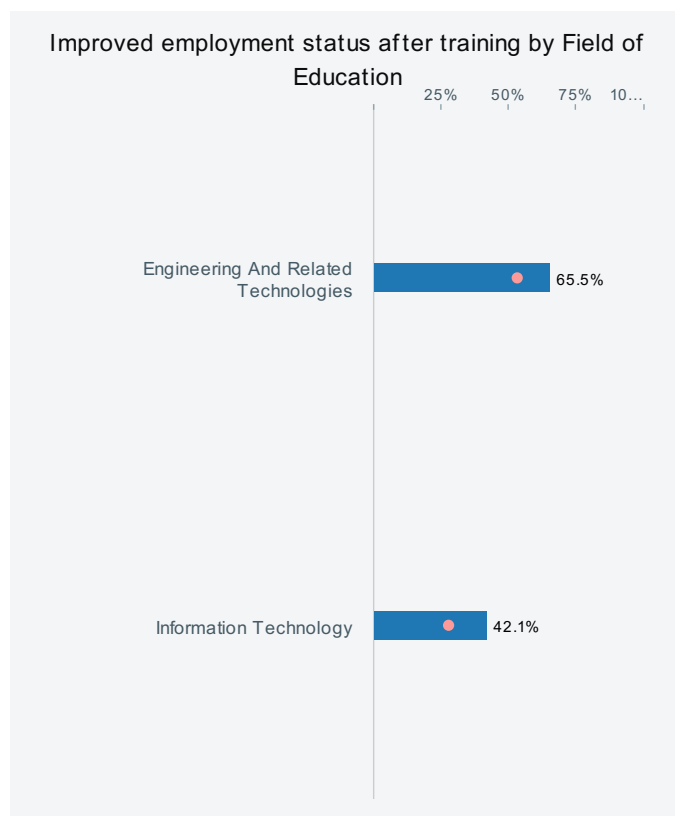
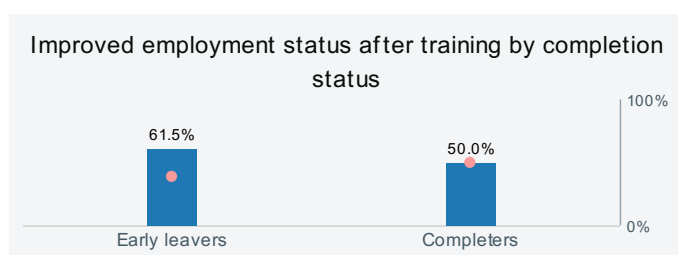
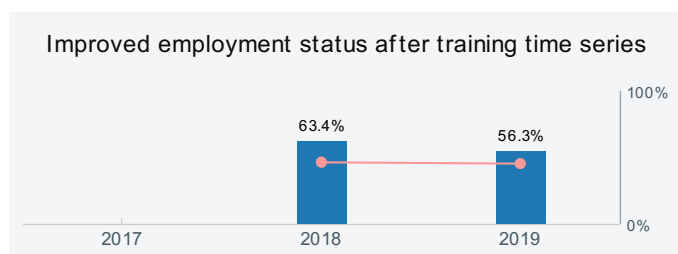
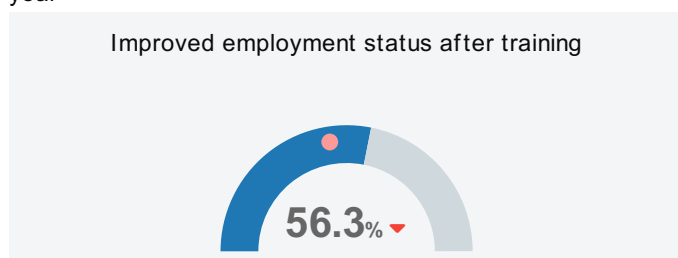
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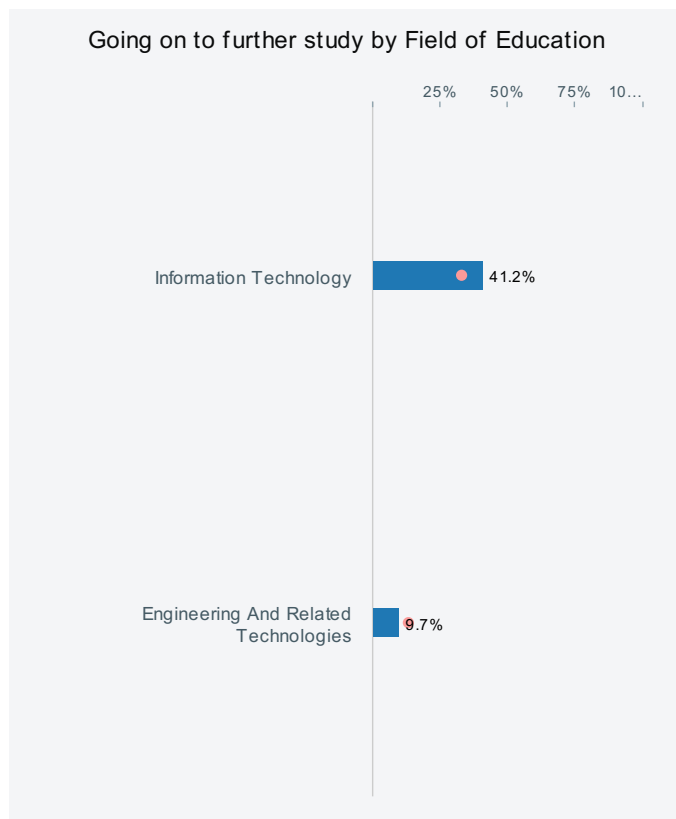
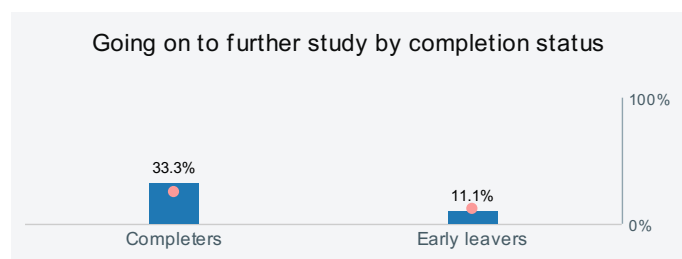
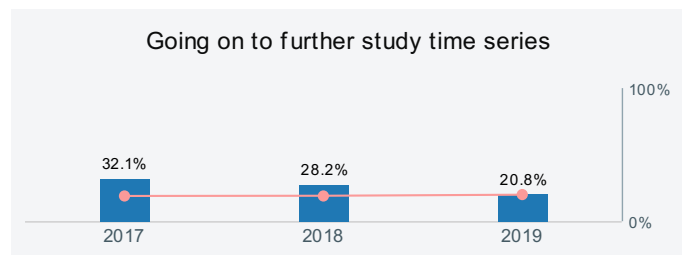
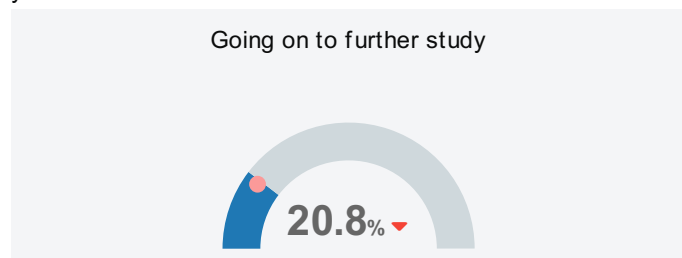
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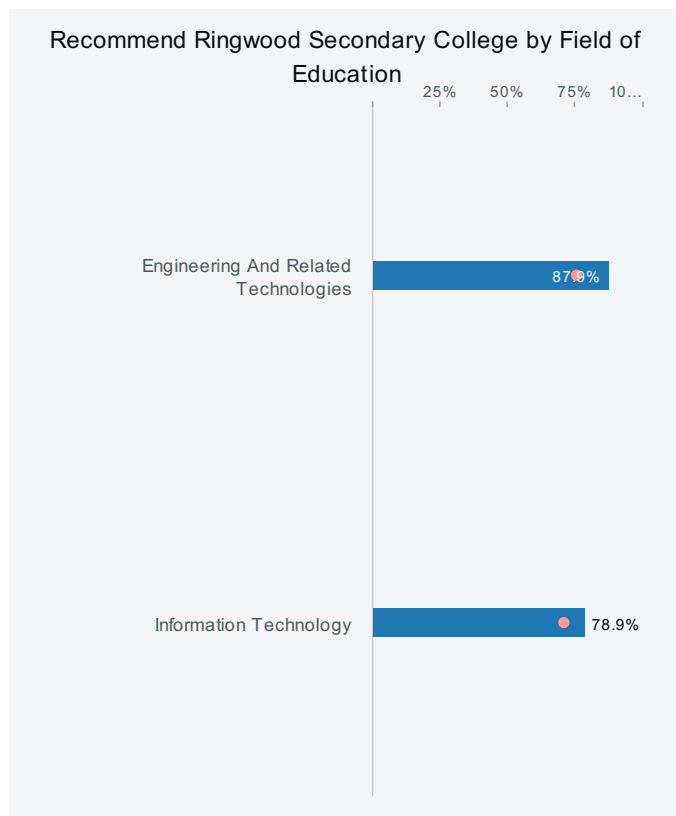
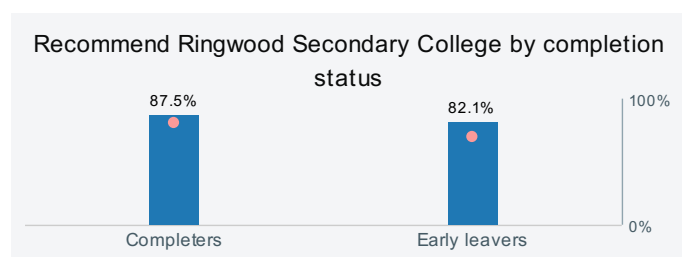
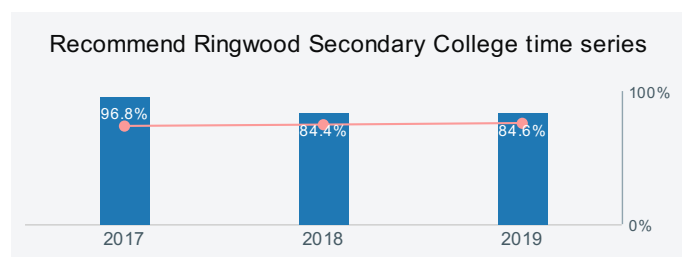
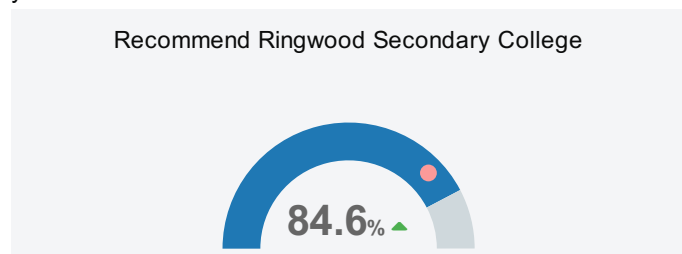
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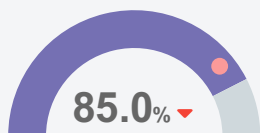


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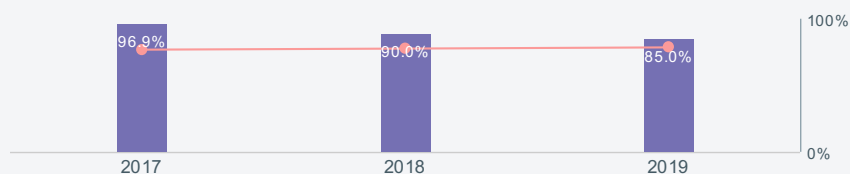
Proportion of employers who were satisfied with training provided by Ringwood Secondary College

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Satisfied with training provided by Ringwood Secondary College



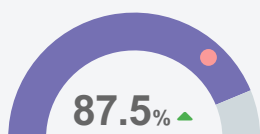
Satisfied with training provided by Ringwood Secondary College time series



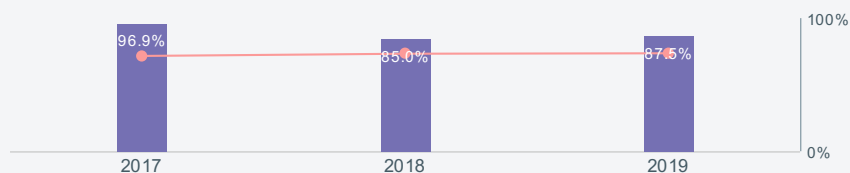
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Would recommend Ringwood Secondary College



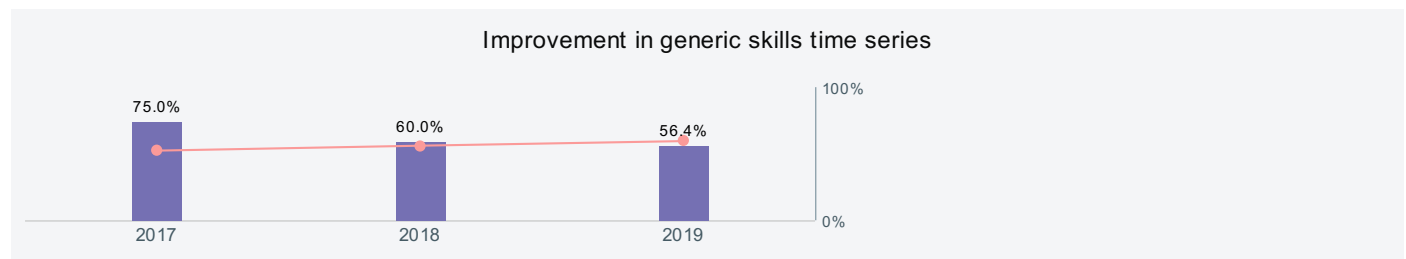
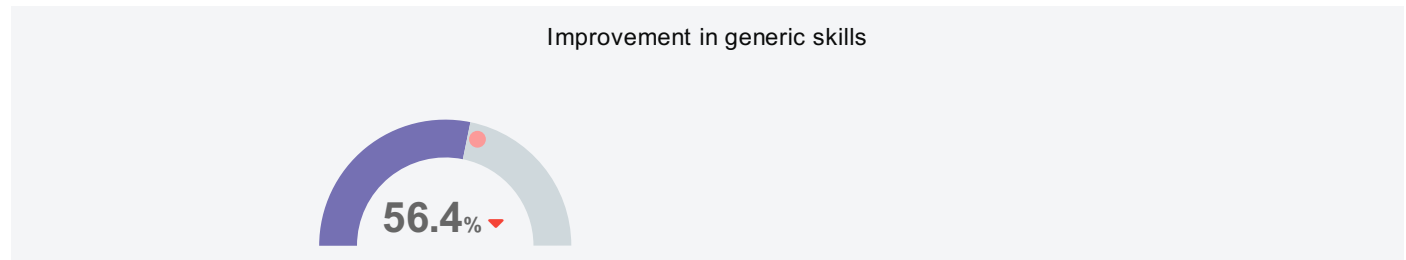
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Proportion of employers who reported improvement in the generic skills of their apprentices and trainees

The methodology used to construct this measure was changed for the 2017 survey. So, the 2016 results are not directly comparable to the results from 2017 onwards.

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Student Satisfaction Survey question level results

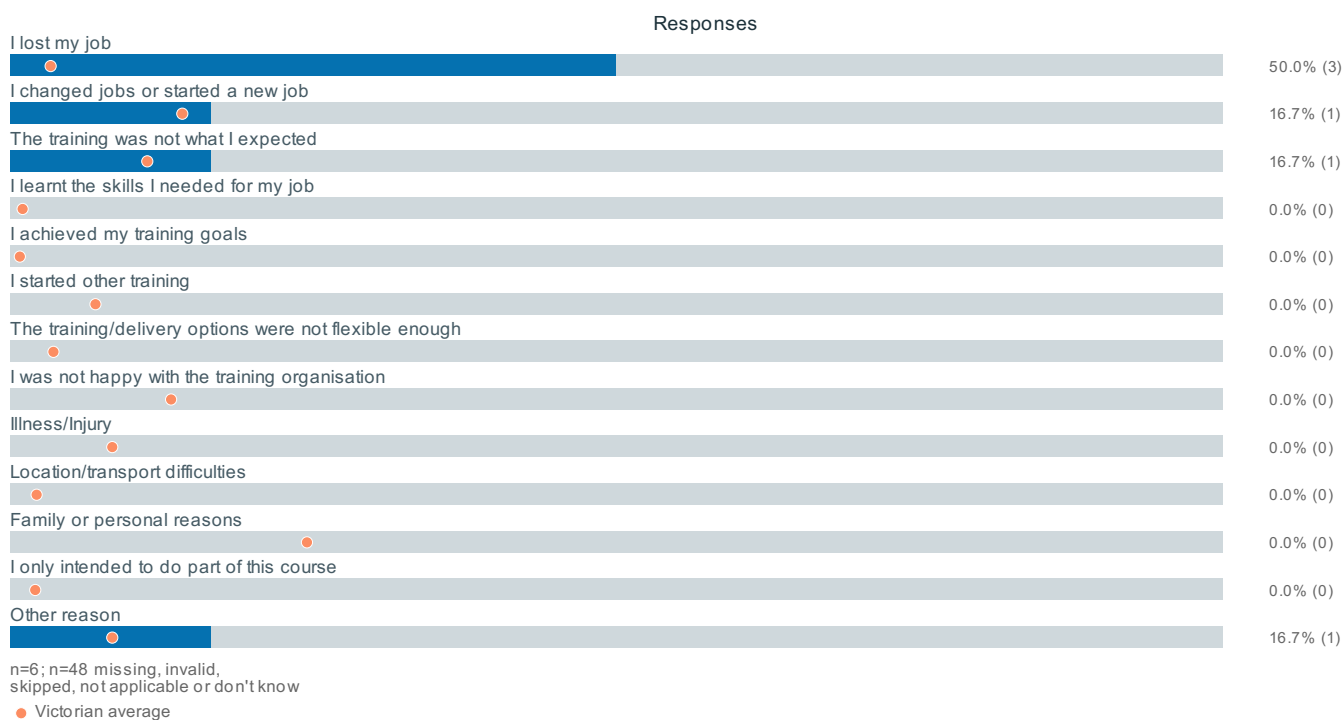
This section provides a detailed analysis of your results at the question by question level, including comparison against previous years of the surveys.

About your training

5. What was your main reason for not continuing this course?*

When asked "What was your main reason for not continuing this course?":

- 50.0% said *I lost my job*
- 16.7% said *I changed jobs or started a new job*
- 16.7% said *The training was not what I expected*
- 16.7% said *Other reason*
- None (0%) said *I learnt the skills I needed for my job*
- None (0%) said *I achieved my training goals*
- None (0%) said *I started other training*
- None (0%) said *The training/delivery options were not flexible enough*
- None (0%) said *I was not happy with the training organisation*
- None (0%) said *Illness/Injury*
- None (0%) said *Location/transport difficulties*
- None (0%) said *Family or personal reasons*
- None (0%) said *I only intended to do part of this course*



*Question 5 applies to students who did not complete the training required to gain the qualification for this course.

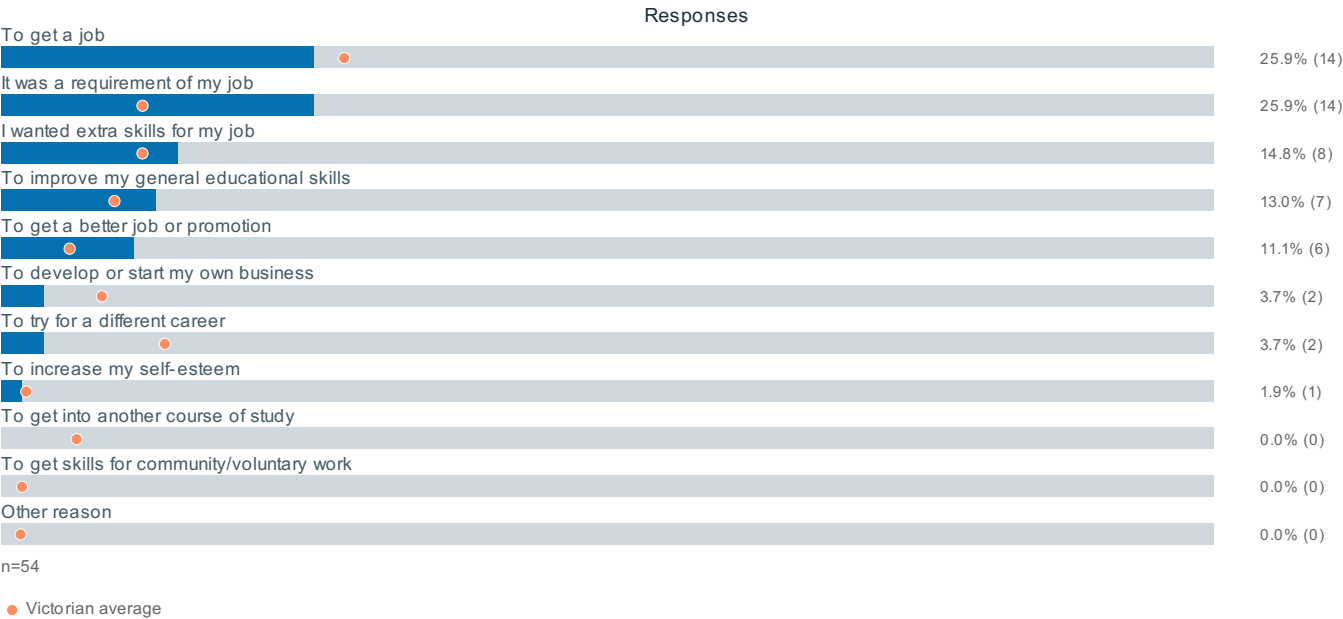
Ringwood Secondary College received fewer than 5 responses to the question "What was the main reason for intending to do only part of this course?" so the results are not shown.

Reasons for training, satisfaction

6. What was your main reason for doing the course?

When asked "What was your main reason for doing the course? ":

- 25.9% said *To get a job*
- 25.9% said *It was a requirement of my job*
- 14.8% said *I wanted extra skills for my job*
- 13.0% said *To improve my general educational skills*
- 11.1% said *To get a better job or promotion*
- 3.7% said *To develop or start my own business*
- 3.7% said *To try for a different career*
- 1.9% said *To increase my self-esteem*
- None (0%) said *To get into another course of study*
- None (0%) said *To get skills for community/voluntary work*
- None (0%) said *Other reason*



7. To what extent would you agree or disagree that you achieved your main reason for doing the course?

When asked "To what extent would you agree or disagree that you achieved your main reason for doing the course?":

- 40.7% said *Strongly Agree*
- 37.0% said *Agree*
- 18.5% said *Neither Agree nor Disagree*
- 3.7% said *Disagree*
- none (0%) said *Strongly Disagree*

In last year's survey, (89.1%) selected *Strongly Agree and Agree*.



8. How satisfied are you that the training for this course contributed to an improvement in your...

(a) English writing skills

When asked "How satisfied are you that the training for this course contributed to an improvement in your... (a) English writing skills":

- 31.1% said *Very Satisfied*
- 33.3% said *Satisfied*
- 33.3% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 2.2% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (62.5%) reported *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(b) Numerical skills

When asked "How satisfied are you that the training for this course contributed to an improvement in your... (b) Numerical skills":

- 27.7% said *Very Satisfied*
- 38.3% said *Satisfied*
- 29.8% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 2.1% said *Dissatisfied*
- 2.1% said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (66.7%) selected *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(c) Problem solving skills

When asked "How satisfied are you that the training for this course contributed to an improvement in your... (c) Problem solving skills":

- 35.8% said *Very Satisfied*
- 56.6% said *Satisfied*
- 7.5% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (91.3%) chose *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(d) Team working skills

When asked "How satisfied are you that the training for this course contributed to an improvement in your... (d) Team working skills":

- 31.4% said *Very Satisfied*
- 47.1% said *Satisfied*
- 19.6% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 2.0% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (78.3%) stated *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(e) Self-confidence

When asked "How satisfied are you that the training for this course contributed to an improvement in your... (e) Self-confidence":

- 32.7% said *Very Satisfied*
- 42.3% said *Satisfied*
- 21.2% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (82.2%) said *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.

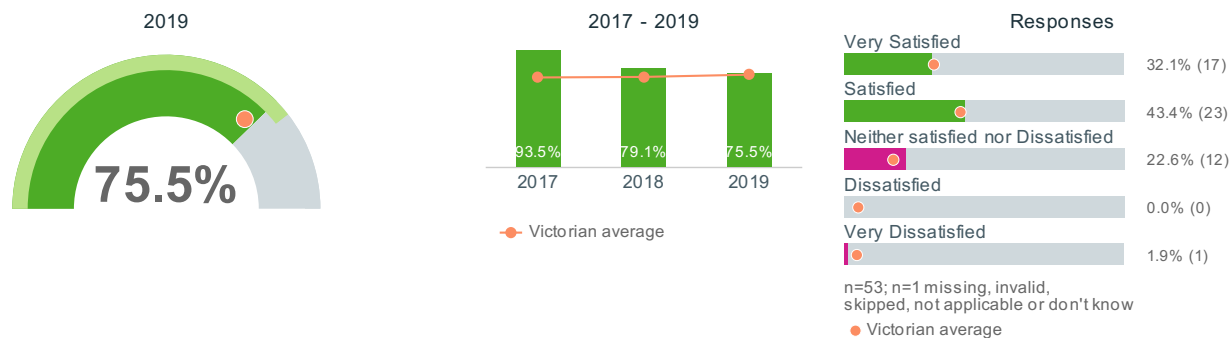


(f) Career outlook

When asked "How satisfied are you that the training for this course contributed to an improvement in your... (f) Career outlook":

- 32.1% said *Very Satisfied*
- 43.4% said *Satisfied*
- 22.6% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (79.1%) reported *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



9. How satisfied are you that the trainers/teachers for this course...

(a) Clearly taught the subject

When asked "How satisfied are you that the trainers/teachers for this course... (a) Clearly taught the subject":

- 57.4% said *Very Satisfied*
- 31.5% said *Satisfied*
- 9.3% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (80.0%) chose *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(b) Understood your learning needs

When asked "How satisfied are you that the trainers/teachers for this course... (b) Understood your learning needs":

- 55.6% said *Very Satisfied*
- 27.8% said *Satisfied*
- 9.3% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 5.6% said *Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (84.4%) selected *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(c) Had current industry experience

When asked "How satisfied are you that the trainers/teachers for this course... (c) Had current industry experience":

- 70.4% said *Very Satisfied*
- 25.9% said *Satisfied*
- 1.9% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (93.2%) selected *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



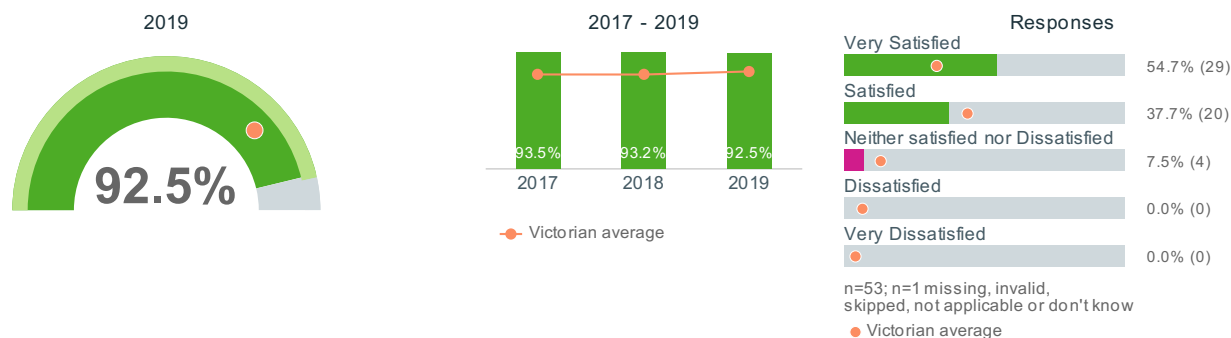
10. How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your course...?

(a) The facilities and equipment

When asked "How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your course...? (a) The facilities and equipment":

- 54.7% said *Very Satisfied*
- 37.7% said *Satisfied*
- 7.5% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (93.2%) chose *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.

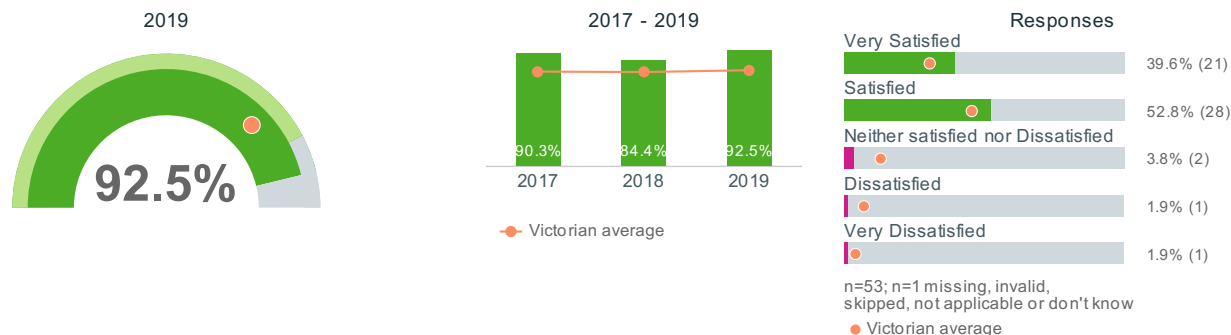


(b) Course materials and content

When asked "How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your course...? (b) Course materials and content":

- 39.6% said *Very Satisfied*
- 52.8% said *Satisfied*
- 3.8% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Very Dissatisfied*

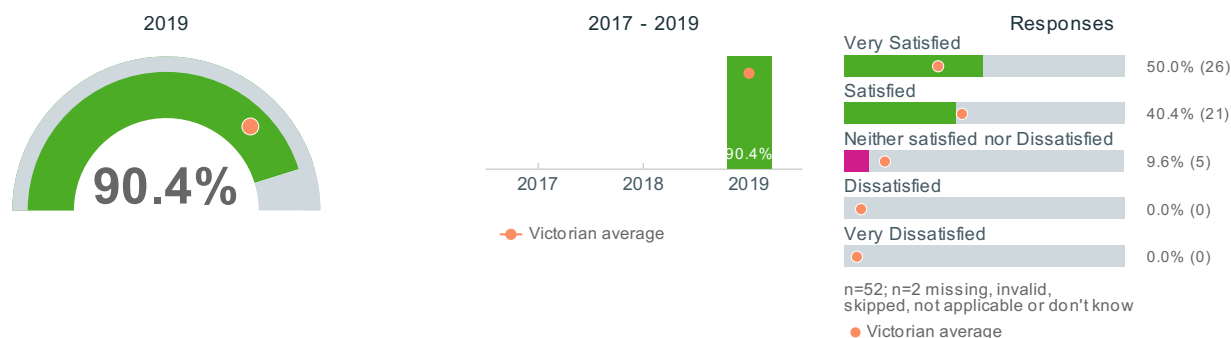
In last year's survey, (84.4%) selected *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(c) Flexibility of training delivery

When asked "How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your course...? (c) Flexibility of training delivery":

- 50.0% said *Very Satisfied*
- 40.4% said *Satisfied*
- 9.6% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

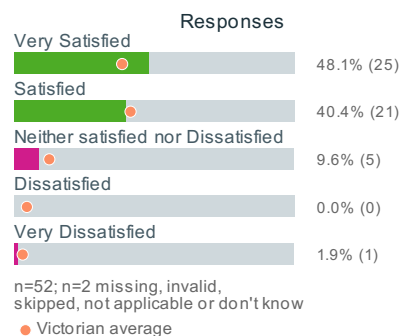
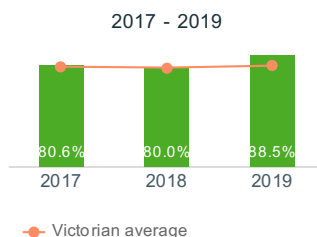
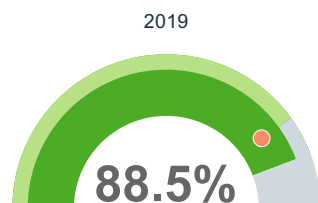


(d) The training location is convenient for you

When asked "How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your course...? (d) The training location is convenient for you":

- 48.1% said *Very Satisfied*
- 40.4% said *Satisfied*
- 9.6% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (80.0%) chose *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.

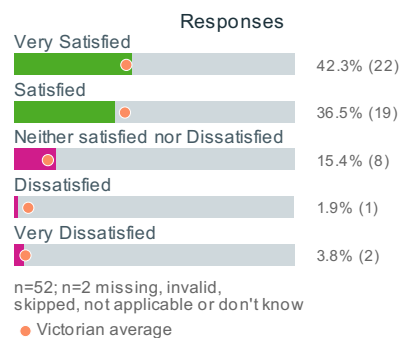
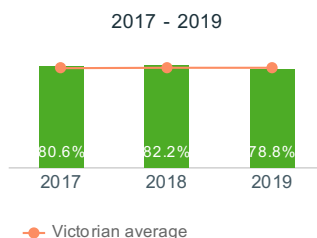
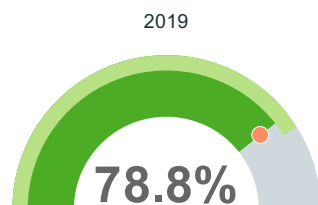


(e) The availability of your trainer/teacher

When asked "How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your course...? (e) The availability of your trainer/teacher":

- 42.3% said *Very Satisfied*
- 36.5% said *Satisfied*
- 15.4% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 1.9% said *Dissatisfied*
- 3.8% said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (82.2%) said *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(f) Support from your trainer/teacher

When asked "How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your course...? (f) Support from your trainer/teacher":

- 55.8% said *Very Satisfied*
- 30.8% said *Satisfied*
- 7.7% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- 5.8% said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (91.1%) stated *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.

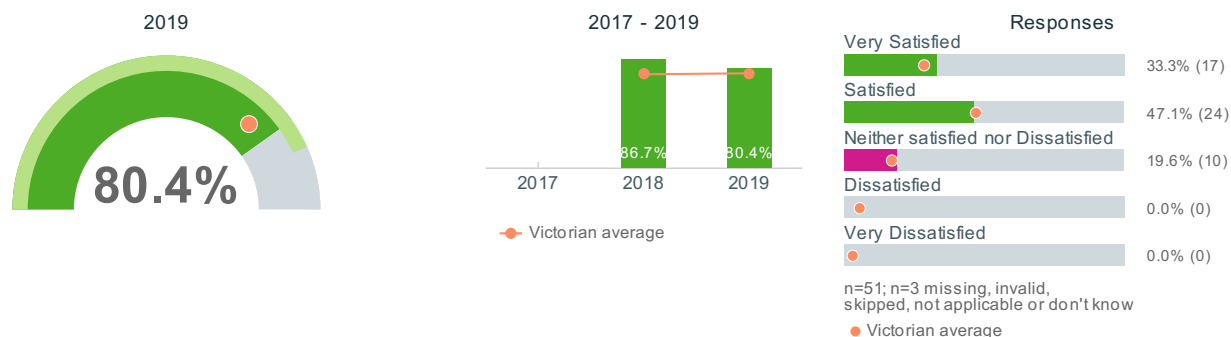


(g) Length of the course

When asked "How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your course...? (g) Length of the course":

- 33.3% said *Very Satisfied*
- 47.1% said *Satisfied*
- 19.6% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (86.7%) selected *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



11. How satisfied are you that your training organisation's assessment of your learnings was...?

(a) Clearly outlined to you

When asked "How satisfied are you that your training organisation's assessment of your learnings was...? (a) Clearly outlined to you":

- 40.4% said *Very Satisfied*
- 48.1% said *Satisfied*
- 11.5% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (86.7%) selected *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



(b) Appropriate for your studies

When asked "How satisfied are you that your training organisation's assessment of your learnings was...? (b) Appropriate for your studies":

- 50.0% said *Very Satisfied*
- 44.2% said *Satisfied*
- 5.8% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (91.1%) chose *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.

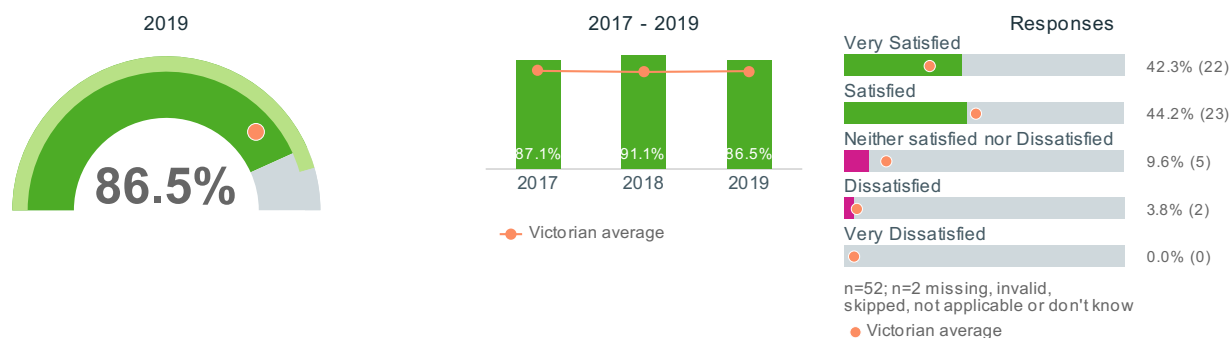


(c) Carried out as outlined to you

When asked "How satisfied are you that your training organisation's assessment of your learnings was...? (c) Carried out as outlined to you":

- 42.3% said *Very Satisfied*
- 44.2% said *Satisfied*
- 9.6% said *Neither satisfied nor Dissatisfied*
- 3.8% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very Dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (91.1%) selected *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



12. Overall, how satisfied are you with your training?

When asked "Overall, how satisfied are you with your training?":

- 46.2% said *Very Satisfied*
- 44.2% said *Satisfied*
- 5.8% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 3.8% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Very dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (84.4%) said *Very Satisfied and Satisfied*.



13. How likely would you be to recommend this course to other students?

When asked "How likely would you be to recommend this course to other students?":

- 44.2% said *Very likely*
- 36.5% said *Likely*
- 15.4% said *Neither likely nor unlikely*
- 3.8% said *Unlikely*
- none (0%) said *Very unlikely*

In last year's survey, (82.2%) reported *Very likely and Likely*.



14. How likely would you be to recommend this training organisation to other students?

When asked "How likely would you be to recommend this training organisation to other students?":

- 50.0% said *Very likely*
- 34.6% said *Likely*
- 13.5% said *Neither likely nor unlikely*
- none (0%) said *Unlikely*
- 1.9% said *Very unlikely*

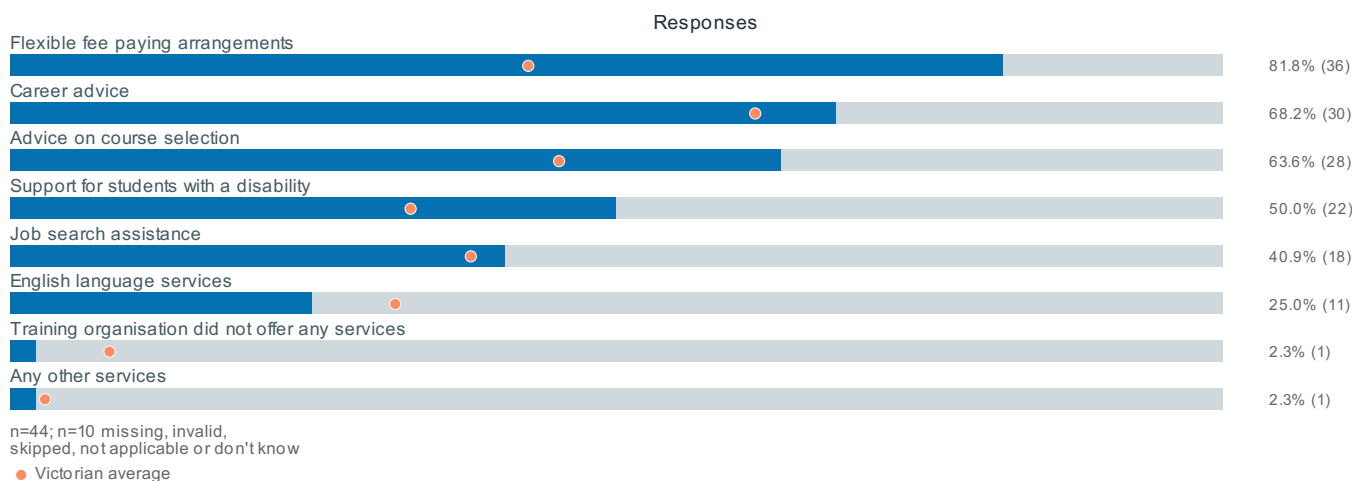
In last year's survey, (84.4%) said *Very likely and Likely*.



16. To the best of your knowledge which of the following services did your training organisation offer?

When asked "To the best of your knowledge which of the following services did your training organisation offer?":

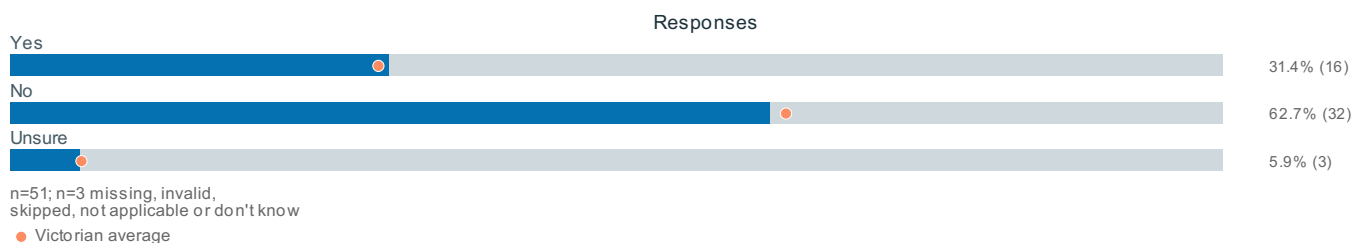
- 81.8% said *Flexible fee paying arrangements*
- 68.2% said *Career advice*
- 63.6% said *Advice on course selection*
- 50.0% said *Support for students with a disability*
- 40.9% said *Job search assistance*
- 25.0% said *English language services*
- 2.3% said *Training organisation did not offer any services*
- 2.3% said *Any other services*



17. Have you commenced another course or further study?

When asked "Have you commenced another course or further study?":

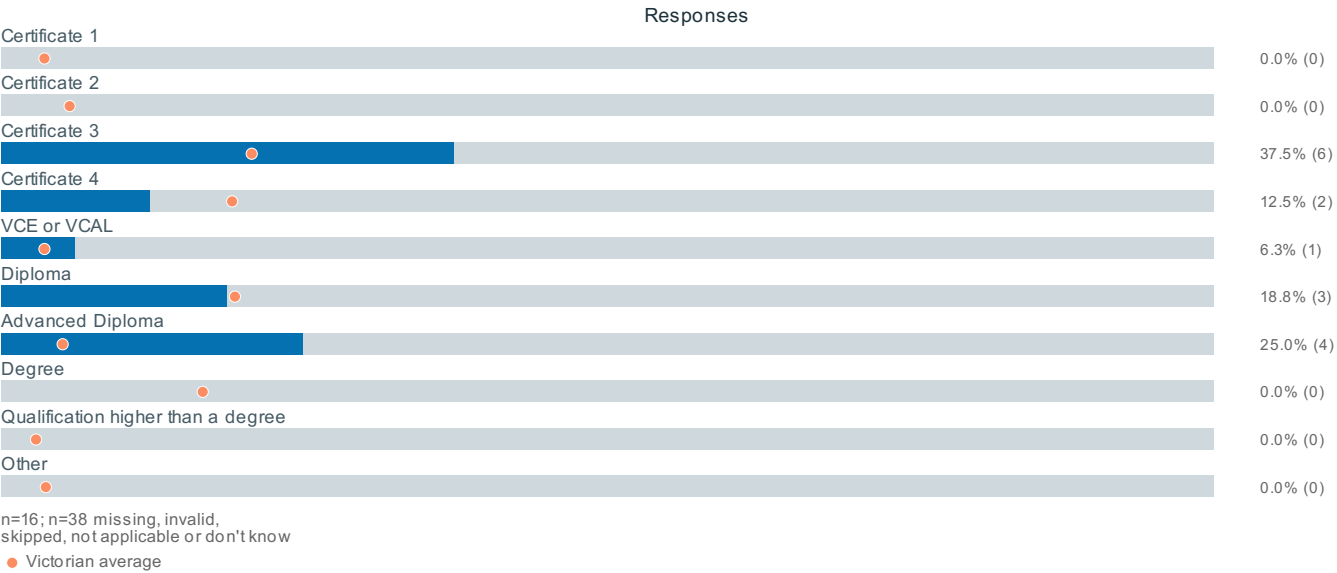
- 62.7% said *No*
- 31.4% said *Yes*
- 5.9% said *Unsure*



18. What is the level of this new course? *

When asked "What is the level of this new course? **":

- 37.5% said *Certificate 3*
- 25.0% said *Advanced Diploma*
- 18.8% said *Diploma*
- 12.5% said *Certificate 4*
- 6.3% said *VCE or VCAL*
- None (0%) said *Certificate 1*
- None (0%) said *Certificate 2*
- None (0%) said *Degree*
- None (0%) said *Qualification higher than a degree*
- None (0%) said *Other*



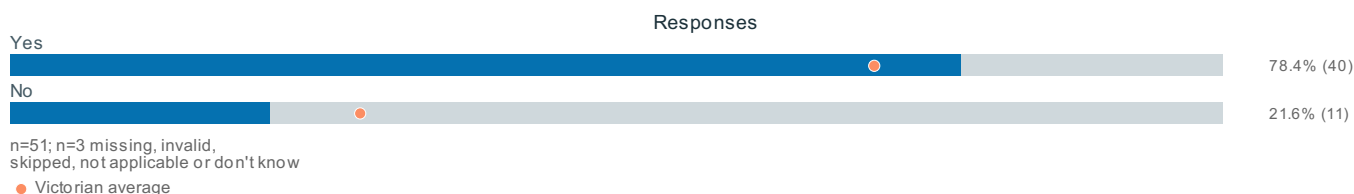
*Question 18 applies to students who indicated they have commenced another course or further study.

Your work situation now

20. Thinking about your work situation...Do you currently have a job of any kind?

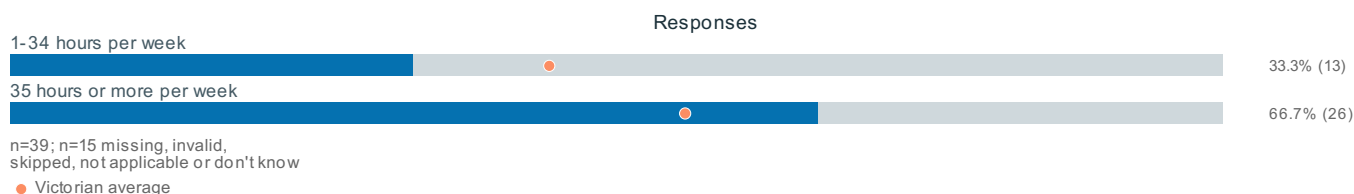
When asked "Thinking about your work situation...Do you currently have a job of any kind?":

- 78.4% said *Yes*
- 21.6% said *No*



21. How many hours do you usually work each week in your main job? *

When asked "How many hours do you usually work each week in your main job? **", 33.3% of Ringwood Secondary College respondents selected *1-34 hours per week*. and 66.7% said *35 hours or more per week*.

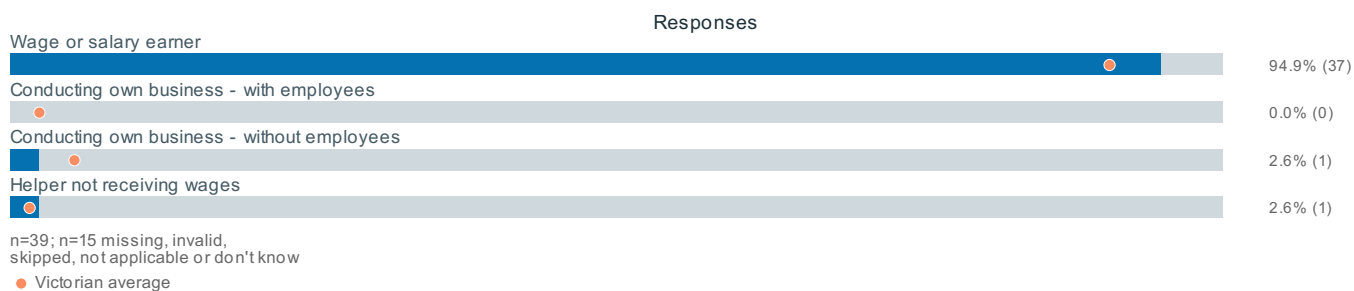


*Question 21 applies to students who indicated they currently have a job.

22. On what basis are you employed in your main job? *

When asked "On what basis are you employed in your main job? **":

- 94.9% said *Wage or salary earner*
- 2.6% said *Conducting own business - without employees*
- 2.6% said *Helper not receiving wages*
- None (0%) said *Conducting own business - with employees*

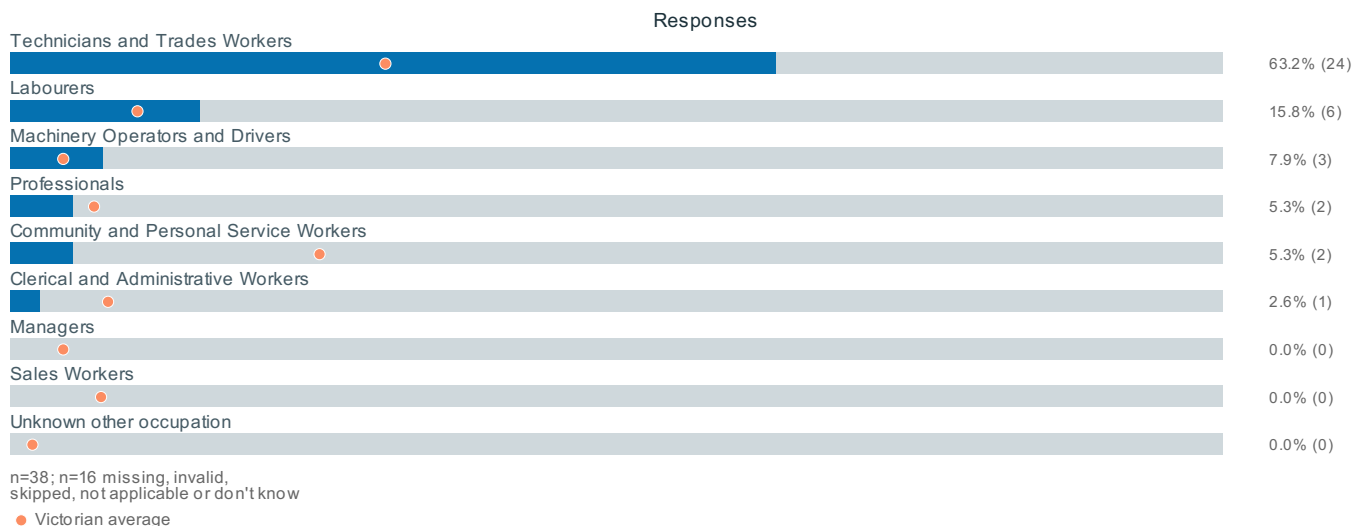


*Question 22 applies to students who indicated they currently have a job.

23. What is the full title of your main job?* (ANZSCO Level 1)

When asked "What is the full title of your main job?* (ANZSCO Level 1)":

- 63.2% said *Technicians and Trades Workers*
- 15.8% said *Labourers*
- 7.9% said *Machinery Operators and Drivers*
- 5.3% said *Professionals*
- 5.3% said *Community and Personal Service Workers*
- 2.6% said *Clerical and Administrative Workers*
- None (0%) said *Managers*
- None (0%) said *Sales Workers*
- None (0%) said *Unknown other occupation*



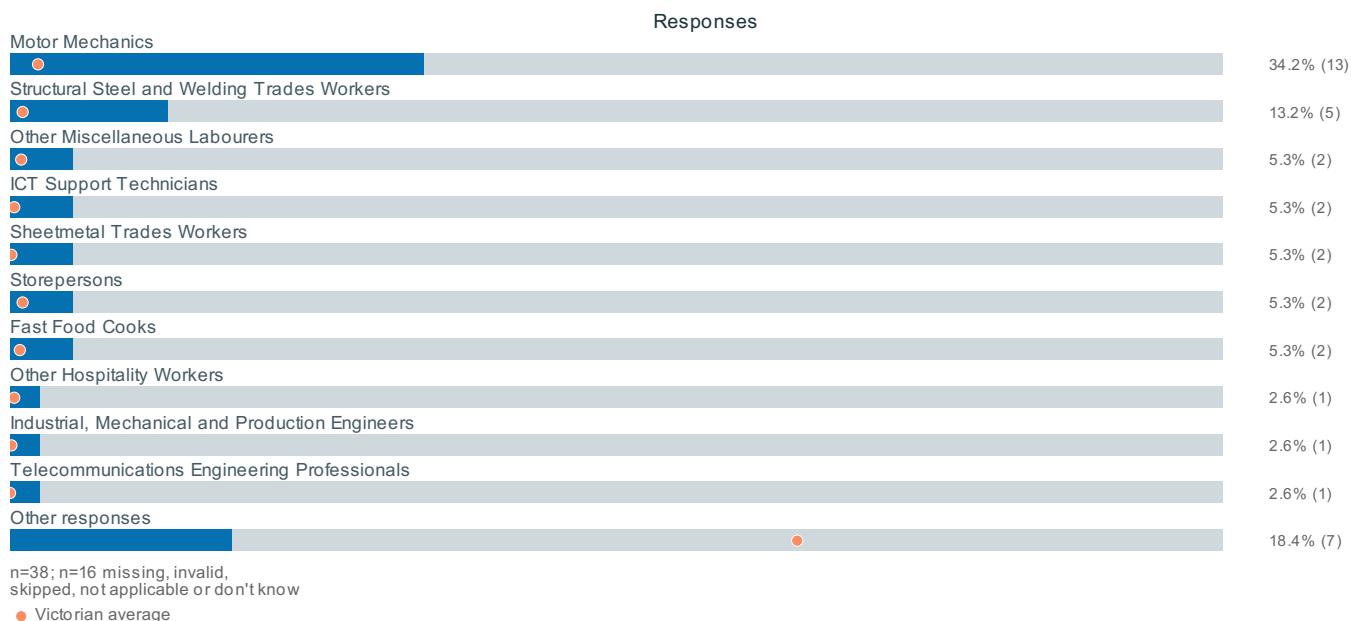
*Question 23 applies to students who indicated they currently have a job.

23. What is the full title of your main job?* (ANZSCO Level 4)

When asked "What is the full title of your main job?* (ANZSCO Level 4)":

- 34.2% said *Motor Mechanics*
- 13.2% said *Structural Steel and Welding Trades Workers*
- 5.3% said *Other Miscellaneous Labourers*
- 5.3% said *ICT Support Technicians*
- 5.3% said *Sheetmetal Trades Workers*
- 5.3% said *Storepersons*
- 5.3% said *Fast Food Cooks*
- 2.6% said *Other Hospitality Workers*
- 2.6% said *Industrial, Mechanical and Production Engineers*
- 2.6% said *Telecommunications Engineering Professionals*
- 18.4% said *Other responses*

Top 10 responses

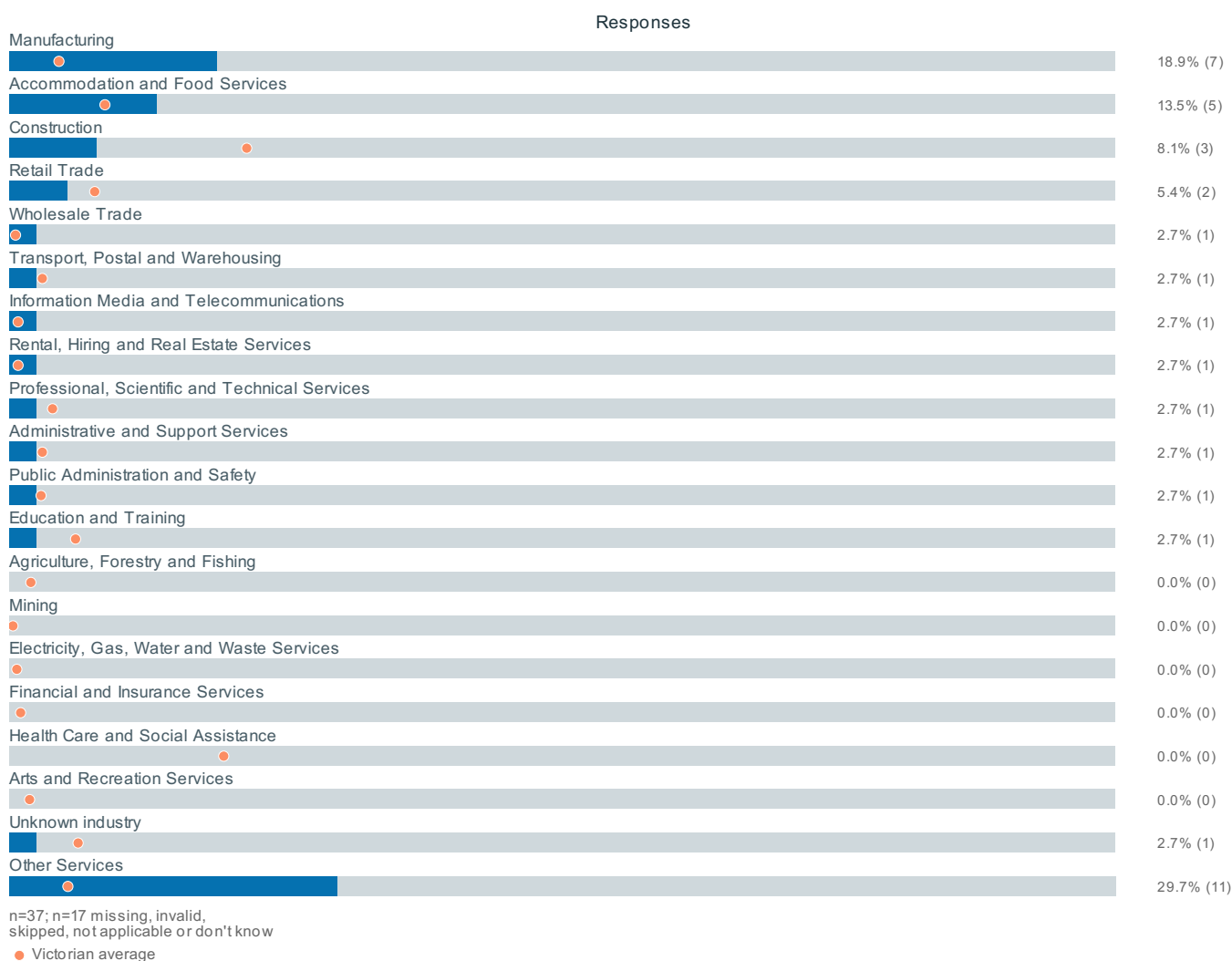


*Question 23 applies to students who indicated they currently have a job.

25. What kind of industry, business or service is carried out by your employer/business in your main job?* (ANZSIC Level 1)

"What kind of industry, business or service is carried out by your employer/business in your main job?* (ANZSIC Level 1)":

- 29.7% said *Other Services*
- 18.9% said *Manufacturing*
- 13.5% said *Accommodation and Food Services*
- 8.1% said *Construction*
- 5.4% said *Retail Trade*
- 2.7% said *Wholesale Trade*
- 2.7% said *Transport, Postal and Warehousing*
- 2.7% said *Information Media and Telecommunications*
- 2.7% said *Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services*
- 2.7% said *Professional, Scientific and Technical Services*
- 2.7% said *Administrative and Support Services*
- 2.7% said *Public Administration and Safety*
- 2.7% said *Education and Training*
- 2.7% said *Unknown industry*
- None (0%) said *Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing*
- None (0%) said *Mining*
- None (0%) said *Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services*
- None (0%) said *Financial and Insurance Services*
- None (0%) said *Health Care and Social Assistance*
- None (0%) said *Arts and Recreation Services*



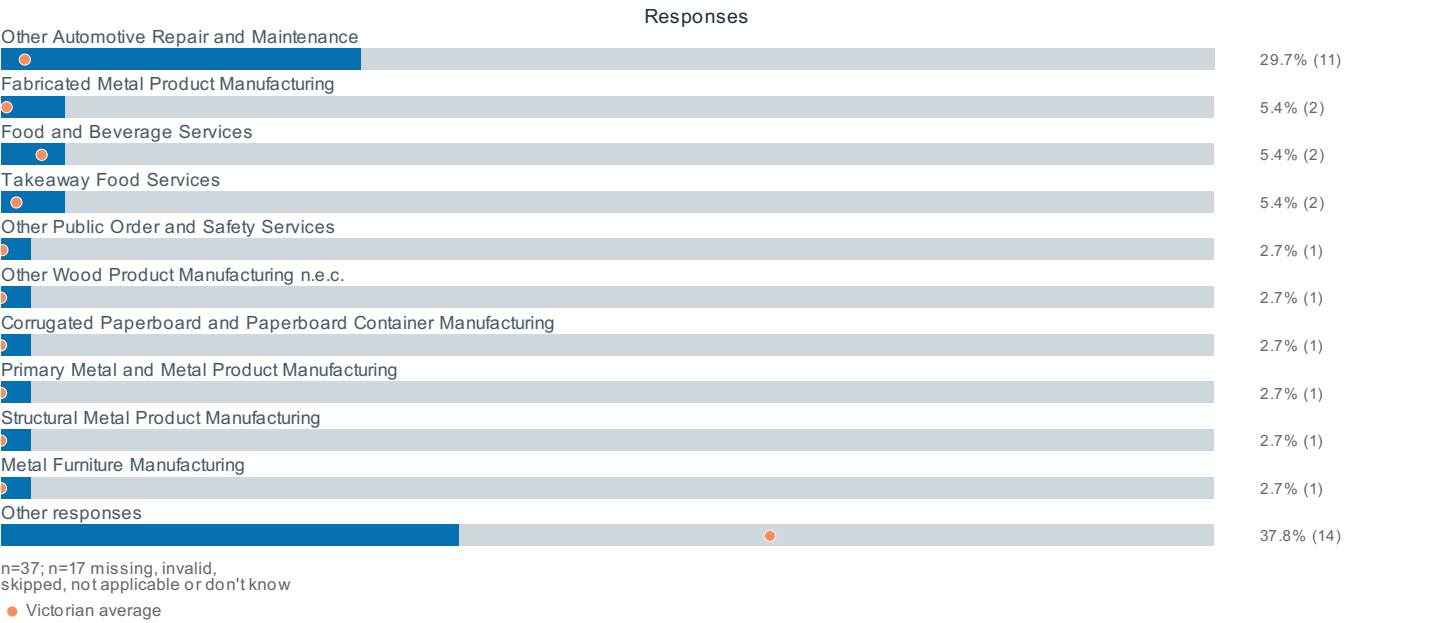
*Question 25 applies to students who indicated they currently have a job.

25. What kind of industry, business or service is carried out by your employer/business in your main job? * (ANZSIC Level 4)

When asked "What kind of industry, business or service is carried out by your employer/business in your main job? * (ANZSIC Level 4)":

- 29.7% said *Other Automotive Repair and Maintenance*
- 5.4% said *Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing*
- 5.4% said *Food and Beverage Services*
- 5.4% said *Takeaway Food Services*
- 2.7% said *Other Public Order and Safety Services*
- 2.7% said *Other Wood Product Manufacturing n.e.c.*
- 2.7% said *Corrugated Paperboard and Paperboard Container Manufacturing*
- 2.7% said *Primary Metal and Metal Product Manufacturing*
- 2.7% said *Structural Metal Product Manufacturing*
- 2.7% said *Metal Furniture Manufacturing*
- 37.8% said *Other responses*

Top 10 responses

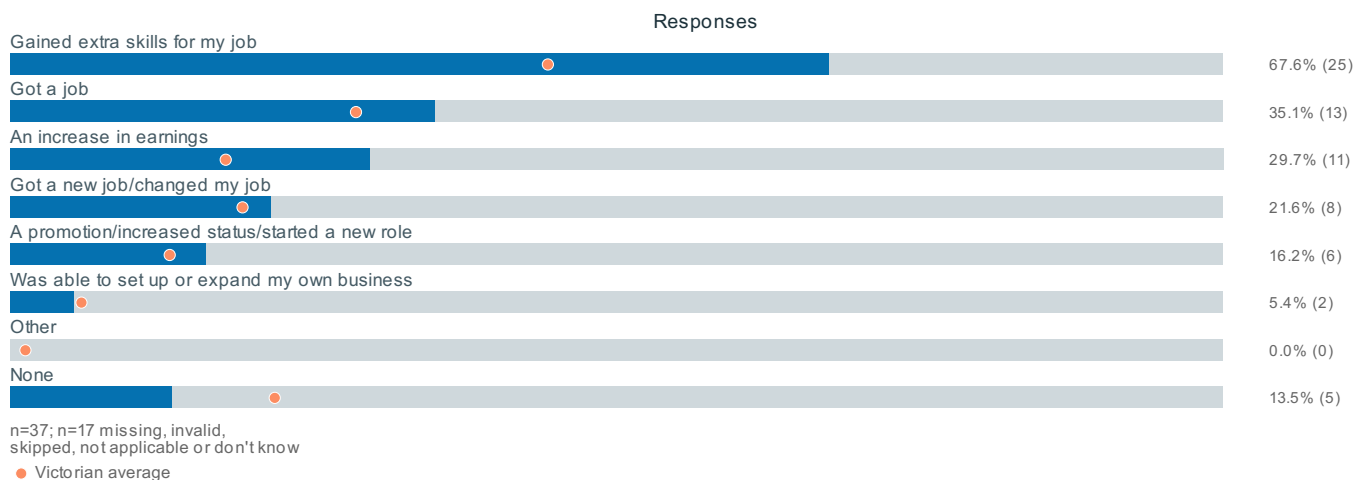


*Question 25 applies to students who indicated they currently have a job.

26. Which of the following job related benefits do you feel you have received as a result of undertaking the training?*

When asked "Which of the following job related benefits do you feel you have received as a result of undertaking the training?":

- 67.6% said *Gained extra skills for my job*
- 35.1% said *Got a job*
- 29.7% said *An increase in earnings*
- 21.6% said *Got a new job/changed my job*
- 16.2% said *A promotion/increased status/started a new role*
- 13.5% said *None*
- 5.4% said *Was able to set up or expand my own business*
- None (0%) said *Other*



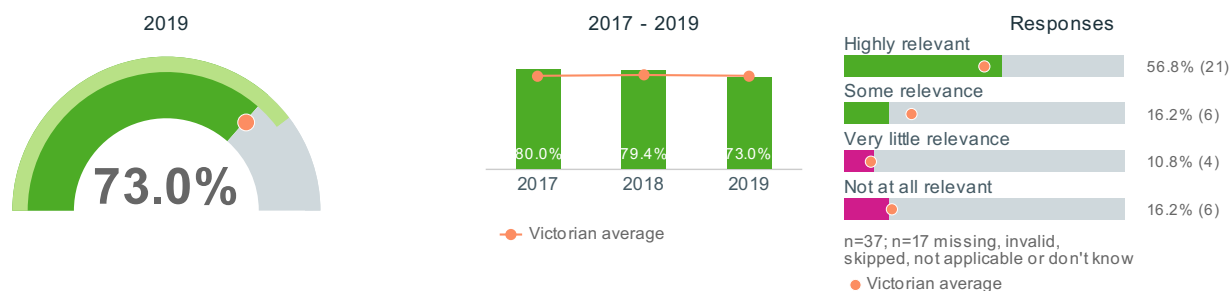
*Question 26 applies to students who indicated they currently have a job.

27. How relevant was your training to your main job? *

When asked "How relevant was your training to your main job? ":

- 56.8% said *Highly relevant*
- 16.2% said *Some relevance*
- 10.8% said *Very little relevance*
- 16.2% said *Not at all relevant*

In last year's survey, (79.4%) said *Highly relevant and Some relevance*.

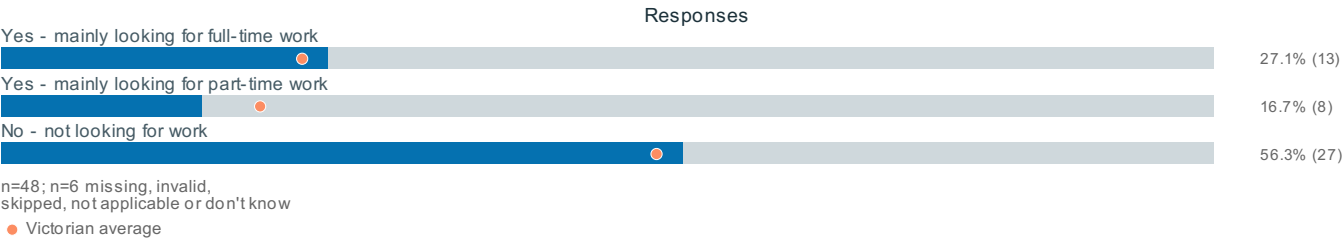


*Question 27 applies to students who indicated they currently have a job.

28. Are you actively looking for work (even if you are already working)?

When asked "Are you actively looking for work (even if you are already working)?":

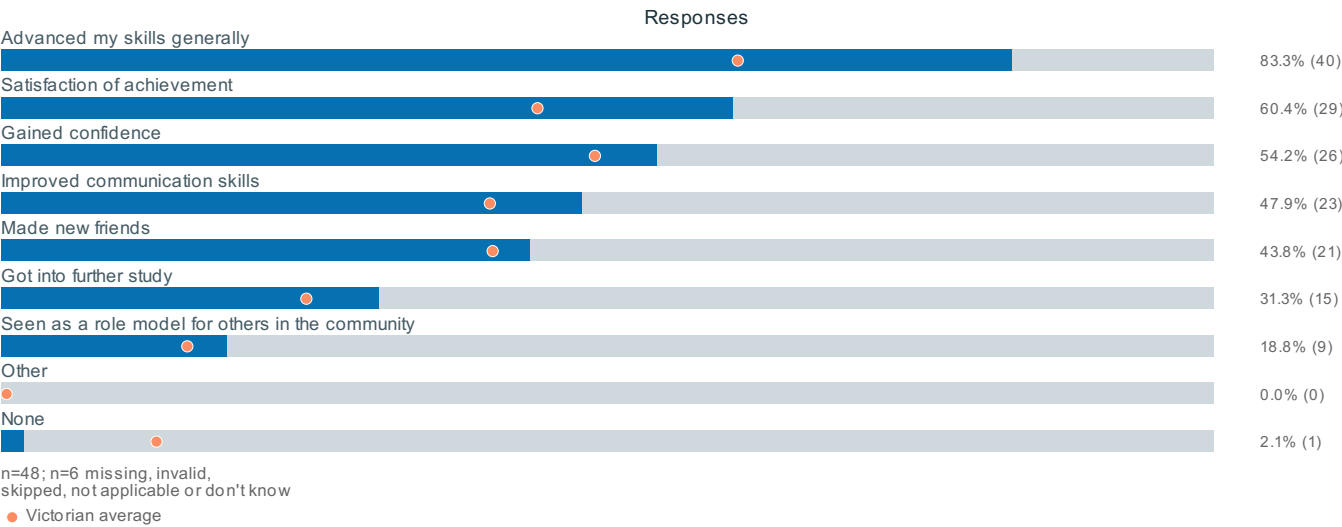
- 56.3% said *No - not looking for work*
- 27.1% said *Yes - mainly looking for full-time work*
- 16.7% said *Yes - mainly looking for part-time work*



29. Which of the following personal benefits have you received as a result of undertaking the training?

When asked "Which of the following personal benefits have you received as a result of undertaking the training?":

- 83.3% said *Advanced my skills generally*
- 60.4% said *Satisfaction of achievement*
- 54.2% said *Gained confidence*
- 47.9% said *Improved communication skills*
- 43.8% said *Made new friends*
- 31.3% said *Got into further study*
- 18.8% said *Seen as a role model for others in the community*
- 2.1% said *None*
- None (0%) said *Other*

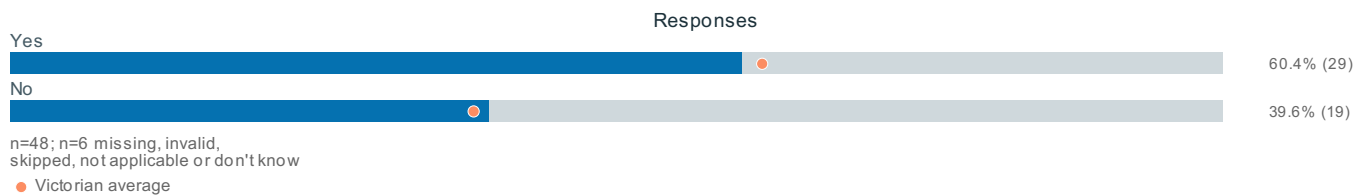


Your work situation before training

30. Did you have a job of any kind during the six months before undertaking the training?

When asked "Did you have a job of any kind during the six months before undertaking the training?":

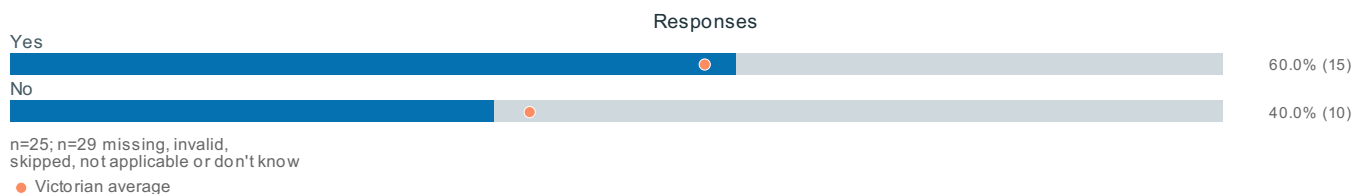
- 60.4% said *Yes*
- 39.6% said *No*



31. Is your current job still with the same employer/business (as the previous job you had during the six months before undertaking the training)? *

When asked "Is your current job still with the same employer/business (as the previous job you had during the six months before undertaking the training)? *":

- 60.0% said *Yes*
- 40.0% said *No*

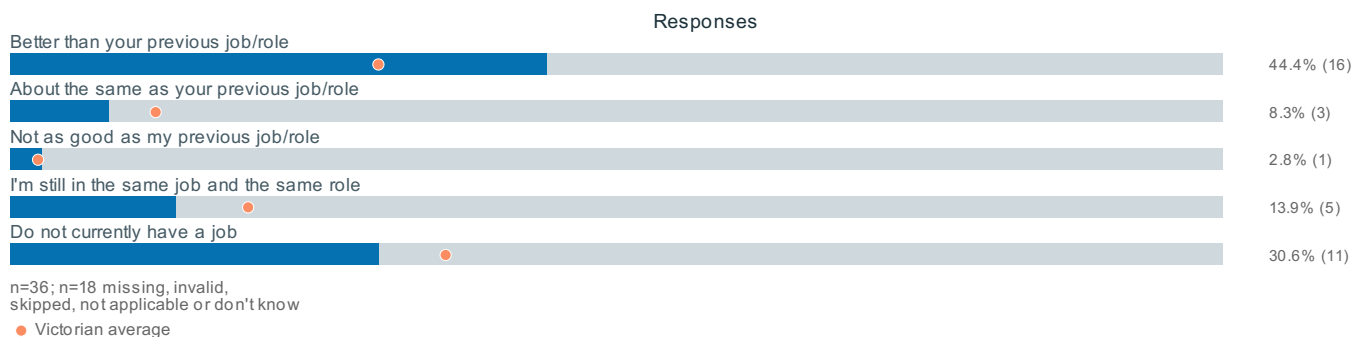


*Question 31 applies to students who indicated they had a job in the six months before undertaking training.

32. All things considered, is the job or role you are working in now...

When asked "All things considered, is the job or role you are working in now...":

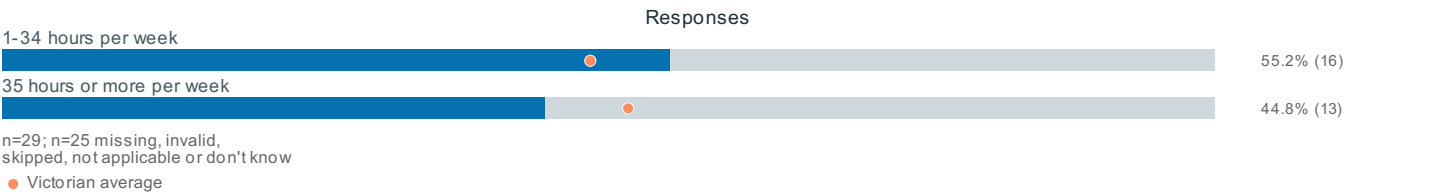
- 44.4% said *Better than your previous job/role*
- 30.6% said *Do not currently have a job*
- 13.9% said *I'm still in the same job and the same role*
- 8.3% said *About the same as your previous job/role*
- 2.8% said *Not as good as my previous job/role*



*Question 32 applies to students who indicated they had a job in the six months before undertaking training.

33. How many hours did you usually work each week in your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?*

When asked "How many hours did you usually work each week in your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?*", 55.2% of Ringwood Secondary College respondents chose 1-34 hours per week. and 44.8% said 35 hours or more per week.

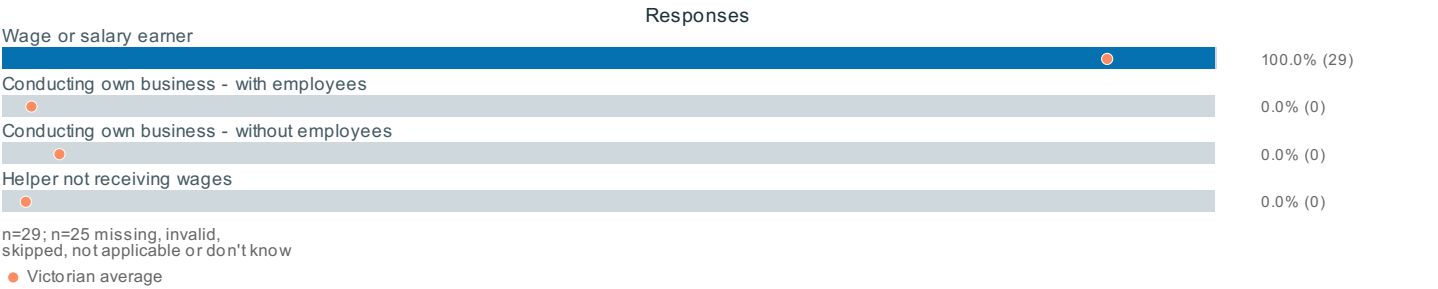


*Question 33 applies to students who indicated they had a job in the six months before undertaking training.

34. On what basis were you employed in your main job during the six months before undertaking the training? *

When asked "On what basis were you employed in your main job during the six months before undertaking the training? *":

- 100.0% said Wage or salary earner
- None (0%) said Conducting own business - with employees
- None (0%) said Conducting own business - without employees
- None (0%) said Helper not receiving wages

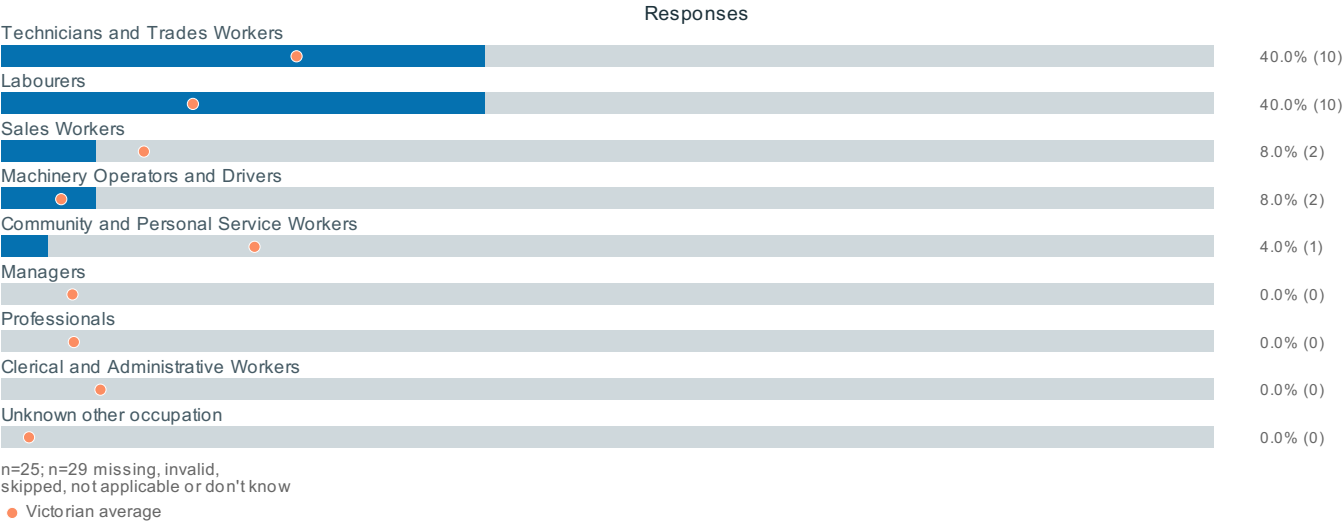


*Question 34 applies to students who indicated they had a job in the six months before undertaking training.

35. What was the full title of your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?* (ANZSCO Level 1)

When asked "What was the full title of your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?* (ANZSCO Level 1)":

- 40.0% said *Technicians and Trades Workers*
- 40.0% said *Labourers*
- 8.0% said *Sales Workers*
- 8.0% said *Machinery Operators and Drivers*
- 4.0% said *Community and Personal Service Workers*
- None (0%) said *Managers*
- None (0%) said *Professionals*
- None (0%) said *Clerical and Administrative Workers*
- None (0%) said *Unknown other occupation*



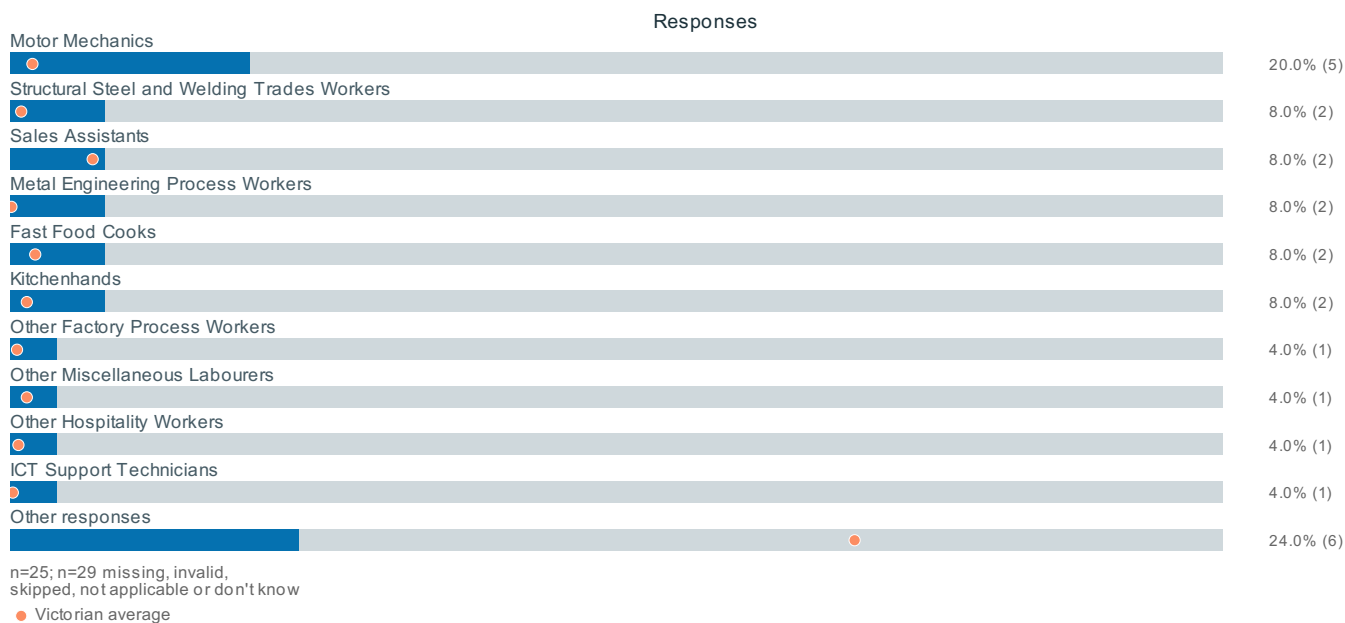
*Question 35 applies to students who indicated they had a job in the six months before undertaking training.

35. What was the full title of your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?* (ANZSCO Level 4)

When asked "What was the full title of your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?* (ANZSCO Level 4)":

- 20.0% said *Motor Mechanics*
- 8.0% said *Structural Steel and Welding Trades Workers*
- 8.0% said *Sales Assistants*
- 8.0% said *Metal Engineering Process Workers*
- 8.0% said *Fast Food Cooks*
- 8.0% said *Kitchenhands*
- 4.0% said *Other Factory Process Workers*
- 4.0% said *Other Miscellaneous Labourers*
- 4.0% said *Other Hospitality Workers*
- 4.0% said *ICT Support Technicians*
- 24.0% said *Other responses*

Top 10 responses



*Question 35 applies to students who indicated they had a job in the six months before undertaking training.

37. What kind of industry, business or service was carried out by your employer/business in your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?* (ANZSIC Level 1)

When asked "What kind of industry, business or service was carried out by your employer/business in your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?*" (ANZSIC Level 1)":

- 28.6% said *Manufacturing*
- 28.6% said *Accommodation and Food Services*
- 17.9% said *Other Services*
- 10.7% said *Construction*
- 3.6% said *Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing*
- 3.6% said *Retail Trade*
- 3.6% said *Transport, Postal and Warehousing*
- 3.6% said *Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services*
- None (0%) said *Mining*
- None (0%) said *Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services*
- None (0%) said *Wholesale Trade*
- None (0%) said *Information Media and Telecommunications*
- None (0%) said *Financial and Insurance Services*
- None (0%) said *Professional, Scientific and Technical Services*
- None (0%) said *Administrative and Support Services*
- None (0%) said *Public Administration and Safety*
- None (0%) said *Education and Training*
- None (0%) said *Health Care and Social Assistance*
- None (0%) said *Arts and Recreation Services*
- None (0%) said *Unknown industry*



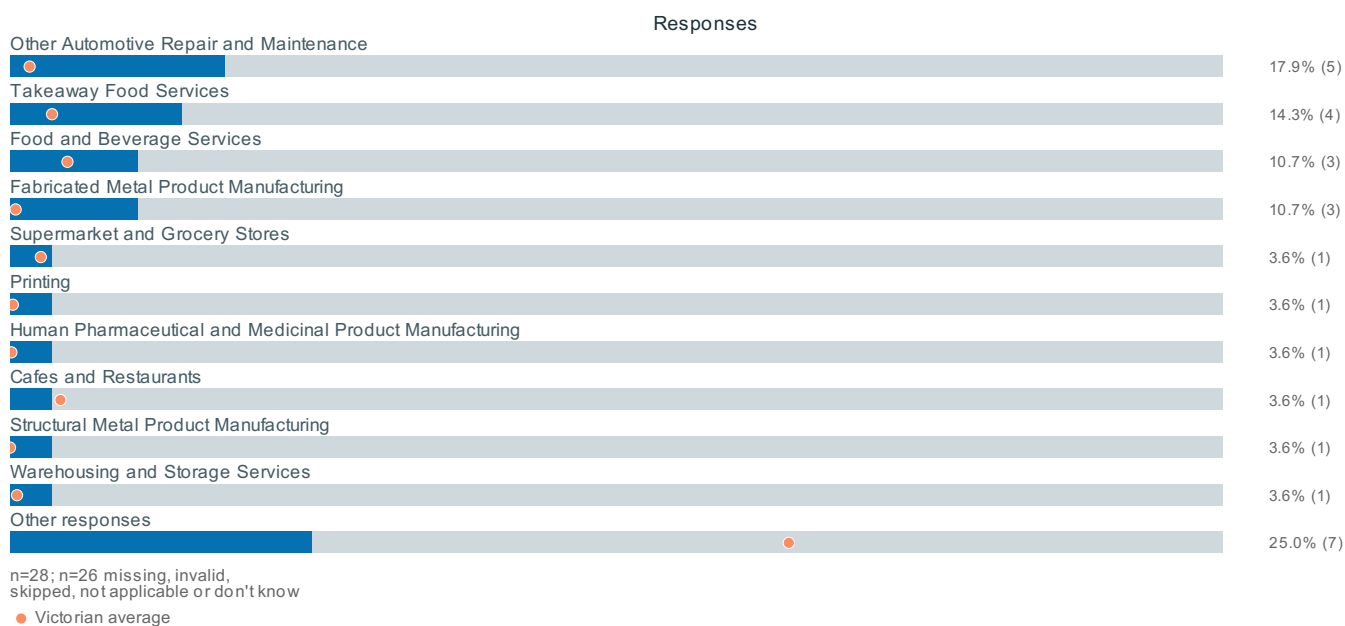
*Question 37 applies to students who indicated they had a job in the six months before undertaking training.

37. What kind of industry, business or service was carried out by your employer/business in your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?* (ANZSIC Level 4)

When asked "What kind of industry, business or service was carried out by your employer/business in your main job during the six months before undertaking the training?*" (ANZSIC Level 4)":

- 17.9% said *Other Automotive Repair and Maintenance*
- 14.3% said *Takeaway Food Services*
- 10.7% said *Food and Beverage Services*
- 10.7% said *Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing*
- 3.6% said *Supermarket and Grocery Stores*
- 3.6% said *Printing*
- 3.6% said *Human Pharmaceutical and Medicinal Product Manufacturing*
- 3.6% said *Cafes and Restaurants*
- 3.6% said *Structural Metal Product Manufacturing*
- 3.6% said *Warehousing and Storage Services*
- 25.0% said *Other responses*

Top 10 responses

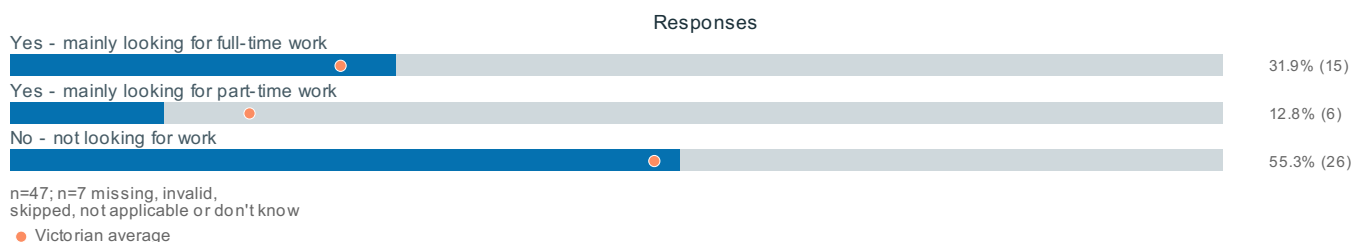


*Question 37 applies to students who indicated they had a job in the six months before undertaking training.

38. Were you actively looking for work during the six months before undertaking the training (even if you were already working)?

When asked "Were you actively looking for work during the six months before undertaking the training (even if you were already working)?":

- 55.3% said *No - not looking for work*
- 31.9% said *Yes - mainly looking for full-time work*
- 12.8% said *Yes - mainly looking for part-time work*

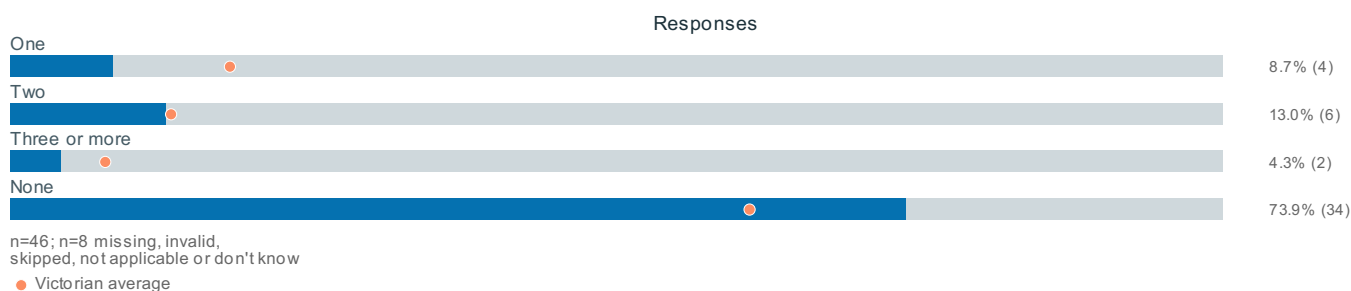


Choosing a training organisation

39. When deciding to do this course, how many other training organisations did you consider (excluding the one you trained with)? *

When asked "When deciding to do this course, how many other training organisations did you consider (excluding the one you trained with)? **":

- 73.9% said *None*
- 13.0% said *Two*
- 8.7% said *One*
- 4.3% said *Three or more*

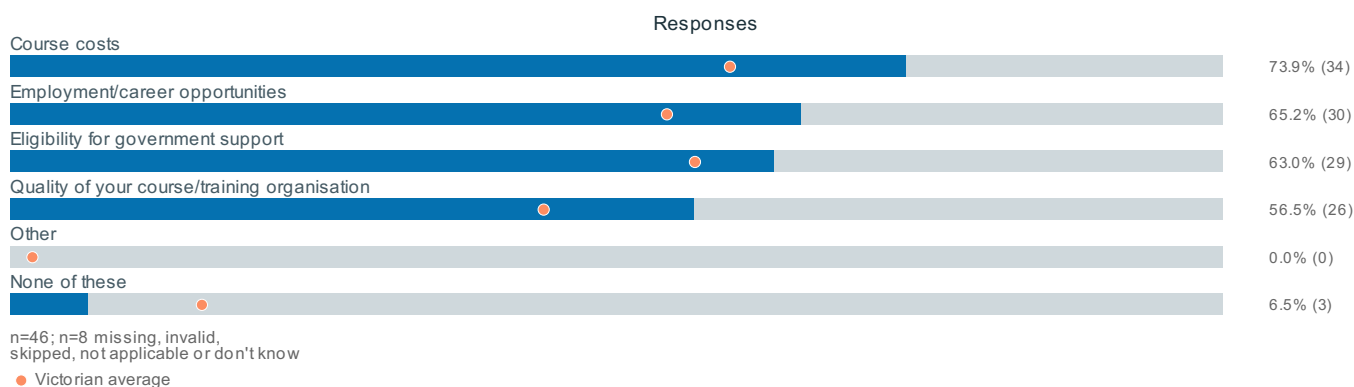


*Question 39 applies to those who indicated they considered other training organisations.

40. When choosing your course and training organisation, did you have access to information about...?

When asked "When choosing your course and training organisation, did you have access to information about...?":

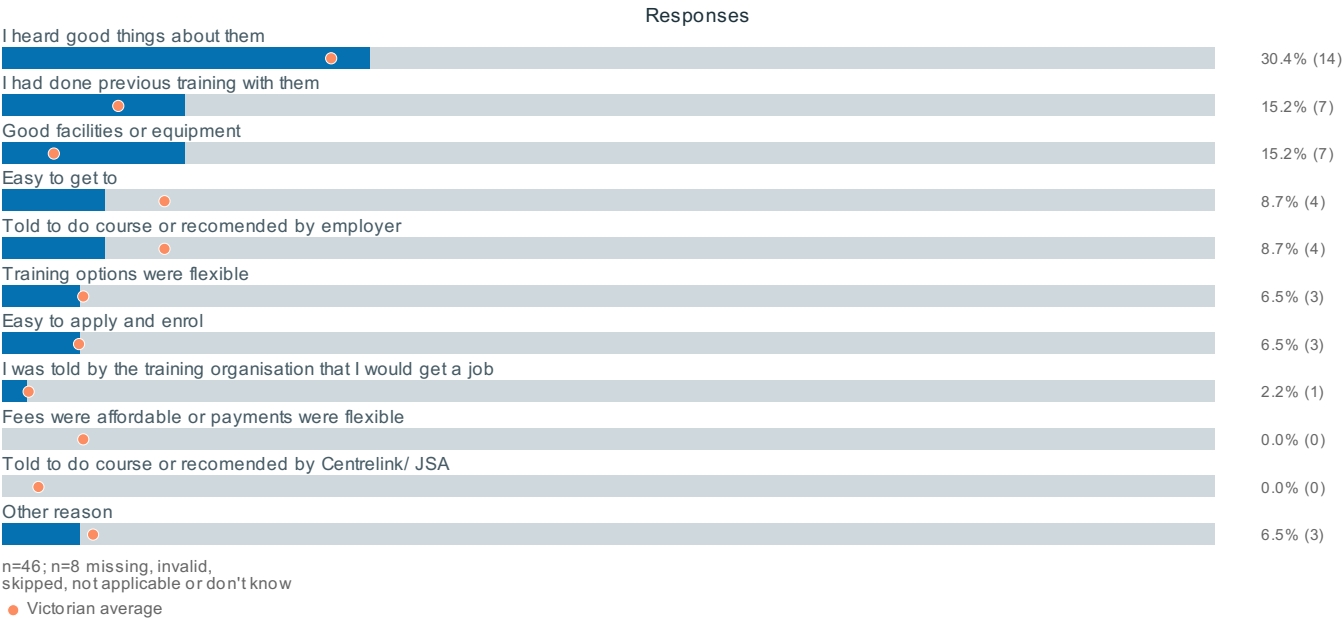
- 73.9% said *Course costs*
- 65.2% said *Employment/career opportunities*
- 63.0% said *Eligibility for government support*
- 56.5% said *Quality of your course/training organisation*
- 6.5% said *None of these*
- None (0%) said *Other*



41. What was the main reason for choosing to train with your chosen training organisation?

When asked "What was the main reason for choosing to train with your chosen training organisation?":

- 30.4% said *I heard good things about them*
- 15.2% said *I had done previous training with them*
- 15.2% said *Good facilities or equipment*
- 8.7% said *Easy to get to*
- 8.7% said *Told to do course or recommended by employer*
- 6.5% said *Training options were flexible*
- 6.5% said *Easy to apply and enrol*
- 6.5% said *Other reason*
- 2.2% said *I was told by the training organisation that I would get a job*
- None (0%) said *Fees were affordable or payments were flexible*
- None (0%) said *Told to do course or recommended by Centrelink/ JSA*



Employer Satisfaction Survey question level results

This section provides a detailed analysis of your results at the question by question level, including comparison against previous years of the surveys.

Satisfaction with training

4. How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their...

(a) Technical/job specific skills

"How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their... (a) Technical/job specific skills":

- 25.6% said *Highly satisfied*
- 64.1% said *Satisfied*
- 5.1% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 5.1% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (95.0%) selected *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



(b) Problem-solving skills

"How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their... (b) Problem-solving skills":

- 12.8% said *Highly satisfied*
- 69.2% said *Satisfied*
- 12.8% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 2.6% said *Dissatisfied*
- 2.6% said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (87.2%) stated *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



(c) Decision making skills

"How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their... (c) Decision making skills":

- 18.4% said *Highly satisfied*
- 63.2% said *Satisfied*
- 13.2% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 2.6% said *Dissatisfied*
- 2.6% said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (84.6%) said *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



(d) Team working skills

"How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their... (d) Team working skills":

- 18.4% said *Highly satisfied*
- 60.5% said *Satisfied*
- 21.1% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (78.4%) selected *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.

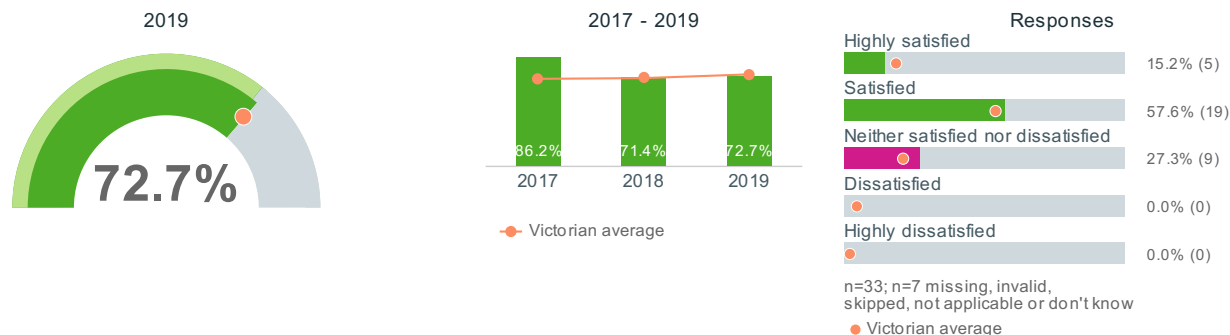


(e) Numerical skills

"How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their... (e) Numerical skills":

- 15.2% said *Highly satisfied*
- 57.6% said *Satisfied*
- 27.3% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (71.4%) chose *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



(f) Writing skills

"How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their... (f) Writing skills":

- 12.5% said *Highly satisfied*
- 46.9% said *Satisfied*
- 34.4% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 6.3% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (70.4%) reported *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.

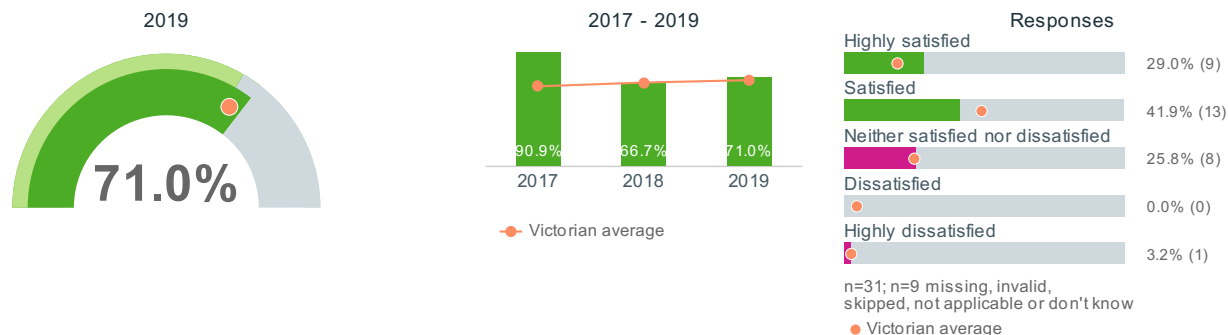


(g) IT/computer Skills

"How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their... (g) IT/computer Skills":

- 29.0% said *Highly satisfied*
- 41.9% said *Satisfied*
- 25.8% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- 3.2% said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (66.7%) chose *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



(h) Confidence and initiative

"How satisfied are you that the training they received improved their... (h) Confidence and initiative":

- 26.3% said *Highly satisfied*
- 60.5% said *Satisfied*
- 10.5% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 2.6% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (86.8%) said *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



5. Do you think the training provided to your apprentice(s) / trainee(s)...

(a) Improved their skills to do the job well

"Do you think the training provided to your apprentice(s) / trainee(s)... (a) Improved their skills to do the job well":

- 17.5% said *Strongly agree*
- 67.5% said *Agree*
- 5.0% said *Neither agree nor disagree*
- 10.0% said *Disagree*
- none (0%) said *Strongly disagree*

In last year's survey, (87.5%) selected *Strongly agree and Agree*.

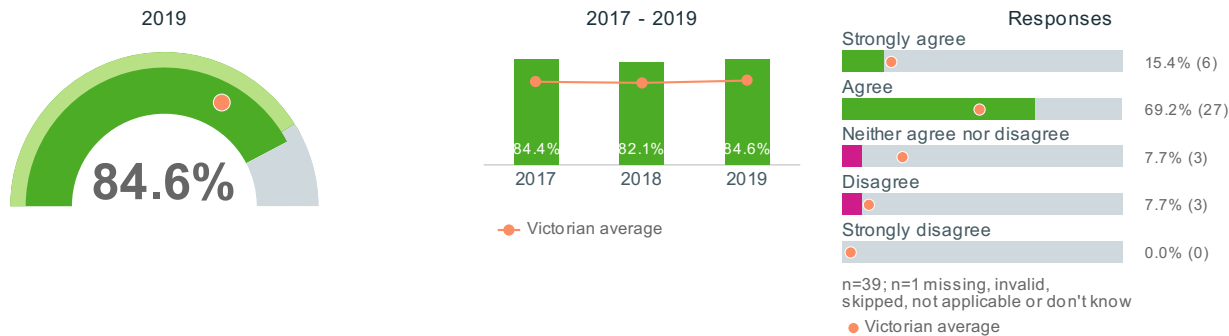


(b) Improved their productivity

"Do you think the training provided to your apprentice(s) / trainee(s)... (b) Improved their productivity":

- 15.4% said *Strongly agree*
- 69.2% said *Agree*
- 7.7% said *Neither agree nor disagree*
- 7.7% said *Disagree*
- none (0%) said *Strongly disagree*

In last year's survey, (82.1%) said *Strongly agree and Agree*.

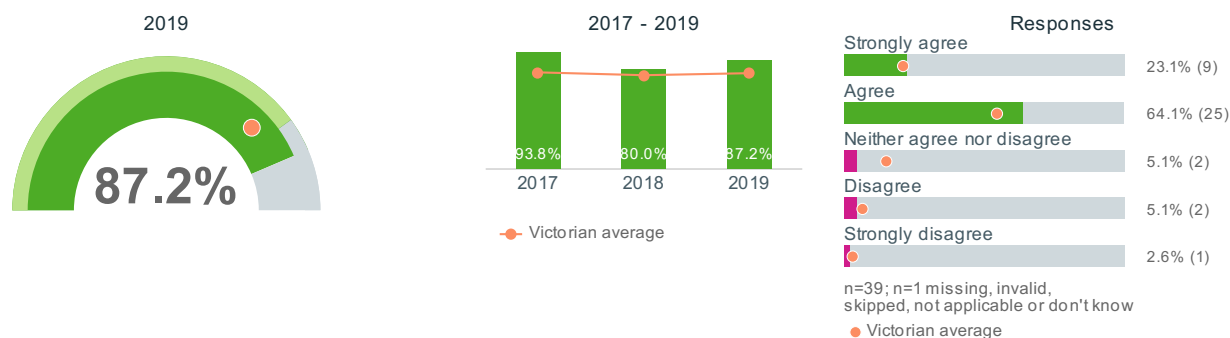


(c) Reflected up-to-date practices in my industry/sector

"Do you think the training provided to your apprentice(s) / trainee(s)... (c) Reflected up-to-date practices in my industry/sector":

- 23.1% said *Strongly agree*
- 64.1% said *Agree*
- 5.1% said *Neither agree nor disagree*
- 5.1% said *Disagree*
- 2.6% said *Strongly disagree*

In last year's survey, (80.0%) selected *Strongly agree and Agree*.



(d) Was delivered by knowledgeable and experienced staff

"Do you think the training provided to your apprentice(s) / trainee(s)... (d) Was delivered by knowledgeable and experienced staff":

- 37.8% said *Strongly agree*
- 45.9% said *Agree*
- 13.5% said *Neither agree nor disagree*
- 2.7% said *Disagree*
- none (0%) said *Strongly disagree*

In last year's survey, (94.9%) reported *Strongly agree and Agree*.



6. Overall, how satisfied are you with the training that your apprentice(s)/trainee(s) received from your training provider?

"Overall, how satisfied are you with the training that your apprentice(s)/trainee(s) received from your training provider?":

- 32.5% said *Highly satisfied*
- 52.5% said *Satisfied*
- 7.5% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 5.0% said *Dissatisfied*
- 2.5% said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (90.0%) selected *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



7. How likely are you to recommend your training provider to other employers?

"How likely are you to recommend your training provider to other employers?":

- 45.0% said *Very likely*
- 42.5% said *Likely*
- 5.0% said *Neither likely nor unlikely*
- 5.0% said *Unlikely*
- 2.5% said *Very unlikely*

In last year's survey, (85.0%) said *Very likely and Likely*.



Feedback on training provider

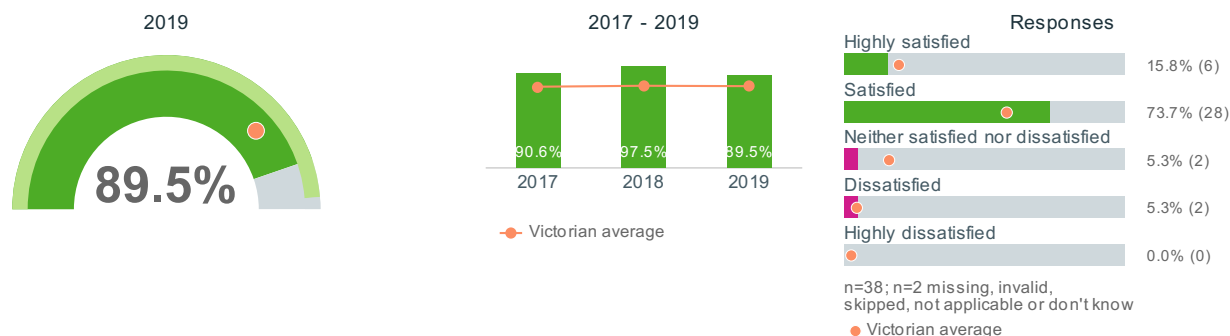
8. How satisfied were you with...?

(a) The standard of assessment

"How satisfied were you with...? (a) The standard of assessment":

- 15.8% said *Highly satisfied*
- 73.7% said *Satisfied*
- 5.3% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 5.3% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (97.5%) reported *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



(b) The flexibility of the provider in meeting your workplace needs

"How satisfied were you with...? (b) The flexibility of the provider in meeting your workplace needs":

- 33.3% said *Highly satisfied*
- 52.8% said *Satisfied*
- 13.9% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (92.3%) stated *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



(c) The updates about the progress of your apprentice(s)/trainee(s)

"How satisfied were you with...? (c) The updates about the progress of your apprentice(s)/trainee(s)":

- 35.9% said *Highly satisfied*
- 48.7% said *Satisfied*
- 10.3% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 5.1% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (85.0%) stated *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.

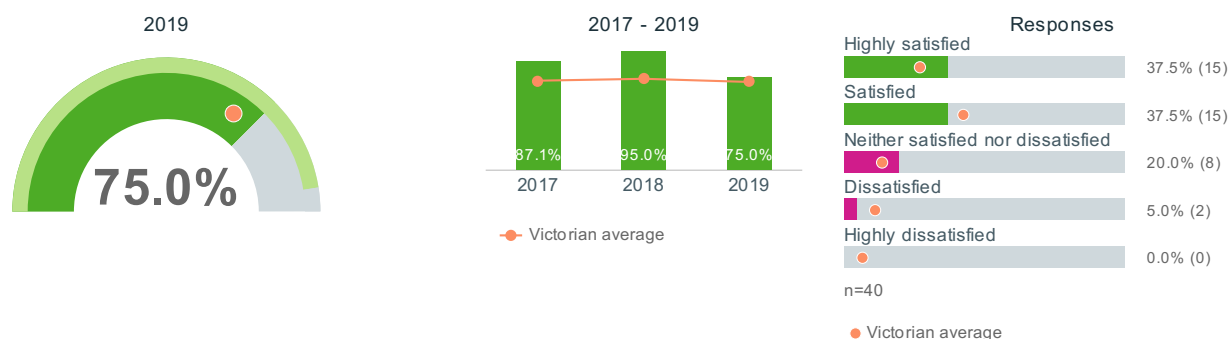


(d) The quality of your communication with the training provider

"How satisfied were you with...? (d) The quality of your communication with the training provider":

- 37.5% said *Highly satisfied*
- 37.5% said *Satisfied*
- 20.0% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 5.0% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (95.0%) selected *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.

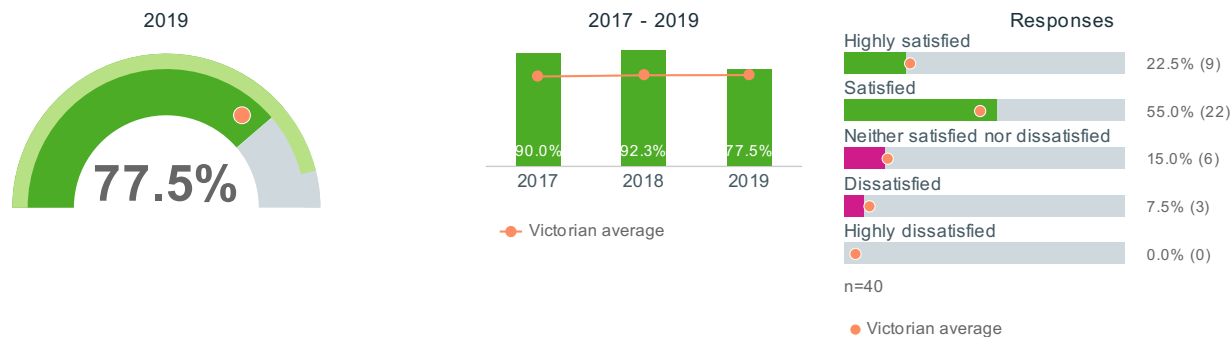


(e) The training provider making clear their roles and responsibilities as well as yours

"How satisfied were you with...? (e) The training provider making clear their roles and responsibilities as well as yours":

- 22.5% said *Highly satisfied*
- 55.0% said *Satisfied*
- 15.0% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 7.5% said *Dissatisfied*
- none (0%) said *Highly dissatisfied*

In last year's survey, (92.3%) stated *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.

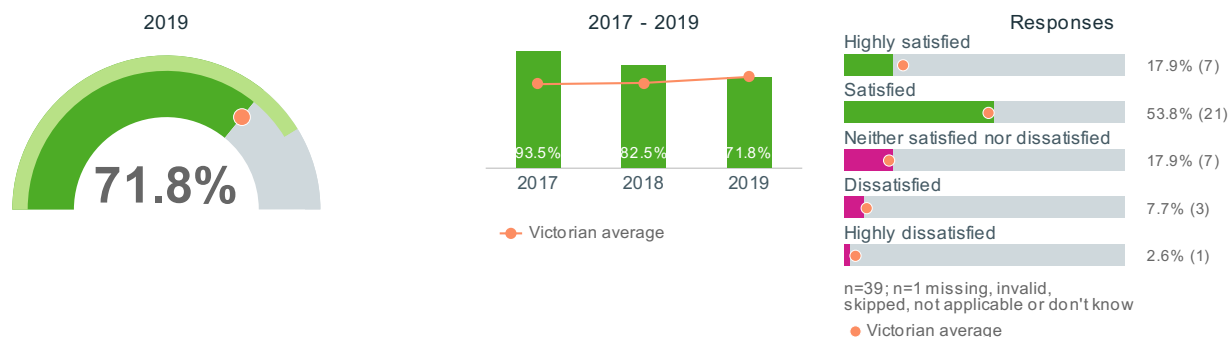


(f) The information on Competency Based Completion (CBC)

"How satisfied were you with...? (f) The information on Competency Based Completion (CBC)":

- 17.9% said *Highly satisfied*
- 53.8% said *Satisfied*
- 17.9% said *Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied*
- 7.7% said *Dissatisfied*
- 2.6% said *Highly dissatisfied*

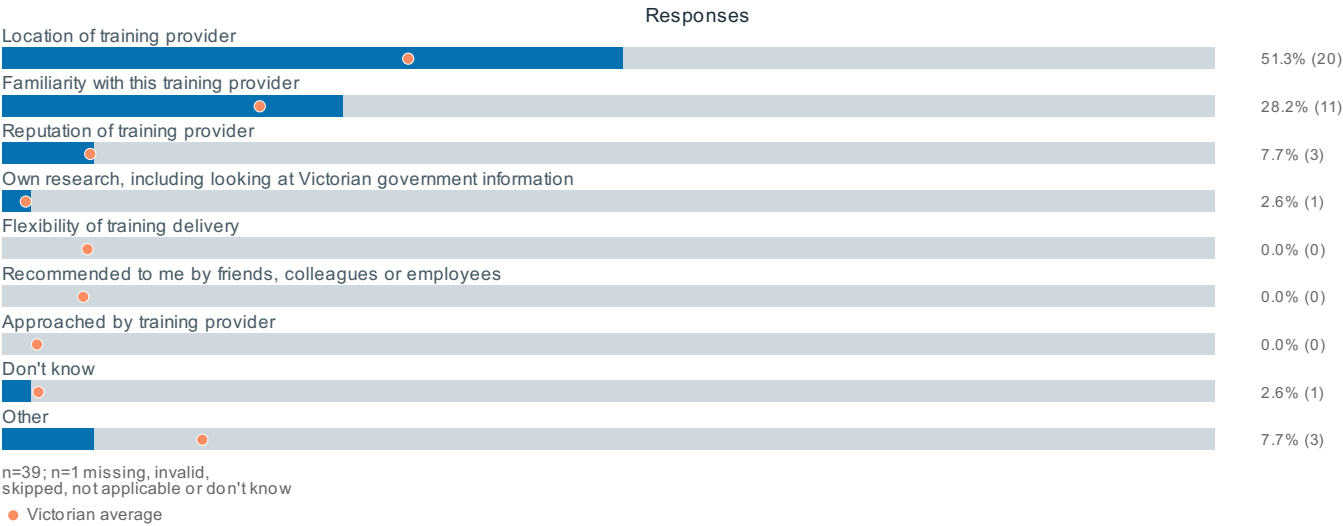
In last year's survey, (82.5%) said *Highly satisfied and Satisfied*.



9. What was your main reason for choosing your training provider?*

"What was your main reason for choosing your training provider?":

- 51.3% said *Location of training provider*
- 28.2% said *Familiarity with this training provider*
- 7.7% said *Reputation of training provider*
- 7.7% said *Other*
- 2.6% said *Own research, including looking at Victorian government information*
- 2.6% said *Don't know*
- None (0%) said *Flexibility of training delivery*
- None (0%) said *Recommended to me by friends, colleagues or employees*
- None (0%) said *Approached by training provider*



* Please note for Q9, the missing values do NOT include 'Don't know' responses as this option was presented in the questionnaire as a valid response

Additional information

This section provides an overview of your student profile. It also includes information to help you understand and analyse the data included in this report.

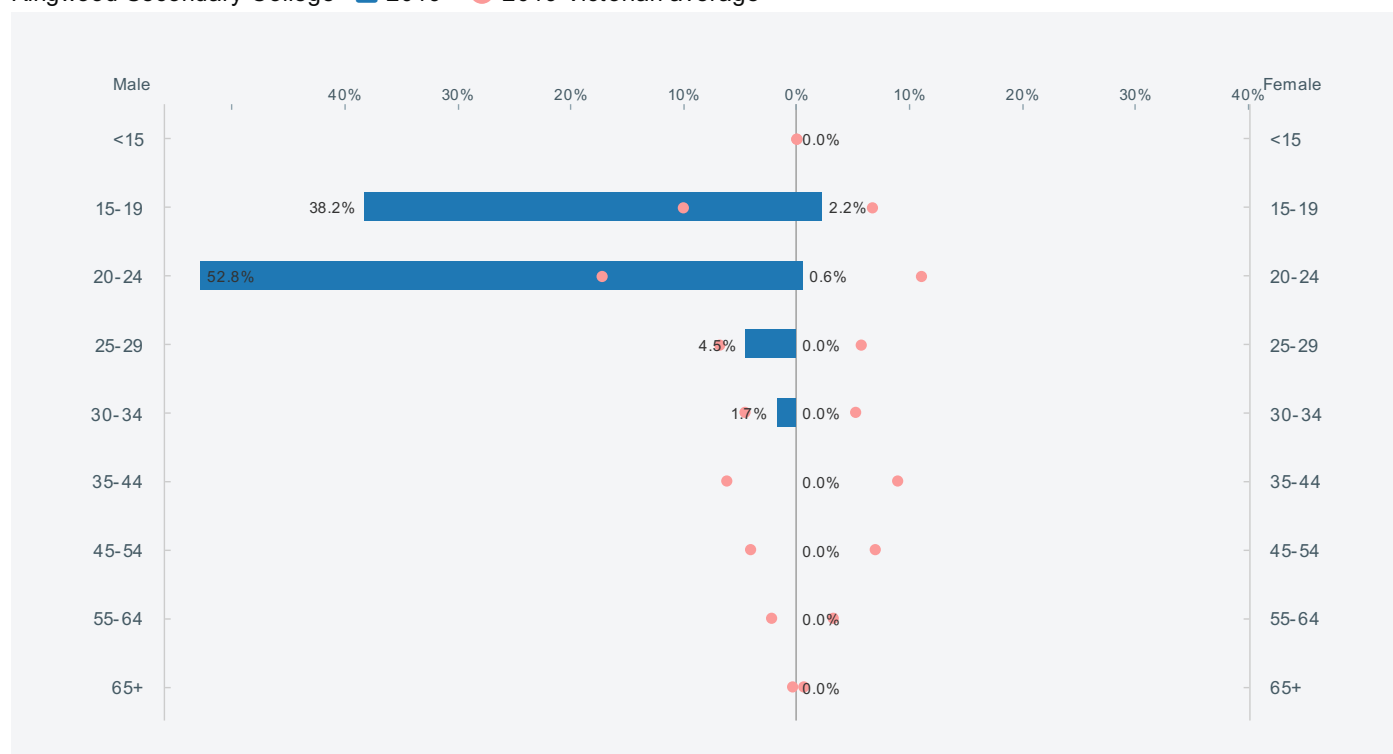
Student profile

This section provides an overview of the profile of all the students eligible to participate in the 2019 Student Satisfaction Survey – the survey population. Eligible students are all Victorian students enrolled in a government subsidised VET course, who completed or discontinued their vocational training in 2018.

All averages shown in this profile refer to the survey population.

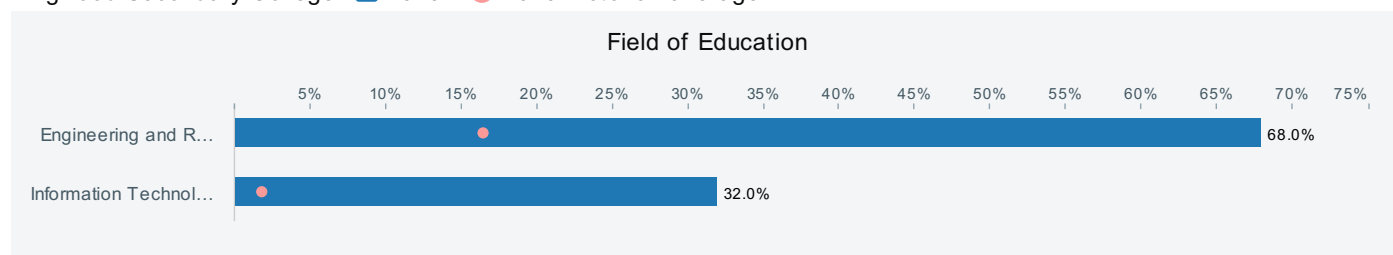
Age and Gender

Ringwood Secondary College ■ 2019 ● 2019 Victorian average



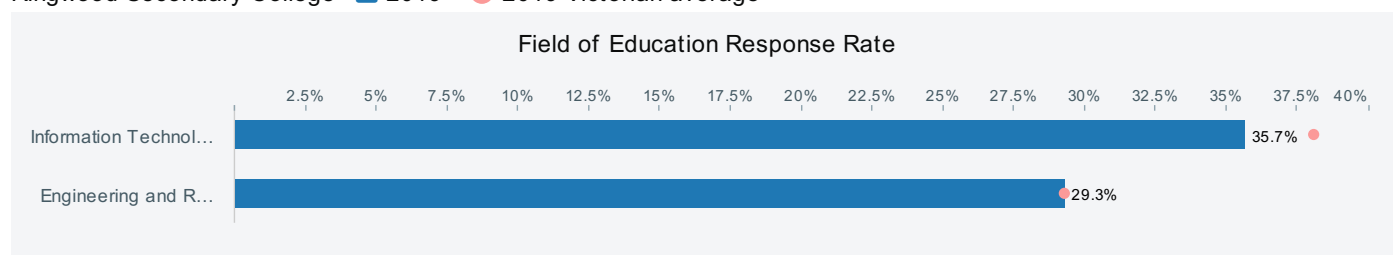
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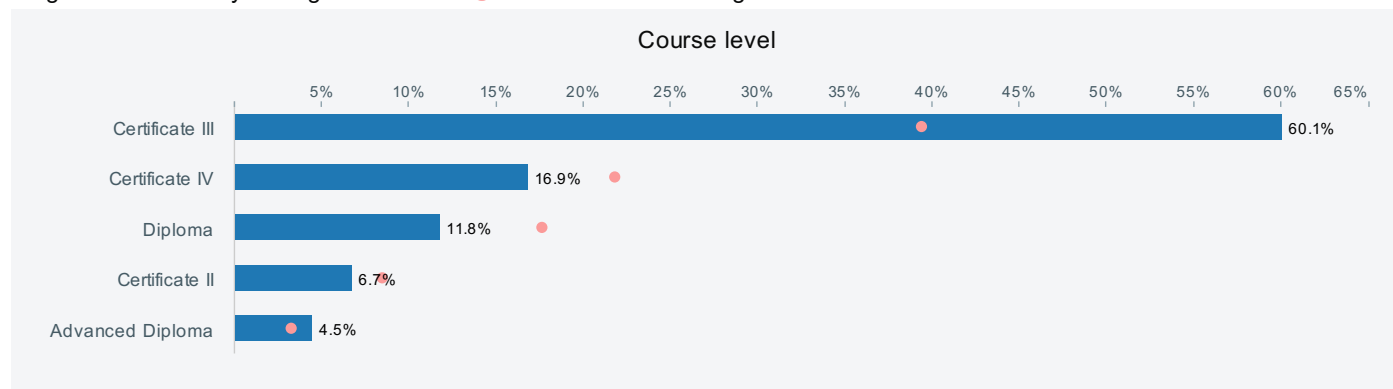
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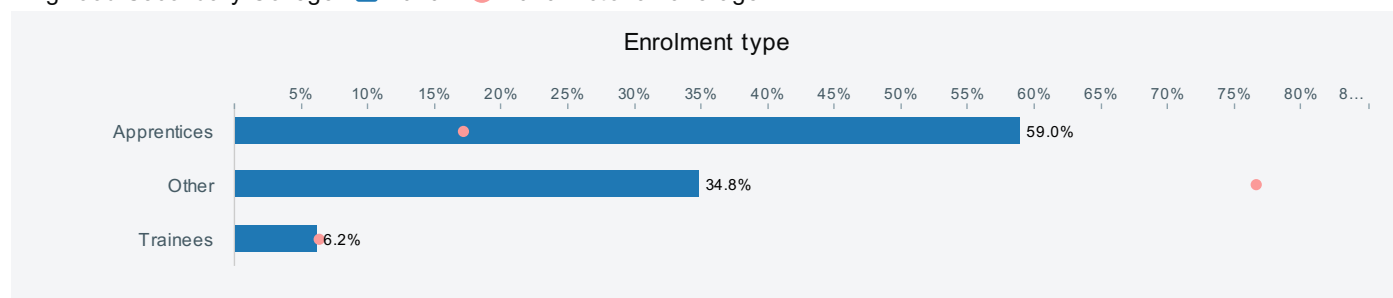
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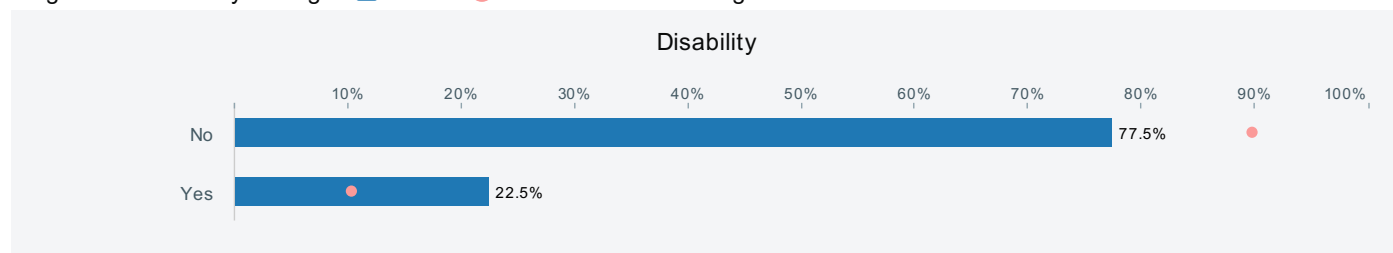
Enrolment type

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Disability

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Indigenous

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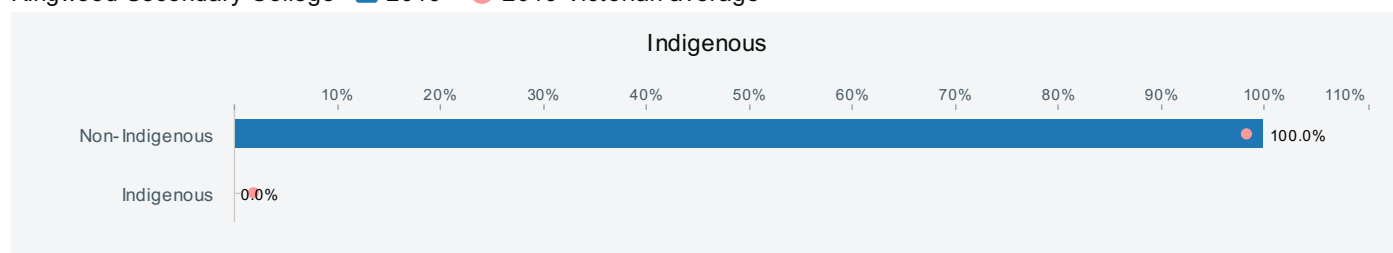


Chart Help

The below instructions detail how to interpret the charts presented in the report.

For Private/ACE RTOs (PDF)

The dial shows the percentage of favourable responses. The 2019 results are displayed in the darker green inside while the lighter green outside line is the previous survey. The Victorian Average results are represented by the orange symbol.



This chart shows the percentage of favourable results over time. The Victorian Average results is represented by the orange line.



n = x n=1 missing, invalid, skipped, not applicable or don't know
Victorian average

This chart shows the percentages for various responses. The colour scheme is used to reflect the favourability/unfavourability of responses. The Victorian Average results are represented by the orange symbol.

Definitions

Completers:

- Have completed their course, and qualification issued
- Apprenticeship/traineeship completed
- Program completed, no qualification issued
- Course nominally completed – course hours expended and /or average number of course units completed and passed

Early leavers:

- No study occurring – some units completed, but no further enrolment activity
- Module only enrolment – no intention to complete the whole course

FOE: See [Field of Education definitions](#)

The Australian Standard Classification of Education (ASCED) classification 'Field of Education' is a statistical classification for use in the collection and analysis of data on educational activity and attainment.

RTO: Registered Training Organisation

ANZSCO: The Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations is used to classify all occupations and jobs in the Australian and New Zealand labour markets. ANZSCO has a hierarchy comprising five levels – major group, sub-major group, minor group, unit group and occupation. Levels 1 (major group) and 4 (unit group) are published on VETStat.

ANZSIC: The Australian and New Zealand Industrial Classification is used to analyse industry statistics in Australia and New Zealand. The ANZSIC has a hierarchy comprising four levels – divisions, subdivisions, groups and classes. Levels 1 (divisions) and 4 (classes) are published on VETStat.

Results and analysis

Response rate: A low survey response rate can affect the quality of data, and should be taken into account when interpreting results.

Number of respondents: In some instances, there may be insufficient data to present findings. For some training providers there are too few students or employers who responded to the survey. To protect privacy, results will only be shown for questions where there are five or more survey respondents, and where there are more than twenty enrolments.

Weighting: All RTO level survey data presented are not weighted, to provide the most accurate reflection of actual feedback of those students who responded to the survey. All other data (e.g. Victorian state average) has been weighted to be representative of the student population attending the Victorian TAFE and training system.

Missing responses: For some questions, there are 'missing' responses which have been excluded from results. These 'missing' responses include missing answers, invalid answers, skips (questions not asked because they're not relevant to that survey respondent), and for some questions those who answered 'not applicable' or 'don't know'.

About the survey

Student Satisfaction Survey

The annual *Student Satisfaction Survey* (Student Survey) invites students enrolled in a government subsidised course at a TAFE or training organisation, who have completed or left early from study the year prior, to have their say about their training experience and outcomes. This information is collected from both an overall system and an individual RTO perspective.

From March to May 2019, the Student Survey invited over 151,000 students who completed or left early from study in 2018 to provide feedback on their training experience and outcomes. In 2019, over 53,900 students across more than 350 RTOs took part in the survey. The average response rate for all of Victoria was 35.7%.

The survey asks students a range of questions, including:

- how and why they chose the training
- their satisfaction with the training
- their employment situation after the training
- what further training, if any, they are currently enrolled in
- if they didn't complete the training, why was this the case.

The results from the survey are used to construct performance measures, which are confidentially reported back to individual training providers, enabling them to identify opportunities for improvement.

There are eight student-related performance measures:

- Students with an improved employment status after training
- Students satisfied with generic skills and learning experiences
- Students going on to further study at a higher level than their completed training
- Students who achieved their main reason for training
- Students reporting a positive perception of teaching
- Students who recommend the RTO
- Students reporting a positive perception of the assessment process
- Students who are satisfied with training provided by an RTO.

Employer Satisfaction Survey

The annual *Employer Satisfaction Survey* (Employer Survey) provides feedback from employers of apprentices and trainees about the training their apprentice(s) and/or trainee(s) received at an individual RTO.

From March to May 2019, the Employer Survey invited approximately 30,700 employers to provide their views on the training their apprentices/trainees received in 2018. In 2019, over 9,200 responses were received from employers of apprentices and trainees, resulting in an overall response rate of 30.1%

The results from the survey (satisfaction component) are used to construct performance measures and these are confidentially reported back to individual training providers.

There are three employer-related performance measures:

- Employers reporting improvement in the generic skills of apprentices and trainees
- Employers of apprentices and trainees who are satisfied with training provided by an RTO
- Employers of apprentices and trainees who recommend the RTO.

Administration of the surveys

Both surveys are administered using a multi-modal data collection methodology. This allows students and employers to complete the survey in their preferred method – over the phone, online (personal computer or mobile device), or hard-copy.

For any queries, please see [Frequently Asked Questions](#)