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Acronyms and abbreviations

ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
AQF	Australian Qualifications Framework
ASGC	Australian Standard Geographical Classification
CATI	Computer-assisted telephone interviewing
CPCSE	Certificate of Post-Compulsory School Education
DETA	Department of Education, Training and the Arts
ETRF	Education and Training Reforms for the Future
FT	Full-time
LBOTE	Language background other than English (this term is now used nationally in preference to NESB)
MCEETYA	Ministerial Council on Education, Employment, Training and Youth Affairs
NILF	Not in the labour force
OGS	Office of the Government Statistician
OP	Overall Position (indicator of academic performance ranking used for university entrance)
PT	Part-time
QSA	Queensland Studies Authority
SAT	School-based apprenticeship and traineeship
SD	Statistical Division
SEIFA	Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas
SES	Socioeconomic status
SSD	Statistical Subdivision
TAFE	Technical and Further Education
VET	Vocational education and training

Introduction

Aims of the project

The *Next Step* survey is an annual survey of every student who completed Year 12 in the previous year in Queensland, in Government and non-Government schools. The survey results show the initial study and work destinations of young people after completing school.

The objectives of the survey are to assist:

- parents and the wider public to know the achievements of students and to appreciate the range of options available to students
- schools to review and plan their services for students, especially in the senior years of schooling
- school systems to review their education policies as they affect the transition from school to further study and employment
- training bodies, universities, business and industry, local government and regional planners to plan their services.

The survey follows the destinations of students who completed Year 12 at Government schools, Catholic schools, independent schools and TAFE secondary colleges.

Methodology

The *Next Step* 2008 survey was conducted by the Department of Education, Training and the Arts through the Office of the Government Statistician (OGS), in accordance with the privacy provisions of the *Statistical Returns Act 1896*.

The survey targeted students who completed Year 12 in Queensland in 2007, including students at Government schools, non-Government schools and TAFE secondary colleges. All students who were awarded a Senior Certificate or Certificate of Post-Compulsory School Education (CPCSE) were included. The Senior Certificate is a formal record of achievement issued at the end of Year 12 to all students who complete at least one approved subject. The CPCSE is a separate certificate for students with an impairment or difficulties in learning that are not primarily due to socioeconomic, cultural and/or linguistic factors.

The targeted students were identified by means of a survey frame (or list) provided to the OGS by the Queensland Studies Authority (QSA). This list contained details for 41 889 Year 12 completers who were deemed in-scope for this survey.

The survey was conducted between 2 April and 17 May 2008, approximately six months after the young people left school. This timing was designed to be after tertiary education places for 2008 were accepted, and while most of these young people were still contactable via their 2007 home address details.

Responses were predominantly collected via computer-assisted telephone interviewing (CATI) with paper-based surveys collected from a small number of students for whom telephone details were not available. The average time for a completed interview was less than four minutes.

Prior to the survey, all Year 12 completers were sent a letter from the Queensland Minister for Education and Training advising them of the survey. Those without usable telephone details but with a usable Australian or international address were sent a printed copy of the questionnaire and a reply paid envelope.

Completed paper-based questionnaires were returned directly to OGS for processing and data entry. All responding Year 12 graduates went into a draw for a chance to win one of several prizes offered as an incentive to encourage survey participation.

At the close of the survey, nearly all non-responding students for whom telephone numbers were available had received at least six attempts of contact. Non-responding students without telephone numbers were mailed two copies of the questionnaire. A total of 33 568 completed surveys were received. Of these, 306 were completed by paper-based questionnaire and 33 262 by CATI.

Regional reports are based on statistical divisions used by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

The response rate for this region – West Moreton – was 83.5 per cent.

Please note that some survey participants did not provide information for particular survey questions. As a result, the number of responses shown in some tables may not reflect the totals reported for the main destinations appearing in Table 2.

Students were allocated to this region on the basis of the location of the school they attended in 2007. A list of schools from this region is shown in the Appendix (Table A1A).

Main Findings – West Moreton

Destinations

More than nine in ten (90.9 per cent) Year 12 completers in this region were studying or in paid employment. (Figure 1)

Nearly half (47.1 per cent) continued in some recognised form of education and training in the year after they left school. (Figure 1)

Almost one in every five Year 12 completers were undertaking a university degree (19.4 per cent). (Figure 1)

Nearly three in ten (27.8 per cent) were studying vocational education and training (VET). (Figure 1)

Almost four in ten of the campus-based VET students were studying at Certificate IV level or higher (3.4 per cent of Year 12 completers overall). (Figure 1)

More than one in six (18.8 per cent) were undertaking employment-based training, either as an apprentice (12.4 per cent) or trainee (6.5 per cent). (Figure 1)

In addition to the above study destinations, a further 6.3 per cent of respondents from this region deferred a tertiary offer in 2008 (deferrers are shown in Figure 1 in their actual current destination and in Figure 3 as deferrers).

Over half (52.9 per cent) did not enter post-school education or training and were either employed (43.7 per cent), looking for work (8.4 per cent) or neither working, seeking work, nor studying (0.7 per cent). (Figure 1)

Learning: education and training destinations

Amongst the 47.1 per cent of Year 12 completers continuing in some form of education or training, the most common fields of study were Management and Commerce (e.g. Business, Tourism), Engineering and Related Technologies, and Architecture and Building. (Table 4)

University of Queensland and Bremer Institute of TAFE were the two tertiary institutions most commonly entered by Year 12 completers, accounting for nearly a quarter of all Year 12 completers (23.5 per cent) in post-school education and training destinations. (Table 5)

Earning: employment destinations

Of those young people working, almost half were in part-time employment (45.3 per cent), while 31.2 per cent were in full-time employment, 15.5 per cent were apprentices and 8.1 per cent were trainees. (Table 6)

Almost one-half of all Year 12 completers in employment (50.9 per cent) were working in just three occupational groups — Sales Assistants, Food Handlers and Clerks, Receptionists and Secretaries. Sales Assistants was the most common occupation (28.3 per cent), followed by Food Handlers (12.3 per cent) and Clerks, Receptionists and Secretaries (10.3 per cent). (Table 7)

Not learning or earning

The survey identified 8.4 per cent of Year 12 graduates who were seeking work. (Figure 1)

Less than one in every hundred Year 12 graduates were neither studying nor seeking work (0.7 per cent). This group includes those with a disability or health condition, and those travelling or waiting for their course to commence. (Figure 1)

The most common reasons given for not continuing in study were that young people were undecided and considering options, were not interested in further study, or wanted a break from study (for example to travel). (Table 9)

Different people, different pathways

The survey found different patterns for different groups of young people.

Sex

There were differences in the destinations of males and females. In particular:

Females were more likely than males to enter a university degree course (24.2 per cent compared to 12.9 per cent of males), and were also more likely to enrol in campus-based (i.e. not apprenticeships or traineeships) VET programs (10.7 per cent compared to 6.7 per cent of males). (Table 2)

Females were just as likely to enter university and VET programs (24.2 per cent for university compared to 21.4 per cent for VET), while males were more likely to enter VET programs than university (36.3 per cent for VET compared to 12.9 per cent for university). (Table 2)

Males were nearly nine times more likely than females to enter an apprenticeship, while females were more likely than males to commence a traineeship. (Table 2)

Females were eight times as likely as males to study in the field of Society and Culture, six times more likely to study Education, four times more likely to study Agriculture, Environmental and Related Studies, and three times more likely to study in the fields of Health, and Food, Hospitality and Personal Services. (Table 4)

Males were nearly 14 times more likely than females to enrol in Architecture and Building and nearly 12 times more likely to enrol in Engineering and Related Technologies courses. (Table 4)

Females were more likely than males to be working in part-time jobs (59.2 per cent compared to 26.7 per cent), while males were more likely than females to be working in full-time jobs (36.1 per cent compared to 27.5 per cent). (Table 6)

Students of VET in schools

Over half of all Year 12 graduates in this region left school with a VET qualification (55.2 per cent), while 12.2 per cent were school-based apprentices or trainees (SATs). (Table 12 and Table 13)

Those with a VET qualification were less likely to enrol in a university degree course than others (11.7 per cent compared to 28.8 per cent). However, they had higher rates of transition to employment-based training (25.0 per cent compared to 11.2 per cent). They were also more likely to enter employment with no further education and training (49.4 per cent compared to 36.8 per cent). (Table 12)

School-based apprentices and trainees were nearly three times as likely to undertake apprenticeships and traineeships after school as other Year 12 completers (42.6 per cent compared to 15.5 per cent). (Table 13)

OP-eligible Students

Over one-third (34.5 per cent) of OP-eligible Year 12 completers had commenced a university degree. Year 12 completers who were not OP-eligible were more likely to transition to VET programs (33.9 per cent) than OP-eligible students (23.0 per cent). (Table 14)

Certificate of Post-Compulsory School Education

There were insufficient numbers of Year 12 completers awarded a CPCSE in this region to show a meaningful comparison with other Year 12 completers. (Table 15)

Senior Certificate

There were no Year 12 completers in this region who did not receive a Senior Certificate and who responded to the survey. (Table 16)

Indigenous

There were insufficient numbers of Indigenous Year 12 completers in this region to show a meaningful comparison with other Year 12 completers. (Table 17)

Language background other than English

There were insufficient numbers of Year 12 completers identified as Language background other than English (LBOTE) in this region to show a meaningful comparison with other Year 12 completers. (Table 18)

Socioeconomic status

There were insufficient numbers of Year 12 completers in some socioeconomic status (SES) groups to show a meaningful comparison with other Year 12 completers. (Table 19)

Regional Comparisons

Year 12 completers in West Moreton had similar rates of transition to VET studies compared with other metropolitan and Queensland Year 12 completers, however West Moreton had fewer who were enrolled at university and more who were employed or seeking work. (Figure 2)

The occupations and industry categories of Year 12 completers in West Moreton closely resemble those of Year 12 completers statewide, although West Moreton had more in Construction and Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing than statewide. (Table 8)

The main reasons given for not studying by West Moreton Year 12 completers resemble those of metropolitan and statewide respondents, although wanting a break from study (eg. to travel) was less common, and not being interested in further study was more common in West Moreton. (Table 10)

Comparisons between the destinations of Year 12 completers from West Moreton for the years 2005–08 showed a fluctuation in most destinations over the four year time period. (Figure 4)

More information on the survey is available at www.education.qld.gov.au/nextstep.

Main destinations

All respondents were categorised into their main destination, as outlined in Table 1. Tertiary students are assigned to the study categories regardless of their labour force status (i.e. they may also be working or even looking for work).

Table 1 Main Destination Categorisations, Next Step 2008

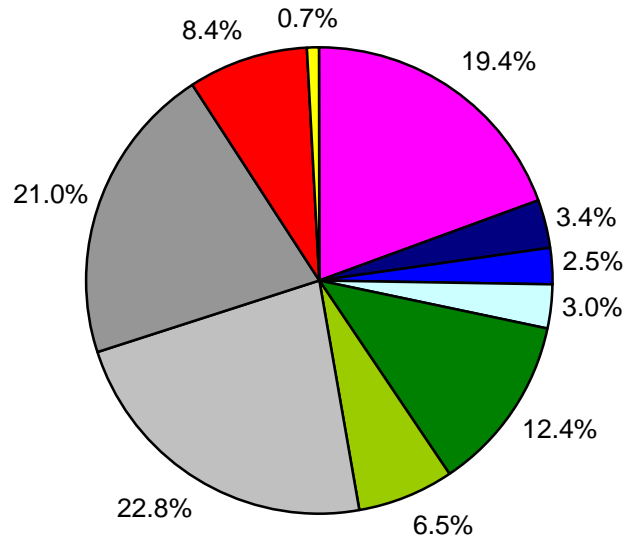
<i>Higher Education</i>	
University (degree)*	Studying at degree level.
<i>VET categories</i>	
VET Cert IV+*	Studying Certificate IV, Diploma or Advanced Diploma (excluding apprentices and trainees).
VET Cert III*	Studying Certificate III (excluding apprentices and trainees).
VET Cert I-II/other*	Studying Certificate I or II (excluding apprentices and trainees). This category also includes students in an “unspecified” VET course, or in other basic courses (e.g. Year 12, bridging course, etc.) and with an unknown course level.
Apprentice	Working and in employment-based apprenticeship.
Trainee	Working and in employment-based traineeship.
<i>No further education or training</i>	
Working full-time [~]	Working full-time (35 hours or more per week) and not in a study or training destination. This includes people with part-time or casual jobs that total 35 hours or more.
Working part-time [~]	Working part-time or casual (fewer than 35 hours per week) and not in a study or training destination.
Seeking work	Looking for work and not in a study or training destination
Not studying and not in the labour force	Not in study or training, not working and not looking for work.

*Some respondents are also in the labour market

[~]Based on ABS classification

Figure 1

Main destinations of Year 12 completers, West Moreton, 2008



- University (degree) (19.4%)
- VET Cert IV+ (3.4%) *
- VET Cert III (2.5%) *
- VET Cert I-II/other (3.0%) *
- Apprentice (12.4%) *
- Trainee (6.5%) *
- Working FT (22.8%)
- Working PT (21.0%)
- Seeking work (8.4%)
- Not studying/NILF (0.7%)

* included in VET total
VET total = 27.8%

Table 2 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by sex, West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>Males</i>		<i>Females</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	31	12.9	77	24.2	108	19.4
VET Cert IV+ *	10	4.2	9	2.8	19	3.4
VET Cert III *	2	0.8	12	3.8	14	2.5
VET Cert I-II/other *	4	1.7	13	4.1	17	3.0
Apprentice *	60	25.0	9	2.8	69	12.4
Trainee *	11	4.6	25	7.9	36	6.5
Working FT	66	27.5	61	19.2	127	22.8
Working PT	32	13.3	85	26.7	117	21.0
Seeking work	23	9.6	24	7.5	47	8.4
Not studying/NILF	1	0.4	3	0.9	4	0.7
<i>Total VET</i>	87	36.3	68	21.4	155	27.8
Total	240	100.0	318	100.0	558	100.0

* Included in Total VET

Figure 2 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, West Moreton, Metropolitan and Queensland, 2008

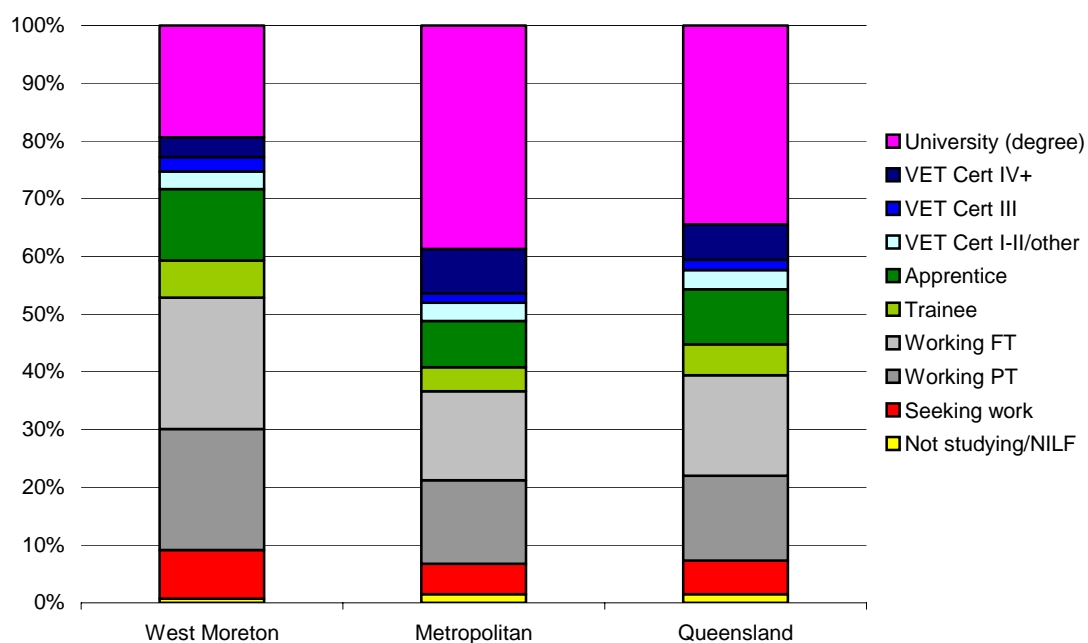
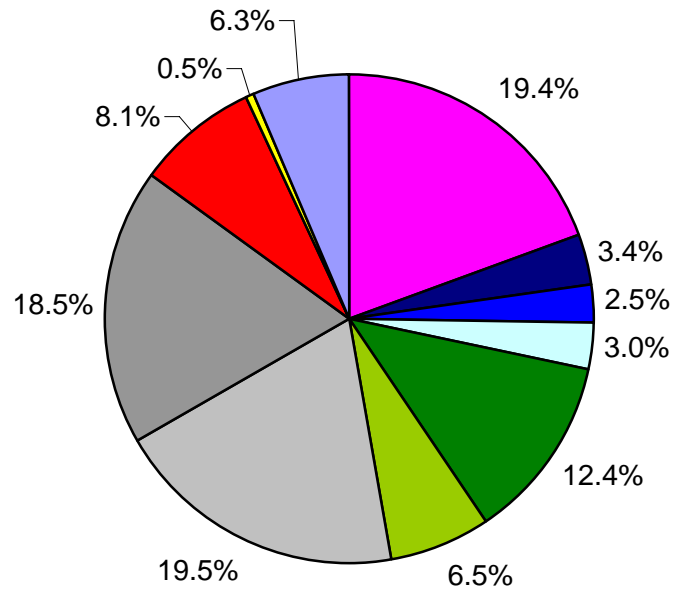


Table 3 Study and labour force destinations of Year 12 completers, West Moreton, 2008

		<i>Uni degree</i>	<i>VET Cert IV+</i>	<i>VET Cert III</i>	<i>VET Cert I-II</i>	<i>Study other/ unspecified</i>	<i>Not studying</i>	<i>Total</i>
Working full-time	<i>no.</i>	2	2	3	2	3	127	139
	<i>%</i>	1.9	6.7	4.5	14.3	6.7	43.1	24.9
Working part-time	<i>no.</i>	71	6	4	1	3	117	202
	<i>%</i>	65.7	20.0	6.1	7.1	6.7	39.7	36.2
Apprentice	<i>no.</i>	0	7	35	3	24	0	69
	<i>%</i>	0.0	23.3	53.0	21.4	53.3	0.0	12.4
Trainee	<i>no.</i>	0	4	17	6	9	0	36
	<i>%</i>	0.0	13.3	25.8	42.9	20.0	0.0	6.5
Seeking work	<i>no.</i>	16	7	2	0	3	47	75
	<i>%</i>	14.8	23.3	3.0	0.0	6.7	15.9	13.4
Not working/not seeking work	<i>no.</i>	19	4	5	2	3	4	37
	<i>%</i>	17.6	13.3	7.6	14.3	6.7	1.4	6.6
Total	<i>no.</i>	108	30	66	14	45	295	558
	<i>%</i>	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Figure 3

Main destinations of Year 12 completers, with deferrals identified, West Moreton, 2008



- University (degree) (19.4%)
- VET Cert IV+ (3.4%) *
- VET Cert III (2.5%) *
- VET Cert I-II/other (3.0%) *
- Apprentice (12.4%) *
- Trainee (6.5%) *
- Working Full-time (19.5%)
- Working Part-time (18.5%)
- Seeking work (8.1%)
- Not studying/not in labour force (0.5%)
- Deferred (6.3%)

* included in VET total
VET total = 27.8%

Figure 4 Comparison of main destinations of Year 12 completers, West Moreton, 2005 - 2008

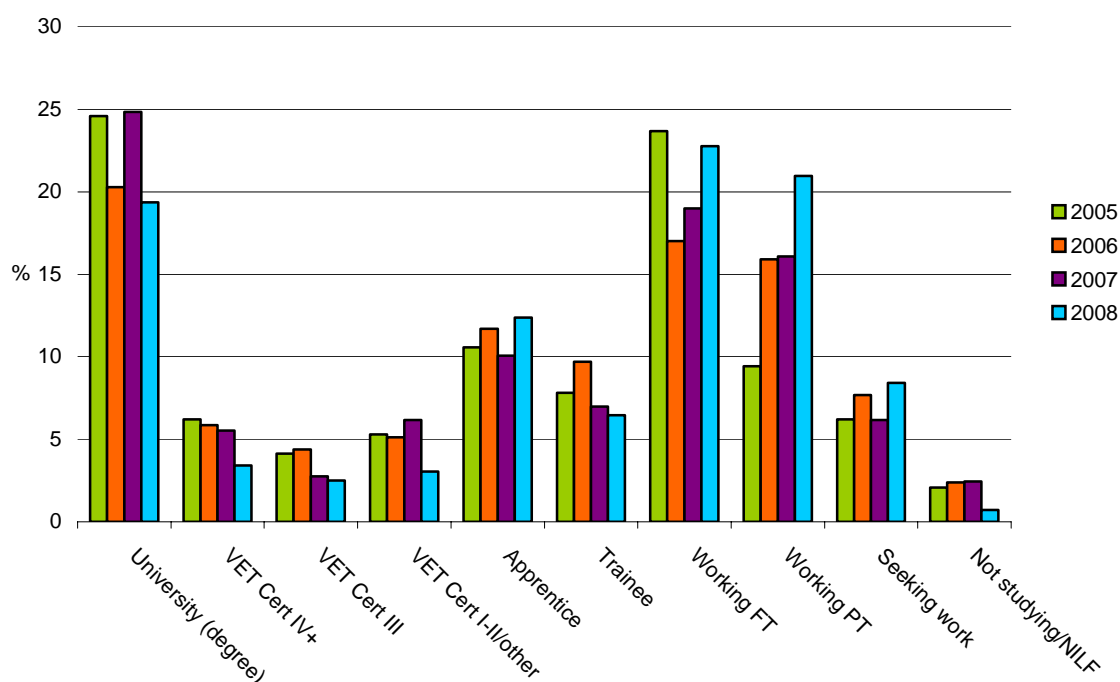


Table 4 Field of study of Year 12 completers, by sex, West Moreton, 2008

<i>Field of Study</i>	<i>Males</i> %	<i>Females</i> %	<i>Total</i> %
Management & Commerce	9.4	19.6	15.0
Engineering & Related Technologies	24.8	2.1	12.3
Architecture & Building	20.5	1.4	10.0
Food, Hospitality & Personal Services	4.3	13.3	9.2
Creative Arts	7.7	9.8	8.8
Health	3.4	12.6	8.5
Society & Culture	1.7	14.0	8.5
Natural & Physical Sciences	8.5	7.0	7.7
Education	1.7	10.5	6.5
Agriculture, Environmental & Related Studies	0.9	3.5	2.3
Double Field of Study	1.7	2.8	2.3
Information Technology	4.3	0.0	1.9
Defence Force Study	0.0	1.4	0.8
Mixed Field Programs	0.9	0.7	0.8
Year 12/Senior/Student Exchange	0.9	0.7	0.8
Other	9.4	0.7	4.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

Note: Field of study categories based on the Australian Standard Classification of Education (ABS cat. no. 1272.0).

Table 5 Post-school institutions of Year 12 completers, West Moreton, 2008

<i>Institution</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University of Queensland	32	12.3
Bremer Institute of TAFE	29	11.2
Other Private Training Colleges	28	10.8
Griffith University	26	10.0
University of Southern Queensland	21	8.1
Queensland University of Technology	20	7.7
Metropolitan South Institute of TAFE	17	6.5
Southern Queensland Institute of TAFE	16	6.2
Brisbane North Institute of TAFE	9	3.5
Southbank Institute of TAFE	6	2.3
University of the Sunshine Coast	5	1.9
Cooloola Sunshine Institute of TAFE	4	1.5
Interstate TAFEs	2	0.8
Secondary Schools	2	0.8
Central Queensland University	2	0.8
Careers Australian Institute of Technology	2	0.8
Skills Tech	1	0.4
Wide Bay Institute of TAFE	1	0.4
Australian College of Natural Medicine	1	0.4
Qantm College	1	0.4
James Cook University	1	0.4
Central Queensland Institute of TAFE	1	0.4
Bond University	1	0.4
Other	32	12.3
Total	260	100.0

Table 6 Work destinations of all Year 12 completers in employment, by sex, West Moreton, 2008

<i>Work Destination</i>	<i>Males</i>		<i>Females</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Apprentice	60	31.4	9	3.5	69	15.5
Trainee	11	5.8	25	9.8	36	8.1
Working full-time	69	36.1	70	27.5	139	31.2
Working part-time	51	26.7	151	59.2	202	45.3
Total	191	100.0	255	100.0	446	100.0

Figure 5 Main destinations of Year 12 completers not in education or training, West Moreton, Metropolitan and Queensland, 2008

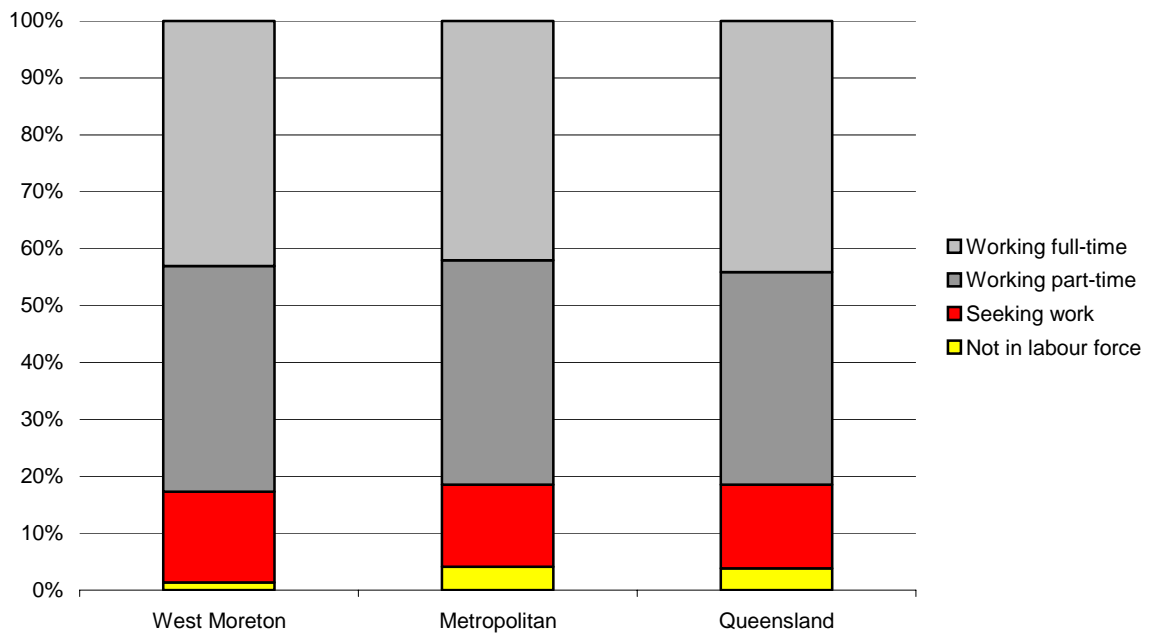


Table 7 Occupational groups of all Year 12 completers in employment, West Moreton and Queensland, 2008

Occupational Group	no.	%	Qld %
Sales Assistants	126	28.3	32.8
Food Handlers	55	12.3	13.3
Clerks, Receptionists & Secretaries	46	10.3	11.5
Waiters	24	5.4	6.7
Building & Construction Skilled Workers	34	7.6	6.3
Labourers	32	7.2	4.4
Health, Fitness, Hair & Beauty Workers	15	3.4	3.7
Child Care & Education-related Workers	9	2.0	3.4
Electrical & Electronics Trades	8	1.8	2.6
Gardeners, Farmers & Animal Workers	24	5.4	2.1
Storepersons	9	2.0	2.1
Automotive Workers	15	3.4	1.8
Government & Defence	8	1.8	1.4
Marketing & Sales Representatives	5	1.1	1.4
Factory & Machine Workers	11	2.5	1.4
Metal & Engineering Trades	11	2.5	1.3
Other	14	3.1	3.7
Total	446	100.0	100.0

Note: Occupational groups based on those used by the Commonwealth Dept of Employment and Workplace Relations.

Table 8 Industry categories of all Year 12 completers in employment, West Moreton and Queensland, 2008

<i>Industry Category</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Qld %</i>
Retail Trade	143	32.1	35.2
Accommodation & Food Services	76	17.0	20.9
Construction	54	12.1	9.4
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	34	7.6	2.1
Manufacturing	21	4.7	3.7
Health Care & Social Assistance	18	4.0	5.0
Other Services	17	3.8	2.3
Transport, Postal & Warehousing	15	3.4	1.8
Public Administration & Safety	11	2.5	2.5
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	9	2.0	2.5
Administrative & Support Services	8	1.8	2.6
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	8	1.8	1.7
Financial & Insurance Services	7	1.6	1.6
Wholesale Trade	7	1.6	1.0
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services	6	1.3	0.9
Arts & Recreation Services	5	1.1	2.5
Education & Training	3	0.7	2.5
Information Media & Telecommunications	3	0.7	0.9
Mining	1	0.2	0.9
Other	0	0.0	0.2
Total	446	100.0	100.0

Table 9 Main reason of Year 12 completers for not studying, by sex, West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Reason</i>	<i>Males %</i>	<i>Females %</i>	<i>Total %</i>
I am undecided and considering options	16.4	23.7	20.7
I am not interested in further study	25.4	12.7	18.0
I want a break from study	10.7	20.2	16.3
My work commitments	9.0	6.4	7.5
I am working to finance further study	6.6	6.4	6.4
I am waiting for the course/training to begin	8.2	4.6	6.1
The course fees and other costs are a barrier	3.3	8.1	6.1
I don't feel ready for more study	4.9	5.8	5.4
I am looking for an apprenticeship/traineeship	4.1	1.2	2.4
I would have to move away from home	4.1	1.2	2.4
I am going into the armed services	2.5	1.2	1.7
I don't meet the entry criteria for the program	1.6	1.7	1.7
My family commitments	0.0	2.9	1.7
I am working to qualify for independent Youth Allowance	1.6	1.2	1.4
Because of disability	1.6	0.0	0.7
Health reasons	0.0	0.6	0.3
I am working to save money	0.0	0.6	0.3
I have already finished studying	0.0	0.6	0.3
There is too much travel involved	0.0	0.6	0.3
Other	0.0	0.6	0.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 10 Main reason of Year 12 completers for not studying, West Moreton, Metropolitan and Queensland, 2008

<i>Main Reason</i>	<i>West Moreton %</i>	<i>Metropolitan %</i>	<i>Queensland %</i>
I am undecided and considering options	20.7	20.7	19.7
I am not interested in further study	18.0	13.0	14.3
I want a break from study	16.3	24.0	22.9
My work commitments	7.5	3.4	3.4
I am working to finance further study	6.4	5.6	6.1
I am waiting for the course/training to begin	6.1	7.6	6.9
The course fees and other costs are a barrier	6.1	3.7	3.8
I don't feel ready for more study	5.4	5.8	5.5
I am looking for an apprenticeship/traineeship	2.4	2.0	2.0
I would have to move away from home	2.4	0.9	1.5
I am going into the armed services	1.7	1.3	1.4
I don't meet the entry criteria for the program	1.7	3.0	2.9
My family commitments	1.7	0.9	0.9
I am working to qualify for independent Youth Allowance	1.4	1.5	2.3
Because of disability	0.7	1.5	1.5
Health reasons	0.3	0.8	0.7
I am working to save money	0.3	0.6	0.6
I have already finished studying	0.3	0.4	0.4
There is too much travel involved	0.3	0.2	0.2
I am going overseas to work	0.0	0.2	0.2
I am looking for work	0.0	0.3	0.3
My sporting commitments	0.0	0.8	0.7
Student exchange	0.0	0.1	0.1
The costs of travel are a barrier	0.0	0.2	0.2
Other	0.3	1.6	1.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 11 Main reason for not looking for work of Year 12 completers not studying and not in the labour force, West Moreton, Metropolitan and Queensland, 2008

<i>Main Reason</i>	<i>West Moreton</i> %	<i>Metropolitan</i> %	<i>Queensland</i> %
Travel	50.0	17.8	16.1
My family commitments	25.0	9.9	12.3
Because of disability	0.0	12.9	14.1
Health reasons	0.0	16.4	15.9
I don't feel ready for paid employment	0.0	2.3	2.0
I don't wish to work	0.0	5.0	4.8
I have accepted a job that starts later	0.0	12.0	11.7
I have been unsuccessful finding a job	0.0	0.9	0.8
I have no financial need to work	0.0	0.9	1.2
I would have to move away from home	0.0	0.3	0.6
My sporting commitments	0.0	5.3	4.0
My study commitments	0.0	5.6	4.4
Student exchange	0.0	1.8	1.8
Transport difficulties	0.0	0.6	1.0
Other	25.0	8.5	9.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

**Table 12 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by Year 12 strand (VET and non-VET)
West Moreton, 2008**

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>VET Qualification</i>			
	<i>No</i>		<i>Yes</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	72	28.8	36	11.7
VET Cert IV+ *	9	3.6	10	3.2
VET Cert III *	6	2.4	8	2.6
VET Cert I-II/other *	11	4.4	6	1.9
Apprentice *	16	6.4	53	17.2
Trainee *	12	4.8	24	7.8
Working FT	40	16.0	87	28.2
Working PT	52	20.8	65	21.1
Seeking work	28	11.2	19	6.2
Not studying/NILF	4	1.6	0	0.0
<i>Total VET</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>21.6</i>	<i>101</i>	<i>32.8</i>
Total	250	100.0	308	100.0

* Included in Total VET

Table 13 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by school-based apprentices, West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>School-based apprentice or trainee (SAT)</i>			
	<i>No</i>		<i>Yes</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	102	20.8	6	8.8
VET Cert IV+ *	16	3.3	3	4.4
VET Cert III *	12	2.4	2	2.9
VET Cert I-II/other *	17	3.5	0	0.0
Apprentice *	50	10.2	19	27.9
Trainee *	26	5.3	10	14.7
Working FT	112	22.9	15	22.1
Working PT	105	21.4	12	17.6
Seeking work	46	9.4	1	1.5
Not studying/NILF	4	0.8	0	0.0
<i>Total VET</i>	<i>121</i>	<i>24.7</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>50.0</i>
Total	490	100.0	68	100.0

* Included in Total VET

Table 14 **Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by OP Eligible Status, West Moreton, 2008**

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>OP-Eligible</i>			
	<i>No</i>		<i>Yes</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	0	0.0	108	34.5
VET Cert IV+ *	5	2.0	14	4.5
VET Cert III *	6	2.4	8	2.6
VET Cert I-II/other *	6	2.4	11	3.5
Apprentice *	48	19.6	21	6.7
Trainee *	18	7.3	18	5.8
Working FT	73	29.8	54	17.3
Working PT	61	24.9	56	17.9
Seeking work	27	11.0	20	6.4
Not studying/NILF	1	0.4	3	1.0
<i>Total VET</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>33.9</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>23.0</i>
Total	245	100.0	313	100.0

* Included in Total VET

Table 15 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by Year 12 Status (CPCSE), West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>CPCSE</i>			
	<i>no.</i>	<i>No</i> <i>%</i>	<i>Yes</i> <i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	108	19.6	0	0.0
VET Cert IV+ *	19	3.4	0	0.0
VET Cert III *	14	2.5	0	0.0
VET Cert I-II/other *	16	2.9	1	14.3
Apprentice *	69	12.5	0	0.0
Trainee *	36	6.5	0	0.0
Working FT	127	23.0	0	0.0
Working PT	116	21.1	1	14.3
Seeking work	42	7.6	5	71.4
Not studying/NILF	4	0.7	0	0.0
<i>Total VET</i>	<i>154</i>	<i>27.9</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>14.3</i>
Total	551	100.0	7	100.0

* Included in Total VET

Table 16 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by Year 12 Status (Senior Certificate), West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>Senior Certificate</i>			
	<i>No</i>		<i>Yes</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	0	0.0	108	19.4
VET Cert IV+ *	0	0.0	19	3.4
VET Cert III *	0	0.0	14	2.5
VET Cert I-II/other *	0	0.0	17	3.0
Apprentice *	0	0.0	69	12.4
Trainee *	0	0.0	36	6.5
Working FT	0	0.0	127	22.8
Working PT	0	0.0	117	21.0
Seeking work	0	0.0	47	8.4
Not studying/NILF	0	0.0	4	0.7
<i>Total VET</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0.0</i>	<i>155</i>	<i>27.8</i>
Total	0	0.0	558	100.0

* Included in Total VET

Table 17 **Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by Indigenous Status, West Moreton, 2008**

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		<i>Indigenous</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	105	19.3	3	21.4
VET Cert IV+ *	19	3.5	0	0.0
VET Cert III *	14	2.6	0	0.0
VET Cert I-II/other *	17	3.1	0	0.0
Apprentice *	68	12.5	1	7.1
Trainee *	35	6.4	1	7.1
Working FT	125	23.0	2	14.3
Working PT	113	20.8	4	28.6
Seeking work	45	8.3	2	14.3
Not studying/NILF	3	0.6	1	7.1
<i>Total VET</i>	<i>153</i>	<i>28.1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>14.3</i>
Total	544	100.0	14	100.0

* Included in Total VET

Table 18 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by Language Background, West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>LBOTE</i>			
	<i>No</i>		<i>Yes</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	107	19.4	1	16.7
VET Cert IV+ *	19	3.4	0	0.0
VET Cert III *	14	2.5	0	0.0
VET Cert I-II/other *	16	2.9	1	16.7
Apprentice *	68	12.3	1	16.7
Trainee *	36	6.5	0	0.0
Working FT	126	22.8	1	16.7
Working PT	115	20.8	2	33.3
Seeking work	47	8.5	0	0.0
Not studying/NILF	4	0.7	0	0.0
Total VET	153	27.7	2	33.3
Total	552	100.0	6	100.0

* Included in Total VET

Table 19 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by socioeconomic status, West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>Lowest SES quartile</i>		<i>Second lowest SES quartile</i>		<i>Second highest SES quartile</i>		<i>Highest SES quartile</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	41	15.5	51	22.8	14	21.9	2	66.7
VET Cert IV+ *	14	5.3	5	2.2	0	0.0	0	0.0
VET Cert III *	8	3.0	5	2.2	1	1.6	0	0.0
VET Cert I-II/other *	5	1.9	9	4.0	3	4.7	0	0.0
Apprentice *	25	9.5	29	12.9	15	23.4	0	0.0
Trainee *	21	8.0	7	3.1	6	9.4	1	33.3
Working FT	63	23.9	53	23.7	11	17.2	0	0.0
Working PT	62	23.5	43	19.2	10	15.6	0	0.0
Seeking work	23	8.7	20	8.9	4	6.3	0	0.0
Not studying/NILF	2	0.8	2	0.9	0	0.0	0	0.0
<i>Total VET</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>27.7</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>24.6</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>39.1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>33.3</i>
Total	264	100.0	224	100.0	64	100.0	3	100.0

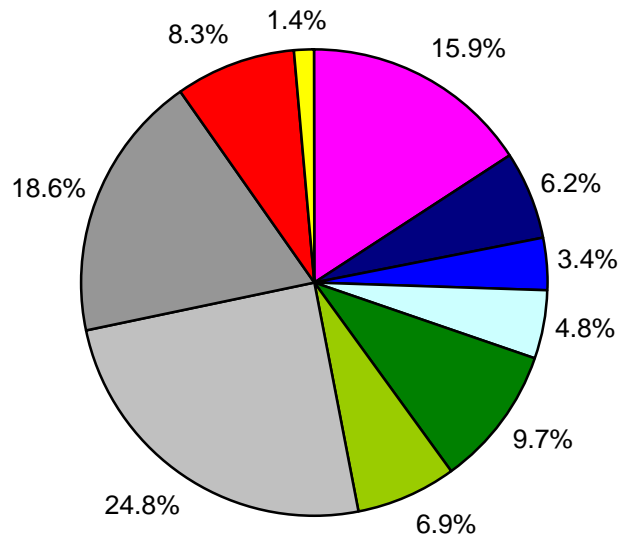
* Included in Total VET

Note: Socioeconomic status based on the respondent's residential address.

Sub-regions within West Moreton

Upper West Moreton

Figure 6 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, Upper West Moreton, 2008



- University (degree) (15.9%)
- VET Cert IV+ (6.2%) *
- VET Cert III (3.4%) *
- VET Cert I-II/other (4.8%) *
- Apprentice (9.7%) *
- Trainee (6.9%) *
- Working FT (24.8%)
- Working PT (18.6%)
- Seeking work (8.3%)
- Not studying/NILF (1.4%)

* included in VET total
VET total = 31.0%

Table 20 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by sex, Upper West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>Males</i>		<i>Females</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	7	11.5	16	19.0	23	15.9
VET Cert IV+ *	5	8.2	4	4.8	9	6.2
VET Cert III *	1	1.6	4	4.8	5	3.4
VET Cert I-II/other *	0	0.0	7	8.3	7	4.8
Apprentice *	13	21.3	1	1.2	14	9.7
Trainee *	3	4.9	7	8.3	10	6.9
Working FT	20	32.8	16	19.0	36	24.8
Working PT	9	14.8	18	21.4	27	18.6
Seeking work	3	4.9	9	10.7	12	8.3
Not studying/NILF	0	0.0	2	2.4	2	1.4
<i>Total VET</i>	22	36.1	23	27.4	45	31.0
Total	61	100.0	84	100.0	145	100.0

Figure 7 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, Upper West Moreton, West Moreton, Metropolitan and Queensland, 2008

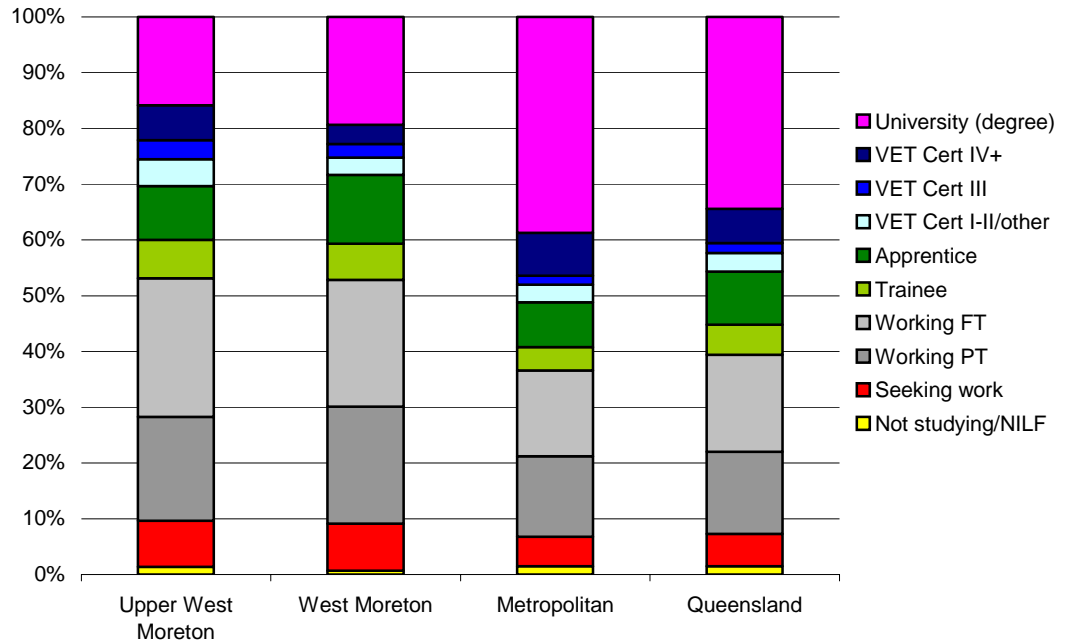
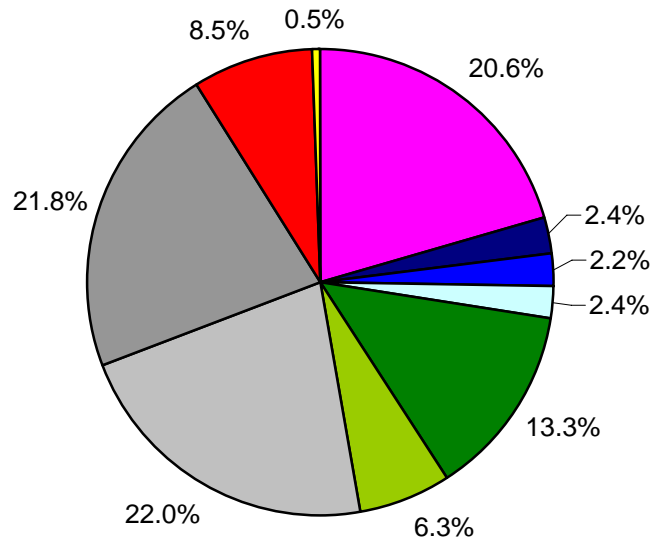


Table 21 Study and labour force destinations of Year 12 completers, Upper West Moreton, 2008

		<i>Uni degree</i>	<i>VET Cert IV+</i>	<i>VET Cert III</i>	<i>VET Cert I-II</i>	<i>Study other/ unspecified</i>	<i>Not studying</i>	<i>Total</i>
Working full-time	<i>no.</i>	0	0	1	2	0	36	39
	<i>%</i>	0.0	0.0	5.6	66.7	0.0	46.8	26.9
Working part-time	<i>no.</i>	17	2	3	0	1	27	50
	<i>%</i>	73.9	15.4	16.7	0.0	9.1	35.1	34.5
Apprentice	<i>no.</i>	0	3	8	0	3	0	14
	<i>%</i>	0.0	23.1	44.4	0.0	27.3	0.0	9.7
Trainee	<i>no.</i>	0	1	5	1	3	0	10
	<i>%</i>	0.0	7.7	27.8	33.3	27.3	0.0	6.9
Seeking work	<i>no.</i>	3	3	1	0	2	12	21
	<i>%</i>	13.0	23.1	5.6	0.0	18.2	15.6	14.5
Not working/not seeking work	<i>no.</i>	3	4	0	0	2	2	11
	<i>%</i>	13.0	30.8	0.0	0.0	18.2	2.6	7.6
Total	<i>no.</i>	23	13	18	3	11	77	145
	<i>%</i>	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Lower West Moreton

Figure 8 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, Lower West Moreton, 2008



- University (degree) (20.6%)
- VET Cert IV+ (2.4%) *
- VET Cert III (2.2%) *
- VET Cert I-II/other (2.4%) *
- Apprentice (13.3%) *
- Trainee (6.3%) *
- Working FT (22.0%)
- Working PT (21.8%)
- Seeking work (8.5%)
- Not studying/NILF (0.5%)

* included in VET total
VET total = 26.6%

Table 22 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, by sex, Lower West Moreton, 2008

<i>Main Destination</i>	<i>Males</i>		<i>Females</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
University (degree)	24	13.4	61	26.1	85	20.6
VET Cert IV+ *	5	2.8	5	2.1	10	2.4
VET Cert III *	1	0.6	8	3.4	9	2.2
VET Cert I-II/other *	4	2.2	6	2.6	10	2.4
Apprentice *	47	26.3	8	3.4	55	13.3
Trainee *	8	4.5	18	7.7	26	6.3
Working FT	46	25.7	45	19.2	91	22.0
Working PT	23	12.8	67	28.6	90	21.8
Seeking work	20	11.2	15	6.4	35	8.5
Not studying/NILF	1	0.6	1	0.4	2	0.5
<i>Total VET</i>	65	36.3	45	19.2	110	26.6
Total	179	100.0	234	100.0	413	100.0

Figure 9 Main destinations of Year 12 completers, Lower West Moreton, West Moreton, Metropolitan and Queensland, 2008

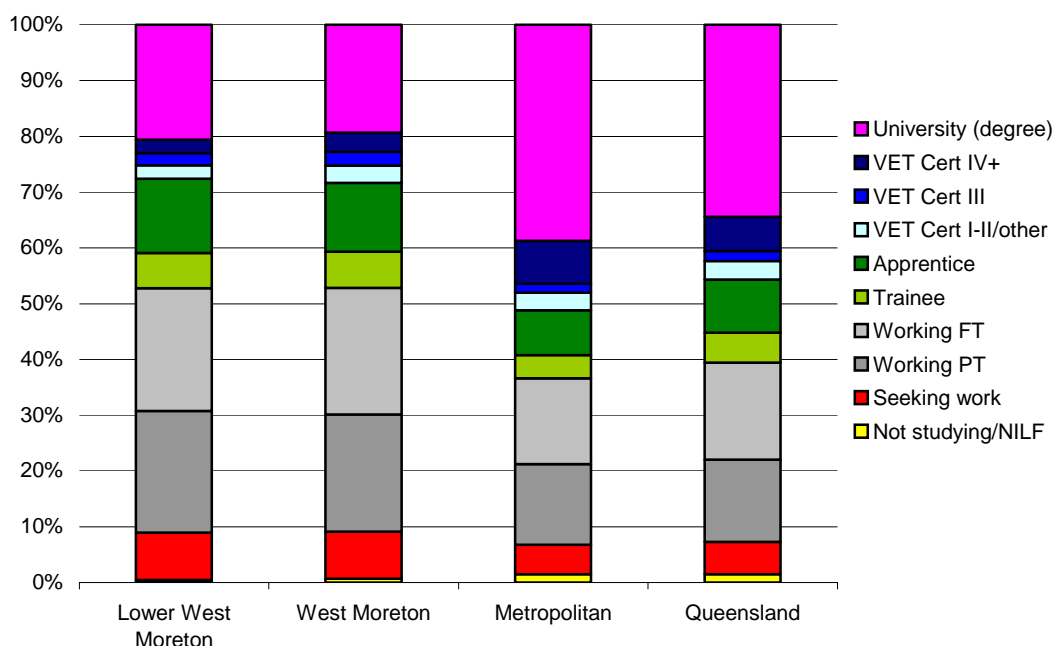


Table 23 Study and labour force destinations of Year 12 completers, Lower West Moreton, 2008

		<i>Uni degree</i>	<i>VET Cert IV+</i>	<i>VET Cert III</i>	<i>VET Cert I-II</i>	<i>Study other/ unspecified</i>	<i>Not studying</i>	<i>Total</i>
Working full-time	<i>no.</i>	2	2	2	0	3	91	100
	<i>%</i>	2.4	11.8	4.2	0.0	8.8	41.7	24.2
Working part-time	<i>no.</i>	54	4	1	1	2	90	152
	<i>%</i>	63.5	23.5	2.1	9.1	5.9	41.3	36.8
Apprentice	<i>no.</i>	0	4	27	3	21	0	55
	<i>%</i>	0.0	23.5	56.3	27.3	61.8	0.0	13.3
Trainee	<i>no.</i>	0	3	12	5	6	0	26
	<i>%</i>	0.0	17.6	25.0	45.5	17.6	0.0	6.3
Seeking work	<i>no.</i>	13	4	1	0	1	35	54
	<i>%</i>	15.3	23.5	2.1	0.0	2.9	16.1	13.1
Not working/not seeking work	<i>no.</i>	16	0	5	2	1	2	26
	<i>%</i>	18.8	0.0	10.4	18.2	2.9	0.9	6.3
Total	<i>no.</i>	85	17	48	11	34	218	413
	<i>%</i>	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Appendix

Table A1A West Moreton schools with Year 12 completers in 2007

Beaudesert State High School
Boonah State High School
Faith Lutheran College
Kilcoy State High School
Laidley State High School
Lockyer District State High School
Lowood State High School
The Kooralbyn International School
Toogoolawah State High School

Figure A1A Queensland Statistical Divisions, ABS, 2007

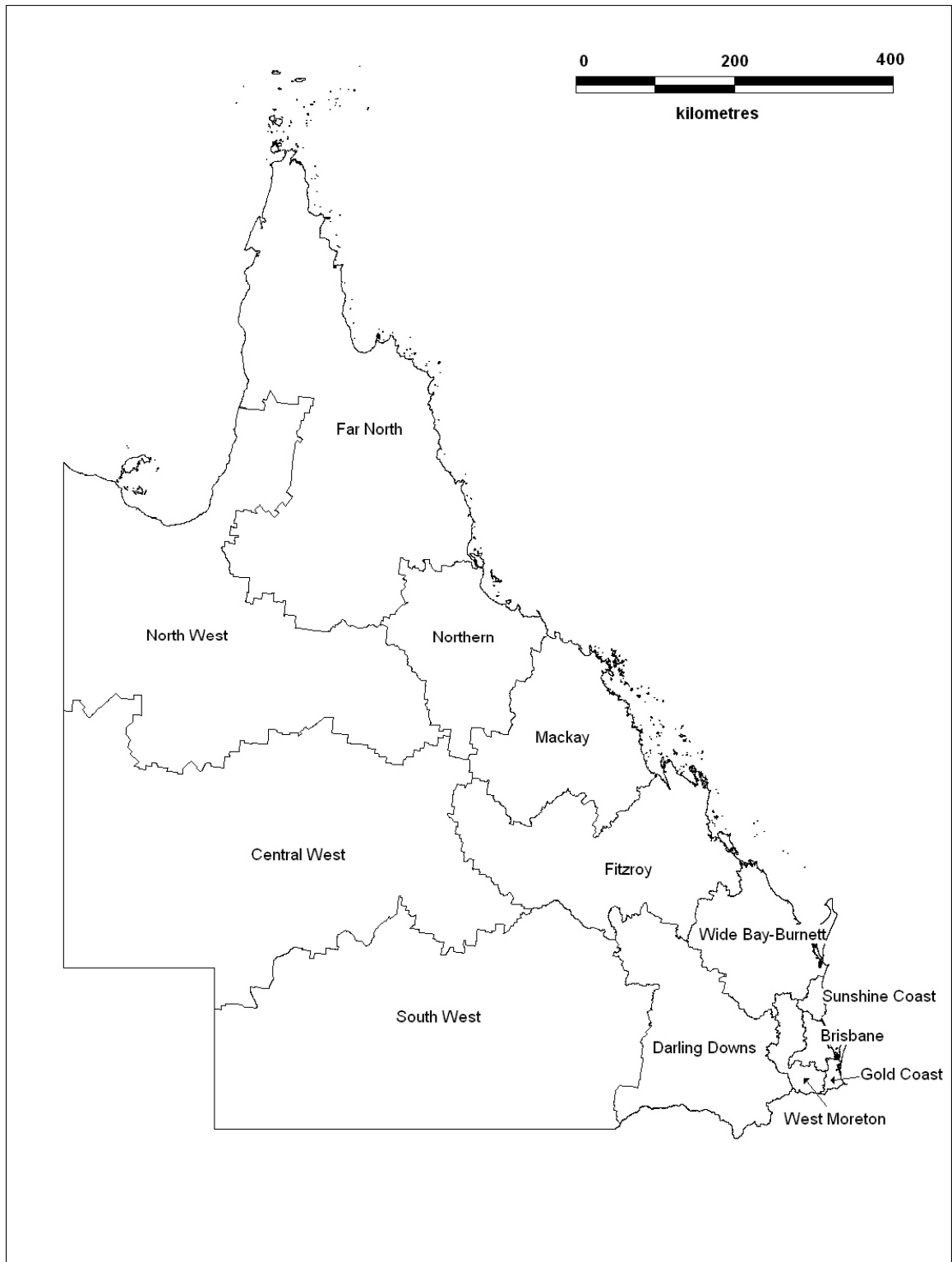


Figure A1B Brisbane, Gold Coast, Sunshine Coast and West Moreton Statistical Divisions, ABS, 2007

