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National Centre for Vocational Education Research
INTRODUCTION
Good ..... My name is ...... from the Wallis Group. May I speak to (RESPONDENT NAME)

WHEN YOU MAKE CONTACT WITH RESPONDENT:
Good ..... My name is ...... from the Wallis Group. I’m calling to conduct your interview as part of the Longitudinal Survey of Australian Youth.
You may remember doing the survey last year and getting a letter and newsletter last Xmas.
This year, for the first time, there will be a prize draw among those LSAY members who complete the 2011 interview.
IF NECESSARY: Details of the draw were in the letter we sent in early June, to let you know about this year’s survey and asking you to update your details. There will be a $500 Coles Myer voucher issued for each State and Territory.

PREQ1: The survey may be monitored for quality control purposes - if you don’t want this to happen, please let me know.
   1. Monitoring allowed
   2. Monitoring not permitted

RESPONDENT DETAIL CHECK
1 Before we start the interview, I need to check that the details I have for you are correct.
Firstly, is your name spelt ...
   (REFER TO SPELLING ON SCREEN)
   1 Correct (continue)
   2 Not correct (record change as necessary)
2 And is your address... (READ OUT ADDRESS, SUBURB, POSTCODE)
   1 Correct (continue)
   2 Not correct (record change as necessary)
3 And is the best number for contacting you ...
   (READ OUT PHONE NUMBER)
   1 Correct (continue)
   2 Not correct (record change as necessary)
4 And is (ALT PHONE NUMBER) also a valid number for you? (IF AVAILABLE)
   1 Correct (continue)
   2 Not correct (record change as necessary)
   3 No longer have alternative
5 Do you have an alternative number we might try you on? For example, a mobile number. (IF NO ALT. AVAILABLE)
   1 Yes (RECORD NUMBER)
   2 No

IF EMAIL ADDRESS IS AVAILABLE – ASK 6, ELSE GO TO 7
6 We have your email address recorded as (EMAIL ADDRESS). Is this correct?
   1 Correct (continue)
   2 Not correct (record change as necessary)
IF NO EMAIL ADDRESS IS AVAILABLE – ASK 7, ELSE GO TO 8

7 Do you have an email address that we could use to contact you
   1 Yes (RECORD ADDRESS)
   2 No

8 The last time you were interviewed was on… (date of last interview FROM SAMPLE)
   In this interview we’ll talk about school, work, and some of the things you might do in your free time.
   As always, your answers in this survey will be strictly confidential.
SECTION A: SCHOOL

PRE A1  IF SAMPLE SAYS NOT AT SCHOOL IN 2010 GO TO A3, ELSE CONTINUE

IF ADDRESS IS ACT OR TAS – INCLUDE WORDS IN BRACKETS IN A1

A1 The first few questions are about school. Are you still going to secondary school (or secondary college) or have you left school?
INTERVIEWER NOTE: this means left for good, not just finished for the year
1. Still going to school  GO TO A5
2. Left school

A2 In which month and year did you leave school?

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IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

PRE A3  IF YEAR LEFT SCHOOL IS 10 - GO TO PRE B1
ELSE GO TO A7

A3 Last year you said that you had left school. Are you still not at school, or have you gone back?
1. Still not at school  GO TO PREB1
2. Returned to school
3. Returned to school but now left again  GO TO PREB1

A4 What was the main reason you went back to school?

______________________________________________________________

A5 Have you changed schools since your last interview on DATE OF LAST INTV?
1. Yes
2. No  GO TO A8

A6 In which month and year did you leave your previous school?

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IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

PRE A7  INCLUDE (CURRENT) IN QUESTION TEXT IF CHANGED SCHOOL (A5=1)

A7 These questions are about being at school in 2011. (Is/was) your (current) school a Government school, a Catholic school, or some other non-Government school?
1. Government
2. Catholic
3. Other
A8 Are/were you enrolled at school full time or part time?
1. Full Time
2. Part Time
3. Don’t know

A9 What year-level are/were you in at school in 2011?
IN 2012 WILL READ.... ...were you in at school in 2011
1. Year 9 or below GO TO PRE A25
2. Year 10 GO TO PRE A25
3. Year 11
4. Year 12
5. Year 13

PREA10 IF IB SCHOOL OR IF IB IN 2010, OR IF CHANGED SCHOOL (A5=1) CONTINUE
ELSE GO TO A11

A10 During 2011, are/were you studying for the International Baccalaureate (IB)?
1. Yes GO TO PRE A25
2. No

A11 I would like to know about the subjects or courses you (are/were) taking at school. Firstly, could I just confirm you go (went) to school in ...[STATE OF RESIDENCE]? 
1. Yes GO TO PRE A13
2. No

A12 Where (do/did) you go to school?
1. NSW
2. VIC
3. QLD
4. SA
5. WA
6. TAS
7. NT
8. ACT

PRE A13 IF A12=8 (ACT), OR STATE OF RESIDENCE IS ACT AND A11=1
ASK A13, ELSE GO TO A14

A13 (Are/were) you studying ACT or New South Wales subjects?
1. ACT
2. NSW

A14 During 2011, as part of your senior secondary certificate, are you doing or have you done, any VET (Vocational Education and Training) subjects at school, TAFE or another training organisation?
1. Yes
2. No GO TO PRE A22

A15 (Do/Did) you study these VET subjects.... (READ OUT) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)
a. at school
b. at TAFE
c. at Adult Community Education (ACE), or
d. at another training organisation
A16 (Are/Were) these VET subjects part of an apprenticeship or a traineeship?
1. Apprenticeship
2. Traineeship
3. Neither

A17 And (do/did) your VET subjects involve any time spent learning in a work environment?
1. Yes
2. No
3. Neither

A18 Over the whole of 2011, how many days in total (did/will) you spend learning in this work environment as part of your VET subjects?

IF NUMBER OF DAYS UNKNOWN – ASK FOR NUMBER OF HOURS
1. Can provide number of days
2. Can provide number of hours
3. Don’t know

RECORD NUMBER _______________

A19 (Did/Will) you receive a certificate of attainment for any of this VET study?
1. Yes
2. No
3. Don’t know

PREA20 IF LEFT SCHOOL (A1=2), GO TO A21
ELSE CONTINUE

A20 Have you actually done any of this workplace learning yet?
1. Yes
2. No

A21 On a scale from zero to ten, where zero means nothing and ten means a great deal, how much would you say that workplace experience has taught you about ...

(READ EACH STATEMENT IN TURN)

a. what work is really like
b. getting along with other people
c. following instructions
d. thinking for yourself
e. being confident
f. the kind of skills needed for that job
g. working conditions generally
h. the career you would like after school

0 ____________________________________________________________ 10
Nothing A great deal
PRE A22 IF A9= 3 - 5, AND NOT DOING IB (FROM A10), CONTINUE ELSE GO TO PRE A25

A22 Now I would like to ask about the subjects you (are currently doing at school/were doing at the time you left school).

IF A15=1, ADD, please think about all subjects including the VET subjects you just mentioned.

(a) (Are/Were) you doing any English subjects?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(b) (Are/Were) you studying any Languages Other than English?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(c) (Are/Were) you doing any Mathematics subjects?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(d) (Are/Were) you doing any Science subjects?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(e) (Are/Were) you doing any Business subjects?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(f) (Are/Were) you doing any Humanities or Social Science subjects, including History, Geography or Religious studies?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(g) (Are/Were) you doing any Creative or Performing Arts subjects?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(h) (Are/Were) you doing any Health or Physical Education subjects?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(i) (Are/Were) you doing any Computing subjects?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(j) (Are/Were) you doing any Home Economics subjects?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
(k) (Are/Were) you doing any Technology subjects or Technical Studies?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN

DISPLAY ALL SUBJECTS MENTIONED SO FAR

A23 (Are/Were) there any other subjects which you (are/were) doing at school?
   If yes, ask which subjects?
   CODE FROM LIST ON SCREEN
A24 Of the subjects you've just told me about, which if any, are TAFE or Vocational Education and Training (VET) subjects?
   a. Subject 1
   b. Subject 2
   c. Subject 3
   d. Subject 4 …etc.
   e. None of the above

A25a In addition to your (IB) school subjects, are/were you also doing any study for a qualification that is/was not directly related to your schooling, but may be directly relevant to your future career?

A25b In addition to the school subjects you have told me about, are/were you also doing any study for a qualification that is/was not directly related to your schooling, but may be directly relevant to your future career?

IF NECESSARY: This may be at TAFE, University or other educational institution
   1. Yes
   2. No GO TO PRE A27

A26 What type of course are/were you doing?
   1. Certificate 1
   2. Certificate 2
   3. Certificate 3
   4. Certificate 4
   5. Certificate (Don’t know level)
   6. VET/TAFE Diploma
   7. VET/TAFE Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
   8. A university Diploma
   9. A university Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
   10. Other (SPECIFY______________)

A27 Do you plan to go on to Year 12?
   1. Yes
   2. No
   3. Don’t know
A28 What do you plan to do in the year IMMEDIATELY after you leave school? - for example, get an apprenticeship or traineeship, go to TAFE or university, get a job, or what?

1. Go to University  
2. An apprenticeship  
3. A traineeship  
4. Go to a TAFE college  
5. Do some other course or training elsewhere  
6. Work at a job  
7. Take a GAP year  
8. Have time off (unspecified - incl. Travel)  
9. Other (SPECIFY___________)  
10. Don’t Know

A29 And what are your plans for after (your gap year / your time off / that)?

1. Go to University  
2. An apprenticeship  
3. A traineeship  
4. Go to a TAFE college  
5. Do some other course or training elsewhere  
6. Work at a job  
7. Other (SPECIFY___________)  
8. Don’t Know

A30 Do you plan to do any study or training at any time after leaving school?

1. Yes  
2. Yes - already doing study/training  
3. No  
4. Don’t Know

A31 How long after leaving school, do you plan to start this study?

1. 6 months or less  
2. 7-12 months  
3. A year  
4. 1-2 years  
5. More than two years (SPECIFY___________)  
6. Don’t Know

A32 What kind of study or training do you plan to do - for example, get an apprenticeship or traineeship, go to TAFE or university, or what??

1. Go to University  
2. Get an apprenticeship  
3. Get a traineeship  
4. Go to a TAFE college  
5. Do some other course or training elsewhere (SPECIFY___________)  
6. Don’t Know

A33 (Do/Did) you or your parents get Youth Allowance, or Abstudy for your study at school?

1. Yes  
2. No  
3. Don’t know

A34 How much per fortnight (is/was) that payment?

RECORD AMOUNT $_______  
Don’t know 999
A35 Would you have gone to school in 2011 if you hadn’t got Youth Allowance or Abstudy?
1. Yes
2. No
3. Don’t know

PRE A36 IF LEFT SCHOOL (A1=2 ), GO TO PRE B1 ELSE CONTINUE

A36 Now some questions about careers advice. Since your last interview on (DATE OF LAST INT.) has anyone helped you to .... (READ OUT)

a. develop a formal plan about your future study and work? Yes No
b. make a decision about what you want to do? Yes No
c. make a decision on which subjects or courses would help you? Yes No
d. prepare to apply for a job? Yes No
e. prepare an application for post-school study? Yes No

PREA37 IF EACH ‘YES’ TO A36, ASK A37 BEFORE CONTINUING ELSE GO TO A38

A37 Did this happen at school?
1. Yes
2. No
3. Don’t know

A38 Have you done any of the following to find out about what you will do after you leave school?

a. Talked to a career advisor about your career plans Yes No
b. Talked to a teacher individually about your career plans Yes No
c. Listened or talked to someone working in a job you might like Yes No
d. Attended an organised visit to a workplace Yes No
e. Attended a careers information session at a university or by someone from a university Yes No
f. Attended a careers information session at a TAFE or by someone from a TAFE Yes No
g. Attended a careers expo or fair Yes No
h. Used an internet site or a computer program to learn about careers Yes No
i. Talked to your parents or other family members about future careers or types of work Yes No
j. Talked to friends or other students about careers Yes No

PREA39 IF MORE THAN ONE ‘YES’ TO A38, ASK A39 ELSE GO TO A40

A39 Of each of the things you’ve mentioned, which source of career information and advice was the most useful to you? (SINGLE RESPONSE)

LIST ALL ACTITIES REPORTED IN A38

PRE A40 IF A38 (e) = NO AND IF A38 (f) = NO, THEN DO NOT DISPLAY A40 (d)
A40  On a scale from zero to ten where zero means “no influence’ and ten means ‘very strong influence’; how much do each of the following influence your thinking about what you would like to do in the future: –  (NOT APPLICABLE ALSO ALLOWED)

a. Your family  
b. Your friends  
c. Your school teachers  
d. People from university or TAFE that visited your school  
e. And when you think about your future, how much does the media influence you  
f. The career advisor or counsellor at school  
g. Your job (if you have one)  
h. Work experience, or a work placement, you participated in at school  
i. How much has information from employers influenced your thinking  
j. Someone else from a sporting club, community or volunteer organisation or youth group  

No influence                              Very strong influence

0 ___________________________________________________________________________ 10

A41  Do you feel well prepared (informed) to plan for what you will do after you finish secondary school?

1. Yes  GO TO PRE B1
2. No
3. Don’t know

A42  Which, if any, of the following would you find useful in order to be better prepared? (READ OUT)  (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)

a. More information on which subjects to study at school  Yes  No
b. Work experience or ‘on the job’ training  Yes  No
c. Information or tools to assess career options  Yes  No
d. More information about future study options  Yes  No
e. More support from parents, family, friends or mentors  Yes  No
f. Something else (SPECIFY________________________)  

IF A1=1 (STILL AT SCHOOL), GO TO PRE D1
SECTION B: TRANSITION FROM SCHOOL
THIS SECTION IS ANSWERED BY ALL WHO LEFT SCHOOL IN 2010 (A2 is 2010)
IF A1=1 (STILL AT SCHOOL), GO TO PRE D1
IF LEFT SCHOOL IN 2011 (A2=11) GO TO PRE CA1

B1 What year-level were you in when you left school?
1. Year 13
2. Year 12
3. Year 11
4. Year 10
5. Year 9 or below

B2 Before leaving school, did you feel well prepared (informed) to make decisions about your future study or work options?
1. Yes – Very well prepared
2. Yes – somewhat well prepared
3. No – Not well prepared

B3 Since your last interview, have you received any advice on study or training at… (READ OUT) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)
   a. University Yes No
   b. TAFE Yes No
   c. Other educational organisation Yes No
   d. NONE OF THESE GO TO PRE B5

NOTE: IF MORE THAN ONE RESPONSE AT B3 (a, b or c) ASK ABOUT EACH AT B4a

B4 When you received the advice on study or training at (RESPONSE FROM B3) Was this….
   a. An on-campus visit such as a day at (university/TAFE/an educational organisation)? Yes No
   b. A mentoring program from current students? Yes No
   c. A summer school or other short course from a further education institution? Yes No
   d. Information on Youth Allowance? Yes No

PRE B5 IF LEFT IN YEAR 12 or 13 (B1=1 or 2) – GO TO B8, ELSE CONTINUE
B5    I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might decide to leave school before year 12. For each one please tell me whether it was a reason you decided to leave school before year 12.

PROGRAMMER NOTE: IF YES TO PART a, DO NOT ASK PART b.

a. You had a job, apprenticeship or traineeship to go to - was that a reason? Yes No
b. You wanted to get a job, apprenticeship or traineeship Yes No
c. You were not doing very well at school Yes No
d. You wanted to do study or training that wasn’t available at school - was that reason? Yes No
e. You didn’t like school Yes No
f. Financially, it was hard to stay at school Yes No
g. Your teachers thought you should leave – was that a reason? Yes No
h. You wanted to earn your own money Yes No
i. Your parents wanted you to leave Yes No
j. Having Year 12 wouldn’t help you get a job Yes No
k. You didn’t need Year 12 to go on to further study or training - was that a reason? Yes No

B6    What was your main reason for you deciding to leave before Year 12?

1. Had a job, apprenticeship or traineeship to go to
2. Wanted to get a job, apprenticeship or traineeship
3. Not doing very well at school
4. Wanted to do study or training that isn’t available at school
5. Didn’t like school
6. Financially, it was hard to stay at school
7. Teachers thought you should leave
8. Wanted to earn your own money
9. Parents wanted you to leave
10. Having year 12 wouldn’t help you get a job
11. Didn’t need year 12 to go on to further study or training
12. Other reason (SPECIFY_______________________)

B7    On a scale from zero to ten where zero means very unhappy and ten means very happy, how do you feel now about having left school before year 12?

Very unhappy 10

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B8    Since leaving school have you been mainly studying full time, working, looking for work or doing something else?

1. Studying full time
2. Working GO TO B10
3. Looking for work GO TO B10
4. Something else GO TO B10

B9    Are you still doing full time study?

1. Yes GO TO PRE B17
2. No GO TO B11
3. No – I’m now doing part time study GO TO B11

B10   Since leaving school, have you had a FULL TIME job?

IF NECESSARY ADD: That is, 35 hours per week or more

1. Yes GO TO B12
2. No GO TO PRE B17
B11 Since you stopped full time study, have you had a FULL TIME job?
IF NECESSARY ADD: That is, 35 hours per week or more
1. Yes
2. No GO TO PRE B17

B12 After you (left school/stopped full time study) how long did it take you to find a FULL TIME job?
TAKE CARE WITH CODING
1. Straight away/already had one/less than one month
2. One month
3. Two months
4. Three months
5. Four months
6. Five months
7. Six months
8. Seven months to less than one year
9. One year or more

B13 Do you still have that job?
1. Yes GO TO PRE B17
2. No

B14 What kind of work did you do in that job?
(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND MAIN DUTIES ACTUALLY PERFORMED)

B15 What was your employer’s main kind of business?
(PROBE FOR SPECIFIC BUSINESS ACTIVITY)

B16 What was the main reason you left that job?
1. Was only a school holiday job/student vacation job
2. Was (other) temporary or seasonal job
3. Got laid off/sacked/retrenched
4. Not satisfied with job
   (eg. hours of work/pay/other working conditions/boss or other workers)
5. Went to live somewhere else
6. Reasons to do with study
7. To get another job/better job (e.g. more money/better working conditions)
8. Other (SPECIFY)

PRE B17 IF LEFT SCHOOL IN YR 11 OR BELOW (2010 A7=1-3 OR B1=2-4),
GO TO PRE C1
ELSE CONTINUE
B17  (You said earlier /Our records show) you went to school in **STATE/TERRITORY OF SCHOOL FROM (A11 OR A12/LAST YEAR’S DATA)**

IF ACT    Ask B17a
IF NSW    Ask B17b
IF VIC    Ask B17c
IF QLD    Ask B17d
IF SA     Ask B17e
IF WA     Ask B17f
IF TAS    Ask B17g
IF NT     Ask B17h

IF IB STUDENT, INCLUDE ‘or the IB’ AT THE END OF THE STATEMENT BELOW.

B17a  Have you been awarded the ACT Year 12 Certificate or the NSW higher School Certificate (HSC)?
B17b  Have you been awarded a Higher School Certificate?
B17c  Did you successfully complete the Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE) or the Victorian Certificate of Applied Learning (VCAL)?
B17d  Did you receive a Senior Certificate?
B17e  Have you been awarded the South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE)?
B17f  Have you been awarded the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE)?
B17g  Have you been awarded the Tasmanian Certificate of Education (TCE)?
B17h  Have you been awarded the Northern Territory Certificate of Education (NTCE)?

1. Yes – ACT Year 12/ IB
2. Yes – NSW HSC/ IB
3. Yes – VCE/ VCAL/ IB
4. Yes – Senior Certificate/ IB
5. Yes – SACE/ IB
6. Yes – WACE/ IB
7. Yes – TCE/ IB
8. Yes – NTCE/ IB
9. No – Not awarded appropriate certificate
10. Don’t Know

B18  As a result of your Year 12 studies did you receive any other certificate?

1. Yes
2. No  GO TO PRE B20

B19  What was this certificate called? (**ALLOW UP TO TWO RESPONSES**)  

a. TAFE or School VET Certificate eg. Certificate 1, 2 or 3  
b. Secondary College Record  
c. Employment Course Certificate  
d. A certificate of completion awarded by the school  
e. Statement of Attainment of VET subjects completed (Australian Qualification Framework)  
f. Certificate of Post-Compulsory School Education  
g. Academic achievement award  
h. Sporting achievement award  
i. Dux of class/year/school  
j. Other (SPECIFY__________)  
k. Don’t know/Can’t say

PRE B20  IF B17=9 GO TO PRE CA1
B20 Did you obtain an (CHECK STATE/TERRITORY IN B17)

IF QLD - B20a
ELSE - B20b

B20a OP (Overall Position)
B20b ATAR (Australian Tertiary Admission Rank)

1. Yes- OP (Overall Position)
2. Yes- ATAR (Australian Tertiary Admission Rank)
3. No- Not awarded score or position GO TO PRE CA1
4. Don’t Know GO TO PRE CA1

B21 What was your result? (Qld 1-25) (Elsewhere 1-99.99)

Record Numeric Response (Qld 1-25) (Elsewhere 1-99.99)
Don’t Know DK
Refused R

NOW GO TO PRE CA1
SECTION C : POST-SCHOOL STUDY

2011 DEFINITION OF <YR 12.
If the respondent left school in Yrs 9-11 (A9=1-3 OR B1=3-5),
OR sample says <Yr 12,
OR left in Yr 12 (A9=4-5) but before September (A2 month=1-8).

2011 DEFINITION OF YR 12 COMPLETER.
If the respondent left school in Yr 12 (A9=4-5) in September or later
or don't know month (A2 month=9-12,88)
OR if respondent left in Year 13 (A9=5)
OR sample says Yr 12.

PRE CA1 IF UNIVERSITY/TAFE STUDY AT LAST INTV
2010 CA4=2-14 AND CA27=1 OR
2010 CC6=1-13 AND CC16=1 OR
2010 C85=2-14 GO TO CA1

IF APPRENTICE/TRAINEE AT LAST INTV
2010 CD7=1
2010 C82=1,2 GO TO CA3

IF DEFERRED UNI/TAFE STUDY AT LAST INTV
2010 CA30=3 AND C82=4 OR
2010 CC25=3 AND C82=4 GO TO CA4

IF ALREADY STUDYING (A30=2 OR B9=1) GO TO CA8
ELSE GO TO CA7

CA1 At your last interview on (DATE OF LAST INTV.) we recorded that you were doing
(QUAL FROM SAMPLE) studies, was that correct?
1. Yes
2. No GO TO CA7

CA2 Are you still doing (QUAL FROM SAMPLE) studies or have you stopped them?
1. Still doing GO TO CA48
2. Finished/stopped GO TO CA36

CA3 At your last interview on (DATE OF LAST INTV.) we recorded that you were doing an
apprenticeship or traineeship, was that correct?
1. Yes GO TO CD7a
2. No GO TO CA7

CA4 At your last interview on (DATE OF LAST INTV.) we recorded that you had deferred
from (QUAL FROM SAMPLE) studies, was that correct?
1. Yes
2. No GO TO CA7

CA5 Did you ever resume those studies?
1. Yes
2. No GO TO CA7
CA6 Are you still doing *(QUAL FROM SAMPLE)* studies or have you stopped them?
1. Still doing  GO TO CA49
2. Finished/stopped  GO TO CA36

CA7 Since your last interview on *(DATE OF LAST INTERVIEW)* have you started an apprenticeship a traineeship or any other full or part time study or training at University, TAFE or other educational institution?

INTERVIEWER NOTE – DO NOT INCLUDE JOB TRAINING
1. Yes  GO TO CA8
2. No

PRE CA8 IF <YR 12, GO TO PRE C105
IF YR 12, GO TO PRE CA19

CA8 What was the first study or training you started after *(DATE OF LAST INTERVIEW)* was it *(READ OUT)*
1. An apprenticeship,  GO TO PRE CA19
2. A traineeship,  GO TO PRE CA19
3. Full time study, or
4. Part time study

CA9 When did you start this study?

09-11

Month  Year

CA10 When you started this course, what type of qualification were you working towards - for example, a degree, a diploma, a certificate, or some other qualification? (IF CERTIFICATE: PROBE "What level certificate (is/was) that?")
1. Year 12 – but not at secondary school
2. Certificate 1  GO TO CA14
3. Certificate 2  GO TO CA14
4. Certificate 3  GO TO CA14
5. Certificate 4  GO TO CA14
6. Certificate (Don’t know level)  GO TO CA14
7. VET/TAFE Diploma  GO TO CA14
8. VET/TAFE Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree  GO TO CA14
9. A university Diploma  GO TO CA14
10. A university Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree  GO TO CA14
11. Bachelor Degree (may include honours)  GO TO CA14
12. VET/TAFE Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate  GO TO CA14
13. University Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate  GO TO CA14
14. Postgraduate Degree (includes Doctoral Degree/Masters Degree)  GO TO CA14
15. Short course or recreational course (eg Two week computing course, etc)
16. Something else (SPECIFY___________)
17. Single module only
18. None
19. Don’t know

CA11 Are you still doing it?
1. Yes  GO TO PRE CA12
2. No  GO TO CA12
PRE CA12  IF <YR 12 & CA10=1  GO TO C93
IF <YR 12 & CA10 IS NOT 1  GO TO PRE C105
ELSE GO TO PRE CA19

CA12 Which month and year did you stop doing it?

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CA13 Did you mainly study for this qualification full time or part time?

1. Full time
2. Part time
3. Equally full time and part time

PRE CA14  IF <YR 12,  GO TO C81
ELSE GO TO PRE CA19

CA14 What was the full name of the qualification you started?
(RECORD FULL NAME eg. Certificate VI in Journalism, Diploma in Automotive Engineering)

QUAL1 _______________________________

CA15 What was your main area of study when you started this course?

_________________________________________________________________

CA16 What was the name of the institution where you first started this CA14 - QUAL1?
(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST1 ___________________________________________________________

CA17 Which campus was that?

(IF CAMPUS PROVIDED RECORD VERBATIM. IF 100% OF STUDY IS ONLINE, RECORD ONLINE)

1. Specify Campus __________
2. 100% online

CA18 When you first applied to study, was a CA14 - QUAL1 at CA16 - INST1 your first preference?

1. Yes
2. No
PRE CA19  IF <YR12, GO TO PRE CA35
IF CA10 = (9-11, 13, 14) AND CA18 = 1, GO TO CA35
IF CA10 = (9-11, 13, 14) AND CA18 = 2, GO TO CA21
IF 2010 CA13 =1,2, GO TO PRE CA35
ELSE CONTINUE

CA19  Have you ever applied for a place at university?
1. Yes  GO TO CA21
2. No

CA20  Do you intend to apply for a place at university within the next two years?
1. Yes  GO TO CA26
2. No

PRE CA21  IF CA10=1 & CA11=1, GO TO C93
IF CA10 IS NOT 1 AND CA11=1, GO TO C104
IF CA11 = 2, GO TO C80
IF CA7 = 2, GO TO C104
IF CA8 = 1/2, GO TO CD1
ELSE GO TO CA35

CA21  What was the name of the course that you listed as your first preference on your university application?
__________________________________________________________

CA22  What was the name of the INSTITUTION that you listed as your first preference?
__________________________________________________________

CA23  Were you offered a place in CA21 at CA22?
1. Yes  GO TO PRE CA28x
2. No

CA24  Did you accept that offer and defer your place, or did you decline the offer and not take up the place?
1. Accepted and deferred  GO TO CA26
2. Declined offer

CA25  Do you intend to reapply for university in the next two years?
1. Yes
2. No

CA26  Why did you decide to (not attend university this year/decline that offer)?
(PROBE FULLY) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)
a. Taking a break, holiday or travelling
b. Would have required leaving home and not ready
c. Need to qualify for independent Youth Allowance
d. Reconsidering my options or changed my mind
e. Did not want to take on debt to pay for course costs
f. Couldn’t afford living costs or upfront tuition costs
g. Prefer to work at this point in life
h. Prefer to study at TAFE
i. Other (SPECIFY) ______________________)
PRE CA27 IF >1 REASON IN CA26, CONTINUE. ELSE GO TO PRE CA28

CA27 Which of those reasons would you say was the most important factor in your decision?

1. Taking a break, holiday or travelling
2. Would have required leaving home and not ready
3. Need to qualify for independent Youth Allowance
4. Reconsidering my options or changed my mind
5. Did not want to take on debt to pay for course costs
6. Couldn’t afford living costs or upfront tuition costs
7. Prefer to work at this point in life
8. Prefer to study at TAFE
9. Other (SPECIFY) ______________________

PRE CA28 IF CA10=1 & CA11=1, GO TO C93
IF CA10 IS NOT 1 AND CA11=1, GO TO C105
IF CA11 = 2, GO TO C81
IF CA7 = 2, GO TO C105
IF CA8 = 1/2, GO TO CD1
IF CA8 = 3/4, GO TO CA35

PRE CA28x IF CA10 = (9-11, 13, 14) GO TO CA35
ELSE CONTINUE

CA28 Were you offered a place in any university course?

1. Yes
2. No GO TO PRE CA35

CA29 What was the name of the course that was offered?
___________________________________________________________

CA30 What was the name of the INSTITUTION that offered that course?
___________________________________________________________

CA31 Did you accept that offer and defer your place, or did you decline the offer and not take up the place?

1. Accepted and deferred GO TO CA33
2. Declined offer

CA32 Do you intend to reapply for university in the next two years?

1. Yes
2. No

CA33 Why did you decide to (not attend university this year/decline that offer)?
(PROBE FULLY) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)
a. Taking a break, holiday or travelling
b. Would have required leaving home and not ready
c. Need to qualify for independent Youth Allowance
d. Reconsidering my options or changed my mind
e. Did not want to take on debt to pay for course costs
f. Couldn’t afford living costs or upfront tuition costs
g. Prefer to work at this point in life
h. Prefer to study at TAFE
i. Other (SPECIFY) ______________________
PRE CA34 IF >1 REASON IN CA33, CONTINUE. ELSE GO TO PRE CA35

CA34 And which of those reasons would you say was the most important factor in your decision?
1. Taking a break, holiday or travelling
2. Would have required leaving home and not ready
3. Need to qualify for independent Youth Allowance
4. Reconsidering my options or changed my mind
5. Did not want to take on debt to pay for course costs
6. Couldn’t afford living costs or upfront tuition costs
7. Prefer to work at this point in life
8. Prefer to study at TAFE
9. Other (SPECIFY) ______________________

PRE CA35 IF CA10=1 & CA11=1, GO TO C93
IF CA10 IS NOT 1 AND CA11=1, GO TO PRE C105
IF CA11 = 2, GO TO C81
IF CA7 = 2, GO TO PRE C105
IF CA8 = 1 OR 2, GO TO CD1
ELSE GO TO CA35

CA35 Are you still doing that CA14 - QUAL1?
1. Yes GO TO CB1
2. No

CA36 Which month and year did you stop doing the (CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE)?

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IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

CA37 Did you mainly study for this qualification full time or part time?
1. Full time
2. Part time
3. Equally full time and part time

CA38 Did you complete it, withdraw from it, defer your studies or change to a different course?
1. Completed
2. Withdrew (INCL. DROPPED OUT, FAILED) GO TO CA41
3. Deferred GO TO CA41
4. Changed to another course GO TO CC1

CA39 What was your main area of study when you completed this course?

__________________________________________________________
CA40 On a scale from zero to ten where zero means strongly disagree and ten means strongly agree, how much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements about your (CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE)?

- a. The study or training developed my problem solving skills
- b. The study or training sharpened my analytic skills
- c. It helped me develop my ability to work as a team member
- d. As a result of the study or training, I feel confident about tackling unfamiliar problems
- e. It improved my skills in communication
- f. It helped me to develop the ability to plan my own work
- g. Overall I was satisfied with the quality of the study or training
- h. It has improved my career prospects
- i. It helped me make contacts I could use in the future to help me get work

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NOW GO TO CA43

CA41 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might defer or withdraw from a course of study. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision.

- a. You had problems juggling study and work commitments Yes No
- b. You wanted to get a job, apprenticeship or traineeship Yes No
- c. Financially you couldn't afford to continue Yes No
- d. You just lost interest Yes No
- e. You never really wanted to study Yes No
- f. The course turned out to be not what you wanted Yes No
- g. It wouldn't have led to a good job or career Yes No
- h. You had been getting poor results Yes No
- i. The study load was too heavy Yes No
- j. You never really intended to complete the course Yes No
- k. Because of problems with access or transport Yes No
- l. Because of health or personal reasons Yes No

CA42 And what was your main reason for deferring/withdrawing?

1. You had problems juggling study and work commitments
2. You wanted to get a job, apprenticeship or traineeship
3. Financially you couldn't afford to continue
4. You just lost interest
5. You never really wanted to study
6. The course turned out to be not what you wanted
7. It wouldn't have led to a good job or career
8. You had been getting poor results
9. The study load was too heavy
10. You never really intended to complete the course
11. Because of problems with access or transport
12. Because of health or personal reasons
13. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

CA43 While you were doing that (CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE), did you study at the same institution the whole time?

1. Yes GO TO C81
2. No

CA44 What institution were you studying at when you (finished/stopped doing) that course? (PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST2 _____________________________________________
CA45  Which campus was that?

(IF CAMPUS PROVIDED RECORD VERBATIM. IF 100% OF STUDY IS ONLINE, RECORD ONLINE)

1. Specify Campus ___________
2. 100% online

CA46  I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to make the change.

a. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice  Yes  No
b. The place you went to provides better quality education  Yes  No
c. You had been getting poor results  Yes  No
d. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted  Yes  No
e. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution  Yes  No
f. Because of easier access or better transport  Yes  No
g. Because of health or personal reasons  Yes  No

CA47  And what was your main reason for changing from CA16 – INST 1 to CA44 – INST 2?

1. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

NOW GO TO C81

CA48  Is it the same course as the one you were doing last year?

1. Yes  GO TO CA50
2. No  GO TO CA50

CA49  Is it the same course as the one you were doing when you deferred?

1. Yes
2. No

CA50  Are you currently studying mainly full time or part time?

1. Full time
2. Part time
3. Equally full time and part time

PRE CA51  IF CA48 OR CA49 = 1, GO TO CA61
ELSE CONTINUE

CA51  What is the name of the course you are doing now?
(RECORD FULL NAME eg. Certificate VI in Journalism, Diploma in Automotive Engineering)

QUAL ______________________________________________ _

CA52  What is your main area of study in this course?
CA53  I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one course to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to change course?

a. Course costs were too high in the first course  Yes  No
b. The first course was a pre-requisite for the second  Yes  No
c. You didn’t like the first course  Yes  No
d. The first course turned out to be not what you wanted  Yes  No
e. There were better career prospects from the second course  Yes  No
f. You had been getting poor results  Yes  No
g. The study load was too heavy  Yes  No
h. You would really have preferred to do the second course  Yes  No
i. Because of health or personal reasons  Yes  No

CA54  And what was your main reason for making the change?

1. Course costs were too high in the first course
2. The first course was a pre-requisite for the second
3. You didn’t like the first course
4. The first course turned out to be not what you wanted
5. There were better career prospects from the second course
6. You had been getting poor results
7. The study load was too heavy
8. You would really have preferred to do the second course
9. Because of health or personal reasons
10. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

CA55  When you changed course did you also change institution?

1. Yes
2. No  GO TO CA60

CA56  Where did you move to?
(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST  _____________________________________________________

CA57  Which campus was that?

(IF CAMPUS PROVIDED RECORD VERBATIM.
IF 100% OF STUDY IS ONLINE, RECORD ONLINE)

1. Specify Campus ___________
2. 100% online

CA58  I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to move to INST in CA56?

a. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice  Yes  No
b. The place you went to provides better quality education  Yes  No
c. You had been getting poor results  Yes  No
d. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted  Yes  No
e. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution  Yes  No
f. Because of easier access or better transport  Yes  No
g. Because of health or personal reasons  Yes  No
CA59 And what was your main reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

CA60 Which month and year did you change?

09 - 11

Month Year

NOW GO TO C93

CA61 Are you still studying at the same university or TAFE as (last year/when you deferred)?

1. Yes GO TO C93
2. No

CA62 Where are you studying now?

(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST _____________________________________________________

CA63 Which campus is that?

(If campus provided record verbatim. If 100% of study is online, record online)

1. Specify Campus ___________
2. 100% online

CA64 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision move to INST at CA62?

a. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice Yes No
b. The place you went to provides better quality education Yes No
c. You had been getting poor results Yes No
d. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted Yes No
e. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution Yes No
f. Because of easier access or better transport Yes No
g. Because of health or personal reasons Yes No

CA65 And what was your main reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)
NOW GO TO C93

CB1 Are you currently studying mainly full time or part time?
   1. Full time
   2. Part time
   3. Equally full time and part time

CB2 Have you studied at CA16 – INST1 for the whole time you’ve been doing this course?
   1. Yes  GO TO C93
   2. No

CB3 Where are you studying now?
   (PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST2_____________________________________________________

CB4 Which campus is that?

(IF CAMPUS PROVIDED RECORD VERBATIM.
IF 100% OF STUDY IS ONLINE, RECORD ONLINE)
   1. Specify Campus __________
   2. 100% online

CB5 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to make the change.

   a. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice  Yes  No
   b. The place you went to provides better quality education  Yes  No
   c. You had been getting poor results  Yes  No
   d. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted  Yes  No
   e. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution  Yes  No
   f. Because of easier access or better transport  Yes  No
   g. Because of health or personal reasons  Yes  No

CB6 And what was your main reason for changing from CA16 - INST1 to CB3 – INST2?
   1. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice.
   2. The place you went to provides better quality education
   3. You had been getting poor results
   4. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted
   5. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution
   6. Because of easier access or better transport
   7. Because of health or personal reasons
   8. Other (SPECIFY_________________________________

NOW GO TO C93

CC1 While you were doing your (CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE), were you studying at the same institution the whole time?
   1. Yes  GO TO CC6
   2. No

CC2 What other institution did you study your (CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE) at?
   (PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST2____________________________________________________
CC3 Which campus was that?

(IF CAMPUS PROVIDED RECORD VERBATIM.
IF 100% OF STUDY IS ONLINE, RECORD ONLINE)
1. Specify Campus ____________
2. 100% online

CC4 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to move to CC2 – INST2?

a. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice
b. The place you went to provides better quality education
c. You had been getting poor results
d. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted
e. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution
f. Because of easier access or better transport
g. Because of health or personal reasons

CC5 And what was your main reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice.
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

CC6 You said earlier you stopped doing the (CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE) because you changed courses. What type of qualification were you studying towards next? For example, a degree, a diploma, a certificate, or some other qualification? (IF CERTIFICATE: PROBE “What level certificate (is/was) that?”)

1. Certificate 1
2. Certificate 2
3. Certificate 3
4. Certificate 4
5. Certificate (Don’t know level)
6. VET/TAFE Diploma
7. VET/TAFE Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
8. A university Diploma
9. A university Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
10. Bachelor Degree (may include honours)
11. VET/TAFE Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate
12. University Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate
13. Postgraduate Degree (includes Doctoral Degree/Masters Degree)
14. Something else (SPECIFY___________)

CC7 What is the full name of the course you changed to?
(RECORD FULL NAME eg. Certificate VI in Journalism, Diploma in Automotive Engineering)

Qual2 ___________________________________________

CC8 What was your main area of study in this new course?
CC9 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one course to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to make the change from CA14 - QUAL1 to CC7 - QUAL2?

a. Course costs were too high in the first course
   Yes  No
b. The first course was a pre-requisite for the second
   Yes  No
c. You didn’t like the first course
   Yes  No
d. The first course turned out to be not what you wanted
   Yes  No
e. There were better career prospects
   from the second course
   Yes  No
f. You had been getting poor results
   Yes  No
g. The study load was too heavy
   Yes  No
h. You would really have preferred to do the second course
   Yes  No
i. Because of health or personal reasons
   Yes  No

CC10 And what was your main reason for changing from CA14 – QUAL1 to CC7 - QUAL2?

1. Course costs were too high in the first course
2. The first course was a pre-requisite for the second
3. You didn’t like the first course
4. The first course turned out to be not what you wanted
5. There were better career prospects
   from the second course
6. You had been getting poor results
7. The study load was too heavy
8. You would really have preferred to do the second course
9. Because of health or personal reasons
10. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

CC11 When you changed course did you also change institution?

1. Yes
2. No  GO TO CC16

CC12 Where did you move to?

(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST3 ________________________________

CC13 Which campus was that?

(IF CAMPUS PROVIDED RECORD VERBATIM.
IF 100% OF STUDY IS ONLINE, RECORD ONLINE)

1. Specify Campus __________
2. 100% online

CC14 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to move to INST3 in CC12?

a. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice
   Yes  No
b. The place you went to provides better quality education
   Yes  No
c. You had been getting poor results
   Yes  No
d. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly
   what you wanted
   Yes  No
e. The course you wanted wasn’t available
   at the first institution
   Yes  No
f. Because of easier access or better transport
   Yes  No
g. Because of health or personal reasons
   Yes  No
And what was your **main** reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

Are you still doing the **CC7 - QUAL2**?

1. Yes
2. No  GO TO CC23

Are you studying mainly full time or part time?

1. Full time
2. Part time
3. Equally full time and part time

Are you still studying at (most recent of: **CA16, CC2 or CC11**)?

1. Yes  GO TO C93
2. No

Where are you now?

(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

**INST4**

Which campus is that?

(IF CAMPUS PROVIDED RECORD VERBATIM.
IF 100% OF STUDY IS ONLINE, RECORD ONLINE)

1. Specify Campus ___________
2. 100% online

I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision move to **INST at CC19**?

a. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice.  Yes  No
b. The place you went to provides better quality education  Yes?  No
c. You had been getting poor results  Yes  No
d. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted  Yes  No
e. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution  Yes  No
f. Because of easier access or better transport  Yes  No
g. Because of health or personal reasons  Yes  No

And what was your **main** reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn’t your first choice.
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn’t exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn’t available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

NOW GO TO C93
CC23  Which month and year did you stop doing CC7 - QUAL2?

09-11

Month  Year

IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

CC24  Did you mainly study for this qualification full time or part time?

1. Full time
2. Part time
3. Equally full time and part time

CC25  Did you complete it, withdraw from it, defer your studies or change to a different course?

1. Completed
2. Withdrew (INCL. DROPPED OUT, FAILED)  GO TO C81
3. Deferred  GO TO C81
4. Changed to another course  GO TO C81

CC26  What was your MAIN area of study when you completed this course?

________________________________________________

NOW GO TO C81

CD1  Which month and year did you start this (apprenticeship/traineeship)?

09-11

Month  Year

IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

CD2  What level Certificate were you doing when you started? Was it a Certificate level 1, 2, 3 or 4, or something else?

1. Cert level 1
2. Cert level 2
3. Cert level 3
4. Cert level 4
5. Certificate (Don’t know level)
6. Diploma
7. Something else (SPECIFY______________________)

CD3  What kind of (apprenticeship/traineeship) was it - what was your main area of training?

________________________________________________

CD4  Were your classes, or off-the-job training, provided by a TAFE college?

1. Yes  GO TO CD6
2. No
3. Don’t know  GO TO CD6

CD5  Who did provide the classes or training then?

1. Employer/group employer
2. Business college or other non-TAFE training organisation
3. Other (SPECIFY______________________)
4. Don’t Know
CD6  When you started, were you employed by a Group Training Company, or by a particular employer?
   1. Group Training Company
   2. Particular Employer
   3. Don’t know

CD7  Are you still doing an (apprenticeship/traineeship)?
   1. Yes  GO TO CD8
   2. No  GO TO CD17

CD7a Are you still doing it?
   1. Yes
   2. No  GO TO CD17

CD8  Are you doing that (apprenticeship/traineeship) mainly on a full-time or part-time basis?
   1. Full time
   2. Part time

CD9  Are you still with the same (group training company/employer) (as when you started/as you were at the time of your last interview)?
   1. Yes  GO TO CD16
   2. No

CD10 Are you now employed by a group training company or by a particular employer?
   1. Group training company
   2. Particular employer
   3. Don’t know

CD11 Which month and year did you change employer?
   09-11
   
   Month  Year

CD12 Was it your choice to change employer, did you have to leave because the employer was going out of business, or were you laid off or forced to change for some other reason?
   1. Chose to change
   2. Going out of business  GO TO CD16
   3. Laid off/forced to change  GO TO CD16

CD13 I’m going to read out some reasons why people might change employer. For each one, please tell me whether or not it was a factor in your decision to make the change.
   a. Someone offered you a better job?  Yes  No
   b. You didn’t get on with your boss or other people at work?  Yes  No
   c. You weren’t happy with the on the job training?  Yes  No
   d. Because of problems with travelling or transport?  Yes  No
   e. Because of health or personal reasons?  Yes  No
CD14  What was the main reason you changed employer?
1. Someone offered you a better job
2. You didn’t get on with your boss or other people at work  GO TO CD16
3. You weren’t happy with the on the job training  GO TO CD16
4. Because of problems with travelling or transport  GO TO CD16
5. Because of health or personal reasons  GO TO CD16
6. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)  GO TO CD16

CD15  And what was the main way in which the next job was better?
1. Better pay
2. Better hours
3. Better career prospects
4. More interesting work
5. Not really better, just different
6. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

CD16  Which month and year do you expect to finish your (apprenticeship/traineeship)?

11 - 18

Month  Year

IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

NOW GO TO PRE C97

CD17  Which month and year did you stop doing your (apprenticeship/traineeship)?

09 - 11

Month  Year

IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

CD18  Did you finish it, withdraw from it, have you taken time out or have you stopped for some other reason?
1. Finished  GO TO CD22
2. Withdrew  GO TO CD20
3. Time out  GO TO CD20
4. Stopped for other reason (SPECIFY__________________)

CD19  Was it your choice to stop, did you have to stop because the employer was going out of business, or were you laid off or forced to stop for some other reason?
1. Chose to stop
2. Going out of business  GO TO CD22
3. Laid off/forced to stop  GO TO CD22
I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might stop doing their (apprenticeship/traineeship). For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision.

a. Someone offered you a better job? Yes No
b. The pay was too low? Yes No
c. You weren’t happy with the job prospects in that industry? Yes No
d. You basically didn’t like the type of work Yes No
e. You didn’t get on with your boss or other people at work? Yes No
f. You weren’t happy with the on-the-job training? Yes No
g. You weren’t happy with the off-the-job training? Yes No
h. You found the study too difficult? Yes No
i. Because of problems with travelling or transport? Yes No
j. Because of health or personal reasons? Yes No

And what was your main reason for stopping?
1. Someone offered you a better job
2. The pay was too low
3. You weren’t happy with the job prospects in that industry
4. You basically didn’t like the type of work
5. You didn’t get on with your boss or other people at work
6. You weren’t happy with the on-the-job training
7. You weren’t happy with the off-the-job training
8. You found the study too difficult
9. Because of problems with travelling or transport
10. Because of health or personal reasons
11. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

When you were doing your (apprenticeship/traineeship) were you with the same (group training company/employer) the whole time?

1. Yes GO TO C81
2. No

Did you move to a group training company or to a particular employer?

1. Group training company
2. Particular employer

Which month and year did you change employer?

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IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

Was it your choice to change employer, did you have to leave because the employer was going out of business, or were you laid off or forced to change for some other reason?

1. Chose to change
2. Going out of business GO TO C81
3. Laid off/forced to change GO TO C81

I’m going to read out some reasons why people might change employer. For each one, please tell me whether or not it was a factor in your decision to make the change.

a. Someone offered you a better job? Yes No
b. You didn’t get on with your boss or other people at work? Yes No
c. You weren’t happy with the on the job training? Yes No
d. Because of problems with travelling or transport? Yes No
e. Because of health or personal reasons? Yes No
CD27 What was the main reason you changed employer?
1. Someone offered you a better job
2. You didn’t get on with your boss or other people at work  GO TO C81
3. You weren’t happy with the on the job training  GO TO C81
4. Because of problems with travelling or transport  GO TO C81
5. Because of health or personal reasons  GO TO C81
6. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)  GO TO C81

CD28 And what was the main way in which the next job was better?
1. Better pay
2. Better hours
3. Better career prospects
4. More interesting work
5. Not really better, just different
6. Other (SPECIFY_______________________)

C81 Are you currently doing . . . (READ OUT)
1. An apprenticeship
2. A traineeship, or
3. Any other study or training at university, TAFE or other educational institution  GO TO C83
4. (None of these)  GO TO PRE C105

C82 Are you doing your (apprenticeship/traineeship) on a full-time or part-time basis?
1. Full time
2. Part time

NOW GO TO C84

C83 Is your study mainly full-time or part-time?
1. Full-time
2. Part-time
3. Equally full time and part time

C84 What type of qualification are you working towards, for example, a degree or diploma, a certificate or some other qualification?
(IF CERTIFICATE : PROBE “What level certificate is that?”)
1. Year 12 – but not at secondary school  GO TO C92
2. Certificate 1
3. Certificate 2
4. Certificate 3
5. Certificate 4
6. Certificate (Don’t know level)
7. VET/TAFE Diploma
8. VET/TAFE Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
9. A university Diploma
10. A university Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
11. Bachelor Degree (may include honours)
12. VET/TAFE Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate
13. University Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate
14. Postgraduate Degree  (includes Doctoral Degree/Masters Degree)
15. Short course or recreational course (eg Two week computing course, etc)
16. Something else (SPECIFY___________)
17. Single module only
18. None
19. Don’t know
PREC85   IF C81 = 1 OR 2 (APPRENTICESHIP/TRAINEESHIP), GO TO C87
ELSE CONTINUE

C85     What is the name of the institution where you are doing this study or training?
(RECORD FULL NAME OF THE INSTITUTION)

______________________________________________________________

C86     Which campus is that?

(IF CAMPUS PROVIDED RECORD VERBATIM.
IF 100% OF STUDY IS ONLINE, RECORD ONLINE)
1. Specify Campus __________
2. 100% online

C87     What is the full name of this qualification?
(RECORD FULL NAME eg Certificate IV in Journalism, Diploma in Automotive Engineering)

______________________________________________________________

C88     What is your main area of study or training in this (apprenticeship/ traineeship/course)?

______________________________________________________________

PRE C89  IF C81 = 3 (OTHER STUDY), GO TO C92
ELSE CONTINUE (APPRENTICES/TRAINEES)

C89     Are your classes, or off-the-job training, provided by a TAFE college?
1. Yes                         GO TO C91
2. No                          GO TO C91
3. Don't know                  GO TO C91

C90     Who does provide the classes or training then?
1. Employer/group employer
2. Business college
3. Other (SPECIFY____________)
4. Don't know

C91     Are you employed by a group training company, or by a particular employer?
1. Group training company
2. Particular employer
3. Don't know

C92     Which month and year did you start this (apprenticeship/traineeship/study)?

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IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88
C93 Which month and year do you expect to complete your current
(apprenticeship/traineeship/study)?

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Month Year

IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

PRE C94 IF ANY STUDY LAST YEAR FROM SAMPLE, GO TO C97
IF C84 = 1, OR CA10 = 1, GO TO C97
IF C84 = 15-19, GO TO PRE C105
IF APPRENTICE/TRAINEE – GO TO C97
ELSE CONTINUE

IF CA17=2, CA57=2, CA63=2, CB4=2, CC3=2, CC13=2, CC20=2, C86=2
(ONLINE ONLY) DO NOT ASK PART C IN C94

C94 The next questions are about your impressions of life as a student. On a scale from zero to ten where zero means strongly disagree and ten means strongly agree, how much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements.

ROTATE statements

a. you really like being a tertiary student
b. you think student life really suits you
c. you really like the atmosphere on campus
d. student life has lived up to your expectations
e. You’ve made close friends at your current educational institution

0 ___________________________________________________________________________ 10

Strongly disagree Strongly agree

C95 I will read out a list of difficulties which sometimes affect students in their first year of tertiary study. For each of them, please tell me whether it has been a problem for you in your first year. (READ OUT) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)

a. Paying fees or any other study costs
b. Juggling work and study commitments
c. You found the course more difficult than you expected
d. Conflict between family commitments and study
e. Caring for children or other family members
f. Balancing personal relationships with studies
g. Fitting in with other students and making new friends
h. Finding time for other commitments such as sporting, church or voluntary groups
i. Have you faced other difficulties during your first year of tertiary study?
   (SPECIFY ______________________)
j. None of the above

PRE C96 IF MORE THAN ONE CODE IN C95, LIST ALL CODES AND ASK C96
ELSE GO TO PRE C97
C96 Which of those would you say has been your main area of difficulty?
1. Paying fees or any other study costs
2. Juggling work and study commitments
3. You found the course more difficult than you expected
4. Conflict between family commitments and study
5. Caring for children or other family members
6. Balancing personal relationships with studies
7. Fitting in with other students and making new friends
8. Finding time for other commitments such as sporting, church or voluntary groups
9. Others – SPECIFY MAIN ‘OTHER’ IF MORE THAN ONE?
   (SPECIFY____________________)

PRE C97 IF C84 = 15-19, GO TO PRE C105
ELSE CONTINUE

C97 Are you presently receiving Youth Allowance, or Abstudy payments?
1. Yes
2. No GO TO PRE C100
3. Don’t know GO TO PRE C100

C98 Are you receiving it as a dependent or as an independent student?
1. Dependent
2. Independent
3. Don’t know

C99 How much per fortnight do you receive?
Record Dollar Amount $1 to 800
Don’t Know 999

PRE C100 IF (APPRENTICE/TRAINEE) GO TO PRE C105
ELSE CONTINUE

C100 What (other) sources of income do you have while you are studying?
(PROBE: ‘What others?’) (MULTIPLES ACCEPTED)
a. Paid work  Yes  No
b. My parents or family  Yes  No
c. Scholarship or cadetship  Yes  No
d. Other government allowances  Yes  No
e. Other (SPECIFY_____________)
f. (None/no other)

C101 Who pays for any course fees, excluding HECS-HELP or FEE-HELP loans?
INTERVIEWER NOTE: This does not include Text Books, Admin Fees etc.
(MULTIPLES ACCEPTED)
a. No fees
b. Myself
c. My parents or family
d. My employer
e. The government
f. Other (SPECIFY_____________)

NCVER
C102 Is your university place a commonwealth supported (formerly called a HECS place) or a full-fee paying place?
1. Commonwealth supported (HECS or HELP)
2. Full-fee paying
3. No fees – full scholarship

C103 How are you paying for your course? Is it …..(READ OUT)
1. HECS-HELP loan, which you will start to pay back when you earn a certain amount
2. Partial up-front payment and part HECS-HELP loan, or
3. Up-front payment

NOW GO TO PRE C105

C104 How are you paying for your course? Is it …..(READ OUT) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)
   a. FEE-HELP loan, which you will start to pay back when you earn a certain amount
   b. Up-front payment
   c. Payment scheme offered by the course provider
   d. Your employer is paying
   e. A scholarship

PRE C105 IF A36 IS ANSWERED, GO TO PRE D1 ELSE CONTINUE

C105 I’d now like you to think about any careers guidance or advice you may have received since your last interview
Since your last interview have you accessed any of the following types of career services? (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)
   a. Talked to a careers guidance officer
   b. Completed a questionnaire to find out your interests or abilities
   c. Been provided with information on how to apply for a job
   d. Received information about further study, such as graduate programs, other courses
   e. Used an on-line career website or career planning tool

PRE C106 IF ANY ‘YES’ TO C105, CONTINUE ELSE GO TO PRE C108

C106 Did you obtain this career service …..(READ OUT) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)
   a. through an educational institution (eg TAFE, university etc)?
   b. through a government agency such as Centrelink, Job Services Australia referral etc?
   c. through an employer program (eg information sessions or interviews)?
   d. from the internet?
   e. through a private provider you paid for yourself?, or
   f. from somewhere else (SPECIFY________________)?
C107 On a scale from zero to ten, where zero means not at all useful and ten means extremely useful, how useful was the information you received?

0  ___________________________________________________________________________ 10
Not at all useful                                                  Extremely useful
1. Not at all useful  Extremely useful

PRE C108 IF ‘NO’ TO ALL IN C105 ASK C108, ELSE GO TO PRE D1

C108 Which of the following is the main reason you didn’t access any careers services, was it because…..(READ OUT)

1. careers services were not needed?
2. you considered they were not useful or appropriate?
3. careers services were not available, or?
4. some other reason (SPECIFY______________)?
SECTION D: WORK

PRE D1  IF B13 =1, GO TO PRE D4
         IF CD7=1 OR CD7a=1 OR C81=1 OR 2, GO TO D4
         ELSE GO TO D1

D1    Do you currently work in a job, your own business or on a farm?
      1. Yes  GO TO PRE D3
      2. No  GO TO PRE D5
      3. Waiting to start job  GO TO PRE D5

D2    Do you have a job or business that you are away from because of holidays, sickness or any other reason?
      1. Yes  GO TO PRE D5
      2. No  GO TO PRE D5

PRE D3  IF LEFT SCHOOL (A1=2 OR A3=1,3), GO TO D4
         ELSE CONTINUE

D3    Is this a job that you do ONLY during school holidays?
      1. Yes  GO TO D4
      2. No  GO TO D4

PRE D4  IF B13 =1 (SCHOOL LEAVER WITH CURRENT JOB), INCLUDE PREAMBLE ...
         ‘You said earlier that you have a job.’

D4    Do you currently have more than one job?
      1. Yes  GO TO PRE D7
      2. No  GO TO PRE D7

PRE D5  IF SAMPLE SAYS “JOB LAST YEAR” GO TO D5
         IF SAMPLE SAYS “NO JOB LAST YEAR” GO TO PRE D50

D5    At your last interview, you told us you were working for (EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE). Which month and year did you finish that job?

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IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD:  88/88
Didn’t have a job at the last interview  87  GO TO PRE D50

D6    What was the main reason you left that job?
      1. Was only a school holiday job/student vacation job
      2. Was (other) temporary or seasonal job
      3. Got laid off/sacked/retrenched
      4. Not satisfied with job (eg. hours of work/pay/other working conditions/boss or other workers
      5. Went to live somewhere else
      6. Reasons to do with study
      7. To get another job/better job (e.g. more money/ better working conditions)
      8. Other (SPECIFY_________________)

GO TO PRE D50

PRE D7  IF SAMPLE SAYS “JOB LAST YEAR” GO TO D7
        IF SAMPLE SAYS “NO JOB LAST YEAR” GO TO PRE D11

D7    At your last interview, you told us you were working for (EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE). Do you still have that job?
      1. Yes  GO TO D13
      2. No   GO TO PRE D11
      3. Didn’t have a job at the last interview  GO TO PRE D11
      4. Yes – Same job but company name changed (SPECIFY________________________)  GO TO D13

D8    Which month and year did you finish that job?

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IF ‘Don’t know’ RECORD: 88/88

D9    What was the main reason you left that job?

      1. Was only a school holiday job/student vacation job  GO TO PRE D11
      2. Was (other) temporary or seasonal job  GO TO PRE D11
      3. Got laid off/sacked/retrenched  GO TO PRE D11
      4. Not satisfied with job (eg. hours of work/pay/other working conditions/boss or other workers)  GO TO PRE D11
      5. Went to live somewhere else  GO TO PRE D11
      6. Reasons to do with study  GO TO PRE D11
      7. To get another job/better job (e.g. more money/better working conditions)  GO TO D10
      8. Other (SPECIFY________________________)  GO TO PRE D11

D10   What was the main way in which the next job was better?

      1. Better pay
      2. Better hours
      3. Better career prospects
      4. More interesting work
      5. Not really better just different
      6. Other (SPECIFY________________________)

PRE D11 IF D4 = 1 GO TO D12
           IF D4 = 2 GO TO D11

D11   Altogether, how many hours do you usually work each week in your present job?

      IF HOURS VARY ASK: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?

      Record Numeric Response 1 to 100
      Don’t know 999

NOW GO TO D18
D12 I'd like to ask you about your main job, that is, the job in which you usually work the most hours. How many hours do you usually work each week in your main job?
   IF HOURS VARY, ASK: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?
   Record Numeric Response 1 to 100
   Don’t know 999

NOW GO TO D18

D13 In your job with (EMPLOYER FROM D7=4 OR SAMPLE), how many hours do you usually work each week?
   IF HOURS VARY ASK: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?
   Record Numeric Response 1 to 100
   Don’t know 999

D14 I have a few questions about how your job might have changed since (your last interview). Firstly, your pay - do you now earn more, less, or about the same per hour as you did at that time?
   1. More per hour
   2. Less per hour
   3. About the Same

D15 Compared to last year in this job, is the type of work you do more-skilled, less-skilled or is it about the same?
   1. More skilled
   2. Less skilled
   3. About the same

D16 Would you say you have more or less responsibility, or is it about the same?
   1. More responsibility
   2. Less responsibility
   3. About the same

D17 In your job with (EMPLOYER FROM D7=4 OR SAMPLE), have you had a promotion since (your last interview)?:
   1. Yes
   2. No
   3. Don’t Know

D18 Do you work for wages or salary, are you self-employed in your own business, or do you work in some other way?
   1. Wages/salary
   2. Self-employed
   3. Other way

   GO TO D23
   GO TO D24

D19 How often do you get paid?
   1. Weekly
   2. Fortnightly
   3. Monthly
   4. Other (SPECIFY_________)

IF D18=3 OR D19=4 - ASK FOR WEEKLY INCOME IN D20 AND D24
D20 How much is your usual gross (Weekly/Fortnightly/Monthly) pay from that job - that is, before
tax or anything else is taken out?
IF ONLY HOURLY RATE KNOWN – RECORD RATE
IF ONLY ANNUAL SALARY KNOWN – RECORD SALARY
1. Can provide requested pay
2. ONLY Annual rate available GO TO D22
3. ONLY Hourly rate available GO TO D21
4. Don’t Know GO TO D24

Record Numeric Response $1 to 10,000 GO TO D24

D21 How much per hour is your pay - before tax or anything else is taken out?
Record Numeric Response $1 to 200
Don’t Know 999

NOW GO TO D24

D22 How much per year is your pay - before tax or anything else is taken out?
Record Numeric Response $1 to 200,000
Don’t Know 999999

NOW GO TO D24

D23 On average, how much do you earn per week, before tax but after deducting business
expenses?
Record Numeric Response $1 to 10,000
Don’t Know 99999

NOW GO TO D26

D24 And how much is your usual (Weekly/Fortnightly/Monthly) take home pay from that job?
Record Numeric Response $1 to 10,000
Don’t Know 99999

D25 Does your job entitle you to any form of paid annual leave or sick leave, apart from public
holidays?
1. Yes
2. No
3. Don’t know

D26 Is the job you have now the type of job you would like as a career?
IF RESPONDENT UNSURE, ASK: Well, all things considered, would you say…..
1. Yes
2. No
3. CAN’T SAY/DON’T KNOW

PRE D27 IF NOT WAGE OR SALARY JOB (D18=2/3), GO TO PRE D29
IF SAME JOB AS LAST YEAR (D13 ANSWERED) GO TO PRE D28
IF FT STUDENT (A8=1 OR CB1=1 OR CC17=1 OR C83=1) GO TO PRE D27x.
ELSE GO TO PRE D28.
PRE D27x IF A21 ANSWERED, ASK D27x, ELSE GO TO D27

D27x Earlier you told me that you did workplace learning as part of your VET studies. Is this job the same one that you were referring to for your workplace learning?

1. Yes  GO TO PRE D28
2. No

D27 On a scale from zero to ten, where zero means nothing and ten means a great deal, how much would you say this job has taught you about ...

(READ EACH STATEMENT IN TURN)

a. what work is really like
b. getting along with other people
c. following instructions
d. thinking for yourself
e. being confident
f. working conditions generally
g. the career you would like after school

0   _______________________________________________ ____________________________10
Nothing    A great deal

PRE D28 IF STILL AT SCHOOL (A1=1 OR A3=2) GO TO PRE D34 ELSE CONTINUE

D28 I'd now like to ask how satisfied you are with different aspects of this job. On a scale from zero to ten where zero means very dissatisfied and ten means very satisfied, how satisfied are you with ....(READ OUT)

a. The kind of work you do?
b. Opportunities to use your skills and experience?
c. Your immediate boss or supervisor?
d. Other people you work with?
e. The pay you get?
f. Opportunities for training?
g. The tasks you are assigned?
h. Recognition you get for tasks well done?
i. Your opportunities for promotion?

0   ___________________________________________________________________________10
Very dissatisfied   Very satisfied

PRE D29 IF D4 = 1 AND SAMPLE SAYS “JOB LAST YEAR”
ASK D29 VERSION 1
ELSE ASK D29 VERSION 2

D29(1) What kind of work do you do in this job?

_______________________________________________________________

D29(2) In your (main) job what kind of work do you do?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)

_______________________________________________________________
D30 Who do you work for?

(RECORD BUSINESS NAME OF EMPLOYER
IF SELF EMPLOYED, RECORD BUSINESS NAME, IF ANY, OR NAME OF RESPONDENT)

D31 What is (EMPLOYER FROM D30) main kind of business?

(PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES
eg Sells clothes, Makes furniture, Fast food outlet)

D32 Which month and year did you begin working for (EMPLOYER FROM D30)?

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D33 How did you get this job, for example, through Centrelink, Job Services Australia, did you see an ad in the newspaper, or what?

1. Through Centrelink noticeboards or computers
2. Through Job Services Australia member (referral or computers)
3. Through another employment agency
4. Job was advertised (inc. newspaper / radio / TV / Internet)
5. Got it through a friend or relative
6. Employer approached me
7. Written / Phoned / Approached employer to ask if any jobs available
8. Checked workplace notices
9. Through school / college / university
10. Other (SPECIFY_____________)

D34 Now I’d like to ask about any job training you may have done since your last interview? This does not include formal study for apprenticeships or traineeships.

As part of your job with (EMPLOYER FROM D13/D30) have you attended any classroom based training or lectures at your workplace, since your last interview?

1. Yes
2. No

D35 Approximately how many hours have you spent at these training classes?

______________ hours
D36  As part of your job with **(EMPLOYER FROM D13/D30)** have you attended any training classes anywhere else?
   1. Yes
   2. No  
   GO TO D38

D37  Approximately how many hours have you spent at these other training classes?
   ___________ hours

D38  Apart from classes, have you received any kind of job training at all from other people at work?
   1. Yes
   2. No

PRE D39  IF TRAINING RECEIVED – D34=1 OR D36=1 OR D38=1, GO TO D39
ELSE GO TO PRE D45

D39  Sometimes job training can help with promotion or finding another job.
   Has your job training helped you to get a promotion, a pay rise or a more responsible job with **(EMPLOYER FROM D13/D30)**?
   1. Yes  
   2. No  
   GO TO D41

D40  Do you think it **could** help you later on to get a promotion, a pay rise or a more responsible job with **(EMPLOYER FROM D13/D30)**?
   1. Yes
   2. No
   3. Don’t know

D41  Could it help you get a more responsible kind of job, doing the same kind of work, with another employer?
   1. Yes
   2. No
   3. Don’t know

D42  Could it help you get a different kind of job with another employer?
   1. Yes
   2. No
   3. Don’t know

D43  On a zero to ten scale where zero means not at all and ten means a great extent, to what extent are you using the skills and knowledge gained from your job training?
   0   ___________________________________________________________________________10
   Not at all    A great extent

D44  In your job with **(EMPLOYER FROM D13/D30)**, do you think you’ve had **too much** job training, **too little**, or about the **right amount** for the work you do?
   1. Too much
   2. Too little
   3. About right
PRE D45  IF MORE THAN ONE JOB (D4=1) THEN GO TO D45  
    IF D11, D12 OR D13=LESS THAN 35 HOURS THEN GO TO D46  
    USING ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTION  
    ELSE GO TO D48

D45  You said earlier that you have more than one job. Altogether, how many hours each week do 
you usually work in ALL your jobs?  
    Record number of hours 1 to 100  
    Don’t know 999

PRE D46  IF D45<35HRS CONTINUE  
    ELSE GO TO D48

D46  (Earlier you said you work (D11/D13 HOURS) a week.) Would you prefer to work more 
hours, less hours or are you happy with the number of hours you work?  
    1. More hours  
    2. Less hours  
    3. Happy with current hours  
        GO TO D48

D47  How many hours per week would you prefer to work?  
    Record number of hours 1 to 100  
    Don’t know 999

D48  Are you looking for work at all at the moment - either an additional job or a new job?  
    1. Yes  
    2. No  
        GO TO PRE D50

D49  Are you looking for an additional job, or do you want to change jobs?  
    1. Additional job  
    2. Change jobs

PRE D50  IF SAMPLE WRONG (D5=87)  
    D50d  
    IF SAMPLE SAYS JOB LAST YEAR  
        BUT NO JOB NOW (D1=3 OR D2=2)-  
        D50a  
        IF JOB NOW BUT NOT JOB FROM LAST YEAR (D7=2)  
        D50b  
        IF SAMPLE WRONG (D7=3) AND JOB NOW (D4=1,2)  
        D50c  
        IF JOB NOW (D4=1,2) AND SAMPLE SAYS  
        NO JOB LAST YEAR  
        D50c  
        IF NOT CURRENTLY WORKING OR WAITING  
        TO START (D2=2 OR D1=3) AND  
        SAMPLE SAYS NO JOB LAST YEAR  
        -  
        D50d  
        IF STILL WORKING IN JOB FROM LAST YEAR (D7=1 OR 4)  
        -  
        D50e

D50a  Apart from the job you had at (EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE), how many other jobs, if any, 
have you had since your last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs.  
    RECORD NUMBER ______________________

D50b  Apart from the job at (EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE), and the job you have now at 
(EMPLOYER FROM D30), how many other jobs, if any, have you had since your last 
interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the 
moment).  
    RECORD NUMBER ______________________
D50c Apart from your job with (EMPLOYER FROM D30), how many other jobs, if any, have you had since the last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the moment).

RECORD NUMBER ____________________

D50d Since we last interviewed you, how many jobs, if any, have you had? Include both part-time and full-time jobs.

RECORD NUMBER ____________________

D50e Apart from your job with (EMPLOYER FROM D7=4 OR SAMPLE), how many other jobs, if any, have you had since your last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the moment).

RECORD NUMBER ____________________

PRE D51 IF D50=0 AND EITHER CURRENTLY NOT WORKING (D2=2) OR WAITING TO START (D1=3) - GO TO PRE F1 ELSE CONTINUE

D51 Since (your last interview, which was on (DATE OF INTERVIEW)) during which months, if any, have you worked?

(CODE ALL MONTHS DURING WHICH RESPONDENT WORKED)

| a. None           | l. May 2011  |
| b. July 2010      | m. June 2011|
| c. August 2010    | n. July 2011|
| d. September 2010 | o. August 2011 |
| e. October 2010   | p. September 2011 |
| f. November 2010  | q. October 2011 |
| g. December 2010  | r. November 2011 |
| h. January 2011   | s. December 2011 |
| i. February 2011  | t. January 2012 |
| j. March 2011     | u. During every month up to the present month |
| k. April 2011     | |
SECTION E : JOB HISTORY

PRE E1  IF D4 NOT ANSWERED AND D50=0, GO TO F1
 IF D4 NOT ANSWERED AND D50>0, GO TO E1
 IF D4=1, GO TO E4
 IF D4=2 AND D50=0, GO TO F8
 IF D4=2 AND D50>0, GO TO E2

E1  Now I have a few questions about your most recent job.
 In your most recent job, who did you work for?

(RECORD BUSINESS NAME OF EMPLOYER
 IF SELF EMPLOYED, RECORD BUSINESS NAME, OR NAME OF RESPONDENT)

NOW GO TO E3

E2  Now I have a few questions about your most recent other job
 What kind of work did you do in that job?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)

NOW GO TO E5

E3  What kind of work did you do in that job?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)

NOW GO TO E5

E4  Thinking about the second job you have now, what kind of work do you do in that job?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)

E5  What was/is your employer’s main kind of business?

(PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES,
  eg Sells clothes, Makes furniture, Fast food outlet)

E6  How many hours per week did/do you usually work in that job?

(IF HOURS VARY ASK AND RECORD HOW MANY HOURS PER WEEK ON AVERAGE)
 Record numeric response 1 to 100
 Don’t know 999
PRE E6a IF E3 ANSWERED AND E5>D13, GO TO E6a ELSE GO TO E7

E6a You said that you work more hours in this job than you do in your job with (EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE), would you consider this job to be your main job?
1. Definite YES
2. Hours really vary between the two jobs
3. Definite NO (just more hours at this point) GO TO E7

E6b Who do you work for in this job?
(RECORD BUSINESS NAME OF EMPLOYER IF SELF EMPLOYED, RECORD BUSINESS NAME, OR NAME OF RESPONDENT)

E7 Did/do you work for wages or salary with an employer, were/are you self employed in your
own business, or did/do you work in some other way?
1. Wages/salary
2. Own business GO TO E11
3. Other way GO TO E11
4. Don’t know GO TO PRE E12

E8 How much was/is your usual gross weekly pay from that job - that is, before tax or anything
else was/is taken out?
IF ONLY HOURLY RATE KNOWN – RECORD RATE
IF ONLY ANNUAL SALARY KNOWN – RECORD SALARY
1. Can provide requested pay
2. ONLY Annual rate available GO TO E10
3. ONLY Hourly rate available
4. Don’t Know GO TO PRE E12

E8a Record Numeric Response $1 to 10,000 GO TO PRE E12

E9 How much per hour was/is your pay – before tax or anything else was/is taken out?
Record numeric response $1 to 200
Don’t know 999

NOW GO TO PRE E12

E10 How much per year is your pay - before tax or anything else is taken out?
Record numeric response $1 to 200,000
Don’t know 999999

NOW GO TO PRE E12

E11 On average, how much did/do you earn per week, before tax but after deducting business
expenses?
Record numeric response $1 to 10,000
Don’t know 99999

PREE12 IF D50=2 OR MORE - GO TO E12 ELSE GO TO PRE E20
E12  Now thinking of your next most recent other job, what kind of work did you do in that job?  
(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN THAT JOB)

E13  What was your employer’s main kind of business?  
(PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES,  
eg Sells clothes, Makes furniture, Fast food outlet)

E14  How many hours per week did you usually work in that job?  
(IF HOURS VARY ASK AND RECORD HOW MANY HOURS PER WEEK ON AVERAGE)  
Record numeric response 1 to 100  
Don’t know 999

E15  Did you work for wages or salary with an employer, were you self employed in your own business, or did you work in some other way?  
1. Wages/salary  
2. Own business  
3. Other way  
4. Don’t know

E16  How much was your usual gross weekly pay from that job - that is, before tax or anything else was taken out?  
(IF ONLY HOURLY RATE KNOWN – RECORD RATE  
IF ONLY ANNUAL SALARY KNOWN – RECORD SALARY)  
1. Can provide requested pay  
2. ONLY Annual rate available  
3. ONLY Hourly rate available  
4. Don’t Know

E16a  Record Numeric Response $1 to 10,000

E17  How much per hour was your pay – before tax or anything else was taken out?  
Record numeric response $1 to 200  
Don’t know 999

NOW GO TO PRE E20

E18  How much per year is your pay - before tax or anything else is taken out?  
Record numeric response $1 to 200,000  
Don’t know 999999

NOW GO TO PRE E20

E19  On average, how much did you earn per week, before tax but after deducting business expenses?  
Record Numeric Response $1 to 10,000  
Don’t Know 99999
PRE E20  IF STILL AT SCHOOL (A1=1 OR A3=3), GO TO PRE F1
IF D34=1 OR 2, - GO TO F8
IF E1 IS ANSWERED AND E7=1, GO TO E20
ELSE GO TO PRE F1

E20 The next questions are about any job training you may have done with [EMPLOYER FROM E1]. This does not include formal study for apprenticeships or traineeships.

As part of your job with (EMPLOYER AT E1) did you attend any classroom based training or lectures at your workplace?
1. Yes
2. No GO TO E22

E21 Approximately how many hours did you spend at these training classes?

___________ hours

E22 As part of your job with (EMPLOYER AT E1) did you attend any training classes anywhere else?
1. Yes
2. No GO TO E24

E23 Approximately how many hours did you spend at these other training classes?

___________ hours

E24 Apart from classes, did you receive any kind of job training at all from other people at work, such as being shown how to do things by other workers?
1. Yes
2. No

PRE E25 IF TRAINING RECEIVED – E20=1 OR E22=1 OR E24=1, GO TO E25
OTHERWISE GO TO PRE F1

E25 Sometimes job training can help with promotion or finding another job. Did your job training help you to get a promotion, a pay rise or a more responsible job with (EMPLOYER AT E1)?
1. Yes
2. No

E26 Do you think it could help you get a more responsible kind of job, doing the same kind of work, with another employer?
1. Yes
2. No
3. Don’t know

E27 Do you think it could help you get a different kind of job?
1. Yes
2. No
3. Don’t know
E28 In your job with (EMPLOYER AT E1), do you think you had **too much** job training, **too little**, or about the **right amount** for the work you did?

1. Too much
2. Too little
3. About right
SECTION F: JOB SEARCH ACTIVITY

PRE F1 IF D4 = 1 OR 2, GO TO PRE F8 ELSE CONTINUE

F1 At any time in the last four weeks, have you been ACTIVELY looking for work?
   1. Yes
   2. No GO TO PRE F8

F2 Have you been looking for full time work, or only part time work?
( IF LOOKING FOR BOTH FULL AND PART TIME JOB, CODE AS FULL TIME)
   1. Full time GO TO F4
   2. Only part time

F3 If you could, would you prefer to have a full time job?
   1. Yes
   2. No

F4 I am going to read a list of things that people do when looking for a job. As I read each of
them please tell me which, if any, you have done in the last four weeks.
   a. Been registered with Centrelink as a jobseeker Yes No
   b. Checked Centrelink computers Yes No
   c. Checked or registered with a Job Services Australia member Yes No
   d. Checked with another employment agency Yes No
   e. Looked at job advertisements in newspapers or on the internet Yes No
   f. Answered job advertisements in newspapers or on the internet Yes No
   g. Contacted friends or relatives about a job Yes No
   h. Written, phoned or approached an employer about a job Yes No
   i. Advertised or tendered for work, including on the ‘net Yes No
   j. Checked workplace noticeboards Yes No
   k. Asked school or another organisation for advice Yes No

F5 I am going to read out some problems that people can have when looking for work. As I
read each of them please tell me whether you have or have not had that problem
Have you personally had trouble finding a job ...
   a. Because of a health problem or some disability Yes No
   b. Because of problems with childcare Yes No
   c. Because you don’t have suitable transport Yes No
   d. Because you don’t have enough or the right kind of education or training Yes No
   e. Because you don’t have enough work experience Yes No
   f. Because there aren’t enough jobs available Yes No
   g. Because you need better reading and writing skills Yes No
   h. Because you don’t have good interview skills Yes No
   i. Because of a lack of skills in writing job applications Yes No
   j. Because you lack confidence Yes No
   k. Because you are not good with numbers Yes No
   l. Because of poor language or communication skills Yes No
   m. Because of age, gender or other discrimination Yes No

PRE F6 IF F5=m, ASK F6, ELSE GO TO F7
F6  Was it because… (READ OUT
CODE ALL THAT APPLY (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)
   a. Employers think you are too young (or too old)
   b. Because of being (male/female)
   c. Because of your racial or ethnic background
   d. Something else (SPECIFY________________)

F7  If you’d found a job, could you have started work last week?
   1. Yes
   2. No

NOW GO TO F9

PRE F8  IF D51 = “u” – worked every month since last interview, GO TO PRE G1
   ELSE CONTINUE

F8  Since your last interview on (DATE OF LAST INTERVIEW), has there been any time when
     you were not working but looking for work?
   1. Yes
   2. No GO TO PRE G1

F9  During which months have you been not working but looking for work?
     (CODE ALL MONTHS DURING WHICH RESPONDENT WAS UNEMPLOYED)
     a. None
     b. July 2010
     c. August 2010
     d. September 2010
     e. October 2010
     f. November 2010
     g. December 2010
     h. January 2011
     i. February 2011
     j. March 2011
     k. April 2011
     l. May 2011
     m. June 2011
     n. July 2011
     o. August 2011
     p. September 2011
     q. October 2011
     r. November 2011
     s. December 2011
     t. January 2012
     u. During every month up to the present month

NOW GO TO PRE G1
SECTION G: NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE

THIS SECTION IS ANSWERED BY THOSE WHO ARE NOT WORKING, NOT LOOKING FOR WORK, NOT IN FULL TIME STUDY OR NOT AT SCHOOL

PREG1 IF IN FULL TIME STUDY OR APPRENTICE/TRAINEE
   B9=1, OR CA50=1, OR CB1=1, OR CC17=1, OR C83=1, OR CD7=1, OR CD7a=1, OR C81=1/2 OR (CA8=3 AND CA11=1)
   OR IF AT SCHOOL (A1=1 OR A3=2),
   OR HAS A JOB (D4=1/2) OR IS LOOKING FOR WORK (F1=1)
   GO TO H1

G1 What would you say is your present main activity?
   1. Study/training
   2. Home duties/looking after children
   3. Travel or holiday
   4. Ill/unable to work
   5. Other (SPECIFY_____________)

G2 How likely is it that you will begin full time study in the next five years? Is it very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely or not at all likely?
   1. Very likely
   2. Somewhat likely
   3. Not very likely
   4. Not at all likely
   5. DON'T KNOW

PRE G3 IF G2 = 1 OR 2, CONTINUE
ELSE GO TO G4

G3 How soon do you think you will do this? Is it ...(READ OUT)?
   1. Within a year
   2. 2 Years
   3. 3 or 4 years
   4. 5 years or more
   5. DON'T KNOW

G4 How likely is it that you will look for work in the next five years? Is it very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely or not at all likely?
   1. Very likely
   2. Somewhat likely
   3. Not very likely
   4. Not at all likely
   5. DON'T KNOW

PRE G5 IF G4 = 1 OR 2, CONTINUE
ELSE GO TO H1

G5 How soon do you think you will do this? Is it ...(READ OUT)?
   1. Within a year
   2. 2 Years
   3. 3 or 4 years
   4. 5 years or more
   5. DON'T KNOW
SECTION H: LIVING ARRANGEMENTS, FINANCE & HEALTH

H1 Now some questions about your household? Do you usually live ... (READ OUT)

1. In your parents home?
2. With other relatives?
3. In a private house as a boarder?
4. In a shared house/flat?
5. In a hostel?
6. Somewhere else? (SPECIFY_____________)

H2 Apart from yourself, how many other people usually live in your household?

RECORD NUMBER ______
IF NONE (0) - GO TO PRE H4
Don’t Know (99) - GO TO PRE H4

H3 What relationship is (that person/each of them) to you?

a. Father/Step-father
b. Father-In-law/Partner’s father (NOT AVAILABLE TO INTERVIEWER)
c. Mother/Step-mother
(d. Mother-In-law/Partner’s mother (NOT AVAILABLE TO INTERVIEWER)
(e. Brother(s)/Step-brother(s)
f. Sister(s)/Step-sister(s)
g. Husband/Wife/De Facto
h. Partner
i. Boyfriend/Girlfriend
j. Own children (including step-children)
k. Other relatives
l. Non-relatives

PRE H4 CHECK IF RECEIVING YOUTH ALLOWANCE FOR STUDY (A33=1 OR C97=1), DISPLAY CORRECT VERSION OF H4

H4 Apart from the Youth allowance you get for study, what other government payments, if any, do you currently receive?

What government payments, if any, do you currently receive?
(DO NOT READ OUT - MULTIPLES ACCEPTED)
(INTERVIEWER NOTE: ENSURE YOUTH ALLOWANCE REPORTED HERE IS NOT YOUTH ALLOWANCE REPORTED IN SECTION C)

a. Youth Allowance (unemployment benefits / Newstart Allowance) GO TO H5
b. Parenting payment GO TO H5
c. Sickness Allowance GO TO H5
d. Disability Support Pension GO TO H5
e. Family Tax Benefit GO TO H6
f. Any other allowance (SPECIFY) GO TO H6
g. (None of these) GO TO SECTION J

PRE H5 IF H4 = a-d, ASK H5
ELSE GO TO PRE H6

H5 How much per fortnight are you currently receiving in total from ... (SAY ANSWER(S) FROM H4 a-d)?
(PROBE FOR BEST ESTIMATE)

RECORD AMOUNT $_________
Don’t know 9999
PRE H6  IF H4 = e,f, ASK H6
ELSE GO TO H7

H6  How much per year are you currently receiving in total from ..... (SAY ANSWER(S) FROM H4 e-f)?
    (PROBE FOR BEST ESTIMATE)
RECORD AMOUNT $_________
Don't know  9999
SECTION J: GENERAL ATTITUDES

J1  The next questions are about what you do in your spare time. Outside study or work, how often do you…(READ OUT)
   a) Go to the library
   b) Read books
   c) Read newspapers or magazines
   d) Use the Internet for social networking such as facebook
   e) Play computer or video games (such as Xbox, Wii or Playstation)
   f) Play sport or do regular exercise
   g) Take part in any community based activity.
      This could be a political group, community radio, a performing arts group or something similar?
   h) Go to church or other place of worship
   i) Do voluntary work

   1. Every day
   2. At least once a week (but not every day)
   3. At least once a month but less than once a week
   4. At least once every 3 months but less often than once a month
   5. At least once a year but less often than once every 3 months
   6. Less often than once a year
   7. Never

J2  I am now going to read out a list of different aspects of your life. Please use a scale from zero to ten where zero means very unhappy and ten means very happy to indicate how happy you are with each one. Firstly, how happy are you with ...
   (STATEMENTS APPEAR IN RANDOM ORDER – except that ‘Your future’ is first, with ‘Your life as a whole’ last)
   a. Your future
   b. The work you do, at study, at home or in a job
   c. What you do in your spare time
   d. How you get on with people in general
   e. The money you get each week
   f. Your social life
   g. Your independence - being able to do what you want
   h. Your career prospects
   i. Your life at home
   j. Your standard of living
   k. Where you live
   l. Your life as a whole

   0   __________________________________________________________________________ 10

Very unhappy   Very happy

J3  Last year, you mentioned that a goal for you in 2011 was <INSERT GOAL>. Are you comfortable with what you have achieved to date?

   1. Yes
   2. No
   3. Don’t know
   4. Refused
SECTION K : TRACKING QUESTIONS

K1 As you know, young people in this survey are interviewed each year. Just in case you move, we would like to check the details of friends or relatives who would be likely to know how we could contact you.

We currently have listed ….

IF CONTACTS ARE LISTED READ OUT ELSE CODE 3, NO CONTACTS

Contact 1 name
Contact 2 name

…. as (people/the person) who (are/is) likely to know where you will be in 12 months time. Is …. (CONFIRM EACH CONTACT) … still likely to know where you will be over the next 12 months? (ACCEPT MULTIPLES)

1. Yes – confirm contact 1
2. Yes – confirm contact 2
3. NO contacts

FOR EACH POSITIVE RESPONSE IN K1 ASK:

K2 Are these details for …. (READ NAME)... still correct?
(SPELL OUT NAME, ADDRESS, SUBURB, POST CODE, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND RELATIONSHIP DETAILS FROM SCREEN)
AMEND DETAILS AS NECESSARY

Name
Address
Suburb
Postcode
Relationship
Phone number

IF K1=3 OR IF K1 NOT CODE 1, ASK K3
IF K1 NOT CODE 2, ASK K4

K3 Can you tell me who is the person most likely to know where you’ll be living over the next year?

1. Yes
2. No GO TO FINISH

RECORD FULL DETAILS OF CONTACT 1 IN SPACES PROVIDED

K4 Can you tell me another person who is likely to know where you’ll be living over the next year?

1. Yes
2. No GO TO FINISH

RECORD FULL DETAILS OF CONTACT 2 IN SPACES PROVIDED

FINISH Thank you very much for your help with this interview. Again, as part of the survey program, we will be writing to you around Christmas time and look forward to talking to you next year.