

National Indigenous Reform Agreement: PI 26a- Proportion of Indigenous 18-24 year olds engaged in full-time employment, education or training at or above Certificate III (Census Data), 2012

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Indicator
Indicator type:	Indicator
Short name:	PI 26a-Proportion of Indigenous 18-24 year olds engaged in full-time employment, education or training at or above Certificate III (Census Data), 2012
METEOR identifier:	438735
Registration status:	Indigenous , Superseded 13/06/2013
Description:	The proportion of the 18–24 year old population that are engaged in full-time employment, education and/or training at or above Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Certificate III, by Indigenous status.
Rationale:	Engagement in full-time employment, education or training provides young people with opportunities to acquire work-related skills. Engagement in study or training enables students to can gain the qualifications, skills, knowledge and attributes they need for successful transition to work.
Indicator set:	National Indigenous Reform Agreement (2012) Indigenous , Superseded 13/06/2013
Outcome area:	The Indigenous workforce age population has the depth and breadth of skills and capabilities required for the 21st century labour market Indigenous , Standard 21/07/2010

Collection and usage attributes

Population group age from:	18 years
Population group age to:	24 years
Computation description:	Presentation: Per 100 persons (percentage).
Computation:	$100 \times (\text{Numerator} \div \text{Denominator})$.
Numerator:	People aged 18–24 years who are fully engaged in employment and/or education and training.

Numerator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

Level of current study

Data Source

[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Census

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—labour force status, code N](#)

Data Source

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Data Element / Data Set

[Person—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

Data Source

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Data source type: Census

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—student/employment training indicator, code N](#)

Data Source

[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Census

Denominator:

Total population of people aged 18–24 years.

Denominator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

Data Source

[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)

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Data source type: Census

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—estimated resident population of Australia, total people N\[N\(7\)\]](#)

Data Source

[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Census

Disaggregation:

National and state/territory by engagement in work/education status, by Indigenous status.

Disaggregation data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—Indigenous status, code N](#)

Data Source

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Data Element / Data Set

[Person—area of usual residence, geographical location code \(ASGC 2006\) NNNNN](#)

Data Source

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Guide for use

Data source type: Census

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—student/employment training indicator, code N](#)

Data Source

[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)

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Data source type: Census

Comments: NO NEW DATA FOR 2012 REPORTING.

Data sources for this indicator are:

-Main data collection: Census.

-Supplementary data collection: NATSISS (Indigenous); NATSIHS (Indigenous); and SEW (non-Indigenous).

The baseline report reported data from the 2006 Census as the main data collection and data from the 2008 NATSISS (Indigenous) and 2008 SEW (non-Indigenous) as the supplementary data collection. The next available data source will be the 2011-12 NATSIHS for the Indigenous population.

Fully engaged is defined as full time employment, full time education or training, or a mixture of part time employment and part time education or training.

People whose level of study cannot be determined are assumed to be studying at below Certificate III and are therefore excluded from the numerator.

Persons who have not identified the level of qualification they are working towards are excluded from the calculations (only applicable to Census data).

Current available data does not provide information on the level of qualification for those working towards qualification but only for those who have completed their education/training. Therefore, the data on education/training includes persons aged 18-24 engaged in education/training at any qualification level.

Baseline year for NIRA target (Halve the gap in employment outcomes within a decade) is 2008; baseline year for this indicator is 2006; target year is 2018.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Percentage

Data type: Real

Unit of measure: Person

Format: NN[N].N

Indicator conceptual framework

Framework and dimensions: [Socioeconomic Factors](#)

Data source attributes

Data sources:

Data Source

[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)

Frequency

Every 5 years

Data custodian

Australian Bureau of Statistics

Accountability attributes

Organisation responsible for providing data: Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS).

Further data development / collection required: Specification: Interim.

Data is required on the level of qualification for those currently studying (working towards a qualification).

The Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) is exploring options for collecting level and field of current study in future household surveys, commencing with the General Social Survey (GSS) 2010.

Source and reference attributes

Steward: [National Indigenous Reform Agreement Performance Information Management Group](#)

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Supersedes [National Indigenous Reform Agreement: PI 26a-Proportion of Indigenous 18-24 year olds engaged in full-time employment, education or training at or above Certificate III \(Census Data\), 2011](#)
[Indigenous](#), Superseded 01/07/2012

See also [National Indigenous Reform Agreement: PI 26b-Proportion of Indigenous 18-24 year olds engaged in full-time employment, education or training at or above Certificate III \(Survey Data\), 2012](#)
[Indigenous](#), Superseded 13/06/2013