

### TRAINING AND SKILLS

## **RTO Performance Indicators Report**

### **Bacchus Marsh Community College Inc**

- This Report provides key results from the 2017 Student Satisfaction Survey (Student Survey) and the 2017 Employer Satisfaction and Skills Survey (Employer Survey) for this RTO. The Student Survey invites students enrolled in a government subsidised course, who have completed or left early from study in 2016, to have their say about their training experience and outcomes. The Employer Survey provides feedback from employers of apprentices and trainees about their interaction with training at this RTO.
- Topics covered in this Report include, overall performance against quality and outcome performance measures, student experience, student outcomes, student preferences and employer feedback. Further information about 'How to read this Report' is provided from page 10 of this Report.

### Survey responses from the Student Satisfaction Survey

• During April and May 2017, the Student Survey invited over 190,000 students who completed or left early from study in 2016 to provide feedback on their training experience and outcomes. Responses were received from 51,315 students across over 400 RTOs, resulting in an overall response rate of 27.0 per cent. A low survey response rate can affect the quality of data shown in this Report and should be taken into account when interpreting results. In some instances, there may be insufficient data to present findings. To protect privacy, results will only be shown where there are five or more survey respondents, and where there are more than 20 enrolments.

# This RTO 38.7%

### **Number of responses for this RTO**

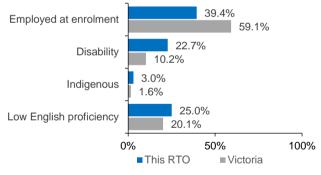
Total	Completers	Early leavers
24	23	1

Age and gender

### Characteristics of students at this RTO

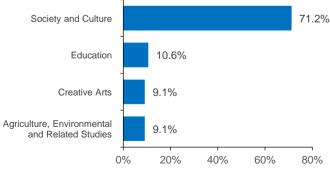
Victoria

## Student demographics

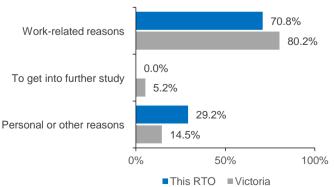


#### 65+ 55-64 45-54 35-44 30-34 25-29 20-24 <20 30% 20% 10% 20% 30% 10% 0% ■ Male (15.2%) ■Female (84.8%)





## Students' main reason for studying



## **Performance Measures**

### **Overview of Performance**

• The table below provides an overview of how this RTO performed relative to the Victorian state average and for completers and early leavers across 11 performance measures.

### How to read this page

- This page provides an overview of how this RTO performed against the Victorian average across a range of measures. The performance measures in the table below show that 81.8% of students at this RTO were satisfied with the training provided, higher than the average for all RTOs across Victoria (76.5%).
- The results of these performance measures can often be different for students who complete the course compared
  to those who leave the course early without completing. Within this RTO, 81.8% of completers were satisfied with
  the training provided. No data is presented for early leavers as there was less than 5 respondents who left early in
  2017.

Performance Measures	This RTO	State Average	Comparison	This	RTO	
Student Experience			0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 100%	Comp leters	Early leavers	More info:
Proportion of VET students who are <b>satisfied</b> with training provided by the RTO	81.8%	76.5%	•	81.8%	-	p4
Proportion of VET students reporting a positive perception of teaching	78.3%	67.7%	•	81.8%	-	p4
Proportion of VET students reporting a positive perception of the assessment process	86.4%	70.0%	<b>O</b> •	86.4%	-	p5
Proportion of VET students satisfied with generic skills and learning experiences	47.8%	44.0%		50.0%	-	p5
Student Outcomes						
Proportion of VET students who achieved their main reason for training	66.7%	72.7%	•	69.6%	-	p6
Proportion of VET students with an <b>improved employment</b> status after training	40.0%	42.4%	•	40.0%	-	p6
Proportion of VET students going onto further study at a higher level than their completed training	13.6%	19.0%	•	13.6%	-	p7
Proportion of VET students who <b>recommend</b> the RTO	86.4%	73.8%	•	86.4%	-	р7
Employer Feedback*						
Proportion of employers who are <b>satisfied</b> with training provided by the RTO		76.8%				
Proportion of employers who <b>recommend the RTO</b>		71.6%				
Proportion of employers reporting improvement in <b>generic skills</b> and learning experiences		52.3%				
			0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 100%			

<sup>\*</sup> Results from the Employer Satisfaction and Skills Survey will only be shown where there are five or more employers of apprentices or trainees who responded.

## **Performance Measures**

### **Overview of Performance**

#### How to read this page

- This page displays the quartile ranking of performance measures for this RTO relative to all RTOs in Victoria. If the RTO is in quartile 4, it indicates that it is in the top 25% of RTOs, while quartile 1 indicates that the RTO is in the lowest 25%. The table below shows that this RTO was in the third quartile for students satisfied with training. This means that this RTO was between the 50th and 75th percentile of all RTOs.
- To provide an additional comparison of RTO performance against the 11 measures, all RTOs have been allocated to a band within two comparison groups:
  - $\bullet$  Size of institutes: grouping of RTOs was based on 2016 government funded enrolments
    - Small (0-100), Medium (101-500), Large (501+)
  - Proportion of low socio-economic students: grouping of RTOs was based on the proportion of students who are eligible for fee concession or fee waiver
    - Low (0-25%), Mid (26-50%), High (51%+)

Performance Measures		Comparison Groups Your size Your SES		This RTO Yearly Trends				
Student Experience	This RTO	Quartile	band <b>Medium</b>	band <b>Middle</b>	2015	2016		Trends
Proportion of VET students who are <b>satisfied</b> with training provided by the RTO	81.8%	3	77.3%	75.4%	60.0%	78.6%	81.8%	<i>,</i>
Proportion of VET students reporting a positive perception of teaching	78.3%	3	70.5%	65.7%	63.6%	71.4%	78.3%	
Proportion of VET students reporting a positive perception of the assessment process	86.4%	4	72.7%	68.2%	72.7%	71.4%	86.4%	
Proportion of VET students satisfied with generic skills and learning experiences	47.8%	2	46.6%	41.9%	45.5%	50.0%	47.8%	
Student Outcomes	Student Outcomes							
Proportion of VET students who <b>achieved their main reason</b> for training	66.7%	1	72.8%	72.5%	63.6%	71.4%	66.7%	
Proportion of VET students with an <b>improved employment</b> status after training	40.0%	2	41.9%	43.0%	36.4%	50.0%	40.0%	<i></i>
Proportion of VET students going onto <b>further study</b> at a higher level than their completed training	13.6%	2	17.9%	19.7%	9.1%	14.3%	13.6%	
Proportion of VET students who <b>recommend</b> the RTO	86.4%	3	74.5%	72.4%	72.7%	78.6%	86.4%	
Employer Feedback								
Proportion of employers who are <b>satisfied</b> with training provided by the RTO			84.6%	76.0%	NA	-	-	
Proportion of employers who recommend the RTO			81.6%	70.8%	NA	-	-	
Proportion of employers reporting improvement in <b>generic skills</b> and learning experiences			60.6%	51.4%	NA	-	-	

## **Student Experience**

## **Overall Satisfaction with Training**

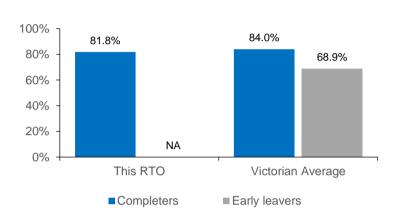
### **Trends and Completion Status**

- This section looks at the overall level of satisfaction that students had with the training provided by their RTO. The 2017 Student Survey results show that 81.8% of students at this RTO were satisfied with the training provided. This increased each of the past 2 years from 78.6% in 2016 and 60.0% in 2015. Also, this was higher than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (76.5%).
- Within this RTO, 81.8% of completers were satisfied with the training provided. No data is presented for early leavers as there was less than 5 respondents who left early in 2017.

Proportion of students satisfied with training by year



Proportion of students satisfied with training by completion status, 2017



## **Positive Perception of teaching**

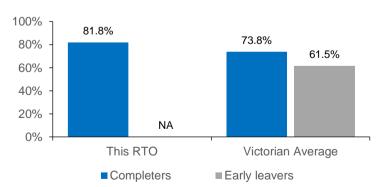
### Trends and Completion Status

- This section looks at proportion of students that had a positive perception of teaching at their RTO. The 2017 Student Survey results show that 78.3% of students at this RTO reported a positive perception of teaching. This increased each of the past 2 years from 71.4% in 2016 and 63.6% in 2015. Also, this was much higher than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (67.7%).
- Within this RTO, 81.8% of completers reported a positive perception of teaching. No data is presented for early leavers as there was less than 5 respondents in 2017.

## Proportion of students who had a postive perception of teaching by year



## Proportion of who had a postive perception of teaching by completion status, 2017

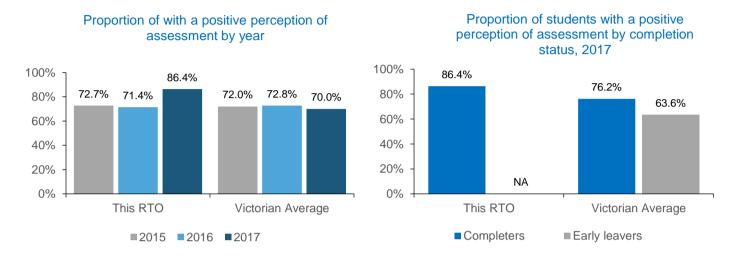


## **Student Experience**

## **Positive Perception of the Assessment Process**

### **Trends and Completion Status**

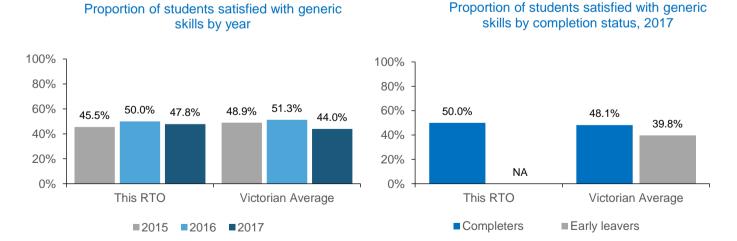
- This section looks at the proportion of students who had a positive perception of the assessment process at the RTO. The 2017 Student Survey results show that 86.4% of students at this RTO reported a positive perception of the assessment process. This was a large increase from the previous year (71.4%). Also, this was much higher than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (70.0%).
- Within this RTO, 86.4% of completers reported a positive perception of the assessment process. No data is presented for early leavers as there was less than 5 respondents in 2017.



## Satisfaction with Generic Skills and Learning Experiences

#### **Trends and Completion Status**

- This section looks at the overall level of satisfaction that students had with generic skills and learning experiences. The 2017 Student Survey
  results show that 47.8% of students at this RTO were satisfied with their generic skills and learning experiences. This was a decrease from
  the previous year (50.0%). However, this was higher than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (44.0%).
- Within this RTO, 50.0% of completers were satisfied with their generic skills and learning experiences. No data is presented for early leavers
  as there was less than 5 respondents in 2017.



## **Student Outcomes**

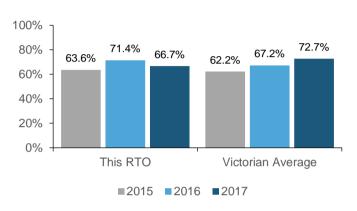
## Achieved main reason for training

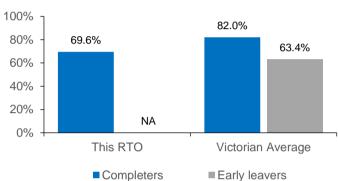
### **Trends and Completion Status**

- This section looks at the proportion of students who had achieved their main reason for training. The 2017 Student Survey results show that 66.7% of students at this RTO achieved their main reason for training. This was a decrease from the previous year (71.4%). Also, this was lower than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (72.7%).
- Within this RTO, 69.6% of completers achieved their main reason for training. No data is presented for early leavers as there was less than 5 respondents in 2017.

## Proportion of students who achieved their main reason for training by year

## Proportion of students who achieved their main reason for training by completion status, 2017





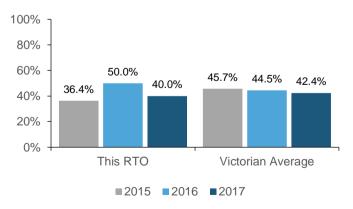
## Improved employment status

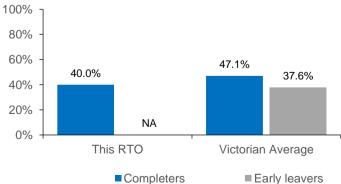
### **Trends and Completion Status**

- This section looks at whether or not students had an improved employment status after training. The 2017 Student Survey results show that 40.0% of students at this RTO had an improved employment status after training. This was a large decrease from the previous year (50.0%). Also, this was lower than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (42.4%).
- Within this RTO, 40.0% of completers had an improved employment status after training. No data is presented for early leavers as there
  was less than 5 respondents in 2017.

## Proportion of students with an improved employment status by year

## Proportion of students with an improved employment status by completion status, 2017





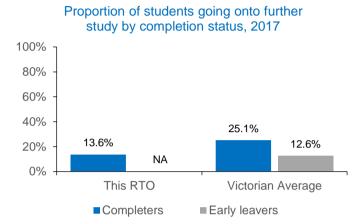
## **Student Outcomes**

## **Progression to further study**

### **Trends and Completion Status**

- This section looks at the proportion of students going onto further study at a higher level than their completed training. The 2017 Student Survey results show that 13.6% of students at this RTO went onto further education at a higher level. This was a slight decrease from the previous year (14.3%) and was lower than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (19.0%).
- Within this RTO, 13.6% of completers went onto further education at a higher level. No data is presented for early leavers as there was less than 5 respondents in 2017.

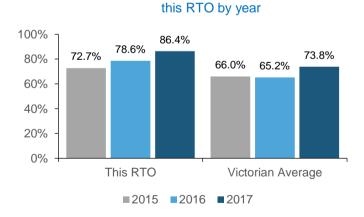
Proportion of students going onto further study by year 100% 80% 60% 40% 22.4% 19.5% 19.0% 14.3% 13.6% 20% 9.1% 0% This RTO Victorian Average 2017 ■2015 2016



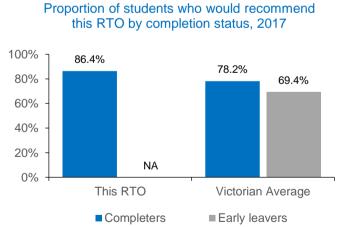
### **Recommend the RTO**

#### Trends and Completion Status

- This section looks at the proportion of students who would recommend their RTO to other students. The 2017 Student Survey results show that 86.4% of students at this RTO would recommend this RTO. This increased each of the past 2 years from 78.6% in 2016 and 72.7% in 2015. Also, this was much higher than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (73.8%).
- Within this RTO, 86.4% of completers would recommend this RTO. No data is presented for early leavers as there was less than 5 respondents in 2017.



Proportion of students who would recommend



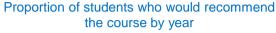
### **Student Outcomes**

### Recommend the course

This section provides summary results on whether students would recommend the course, including trends over time, by completion status and courses with the highest number of respondents.

#### **Trends and Completion Status**

- The 2017 Student Survey results show that 86.4% of students at this RTO would recommend the course. This increased each of the past 2 years from 75.0% in 2016 and 72.7% in 2015. Also, this was much higher than the average for all RTOs across Victoria in 2017 (74.6%).
- Within this RTO, 86.4% of completers would recommend the course. No data is presented for early leavers as there was less than 5 respondents in 2017.



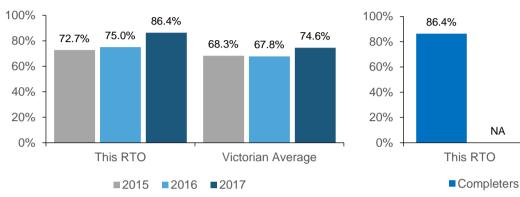
## Proportion of students who would recommend the course by completion status, 2017

79.9%

69.2%

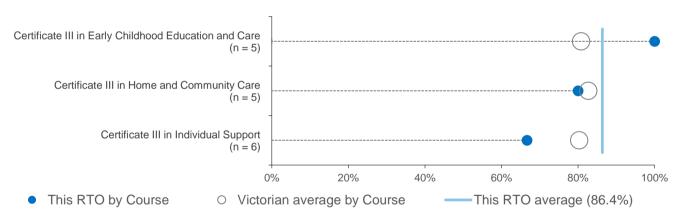
Victorian Average

■ Early leavers



Students who were training in 'Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care' had the highest proportion of students who would
recommend their course (all of the 5 students who responded). Conversely, students who were training in 'Certificate III in Individual Support'
had the lowest proportion of those who would recommend their course (66.7%).

### Proportion of students who would recommend the course by course, 2017



## **Student Preferences**

## **Student choice**

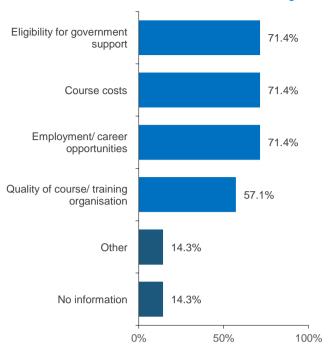
### Information Available to students

 Students were asked if they had different types of information available to them to help them choose their course and training organisation. One of the most common types of information that students reported was 'Eligibility for government support' (71.4%).

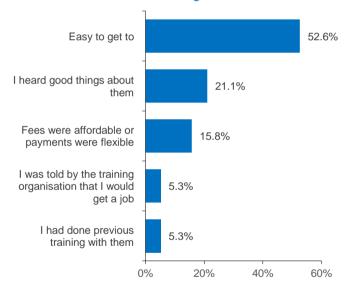
### Choosing this RTO

 The main reason that students reported for choosing this RTO was 'Easy to get to' (52.6%) followed by 'I heard good things about them' (21.1%).

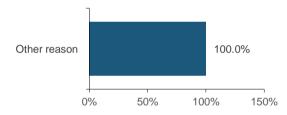
### Information available to students when choosing RTO



### Main reason for choosing RTO



### Main reason for choosing not to continue training



## How to read this Report

## **RTO Performance Indicators Report**

Data in the RTO Performance Indicators Report relates to the:

- Student Satisfaction Survey 2017 provides feedback from students who completed or left study early in 2016, so their responses reflect their experiences with training in 2016.
- Employer Satisfaction and Skills Survey 2017 provides feedback from employers of apprentices and trainees who were in training in 2016.

This report is split across six main sections:

- 1 Introduction details the *Student Satisfaction Survey* response rate and looks at some of the characteristics of students who completed their training or left early without completing during 2016. Data relating to the students' main reason for studying are also presented to provide greater context for the findings in this report.
- 2 Performance Measures provides high level results for the RTO and comparisons to provider type average, Victorian state average, student completion status and trends over time.
- 3 Student Experience student satisfaction with the training, teaching qulaity, assessment process and skills development.
- **4 Student Outcomes –** whether students achieved their main reason for training, their resulting employment status, students going onto further education after training and students' recommendation.
- **5 Student Preferences –** information available to students to inform provider choice, students' main reason for selecting the training provider and for doing part of a course (where applicable).
- 6 Employer Feedback employer satisfaction with the training provider and improvement in the generic skills of their apprentices and trainees.

Sections 3 to 5 comprise feedback received from the 2017 Student Satisfaction Survey.

Section 6 comprises feedback received from the 2017 Employer Satisfaction and Skills Survey.

## **Definition of terms used throughout the Report**

Term	Definition	
Satisfied	Proportion of students who responded with 'Very satisfied' or 'Satisfied'	
Agree	Proportion of students who responded with 'Strongly agree' or 'Agree'	
Likely	Proportion of students who responded with 'Very likely' or 'Likely'	
Completers	A completer falls under one of the following categories:  • Course is completed and qualification issued  • Apprenticeship/Traineeship completed  • Program completed, no qualification issued  • Course nominally completed – course hours expended and/or average number of course units completed and passed.	
Early leavers	An early leaver falls under one of the following categories:  • No study occurring – some units completed, but no further enrolment activity  • Module only enrolment – no intention to complete the whole course.	
RTO	Registered Training Organisation	
FOE	More information related to the Field of Education (FOE) classifications can be found at: https://www.ncver.edu.au/publications/publications/all-publications/statistical-standard-software/program-field-of-education-identifier.	
JSA	Jobs Services Australia	

## How to read this Report

### **Performance Summary**

#### What are Performance Measures?

 The RTO Performance Indicators Report presents quality and outcome information on eight student and three employer performance measures. The performance measures provide results on satisfaction, student attainment, and quality and performance of the Victorian TAFE and training system.

### What are Comparison Groups?

- To provide an additional comparison of performance, all RTOs have been allocated to a band within two comparison groups:
  - · Size of institutes: grouping of RTOs was based on 2016 enrolments
    - Small (0-100), Medium (101-500), Large (501+)
  - Proportion of low socio-economic students: grouping of RTOs was based on the proportion of students who were eligible for fee concession for fee waiver.
    - Low (0-25%), Mid (26-50%), High (51%+)

#### What does 'NA' mean?

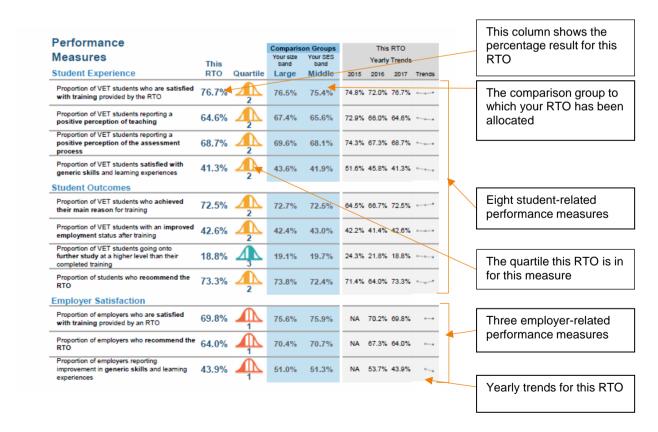
• For some training providers there are too few students or employers who responded to the surveys. Results will not be provided where less than five students or employers responded to the survey question(s).

### How does 'weighting' affect the results

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

#### **Performance Measures Table**

The diagram below provides details on the different elements of the Performance Measures summary pages.



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