

NEXT STEP 2017 DESTINATIONS OF 2016 YEAR 12s St John Fisher College



Introduction

This page presents a summary of results of the annual *Next Step* survey for St John Fisher College. The *Next Step* survey, undertaken by the Queensland Government, targets all students who completed Year 12 and gained a Senior Statement in 2016, whether they attended a state, Catholic or independent school, or a TAFE secondary college. The Queensland Government Statistician's Office conducted the survey between March and June 2017, approximately six months after the young people left school. Responses were collected online and via computer-assisted telephone interviewing.

Statewide and regional reports from the 2017 *Next Step* survey will be available on the *Next Step* website from September 2017 at www.education.qld.gov.au/nextstep.

Response rate for St John Fisher College

Table 1 below reports the response rate for St John Fisher College. It expresses the number of respondents from this school, as a percentage of all Year 12 completers who attended St John Fisher College in 2016.

It has not been possible to ascertain how representative these responses are of all Year 12 completers from this school.

Table 1: Survey response rate, St John Fisher College 2017

Number of respondents	Number of students who completed Year 12	Response rate (%)
76	85	89.4

Definitions of main destinations

The pathways of Year 12 completers were categorised into ten main destinations. Year 12 completers who were both studying and working were reported as studying for their main destination. A table defining these categories can be found in the statewide report at www.education.qld.gov.au/nextstep.

Summary of findings

In 2017, 81.6% of young people who completed Year 12 at St John Fisher College in 2016 continued in some recognised form of education and training in the year after they left school.

The most common study destination was Bachelor Degree (64.5%). The combined VET study destinations accounted for 17.1% of respondents, all of which were in campus-based VET programs, with 15.8% of Year 12 completers entering programs at Certificate IV level or higher.

In addition to the above study destinations, a further 7.9% of respondents from this school deferred a tertiary offer in 2017 (deferrers are included in their current destination).

18.4% did not enter post-school education or training, and were either employed (14.5%) or seeking work (3.9%).

Figure 1: Main destination of Year 12 completers, St John Fisher College 2017

