FACT SHEET FOR SCHOOLS, RTOs AND GTOs

Aboriginal school-based training program

Employment-based training (EBT) pathway 2021

Under the employment-based training pathway, full time Aboriginal* students who are 15 years and over may undertake a school-based apprenticeship or traineeship in an industry aligned to their career aspiration. Students must be work ready and employed by a group training organisation (GTO).

GTOs employing an Aboriginal school-based apprentice or trainee may be eligible for funding to provide support services and mentoring. This funding is provided through the Department’s Western Australian Group Training Program.

GTOs may employ an Aboriginal school-based apprentice or trainee in any education region. Additional funding will be available to GTOs employing and supporting Aboriginal students at risk of not completing their training. These students will be identified by the respective schools.

Further information

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