

take part in the
Next Step
survey!



March – June 2021

Who? **You!** All students completing Year 12 in 2020 in Queensland will be contacted to take part in the survey.

What? The *Next Step* survey will ask you what you are doing after you leave school – this could be studying, working or pursuing other interests.

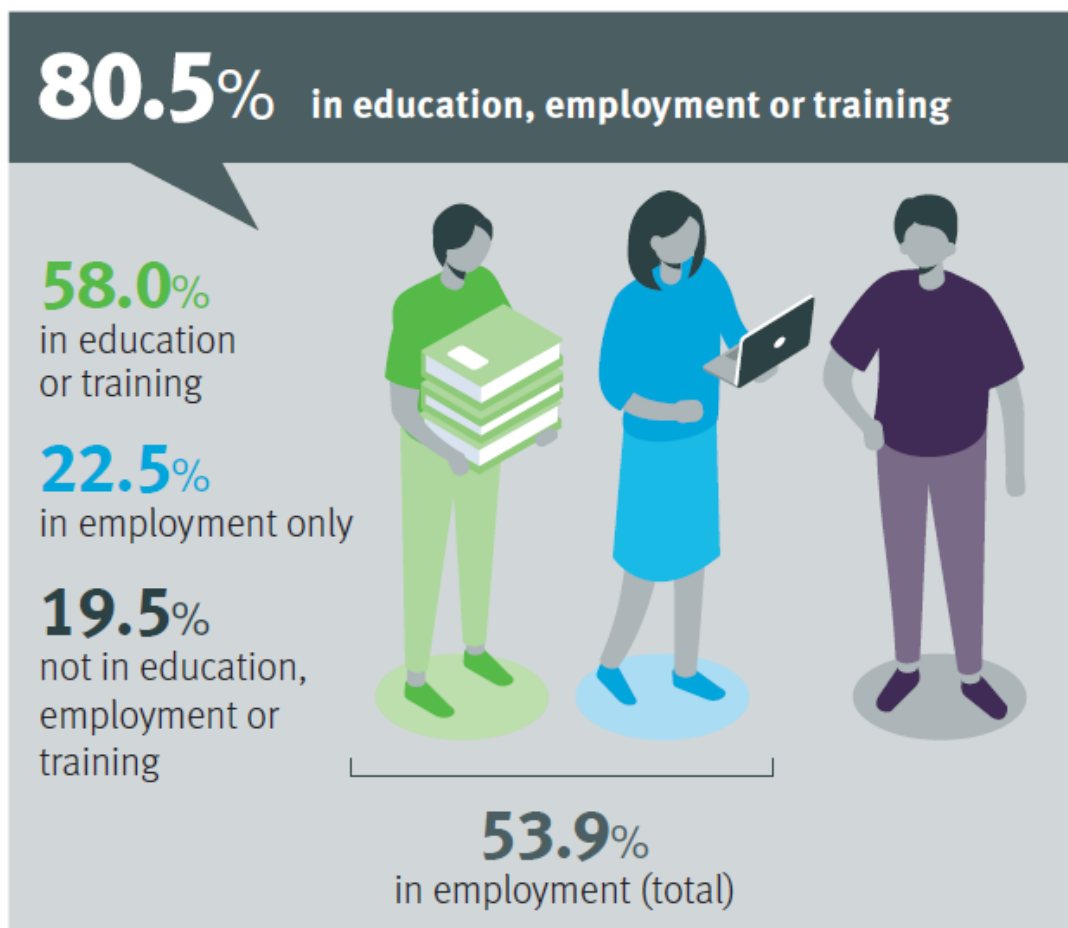
How? Expect to be contacted by **phone** or mail. To enable us to contact you, please ensure your details, including your home phone and mobile numbers are correct in your learning account by logging the student portal at <https://myqce.qcaa.qld.edu.au/>.

When? March to June 2021.

Why? Your participation in the *Next Step* survey will help Queensland schools and further education providers improve their services for future students.

Results from the 2020 *Next Step* survey

Over 28,000 Year 12 completers from 2019 completed the *Next Step* survey. The following graphic shows what they are doing in 2020.



Results from the 2020 *Next Step* survey

58% were in education or training 6 months after completing Year 12.

What are they studying?



Health

18.3%
3019

- 1260 Nursing
- 491 Rehabilitation Therapies
- 183 Pharmacy



Society and Culture

18.1%
2990

- 692 Behavioural Science
- 611 Law
- 415 Human Welfare



Engineering and
Related Technologies

15.6%
2568

- 538 Electrical & Electronic
- 405 Mechanical & Industrial
- 314 Automotive



Management
and Commerce

15.4%
2537

- 1714 Business & Management
- 209 Accounting
- 195 Sales & Marketing



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Results from the 2020 *Next Step* survey

53.9% were in paid employment 6 months after completing Year 12 including 31.4% who were combining study with work.

What jobs are they working in?



Sales Workers

38.5%

5902

▲ 0.4 since 2015

3410

Sales Assistants & Salespersons

2442

Checkout Operators & Office Cashiers

23

Real Estate Sales Agents



Labourers

18.9%

2897

▲ 1.1 since 2015

1276

Food Preparation Assistants

348

Farm, Forestry & Garden Workers

318

Freight Handlers & Shelf Fillers



Technicians and Trades Workers

14.2%

2173

▼ 0.1 since 2015

309

Electricians

263

Bricklayers, Carpenters & Joiners

259

Auto Electricians & Mechanics



Community and Personal Service Workers

13.1%

2014

▼ 4.8 since 2015

991

Hospitality Workers

254

Child Carers

235

Sports and Fitness Workers

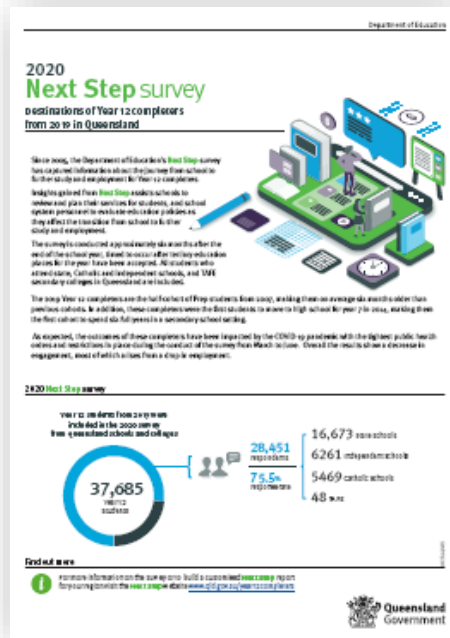


View the 2020 Next Step results

For more information on the survey results, visit the Next Step website:

<http://www.qld.gov.au/nextstep>

or click on the report below.



Statewide Summary report
an infographic visualisation
of key survey results.

Create a custom report
based on a selected
geographic region.

Thank you

We look forward to your participation in the
2021 *Next Step* survey!