

Main Languages Spoken at Home in Wave 1 and Wave 2 by Visa Group : Primary Applicants *

	Wave 1		Wave 2
Preferential Family/Family Stream			
English	45%	English	49%
Arabic	8%	Arabic	9%
Mandarin	8%	Mandarin	6%
Concessional Family/Skilled-Australian Linked			
English	58%	English	64%
Tagalog/Filipino	9%	Tagalog/Filipino	8%
Cantonese/Yueh	7%	Mandarin	6%
Business Skills & Employer Nomination Scheme			
English	43%	English	47%
Indonesian/Bahasa Indonesia	22%	Indonesian/Bahasa Indonesia	20%
Mandarin	18%	Mandarin	19%
Independent			
English	63%	English	70%
Mandarin	10%	Mandarin	12%
Cantonese/Yueh	4%	Urdu	2%
Humanitarian			
Serbian	26%	Serbian	25%
Arabic	13%	Bosnian	13%
Bosnian	12%	Arabic	13%

Source: Longitudinal Survey of Immigrants to Australia,
Second Cohort Wave 1 and 2 data (for settler arrivals between 1/9/1999 and 31/8/2000 inclusive) as at 06/01/2003.

* So that outcomes for Wave 1 & Wave 2 can be compared, this table only includes results where the Primary Applicant was interviewed in both waves