

Ways That Current Language Course Helped : Primary Applicants doing a language course in Wave 2

Reason why course helped *	Visa Category					Total
	<i>Preferential Family/Family Stream</i>	<i>Concessional Family/Skilled- Australian Linked</i>	<i>Business Skills & Employer Nomination Scheme</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Humanitarian</i>	
Getting a job/looking for work	45%	59%	31%	37%	47%	46%
Getting Qualification Recognised	18%	19%	26%	35%	22%	20%
Getting into Other Courses	44%	19%	42%	40%	41%	42%
Communicating With Family and Other Social Groups	87%	78%	93%	96%	83%	86%
Finding out more about Government Services	58%	52%	62%	40%	57%	57%
Everyday Activities	95%	78%	98%	96%	90%	94%

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.

* Respondents could give more than one reason why a course helped