



Australian Government

Department of Immigration and Citizenship

Total Working Holiday and Work & Holiday Visa Grants					
Visa Category	2005-06 PY	2006-07 PY	2007-08 PY	2008-09 PY	2009-10 PY
Working Holiday (Subclass 417)	113,935	134,612	154,148	187,696	175,739
Work and Holiday (Subclass 462)*	751	1,810	3,426	6,407	7,422
Total Visa Grants	114,686	136,422	157,574	194,103	183,161

**Visa subclass 462 was introduced in March 2003 and is only available to applicants outside of Australia. However, from 1 January 2004, Subclass 462 visa holders became eligible to apply for a further Subclass 462 visa while in Australia.*

Total Working Holiday (Subclass 417) Visa Grants by Citizenship					
Citizenship	2005-06 PY	2006-07 PY	2007-08 PY	2008-09 PY	2009-10 PY
Belgium	765	894	976	1,223	1,298
Canada	6,828	7,078	8,090	8,737	8,217
Cyprus	7	8	5	25	15
Denmark	1,212	1,396	1,142	1,220	1,294
Estonia	220	362	521	1,248	1,387
Finland	882	1,007	928	1,060	997
France	6,125	8,210	11,005	16,250	18,172
Germany	12,089	15,688	17,438	20,319	20,880
Hong Kong	658	1,209	1,535	2,715	3,713
Ireland	12,554	13,518	17,120	22,786	14,833
Italy	2,454	3,241	3,568	4,632	5,481
Japan	9,415	11,707	10,599	9,324	8,089
Korea, Republic of	24,077	28,560	32,635	39,506	34,870
Malta	102	109	94	97	67
Netherlands	2,771	3,344	3,590	3,988	4,034
Norway	611	680	694	727	925
Sweden	3,548	3,995	3,914	4,398	4,210
Taiwan	739	2,311	6,132	9,240	10,188
UK	28,821	31,211	34,145	40,182	37,056
Other*	57	84	17	19	13
Total	113,935	134,612	154,148	187,696	175,739

**These are cases where the visa applicant has dual nationality and the visa approval has been recorded against the non-WHM eligible nationality.*