NEXT STEP 2016
DESTINATIONS OF 2015 YEAR 12s
Blackall State School

Introduction
This page presents a summary of results of the annual Next Step survey for Blackall State School. The Next Step survey, undertaken by the Queensland Government, targets all students who completed Year 12 and gained a Senior Statement in 2015, whether they attended a state, Catholic or independent school, or a TAFE secondary college. The Queensland Government Statistician’s Office conducted the survey between March and June 2016, approximately six months after the young people left school. Responses were collected online and via computer-assisted telephone interviewing.

Statewide and regional reports from the Next Step survey will be available on the Next Step website in September 2016 at www.education.qld.gov.au/nextstep.

Response rate for Blackall State School
Table 1 below reports the response rate for Blackall State School. It expresses the number of respondents from this school, as a percentage of all Year 12 completers who attended Blackall State School in 2015.

Table 1: Survey response rate, Blackall State School 2016

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Definitions of main destinations
The pathways of Year 12 completers were categorised into ten main destinations. Year 12 completers who were both studying and working were reported as studying for their main destination. A table defining these categories can be found in the statewide report at www.education.qld.gov.au/nextstep.

Summary of findings
In 2016, five young people who completed Year 12 at Blackall State School in 2015 continued in some recognised form of education and training in the year after they left school.

The most common study destination was Bachelor Degree (four respondents).

One Year 12 completer commenced employment-based training, as an apprentice.

There were no respondents from this school who deferred a tertiary offer in 2016.

Six respondents did not enter post-school education or training, and were either employed (five) or seeking work (one).

Figure 1: Main destination of Year 12 completers, Blackall State School 2016