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## Explanatory Notes

Year 12 students aged 15-19: Students enrolled at a school in Year 12/13 who were Australian citizens.
Achieved TCE: Year I2/I3 Students who were awarded the TCE in any year.
Caution on comparisons: Percentages are based upon the Year I2/I3 students within the school. These figures are not directly comparable with Tasmanian state values. For example, Tasmanian TCE attainment in 2016 of $56.4 \%$ is of the age weighted cohort of Tasmanian people aged I5-I9, and hence is concerned with the "potential" Year 12 student population. School figures are based only on those students already engaging with Year I2, and hence tend to result in higher values than would be obtained using a "potential" Year 12 student population. State values are available at: http://www.tasc.tas.gov.au//782, noting however this caution on comparisons.
Did some Maths (or Science) at TASC Level 3: The proportion taking (even those not completing) TASC Level 3 maths or science can be seen as an (indirect) indicator of the aspirations of the student group.
Did some VET and have an ATAR: This percentage is the proportion of those students with an ATAR who have done some VET.
Mean SES advantage / disadvantage: Estimated from ABS Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas (SEIFA) data linked by address. Values are standardised for Australia, with average of I000 and standard deviation of 100 . Values lower than 900 are in the bottom $16 \%$ of Australian values.
Mean Remoteness: Estimated from Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA) data linked by address.


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