

Table 6

Training Providers	The list of training bodies which have provided training courses in the past three financial years is set out at Annex 2.		
Financial Year	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
Course Type	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Full-time placement-tied course 2. Half-day or evening Skills Upgrading Scheme Plus (SUS Plus) course 		
Number of Training Places Utilised	2 116	2 508	1 712
Training Scope	Training scopes of the relevant courses are set out at Annex 3.		
Modes of Study (Full-time or Part-time)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Full-time placement-tied course: full-time 2. Half-day or evening SUS Plus Course: part-time 		
Entry Requirements	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Full-time placement-tied course: cater for the unemployed and non-engaged. The requirements on academic qualifications range from Primary 6 to Form 5 level. 2. Half-day or evening SUS Plus Course: mainly cater for employees or people planning for a career change; In general, there is no requirement on academic qualifications prescribed for these courses 		
Number of Training Hours	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Full-time placement-tied course: range from 120 to 160 hours 2. Half-day or evening SUS Plus Course: range from 14 to 24 hours per course 		
Tuition Fee	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Full-time placement-tied course: free-of-charge 2. Half-day or evening SUS Plus Course: range from \$250 to \$1,250, depending on the course nature and level of subsidies¹ 		
Subsidy	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Full-time placement-tied course: trainees attending courses with duration of seven days or more may apply for retraining allowance² 2. Half-day or evening SUS Plus Course: no subsidy offered 		
Number of Completions ³	1 780	1 929	1 487
Attendance Rate ⁴	91%	93%	91%

¹ Trainees with monthly income of \$9,000 or below may apply for course fee waiver. For those with monthly income between \$9,001 and \$19,500, they may apply for paying only about 30% of the training cost.

² The retraining allowance ranges from \$30 to \$153.8 per day depending on the types of courses and trainees.

³ A trainee who has enrolled in a training course is regarded as having completed the course if he has achieved an attendance rate of 80%. A trainee may pursue more than one ERB course within a financial year and may be involved in more than one completion.

⁴ “Attendance rate” is the percentage of the total number of trainees who completed the course over the total number of admitted trainees of the course. The benchmark is set at 80%.