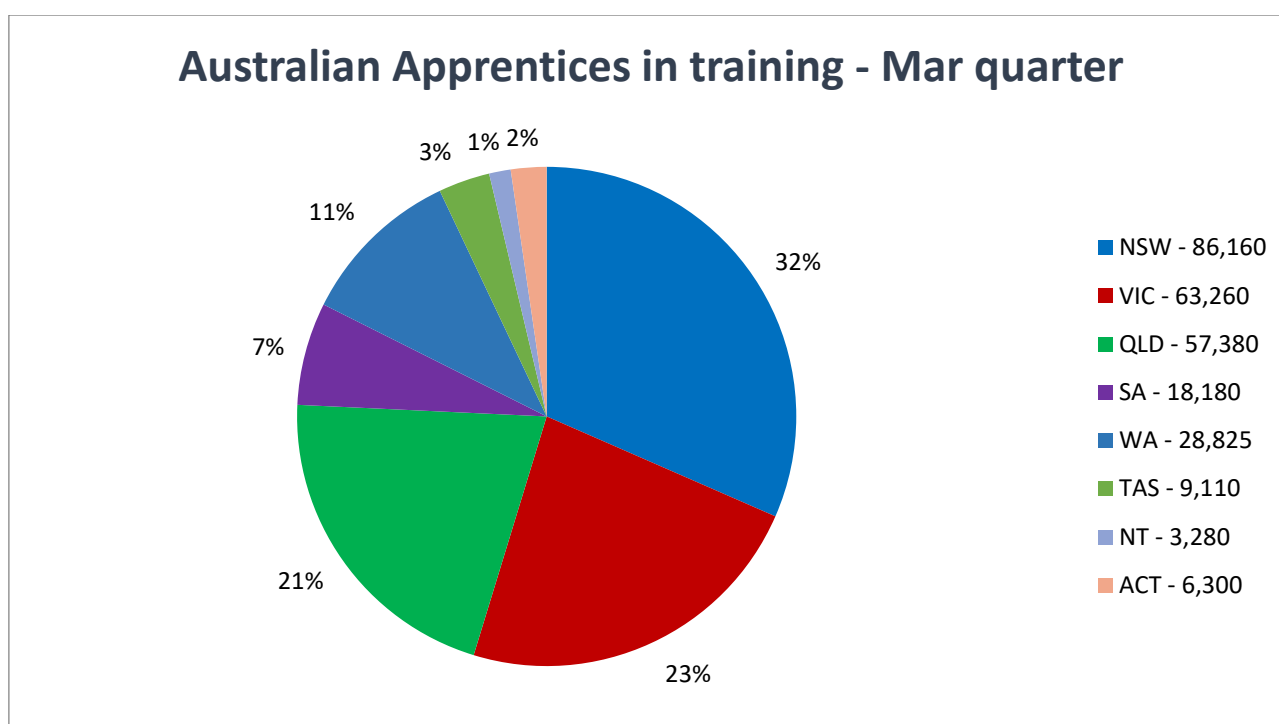


Annual Australian Apprenticeships Summary Statistics – 12 months to March 2020

Highlights of the NCVER March Quarter 2020 - Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for Australia:

In the 12 months to 31 March 2020, compared with the previous year:

- ◆ There were 272,505 apprentices and trainees in training, a decrease of 2.9% from the previous year (280,600)



- ◆ Commencements decreased by 7.7% to 145,105 (trade commencements decreased by 9.0% and non-trade commencements decreased by 6.5%)
- ◆ State and Territory Commencements compared with the previous year, showed:

NSW (-8.6%),	VIC (-14.4%),	QLD (-6.0%),	SA (+11.9%),
WA (-4.7%),	TAS (+0.4%),	NT (-24.1%),	ACT (-5.5%)
- ◆ Completions decreased by 0.3% to 88,685
- ◆ Cancellations and withdrawals decreased by 3.1% to 83,685

Source: NCVER Australian March Quarter 2020

Australian Apprenticeships Commencements by occupation and state/territory, 12 months ending March 2020 ('000)

Occupation	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	AUS
Technician & Trade Workers	20.2	17.2	14.8	3.9	6.6	1.8	0.6	1.7	66.8
Community and personal service workers	7.4	6.1	6.2	1.2	3.1	0.9	0.6	1.0	26.4
Clerical and administrative workers	4.4	2.5	4.9	1.5	1.8	0.9	0.2	0.6	16.7
Machinery operators and drivers	3.8	1.5	4.3	0.7	2.0	0.5	0.1	0.2	13.0
Sales Workers	3.3	1.8	2.0	1.2	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.2	10.0
Labourers	2.4	1.9	2.9	0.6	1.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	9.8
Managers	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.6	1.9
Professionals	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.5
Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
								Total	145.1

Australian Apprenticeships Commencements in the Top Training Packages in the March Quarter 2020 ('000)

Training Package	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	AUS
Construction	2.6	2.3	1.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.2	7.5
Electrotechnology	2.0	1.1	1.0	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.2	5.1
Auto RS&R	1.5	0.9	1.2	0.3	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.1	4.8
Business Services	1.4	0.7	1.3	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	4.6
Community Services	1.7	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.2	4.0
Metal & Engineering	1.0	0.4	1.0	0.2	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.4
Tourism, Hospitality	0.7	0.9	1.0	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.1	3.4
Agri, Hort, Cons	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	2.1
Retail Services	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.0
Resources & Infra.	0.3	0.1	0.7	0.1	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7
Transport & Logistics	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2

View a snapshot of Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for the March Quarter in:

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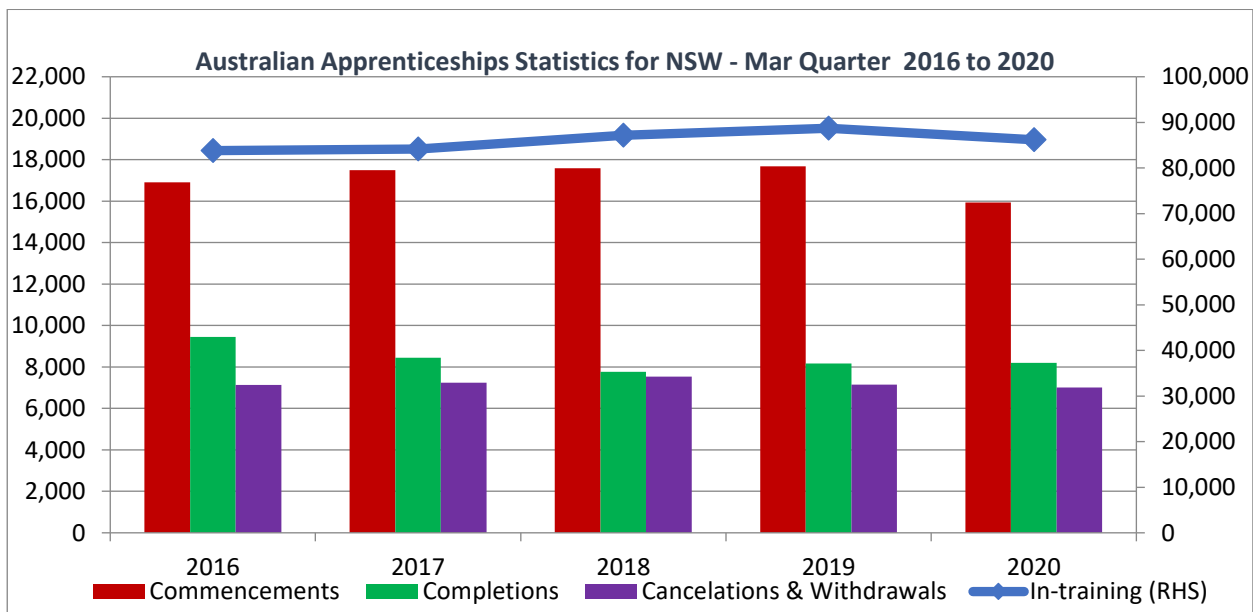
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Source: NCVER Australian March Quarter 2020

Note: All totals are rounded to the nearest hundred

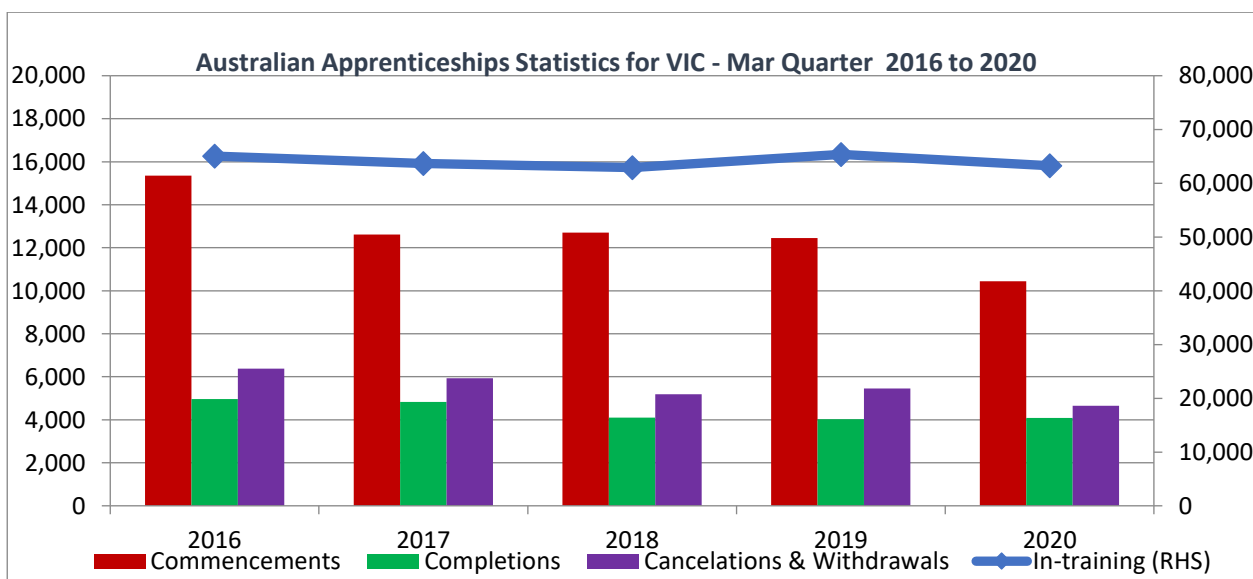
Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for NSW – March Quarter 2019 - 2020

- ◆ There were 86,160 apprentices and trainees in training, a decrease of 2.9% compared to the previous year’s March quarter (88,705)
- ◆ Commencements (15,940) and Cancellations and withdrawals (7,010) decreased, while Completions (8,205) increased from the previous year



Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for VIC – March Quarter 2019 - 2020

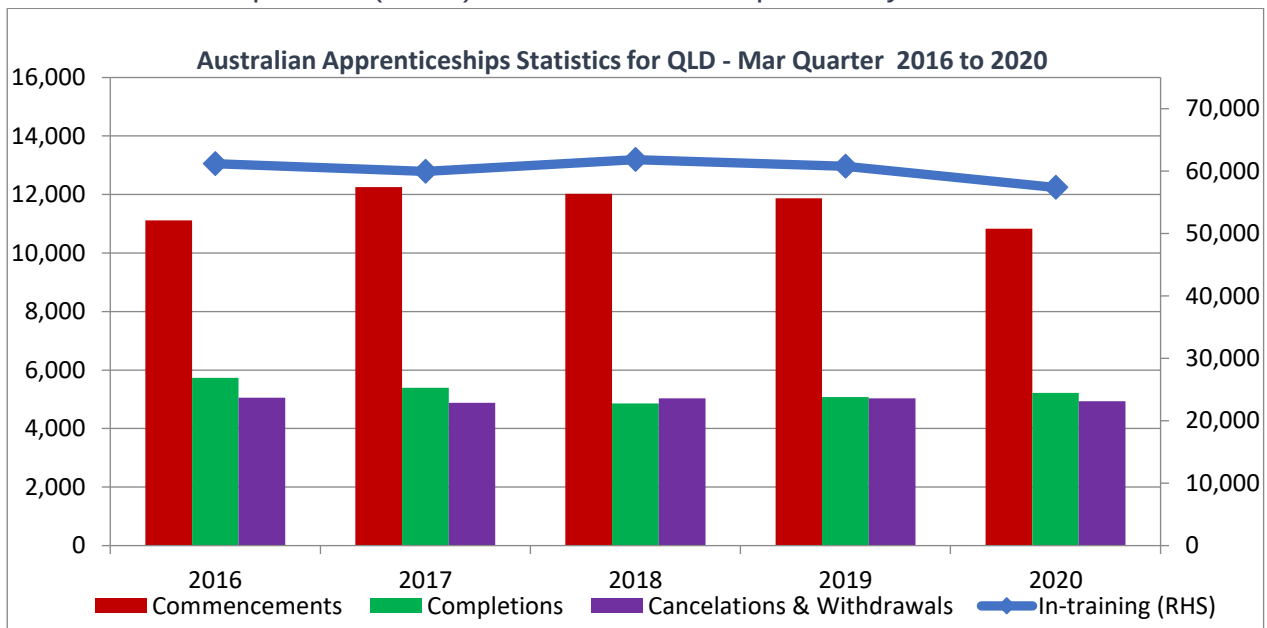
- ◆ There were 63,260 apprentices and trainees in training, a decrease of 3.2% compared to the previous year’s March quarter (65,360)
- ◆ Commencements (10,445) and Cancellations and withdrawals (4,645) decreased, while Completions (4,090) increased from the previous year



Source: NCVER Australian March Quarter 2020

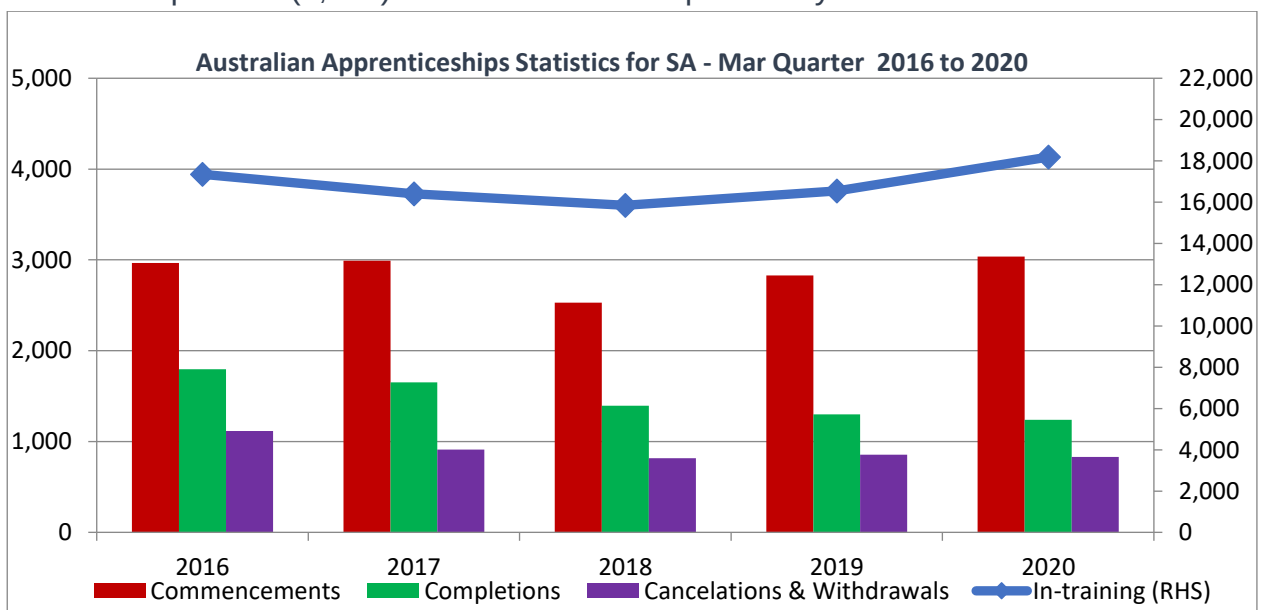
Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for QLD – March Quarter 2019 - 2020

- ◆ There were 57,380 apprentices and trainees in training, a decrease of 5.6% compared to the previous year’s March quarter (60,790)
- ◆ Commencements (10,835) and Cancellations and withdrawals (4,940) decreased, while Completions (5,215) increased from the previous year



Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for SA – March Quarter 2019 - 2020

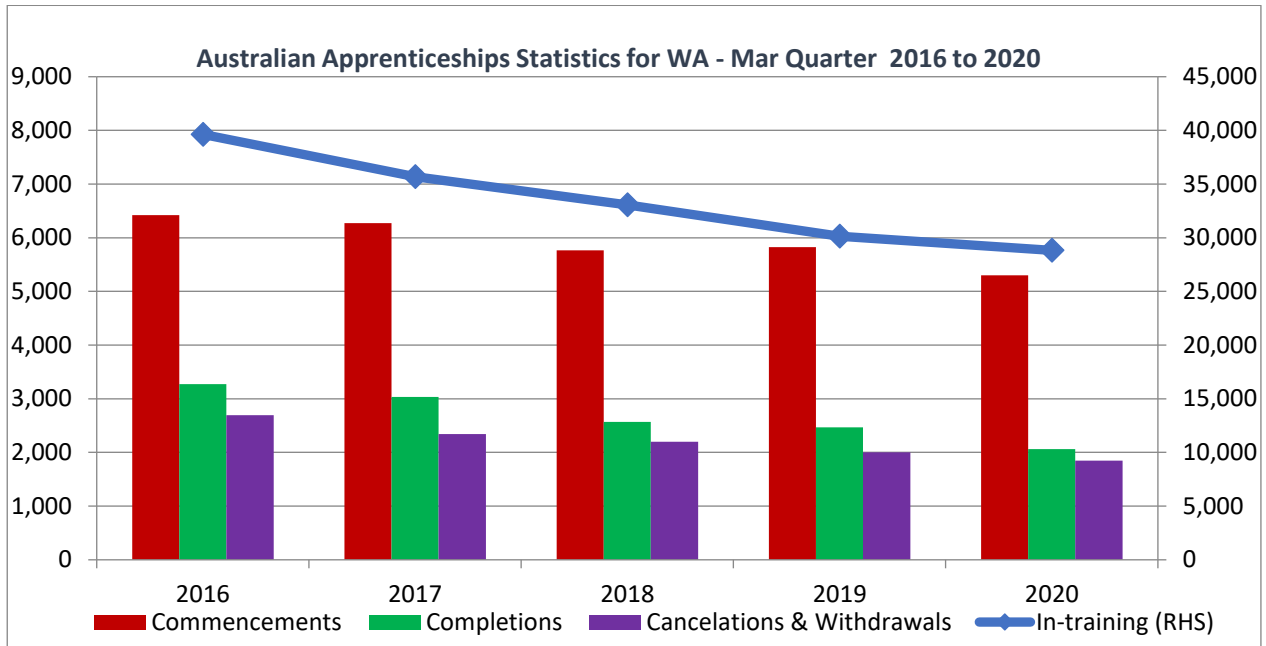
- ◆ There were 18,180 apprentices and trainees in training, an increase of 9.9% compared to the previous year’s March quarter (16,540)
- ◆ Commencements (3,035) increased while Cancellations and withdrawals (830) and Completions (1,240) decreased from the previous year



Source: NCVET Australian March Quarter 2020

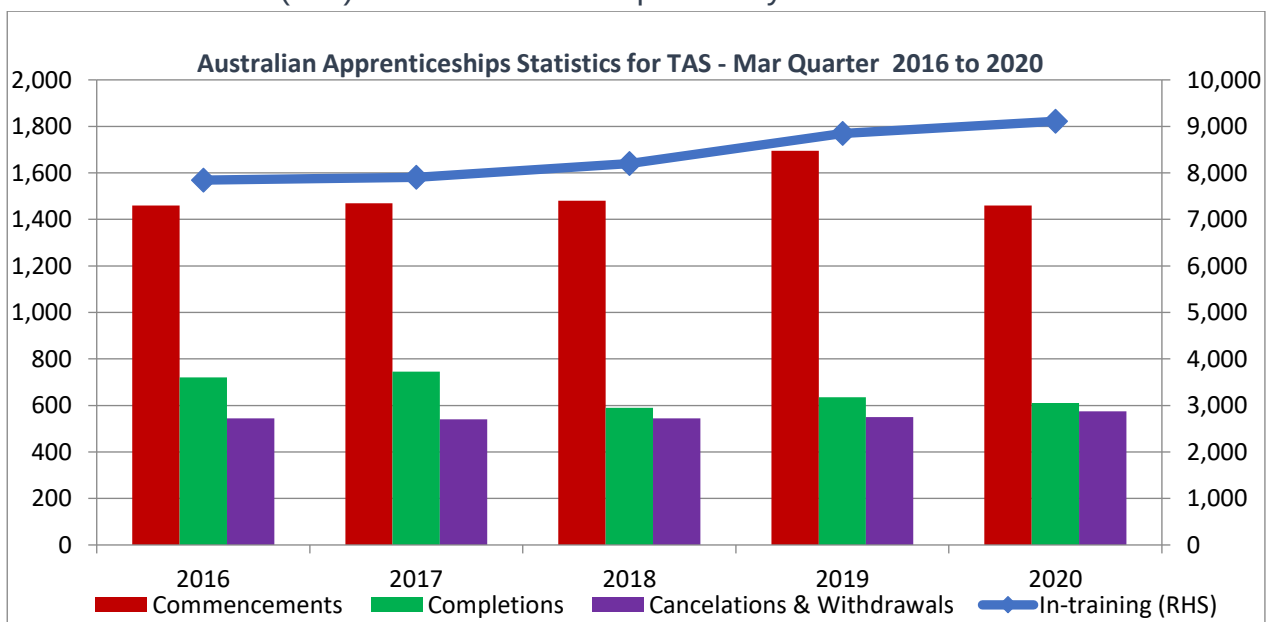
Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for WA – March Quarter 2019 - 2020

- ◆ There were 28,825 apprentices and trainees in training, a decrease of 4.4% compared to the previous year's March quarter (30,140)
- ◆ Commencements (5,300), Completions (2,065) and Cancellations and withdrawals (1,845) all decreased from the previous year



Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for TAS – March Quarter 2019 - 2020

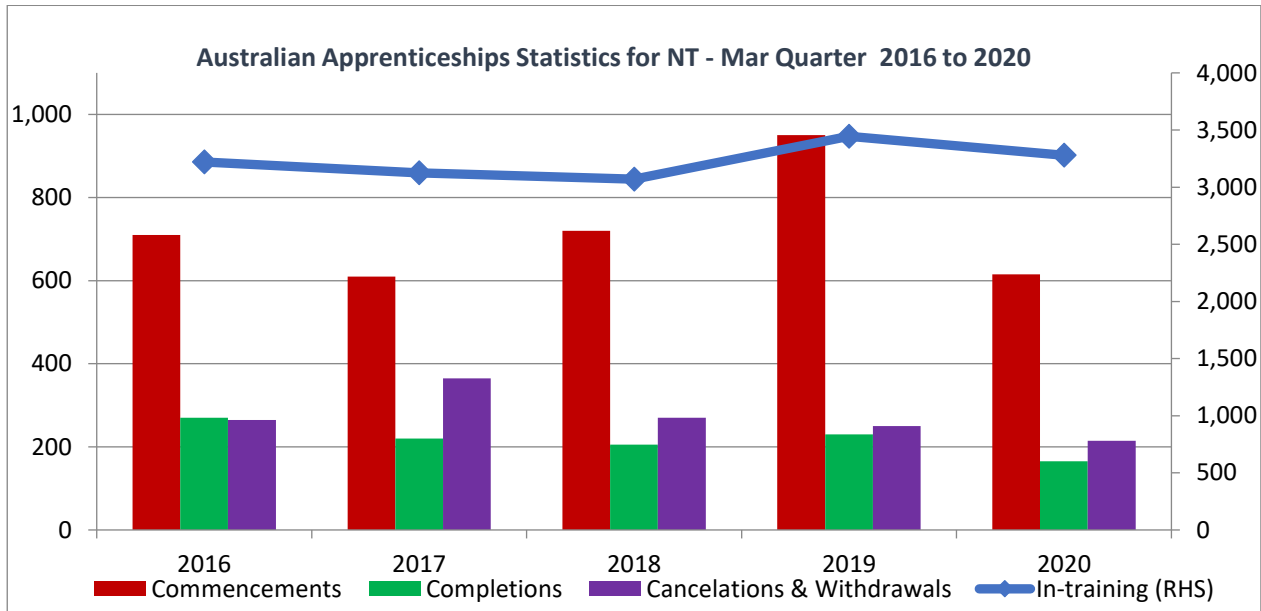
- ◆ There were 9,110 apprentices and trainees in training, an increase of 2.9% compared to the previous year's March quarter (8,850)
- ◆ Commencements (1,460) and Completions (610) decreased, while Cancellations and withdrawals (575) increased from the previous year



Source: NCVET Australian March Quarter 2020

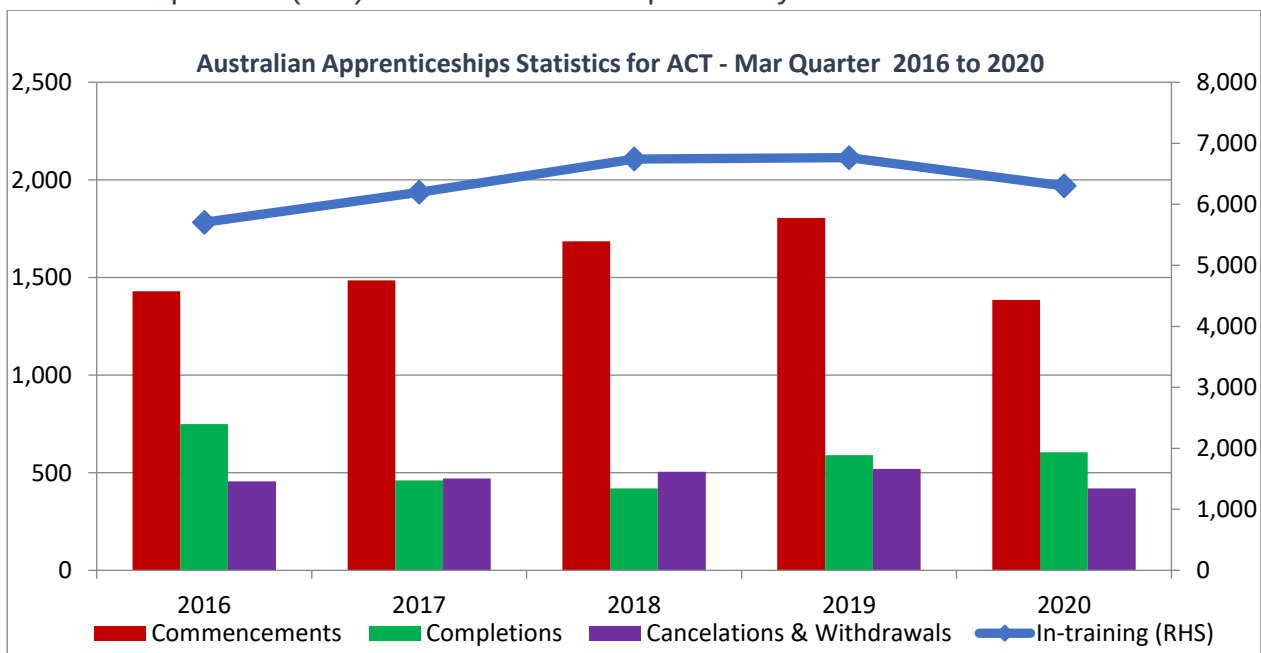
Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for NT – March Quarter 2019 - 2020

- ◆ There were 3,280 apprentices and trainees in training, a decrease of 4.8% compared to the previous year's March quarter (3,445)
- ◆ Commencements (615), Completions (165) and Cancellations and withdrawals (215) all decreased from the previous year



Australian Apprenticeships Statistics for ACT – March Quarter 2019 - 2020

- ◆ There were 6,300 apprentices and trainees in training, a decrease of 6.9% compared to the previous year's March quarter (6,765)
- ◆ Commencements (1,385) and Cancellations and withdrawals (420) decreased, while Completions (605) increased from the previous year



Source: NCVER Australian March Quarter 2020