

Table 6.1: Apprenticeship Programme Starts by Level and Age (2005/06 to 2008/09)

| Level | Age | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 ⁵ | 2007/08 | | | | 2008/09 ⁵ | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | Full Year (final) | Full Year (final) | Full Year (final) | Full Year (provisional) | Quarter 1 (final) | Quarter 2 (final) | Quarter 3 (final) | Quarter 4 (final) | Quarter 1 (provisional) | Quarter 2 (provisional) | Quarter 3 (provisional) | Quarter 4 (provisional) |
| Apprenticeship (level 2) | Under 16 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 300 | 100 | - | - | 400 | 100 | - | - | 200 |
| | 16-18 | 76,600 | 80,300 | 81,500 | 72,600 | 39,700 | 13,900 | 13,600 | 14,400 | 37,100 | 13,300 | 11,300 | 10,900 |
| | 19-24 | 45,600 | 46,500 | 55,200 | 51,400 | 16,300 | 10,700 | 14,900 | 13,200 | 18,100 | 12,000 | 12,700 | 8,600 |
| | 25+ | 100 | 100 | 14,600 | 31,000 | 800 | 1,400 | 4,100 | 8,300 | 9,900 | 8,700 | 8,300 | 4,100 |
| | Total | 122,800 | 127,400 | 151,800 | 155,300 | 56,900 | 26,000 | 32,600 | 36,200 | 65,200 | 33,900 | 32,300 | 23,800 |
| Advanced Apprenticeship (level 3) | Under 16 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 16-18 | 22,400 | 24,800 | 25,500 | 24,100 | 14,800 | 3,900 | 3,200 | 3,600 | 15,400 | 3,100 | 2,900 | 2,600 |
| | 19-24 | 29,500 | 32,100 | 34,900 | 30,900 | 12,400 | 6,400 | 8,600 | 7,500 | 13,500 | 6,500 | 6,600 | 4,300 |
| | 25+ | 200 | 100 | 12,600 | 23,700 | 900 | 1,300 | 3,900 | 6,500 | 8,400 | 6,100 | 6,100 | 3,100 |
| | Total | 52,100 | 57,000 | 73,000 | 78,700 | 28,000 | 11,600 | 15,800 | 17,500 | 37,400 | 15,700 | 15,600 | 10,000 |
| All Apprenticeships | Under 16 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 400 | 100 | - | - | 400 | 100 | - | - | 200 |
| | 16-18 | 99,000 | 105,100 | 107,000 | 96,700 | 54,500 | 17,800 | 16,800 | 18,000 | 52,500 | 16,400 | 14,200 | 13,500 |
| | 19-24 | 75,200 | 78,600 | 90,100 | 82,300 | 28,700 | 17,200 | 23,600 | 20,600 | 31,600 | 18,400 | 19,300 | 13,000 |
| | 25+ | 300 | 300 | 27,200 | 54,700 | 1,600 | 2,700 | 8,000 | 14,700 | 18,300 | 14,800 | 14,400 | 7,200 |
| | Total | 175,000 | 184,400 | 224,800 | 234,000 | 84,900 | 37,600 | 48,400 | 53,800 | 102,600 | 49,700 | 47,900 | 33,900 |

Table 6.2: Apprenticeship Framework Achievements by Level and Age (2005/06 to 2008/09)

| Level | Age | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 ⁵ | 2007/08 | | | | 2008/09 ⁵ | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | Full Year (final) | Full Year (final) | Full Year (final) | Full Year (provisional) | Quarter 1 (final) | Quarter 2 (final) | Quarter 3 (final) | Quarter 4 (final) | Quarter 1 (provisional) | Quarter 2 (provisional) | Quarter 3 (provisional) | Quarter 4 (provisional) |
| Apprenticeship (level 2) | Under 16 | 400 | 400 | 300 | 300 | 100 | - | 100 | 100 | 100 | - | 100 | 100 |
| | 16-18 | 44,600 | 49,700 | 46,800 | 43,000 | 10,700 | 8,200 | 9,100 | 18,800 | 11,500 | 8,200 | 8,800 | 14,500 |
| | 19-24 | 25,300 | 28,200 | 28,400 | 32,700 | 6,300 | 5,500 | 6,500 | 10,000 | 7,400 | 7,000 | 8,300 | 10,000 |
| | 25+ | - | 100 | 900 | 11,200 | - | - | 200 | 600 | 900 | 1,900 | 3,200 | 5,200 |
| | Total | 70,300 | 78,400 | 76,300 | 87,200 | 17,000 | 13,800 | 15,800 | 29,600 | 19,900 | 17,100 | 20,400 | 29,800 |
| Advanced Apprenticeship (level 3) | Under 16 | 100 | 100 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | 16-18 | 13,900 | 15,500 | 16,200 | 14,800 | 3,600 | 3,000 | 3,300 | 6,300 | 3,900 | 2,800 | 3,500 | 4,500 |
| | 19-24 | 14,300 | 17,800 | 19,700 | 20,200 | 4,500 | 3,700 | 4,300 | 7,200 | 5,400 | 4,200 | 4,600 | 6,000 |
| | 25+ | 100 | 100 | 300 | 4,700 | - | - | 100 | 200 | 300 | 500 | 1,200 | 2,700 |
| | Total | 28,400 | 33,400 | 36,200 | 39,700 | 8,100 | 6,700 | 7,600 | 13,700 | 9,600 | 7,500 | 9,400 | 13,200 |
| All Apprenticeships | Under 16 | 500 | 500 | 300 | 300 | 100 | - | 100 | 100 | 100 | - | 100 | 100 |
| | 16-18 | 58,500 | 65,200 | 63,000 | 57,800 | 14,300 | 11,200 | 12,300 | 25,200 | 15,400 | 11,000 | 12,300 | 19,000 |
| | 19-24 | 39,600 | 46,000 | 48,100 | 52,900 | 10,800 | 9,300 | 10,800 | 17,200 | 12,800 | 11,200 | 12,900 | 16,000 |
| | 25+ | 100 | 200 | 1,200 | 16,000 | - | 100 | 200 | 800 | 1,200 | 2,500 | 4,400 | 7,800 |
| | Total | 98,700 | 111,800 | 112,600 | 126,900 | 25,200 | 20,600 | 23,500 | 43,400 | 29,500 | 24,700 | 29,700 | 42,900 |

Notes

- 1) The following data sources have been used; Work-based learning (WBL) – 2007/08 and earlier years (W13 final), 2008/09 (E12 07/08/09).
- 2) Volumes are rounded to the nearest hundred.
- 3) '-' Indicates a base value of less than fifty.
- 4) Unlike participation figures, figures are comparable between 2008/09 and earlier years as demand led funding does not affect starts and achievements definitions.
- 5) Apprenticeship starts and achievements for 2008/09 are provisional. Starts will rise by approximately 2-3% and achievements will rise by approximately 10% when final data is returned by providers. This revised information will be shown in the December 2009 SFR.
- 6) Age is calculated based on age at start of the programme rather than based on 31 August.
- 7) In Table 6.1 full-year numbers are a count of the number of starts at any point during the year. Learners starting more than one framework will appear more than once.
- 8) In Table 6.2 full-year numbers are a count of the number of framework achievements at any point during the year. Learners achieving more than one framework will appear more than once.
- 9) Higher Level Apprenticeships are included with Advanced Apprenticeships. Programme-Led Apprenticeships recorded in WBL ILR returns are included in the above figures.
- 10) In order to be counted as a successful achievement, all elements of the framework must have been achieved.
- 11) Quarter 1 - 1 August to 31 October; Quarter 2 - 1 November to 31 January; Quarter 3 - 1 February to 30 April; Quarter 4 - 1 May to 31 July.
- 12) Further breakdowns of the data are available at the Data Service website: www.thedataservice.org.uk/statistics.