

## Direct Continuation 2012–2016 Smithton High School

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Year 10	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Series	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Series	Indicator
Year 12	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016		
Year 10 Cohort	71	69	65	57	62								
Year 11 Students	54	56	48	47	41		76%	81%	74%	82%	66%		-7.3
Year 12 Students	41	42	36	38	32		58%	61%	55%	67%	52%		-5.9
Achieved TCE	21	22	12	24	19		30%	32%	18%	42%	31%		-1.4
Achieved an ATAR	9	12	7	14	8		13%	17%	11%	25%	13%		-3.3
Attained VET Certificate	14	10	13	11	10		20%	14%	20%	19%	16%		-1.8

Socioeconomic Profile	School ICSEA	ICSEA Quartiles					
	2014	Bottom	Midd	dle	Тор		
	866	65	25	8	2		

## **Explanatory Notes**

**Direct Continuation:** a student must achieve at least I credit point towards their TCE in the next year to be considered a direct continuation. The study can be at any Tasmanian school or Registered Training Organisation.

Year 10 Cohort: Students registered with TASC at the school.

Year 11 Students: Students who directly continued into Year 11 in the year after Year 10.

Year 12 Students: Students who directly continued into Year 12 two years after Year 10.

**TCE:** Attained the Tasmanian Certificate of Education two years after Year 10.

ATAR: Attained an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank two years after Year 10.

VET: Attained a Vocational Education and Training Certificate within two years after Year 10.

Values of NR: Not reported for results based on cohorts of fewer than 5 students in Year 10, 11 or 12.

**Trend indicators** balance short-term change from the previous year, with longer-term change over five years. These are calculated using the average of the three slopes for Year 10 cohorts from 2013-2014, 2012-2014, and 2010-2014. Values where this average slope exceeds ±1.0% per year are highlighted.

ICSEA: The index of community socio-educational advantage (ICSEA) was created by the Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA). ICSEA provides an indication of the socio-educational backgrounds of students. ICSEA isn't a school rating. ICSEA is a scale which allows for fair and reasonable comparisons among Australian schools with similar students. Values are standardised for Australia, with an average of 1000 and standard deviation of 100. Values lower than 900 are in the bottom 16% of Australian values, and values lower than 950 are in the bottom 31% of Australian values. Further information is available at http://www.acara.edu.au/verve/\_resources/About\_icsea\_2014.pdf

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