# Department of Education and Training

# Higher Education and Skills Group

# Participation Inclusion and Regional Engagement Branch Memo: *2018 / October / 29*

**TO: Learn Local organisations - *ALL***

 **ACFE Board**

 **ACFE Regional Councils**

 **Adult Education Institutions**

 **Learn Local Stakeholders**

 **PIRE Branch Staff**

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Participation, Inclusion and Regional Engagement Branch

**DATE:** 29 October 2018

**SUBJECT: Increase to pre-accredited training delivery subsidy rate in 2019 announced.**

## Actions / Critical Dates:

*In 2019 the pre-accredited subsidy rate will be increased from $8.20 to $9.10 per student contact hour.*

* *No action is required by providers as the Department will process this increase against agreed 2019 pre-accredited delivery plans.*
* *Any increase to other 2019 pre-accredited delivery, including LEAP, will also be processed by the Department with no action required by providers.*

## 2019 Pre-accredited Subsidy Increase Announcement

On 25 October 2018 the Minister for Training and Skills Gayle Tierney announced an increase to the pre-accredited subsidy rate for 2019 delivery to support pre-accredited training delivery.

The current base rate of $8.20 per student contact hour will increase to $9.10 for 2019 pre-accredited training delivery. This change will be reflected in all other pre-accredited programs such as LEAP.

The increased rate will be applied by the Department, and will require no action by providers for processing. Where 2019 pre-accredited delivery takes place in the designated regional postcode areas, the 20% pre-accredited regional loading will be applied to the new base rate.

## For more information

If you have any questions or would like more information please call your regional office.

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