

Apprenticeship Data Publication to 31 March 2024

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Summary

The Department for Education published guidance to accompany the regulations bringing into effect the Public Sector Apprenticeship Targets for Multi Academy Trusts that employ more than 250 employees. This Data Publication included several figures which enabled Government, the public and wider stakeholders to understand the employee headcount of Together Learning Trust and the number of apprentices that were employed. The target set up until 31 March 2021 was for these public sector bodies to have regard to the target to employ an average of at least 2.3% of their staff as new apprentices.

The government would like organisations to increase their commitment to apprenticeships and have asked that bodies employing over 250 employees publish annual data on new apprenticeship starts, total number if apprenticeships and organisation headcounts.

The information to be collected by the 31 May each year is as follows:

- Organisational headcount
- Total number of new apprentices
- Apprentices as a percentage of headcount

Data

The data calculations relating to Together Learning Trust are provided below:

A.	The number of employees who were employed at 31st March 2023.	617
B.	The number of apprentices who began to work for the Trust in the period between 1 April 2023 and 31 March 2024. This includes employees who were already working for the Trust before beginning their apprenticeship, as well as new apprenticeship hires.	5
C.	The number of employees who were employed at 31 March 2024.	791
D.	The number of apprentices who were employed at 31 March 2024.	8
E.	Percentage of apprenticeship starts (both new hires and existing employees who started an apprenticeship) between 1 April 2023 and 31 March 2024 as a proportion of headcount.	0.008%

- **F.** Percentage of total apprentices as a proportion of headcount at 31 March 2024
- **G.** The total number of apprentices who worked for the Trust immediately prior to 31 March 2023.

Next report to be published May 2025 for the period 1 April 2024 and 31 March 2025