

Indicator 6: Educational Attainment

Introduction: Employers continue to require higher educational attainments for a wider range of occupations. In addition, net employment growth is concentrated among those with post-secondary training. As a result, educational attainment can be either a constraint or source of employment opportunity.

**Profile Table 6
Educational Attainment (Distribution)
2006**

	Area %	Ontario %
Age cohort 15-24		
No certificate, diploma or degree	43.5	39.9
High School Certificate or Equivalent	36.6	38.6
Apprenticeship or Trades Certificate or Diploma	2.2	2.3
College, CEGEP or other non-university Certificate or Diploma	10.9	9.9
University Certificate Diploma or Degree	6.8	9.3
Total	100.0	100.0
Age cohort 25-34		
No certificate, diploma or degree	7.6	8.7
High School Certificate or Equivalent	25.5	23.8
Apprenticeship or Trades Certificate or Diploma	6.6	6.0
College, CEGEP or other non-university Certificate or Diploma	32.3	24.3
University Certificate Diploma or Degree	28.0	37.2
Total	100.0	100.0
Age cohort 35-44		
No certificate, diploma or degree	9.1	10.5
High School Certificate or Equivalent	27.2	24.3
Apprenticeship or Trades Certificate or Diploma	10.1	8.6
College, CEGEP or other non-university Certificate or Diploma	29.2	23.9
University Certificate Diploma or Degree	24.4	32.7
Total	100.0	100.0
Age cohort 45-54		
No certificate, diploma or degree	12.6	14.5
High School Certificate or Equivalent	31.3	27.2
Apprenticeship or Trades Certificate or Diploma	10.4	9.6
College, CEGEP or other non-university Certificate or Diploma	25.7	21.5
University Certificate Diploma or Degree	20.0	27.2
Total	100.0	100.0
Age cohort 55-64		
No certificate, diploma or degree	19.2	22.1
High School Certificate or Equivalent	27.9	24.4
Apprenticeship or Trades Certificate or Diploma	12.2	10.9
College, CEGEP or other non-university Certificate or Diploma	21.0	17.5
University Certificate Diploma or Degree	19.7	25.1
Total	100.0	100.0

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census