

Figure	Description	Headcount as at 31 Mar 2021	Comments - 2021
A	The number of employees whose employment in England by the body began in the reporting period in question	329	
B	The number of apprentices who began to work for the body in that period and whose apprenticeship agreements also began in that period. • This includes employees who were already working for the body before beginning their apprenticeship, as well as new apprentice hires.	27	Schools = 11 Existing = 7 New appointments = 9
C	the number of employees employed in England that the body has at the end of that period.	3,579	
D	the number of apprentices who work for the body at the end of that period.	50	Schools = 12 Existing = 25 New appointments = 13
Public bodies are also required to provide two percentages in order to give context to the other figures. These percentages do not reflect the progress a public body has made towards the target:			
E	Figure B expressed as a percentage of figure A. Percentage of apprenticeship starts (both new hires and existing employees who started an apprenticeship) as a proportion of employment starts	8.21%	
F	Figure D expressed as a percentage of figure C. Percentage of total headcount that were apprentices	1.40%	
If the public body is in their first reporting period they must also provide			
G	The number of apprentices who worked for the body immediately before that period		
In addition, the Apprenticeship Activity Return (Return Section 2) requires public bodies to send the following figures, which will help identify their progress towards meeting the target, to the Department for Education. Public bodies could also consider providing these figures in the Data Publication:			
H	Headcount on the day before the first day of each reporting period in the target period;	3,748	
I	Figure B expressed as a percentage of figure H Percentage of apprenticeship starts (both new hires and existing employees who started an apprenticeship) in the financial year as a proportion of total headcount at the end of previous financial year	0.72%	