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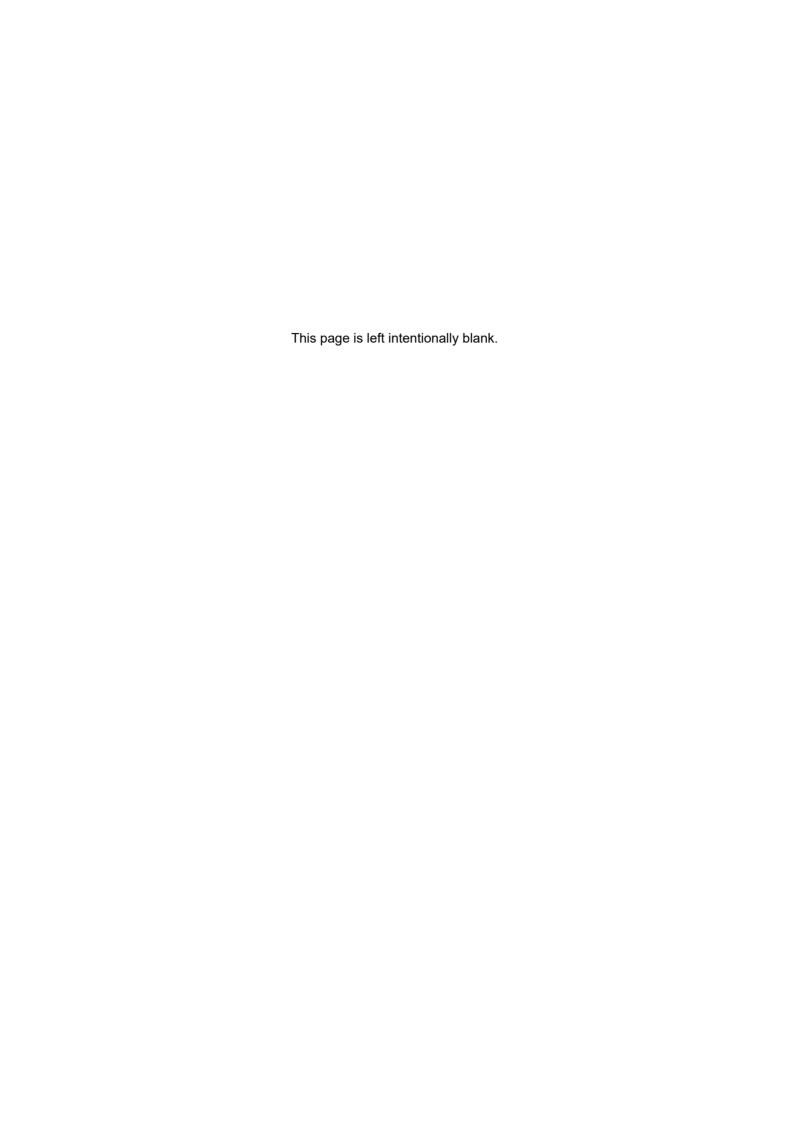
Working Holiday Maker visa program report

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About this report

This report provides monthly and program year data on the Working Holiday Maker (WHM) visa program administered by the Department of Home Affairs (the department). The report has been provided to assist policymakers and stakeholder organisations.

This report is published every six months. Current and previous versions of the report are available on the department's website. These reports are available at:

https://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/research-and-statistics/visa-statistics/visa-statistics/visit>...

Data is sourced from several departmental visa processing and recording systems. Data can be dynamic and there can be delays in transmission of information from the department's global operations. Variations in figures between this report and previous reports can occur. Due to these issues, data from the current financial year should always be considered provisional.

Further information about the Working Holiday Maker visa program is available on the department's website at:

Working Holiday Maker (WHM) program (homeaffairs.gov.au) Working Holiday visa (subclass 417) (homeaffairs.gov.au) Work and Holiday visa (subclass 462) (homeaffairs.gov.au)

Additional statistics for the Working Holiday Maker visa program are available on <u>data.gov.au</u> by searching "Working Holiday".

Notes on statistical tables presented by citizenship country

A result of 'na' indicates that the country did not have a Working Holiday Maker arrangement with Australia during the specified period. This may be because the arrangement had not yet commenced or the arrangement is no longer in place. Refer to the table 'Australia's Working Holiday Maker arrangements' in the 'Background to the Working Holiday Maker visa program' section.

A citizenship country of 'Not Specified' can result from eligible dual nationality applicants where the non-eligible nationality has been recorded for the WHM application.

Note 1: Data in years prior to 2017-18 was revised on 1 October 2019, due to better source data becoming available. This may result in minor discrepancies with previously published statistics.

Enquiries

Any comment or enquiries concerning this report should be sent to statistical.coordination@homeaffairs.gov.au quoting Report Id BR0110.

Definition of terms

Citizenship country: The country of citizenship of the visa applicant or visa holder. Where a visa applicant

or visa holder has more than one citizenship country, either the citizenship of the travel document or the citizenship nominated by the visa applicant is used.

Granted: Unless otherwise specified, the number of visas granted includes all visa grants.

Snapshot date: The snapshot date is a point in time at which a count is undertaken. In this report, the

number of visa holders in Australia at a point in time is used.

Visa applicant: Used to refer to clients applying for a visa.

Working Holiday Maker: Refers collectively to both the Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa and the Work and

Holiday (subclass 462) visa.

Background to the Working Holiday Maker visa program

The purpose of the Working Holiday Maker (WHM) visa program is to foster people-to-people links between Australia and partner countries, with particular emphasis on young adults. It has been in existence since 1975. Today, the WHM visa program includes two subclasses: the Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa and the Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa. Partner countries initially comprised a relatively small number of Commonwealth countries. The program now has 50 partner countries and regions from across the world.

Australia has an overarching bilateral arrangement, usually in the form of a Memorandum of Understanding, with each partner country or region. Of the 50 partner countries or regions, 19 are Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa arrangements, and 31 are Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa arrangements. The key difference between the two visas is that Work and Holiday visa arrangements generally have caps on the number of first visas granted in each program year and additional eligibility requirements.

WHM arrangements are largely reciprocal, providing Australians with similar opportunities overseas. In considering whether to add new WHM partner countries, the Australian Government considers a range of factors, including the ability of the prospective partner to offer reciprocity to Australians, and the strength of existing people-to-people links.

Eligibility requirements

WHM (both Working Holiday and Work and Holiday) visa applicants must:

- be aged 18-30 (inclusive) at time of application. For Canada, France, Denmark, Ireland, Italy and The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (including British National Overseas passport holders) the age is 18-35 (inclusive).
- hold a passport from an eligible partner country or region. A list of eligible countries and regions is provided in the 'Australia's Working Holiday Maker Visa Arrangements' section of this report.
- not be accompanied by dependent children during their stay in Australia.
- meet financial, health and character requirements.

Work and Holiday visa applicants must meet additional requirements, which vary between eligible countries, based on the agreements set out in the individual MOUs for partner countries.

More information on specific eligibility requirements for Work and Holiday visa applicants is available on the department's website at:

Work and Holiday visa (subclass 462) First Work and Holiday visa (homeaffairs.gov.au)

Working while in Australia

All WHMs may work for the full duration of their 12 month stay in Australia, but generally cannot remain with any one employer for longer than six months (by operation of mandatory visa condition 8547), unless an exemption applies or they have obtained written permission from the department.

More information on the circumstances in which WHMs can work longer than six months with the same employer is available on the department's website at:

https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/what-we-do/whm-program/specified-work-conditions/6-month-work-limitation

Studying while in Australia

All WHMs are entitled to study for a period of up to four months during their 12-month stay in Australia.

Background to the Working Holiday Maker visa program - continued

Second and third Working Holiday visas

First-time Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa holders who complete three months of 'specified subclass 417 work' during their stay become eligible to apply for a second Working Holiday visa. Second Working Holiday visa holders who complete six months of 'specified subclass 417 work' during their stay become eligible to apply for a third Working Holiday visa.

Specified subclass 417 work includes work in the agriculture, mining, construction, tourism and hospitality industries, as well as bushfire and natural disaster recovery work, and critical COVID-19 work in the healthcare and medical sectors.

For the purposes of second and third Working Holiday visa eligibility, eligible work types, dates and postcodes are available on the department's website at:

https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/what-we-do/whm-program/specified-work-conditions/specified-work-417

Second and third Work and Holiday visas

First-time Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa holders who complete three months of 'specified subclass 462 work' during their stay become eligible to apply for a second Work and Holiday visa. Second Work and Holiday visa holders who complete six months of 'specified subclass 462 work' during their stay become eligible to apply for a third Work and Holiday visa.

Specified subclass 462 work includes work in the agriculture, construction, tourism and hospitality industries, bushfire and natural disaster recovery work and critical COVID-19 work in the healthcare and medical sectors.

For the purposes of second and third Work and Holiday visa eligibility, eligible work types, dates and postcodes are available on the department's website at:

https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/what-we-do/whm-program/specified-work-conditions/specified-work-462

The department continues to accept specified work under critical COVID-19 healthcare and medical sectors performed after 31 January 2020 for applicants who apply for a second or third WHM visa.

Processing times

Working Holiday Maker visa processing times are available from department's website at: <a href="https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-processing-times/global-visa-proces

The published processing times are updated on a monthly basis to reflect current caseloads and processing pressures. Processing times are impacted each month by changes in application volumes, seasonal peaks, complex cases and incomplete applications.

Australia's Working Holiday Maker visa arrangements

Commencement Date	Country / Region	Type of Arrangement	Сар
1975	United Kingdom	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1975	Ireland	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1975	Canada	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 December 1980	Japan	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
22 December 1980	Netherlands (formalised 2006)	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 1995	South Korea	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 1996	Malta	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2000	Germany	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2001	Sweden	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2001	Norway	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2001	Denmark	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
15 September 2001	Hong Kong (HKSAR of the PRC)	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 May 2002	Finland	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2002	Cyprus	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
2 January 2004	Italy	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
20 February 2004	France	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 November 2004	Taiwan	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 November 2004	Belgium	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
20 May 2005	Estonia	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 August 2005	Thailand	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,000
1 March 2006	Chile	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
31 March 2007	Turkey	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
31 October 2007	United States of America	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	N/A
1 February 2009	Malaysia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,100
1 July 2009	Indones ia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	4,612
29 February 2012	Argentina	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
1 April 2013	Uruguay	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
1 August 2014	Poland	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
23 November 2014	Portugal	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
23 November 2014	Spain	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
21 September 2015	China (excl. SARs)	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	5,000
1 January 2016	Slovak Republic	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1000
1 January 2016	Slovenia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
1 June 2016	Israel	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,500
1 January 2017	Hungary	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 January 2017	San Marino	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
1 January 2017	Luxembourg	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
1 March 2017	Vietnam	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
1 August 2017	Singapore	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,500
1 October 2017	Peru	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
15 February 2018	Austria	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 March 2018	Czech Republic	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 July 2019	Ecuador	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
1 July 2019	Greece	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 January 2022	Switzerland	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
1 July 2022	Brazil	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 July 2022	Mongolia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
1 July 2023	Papua New Guinea	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100

^{**}Note - the above 'cap' figures show the number of places available per year for Work & Holiday (subclass 462) by country

Australia's Working Holiday Maker visa arrangements

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1975	United Kingdom	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1975	The Republic of Ireland	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1975	Canada	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-December-1980	Japan	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
22-December-1980	Netherlands (formalised 2006)	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-July-1995	South Korea	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-July-1996	Malta	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-July-2000	Federal Republic of Germany	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-July-2001	Sweden	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-July-2001	Norway	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-July-2001	Denmark	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
15-September-2001	Hong Kong (HKSAR of the PRC)	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-May-2002	Finland	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-July-2002	Cyprus	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
02-January-2004	Italy	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
20-February-2004	France	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-November-2004	Taiwan	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-November-2004	Belgium	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
20-May-2005	Estonia	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
01-August-2005	Thailand	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,000
01-March-2006	Chile	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
31-March-2007	Türkiye	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
31-October-2007	United States of America	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	N/A
01-February-2009	Malaysia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,100
01-July-2009	Indonesia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	4,612
29-February-2012	Argentina	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
01-April-2013	Uruguay	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
01-August-2014	Poland	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
23-November-2014	Portugal	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
23-November-2014	Spain	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
21-September-2015	China (excl. SARs)	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	5,000
01-January-2016	Slovak Republic	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1000
01-January-2016	Slovenia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
01-June-2016	Israel	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,500
01-January-2017	Hungary	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
01-January-2017	San Marino	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
01-January-2017	Luxembourg	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
01-March-2017	Vietnam	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
01-August-2017	Singapore	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,500
01-October-2017	Peru	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
15-February-2018	Austria	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
01-March-2018	Czech Republic	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
01-July-2019	Ecuador	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
01-July-2019	Greece	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
01-January-2022	Switzerland	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
01-July-2022	Brazil	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
01-July-2022	Mongolia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
01-July-2023	Papua New Guinea	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
01-October-2024	India	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1000
	Philippines*		200

^{**}Note - the above 'cap' figures show the number of places available per year for Work & Holiday (subclass 462) by country

Countries with which Australia is currently negotiating new Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa arrangements (as at 31 December 2024)

Please note that bilateral negotiations are complex and can take several years to conclude. Nationals from the following countries will not be able to apply for a Work and Holiday visa until an arrangement has been signed and implemented.

- 1 Andorra
- 2 Costa Rica
- 3 Croatia
- 4 Fiji
- 5 Iceland
- 6 India
- 7 Latvia
- 8 Lithuania
- 9 Mexico
- 10 Monaco
- 11 Panama
- 12 Paraguay
- 13 Solomon Islands
- 14 Philippines

Recent developments in the Working Holiday Maker (WHM) visa program

Any Work and Holiday program developments, including signings and commencement dates for new Work and Holiday visa arrangements, will be announced on the department's website at:

https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/what-we-do/whm-program/latest-news

- On 1 October 2024, the Australian Government established a new Work and Holiday partnership with India to become the 50th WHM partner country. The non-reciprocal arrangement established via side letter to the Australia-India Economic Cooperation and Trade Agreement (AI-ECTA) - provides up to 1,000 Subclass 462 visa places per year to eligible nationals of India through the ballot process.
- On 1 October 2024, the Department implemented a Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa pre-application process (a ballot) for first Work and Holiday visa applicants from China, India and Vietnam.
 - The ballot system, with an AUD\$25 registration fee, aims to provide an equitable, streamlined and transparent method for selecting applicants in cases where the demand is anticipated to significantly exceed the available visa places for a participating country.
 - Selected ballot registrants still need to meet standard Work and Holiday requirements in order to be granted a subclass 462 visa.
- From 1 July 2024, WHMs working in certain sectors may continue to work for the same employer in Australia for more than 6 months without seeking permission. The full list of exemptions is available at 6 month work limitation (homeaffairs.gov.au)
- On 1 July 2024, the WHM arrangements made under the Australia-United Kingdom Free Trade Agreemen (Australia-UK FTA) were fully implemented. These arrangements included:
 - increasing the maximum eligible age for United Kingdom WHM applicants to 35 from 1 July 2023;
 - the removal of specified work requirements for United Kingdom WHMs from 1 July 2024.
- On 8 September 2023, Australia signed a Strategic Partnership with the Philippines, including a new reciprocal Work and Holiday visa for Australians and Filipinos. The arrangement provides up to 200 subclass 462 visas for young Filipinos and Australians annually. Commencement details for this arrangement will be published on the department's website when available.

Executive Summary

This executive summary covers the WHM program from 1 July 2024 to 31 December 2024.

The WHM program has been tracking at an upward trend since full re-opening of Australia's borders following the COVID-19 Pandemic. Both lodgments and grants of WHM visas have increased in the 2023-24 program year. The increase in demand of the WHM program can be attributed to program setting changes, including age increases and specified work changes.

- As at 30 June 2024 there were 170,437 WHM (subclass 417 and subclass 462) visa holders in Australia, up from 137,391 at 30 June 2023
- A total of 234,556 WHM (subclass 417 and subclass 462) visas granted, compared with 224,431 visa grants in the same period in 2022-23, including:
 - 154,704 first, 34,494 second and 4,712 third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa grants
 - 24,939 first, 12,844 second and 2,849 third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa grants
- The United Kingdom, France, Republic of Ireland, Japan and South Korea were the top five citizenship countries of the Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa grants in 2023-24, cumulatively accounting for 67.7 per cent of the total.
- Indonesia, The United States of America, Argentina, Thailand, and Vietnam were the top five citizenship countries of the Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa grants in 2023-24, cumulatively accounting for 63 per cent of the total.

1 Applications lodged for WHM program

In 2023-24, 253,606 visa applications were lodged across the total WHM program, a 14.4 per cent increase compared to 221,696 in 2022-23.

For Working Holiday (subclass 417), first visa applications increased by 9.6 per cent to 156,573, second visa applications increased by 175.2 per cent to 40,266 and third visa applications increased by 388.9 per cent to 6,844.

For Work and Holiday (subclass 462), first visa applications decreased by 11.9 per cent to 30,441, second visa applications increased by 163.3 per cent to 15,609 and third visa applications increased 308.5 per cent to 3,873.

2 Visas granted

Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa program

A total of 193,922 visa applications were granted in 2023-24 for the Working Holiday program, compared to 178,306 in 2022-23.

First Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa program A total of 154,704 first Working Holiday visas were

granted in 2023-24. This is a 9.6 per cent increase compared to 141,135 in 2022-23.

Top five countries for first Working Holiday visa grants were:

- United Kingdom (40,253)
- France (25,079)
- Ireland (14,915)
- Japan (14,290)
- South Korea (11,956)

Second Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa program

A total of 34,494 second Working Holiday visas were granted in 2023-24. This is a 130.2 per cent increase compared to 14,987 in 2022-23.

The top five countries for second Working Holiday visa grants were:

- Ireland (6,390)
- United Kingdom (6,300)
- Taiwan (4,499)
- France (4,343)
- Italy (3,305)

In 2023-24, 47.2 per cent of those granted a second Working Holiday visa nominated agriculture, forestry & fishing as the industry in which they had undertaken "specified work" in order to acquire eligibility. A further 21.8 per cent nominated accommodation & food services, and 14.7 per cent for construction.

Executive Summary - continued

Third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa program A total of 4,712 third Working Holiday visas were granted in 2023-24. This is a 25.7 per cent decrease compared to 3,749 in 2022-23.

The top five countries or regions for third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa grants were:

- Taiwan (1,090)
- Ireland (689)
- United Kingdom (681)
- France (580)
- Italy (437)

In 2023-24, 45.4 per cent of those granted a third Working Holiday visa nominated *agriculture*, *forestry & fishing* as the industry in which they had undertaken "specified work" in order to acquire eligibility. A further 16.5 per cent nominated *accommodation & food services*, and 14.1 per cent *construction*.

Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa program

A total of 40,634 visa applications were granted in 2023-24, compared to 46,125 in 2022-23.

First Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa program

A total of 24,939 first Work and Holiday visas were granted in 2023-24. This is a 27.6 per cent decrease compared to 34,464 in 2022-23.

The top five countries for first Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa grants were:

- United States of America (4,763)
- Indonesia (4,578)
- Spain (2,363)
- Argentina (2,170)
- Thailand (1,977)

Second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa program

A total of 12,844 second Work and Holiday visas were granted in 2023-24. This is a 116.3 per cent increase compared to 5,938 in 2022-23.

The top five countries for second Work and Holiday visa grants were:

- Indonesia (3,516)
- Argentina (1,701)
- Vietnam (1,406)
- Thailand (1,392)
- China (1,307)

In 2023-24, 56.4 per cent of those granted a second Work and Holiday visa nominated *agriculture*, *forestry* & *fishing* as the industry in which they had undertaken 'specified work' in order to acquire eligibility. A further 32 per cent nominated

accommodation & food services, and 4.2 per cent construction.

Third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa program A total of 2,849 third Work and Holiday visas were granted in 2023-24. This is a 63.1 per cent increase compared to 1,747 in 2022-23

The top five countries for third Work and Holiday visa grants were:

- Indonesia (922)
- Vietnam (790)
- China (299)
- Thailand (295)
- Argentina (168)

In 2023-24, 55 per cent of those granted a third Work and Holiday visa nominated *agriculture*, *forestry* & *fishing* as the industry in which they had undertaken "specified work" in order to acquire eligibility. A further 35.5 per cent nominated *accommodation* & *food services* and 2.9 per cent *construction*.

3 Grant rates

Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa program

The grant rate for first Working Holiday visas in the six month period ending 30 June 2024 was 99.9 per cent. The grant rate for second Working Holiday visas was 99.7 per cent. The grant rate for third Working Holiday visas was 99.6 per cent.

Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa program The grant rate for first Work and Holiday visas in the six month period ending 30 June 2024 was 96.7 per cent. The grant rate for second Work and Holiday visas was 99.9 per cent. The grant rate for third Work and Holiday visas was 99.8 per cent.

The generally high grant rates for WHM visas are indicative of the low risk nature of this caseload. The large proportion of online applications for this caseload also contributes to the high grant rate. A number of automated eligibility checks occur during online applications, alerting clients early in the process if they do not meet visa requirements.

4 Working Holiday Makers in Australia

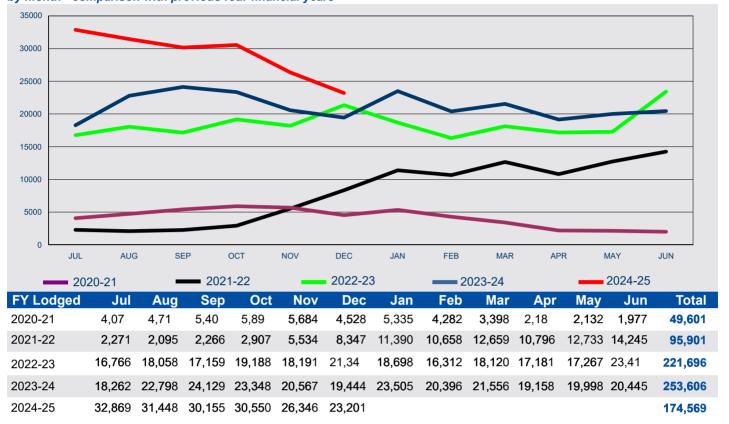
Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa holders

As at 30 June 2024, there were 135,398 first, second, third and Nil VAC Working Holiday visa holders in Australia. This is a 22.9 per cent increase compared to 110,207 on 30 June 2023.

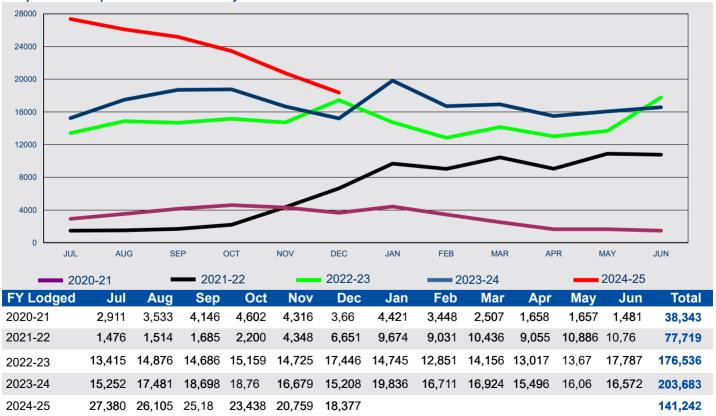
Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa holders

As at 30 June 2024, there were 37,818 first, second, third and Nil VAC Work and Holiday visa holders in Australia. This is a 39.1 per cent increase compared to 27,184 on 30 June 2023.

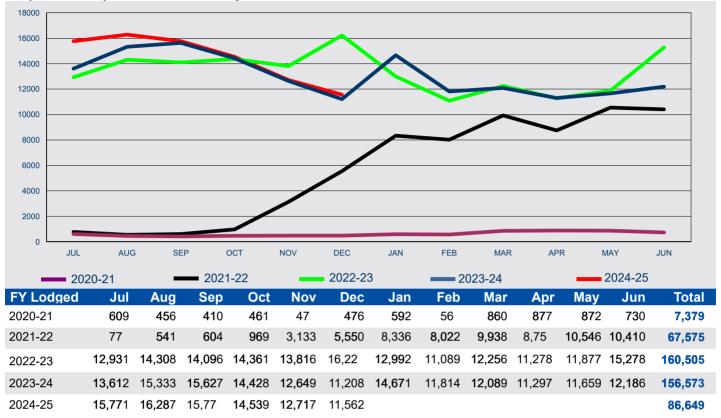
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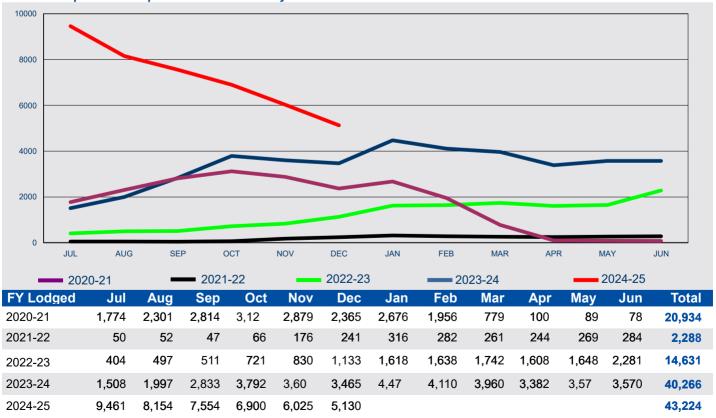
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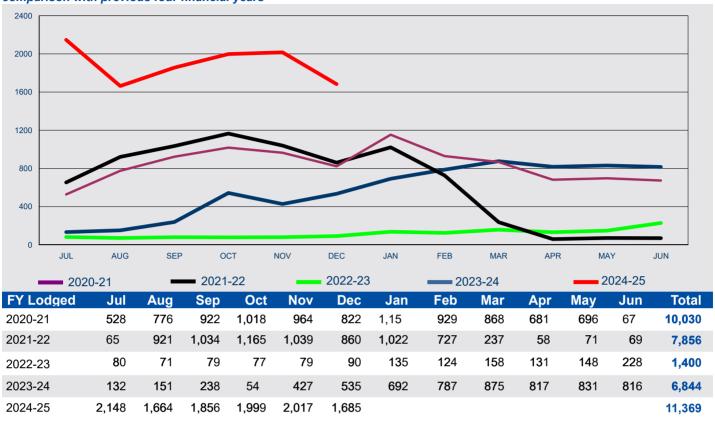
1.03 Number of first Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month-comparison with previous four financial years



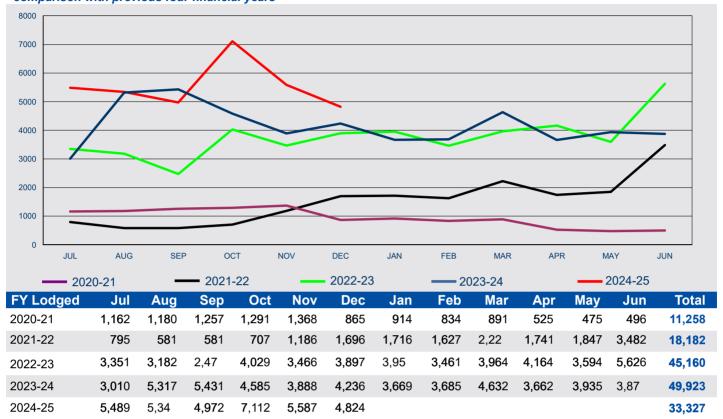
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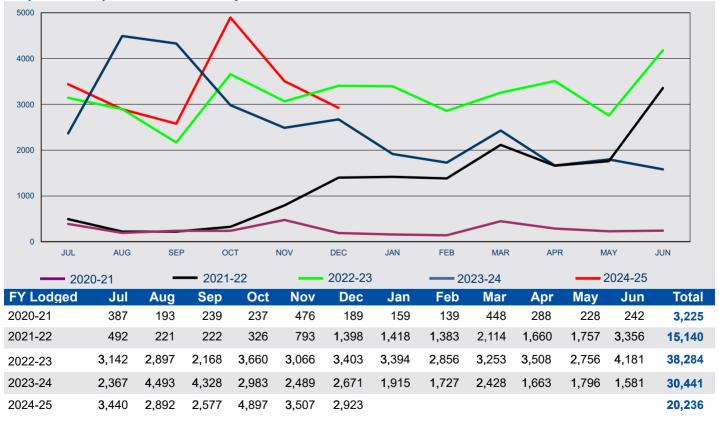
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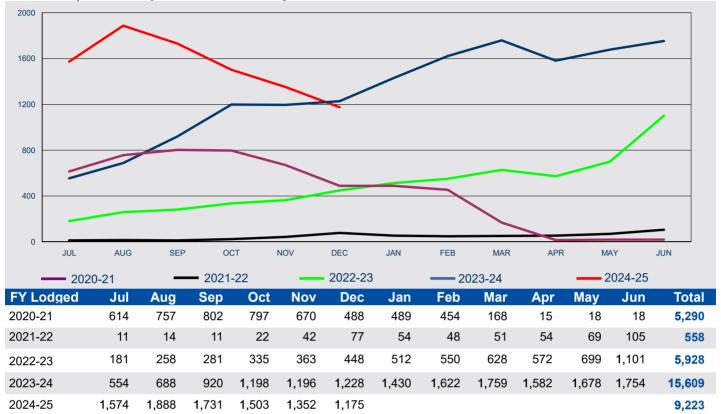
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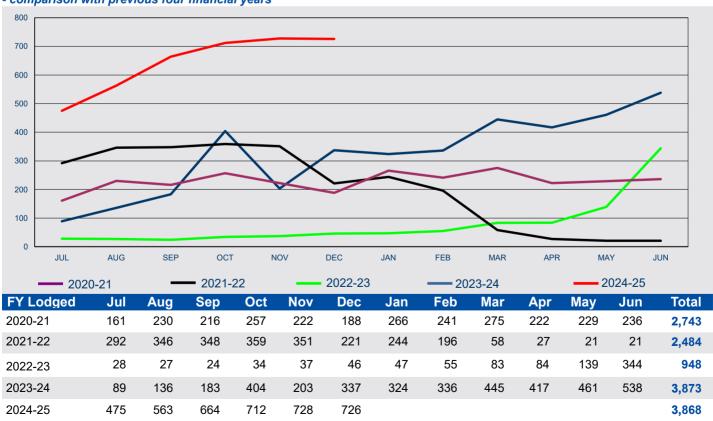
1.07 Number of first Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



1.08 Number of second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



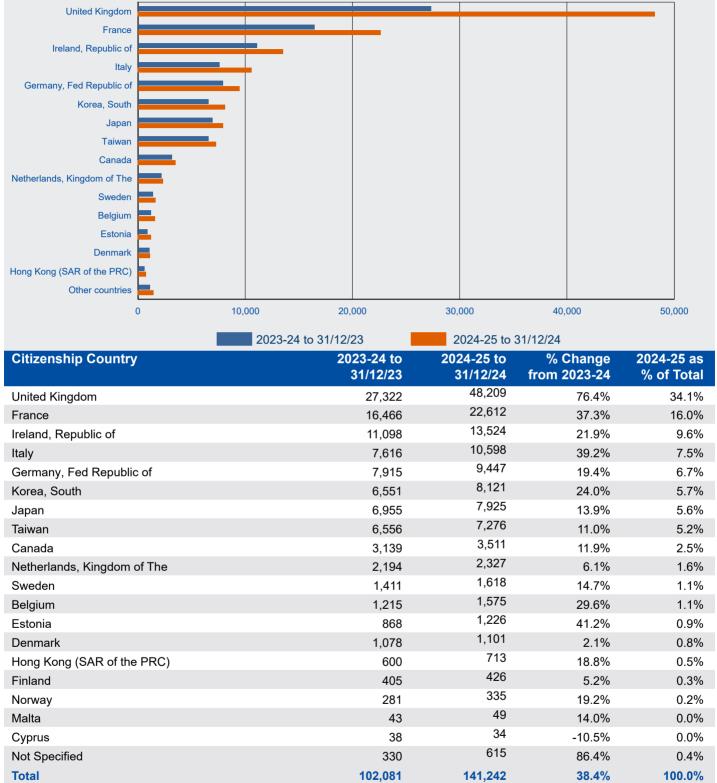
1.09 Number of third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



1.10 Total number of Working Holiday Maker visa applications lodged in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2024 by visa subclass and visa type - comparison with previous four periods

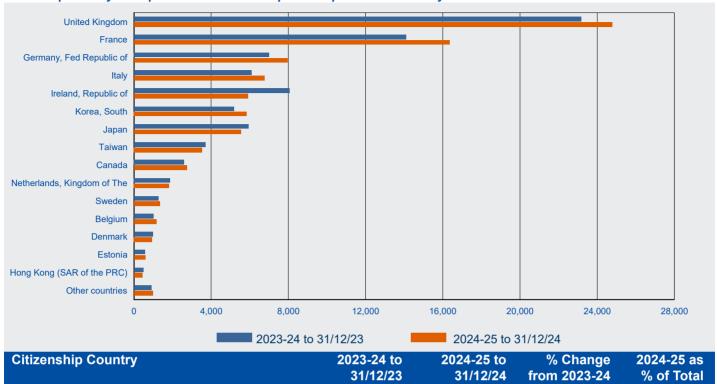
Visa Subclass	01/07/22 to 31/12/22	01/01/23 to 30/06/23	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24
417 Working Holiday					
First visa	68,0 86	74,765	82,857	73,716	86,6 49
Second visa	4,096	10,5 35	17,198	23,068	43,224
Third visa	476	924	2,026	4,818	11,369
Onshore nil VAC visa	12,976	<5	0	0	0
Offshore nil VAC visa	4,673	<5	0	0	0
All 417 Working Holiday	90,307	86,229	102,081	101,602	141,242
462 Work and Holiday					
First visa	14,6 19	19,947	19,331	11,110	20,236
Second visa	1,866	4,062	5,784	9,825	9,223
Third visa	196	752	1,352	2,521	3 ,868
Onshore nil VAC visa	2,651	<5	0	0	0
Offshore nil VAC visa	1,066	0	0	0	0
All 462 Work and Holiday	20,398	24,762	26,467	23,456	33,327
All Working Holiday Maker	110,705	110,991	128,548	125,058	174,569

1.11 Number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



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1.12 Number of first Work and Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



Citizenship Country	2023-24 to 31/12/23	2024-25 to 31/12/24	% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as % of Total
United Kingdom	23,171	24,771	6.9%	28.6%
France	14,091	16,347	16.0%	18.9%
Germany, Fed Republic of	7,009	7,949	13.4%	9.2%
Italy	6,078	6,761	11.2%	7.8%
Ireland, Republic of	8,058	5,915	-26.6%	6.8%
Korea, South	5,169	5,837	12.9%	6.7%
Japan	5,928	5,530	-6.7%	6.4%
Taiwan	3,702	3,536	-4.5%	4.1%
Canada	2,601	2,749	5.7%	3.2%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	1,871	1,823	-2.6%	2.1%
Sweden	1,257	1,344	6.9%	1.6%
Belgium	1,011	1,160	14.7%	1.3%
Denmark	970	936	-3.5%	1.1%
Estonia	554	585	5.6%	0.7%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	492	431	-12.4%	0.5%
Finland	342	324	-5.3%	0.4%
Norway	261	280	7.3%	0.3%
Malta	31	36	16.1%	0.0%
Cyprus	30	23	-23.3%	0.0%
Not Specified	231	312	35.1%	0.4%
Total	82,857	86,649	4.6%	100.0%

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1.13 Number of second Work and Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



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1.14 Number of third Work and Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year

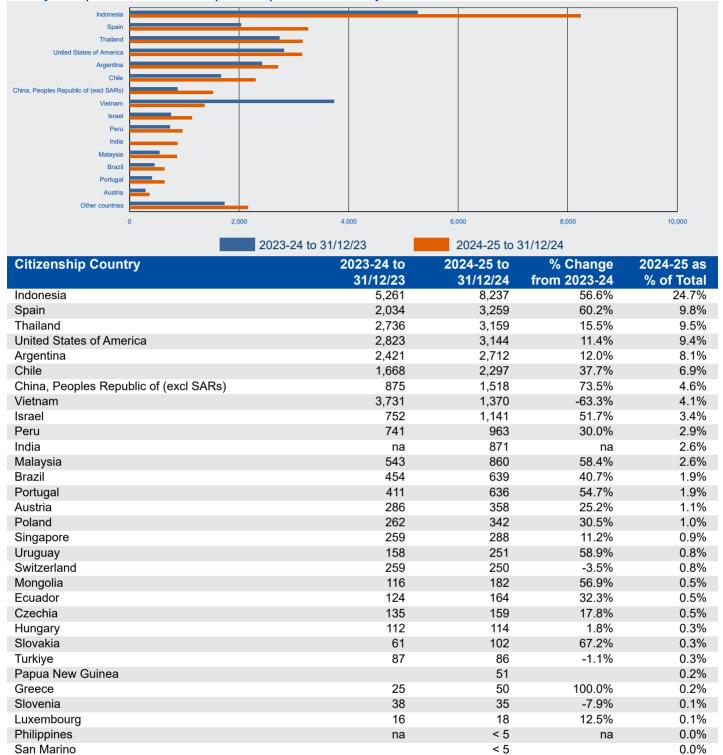


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1.15 Number of Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



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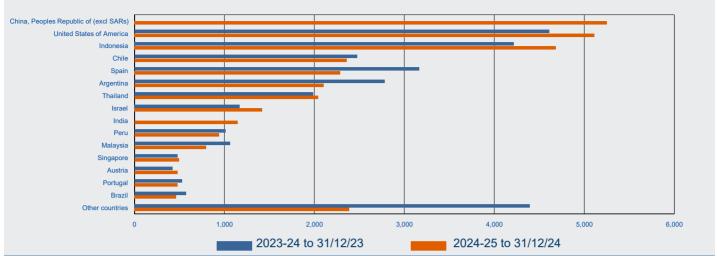
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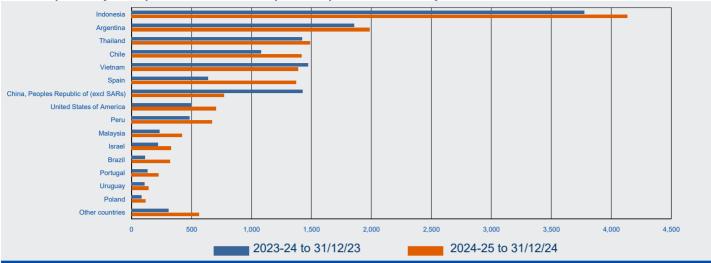
1.16 Number of first Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



Citizenship Country	2023-24 to 31/12/23	2024-25 to 31/12/24	% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	01112/20	5,251	HOIN LOLO LA	16.2%
United States of America	4,607	5,113	11.0%	15.8%
Indonesia	4,218	4,684	11.0%	14.4%
Chile	2,473	2,355	-4.8%	7.3%
Spain	3,163	2,287	-27.7%	7.1%
Argentina	2,779	2,102	-24.4%	6.5%
Thailand	1,985	2,038	2.7%	6.3%
Israel	1,170	1,420	21.4%	4.4%
India	na	1,146	na	3.5%
Peru	1,011	938	-7.2%	2.9%
Malaysia	1,060	795	-25.0%	2.5%
Singapore	477	494	3.6%	1.5%
Austria	421	478	13.5%	1.5%
Portugal	528	478	-9.5%	1.5%
Brazil	574	464	-19.2%	1.4%
Vietnam	2,467	446	-81.9%	1.4%
Poland	378	432	14.3%	1.3%
Czechia	205	214	4.4%	0.7%
Switzerland	254	213	-16.1%	0.7%
Uruguay	207	182	-12.1%	0.6%
Hungary	154	143	-7.1%	0.4%
Mongolia	10	123	19.4%	0.4%
Slovakia	98	120	22.4%	0.4%
Ecuador	10	104	1.0%	0.3%
Turkiye	90	94	4.4%	0.3%
Papua New Guinea		86		0.3%
Greece	38	59	55.3%	0.2%
Slovenia	51	48	-5.9%	0.1%
Luxembourg	23	25	8.7%	0.1%
Philippines	na	<5	na	0.0%
San Marino		<5		0.0%
Not Specified	158	93	-41.1%	0.3%
Total Note 1: Further information on statistical tables prese	28,860	32,430	12.4%	100.0%

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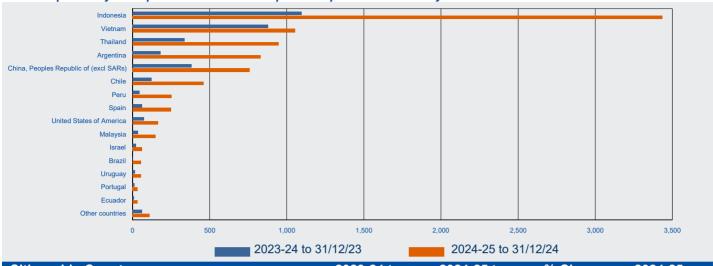
1.17 Number of second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



Citizenship Country	2023-24 to 31/12/23	2024-25 to 31/12/24	% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as % of Total
Indonesia	3,776	4,134	9.5%	25.8%
Argentina	1,854	1,984	7.0%	12.4%
Thailand	1,424	1,488	4.5%	9.3%
Chile	1,080	1,418	31.3%	8.8%
Vietnam	1,470	1,389	-5.5%	8.7%
Spain	637	1,373	115.5%	8.6%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	1,426	771	-45.9%	4.8%
United States of America	501	703	40.3%	4.4%
Peru	485	672	38.6%	4.2%
Malaysia	232	421	81.5%	2.6%
Israel	220	331	50.5%	2.1%
Brazil	114	321	181.6%	2.0%
Portugal	132	226	71.2%	1.4%
Uruguay	109	142	30.3%	0.9%
Poland	84	115	36.9%	0.7%
Ecuador	71	85	19.7%	0.5%
Czechia	30	70	133.3%	0.4%
Mongolia	15	60	300.0%	0.4%
Turkiye	17	60	252.9%	0.4%
Austria	35	59	68.6%	0.4%
Singapore	31	48	54.8%	0.3%
Switzerland	34	48	41.2%	0.3%
Hungary	27	47	74.1%	0.3%
Slovakia	7	23	228.6%	0.1%
Slovenia	9	18	100.0%	0.1%
Papua New Guinea		15		0.1%
Greece	< 5	11	450.0%	0.1%
Luxembourg	< 5	<5	-25.0%	0.0%
India	na	<5	na	0.0%
Iran				
Not Specified	28	14	-50.0%	0.1%
Total Note 1: Further information on statistical tables pre	13,855	16,051	15.8%	100.0%

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1.18 Number of third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year

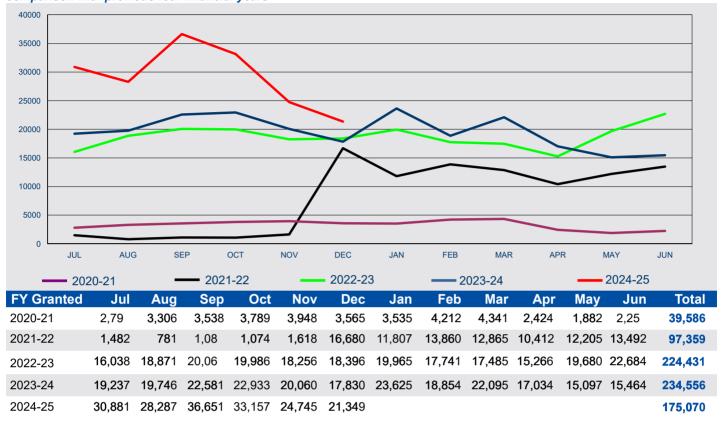


Citizenship Country	2023-24 to 31/12/23	2024-25 to 31/12/24	% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as % of Total
Indonesia	1,095	3,436	213.8%	39.7%
Vietnam	880	1,053	19.7%	12.2%
Thailand	336	947	181.8%	10.9%
Argentina	182	829	355.5%	9.6%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	382	760	99.0%	8.8%
Chile	122	461	277.9%	5.3%
Peru	44	253	475.0%	2.9%
Spain	61	250	309.8%	2.9%
United States of America	75	165	120.0%	1.9%
Malaysia	36	148	311.1%	1.7%
Israel	21	62	195.2%	0.7%
Brazil	< 5	55	5400.0%	0.6%
Uruguay	15	55	266.7%	0.6%
Portugal	13	34	161.5%	0.4%
Ecuador	10	31	210.0%	0.4%
Poland	14	24	71.4%	0.3%
Singapore	9	13	44.4%	0.2%
Switzerland		10		0.1%
Turkiye	10	10	0.0%	0.1%
Mongolia	< 5	9	200.0%	0.1%
Czechia	5	8	60.0%	0.1%
Austria	7	7	0.0%	0.1%
Slovakia	< 5	<5	100.0%	0.0%
Hungary	< 5	<5	0.0%	0.0%
Slovenia	< 5	<5	50.0%	0.0%
Greece		<5		0.0%
Luxembourg		<5		0.0%
Not Specified	7	16	128.6%	0.2%
Total	3,335	8,650	159.4%	100.0%

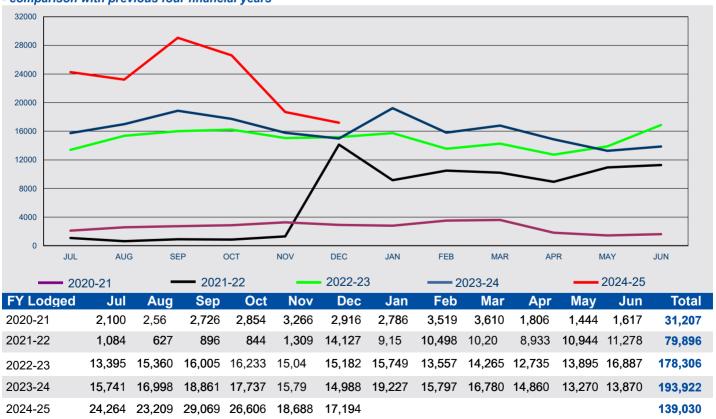
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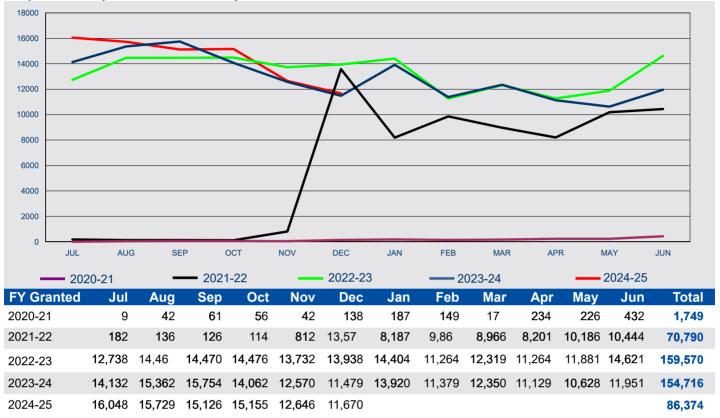
2.01 Total number of Working Holiday Maker visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month-comparison with previous four financial years



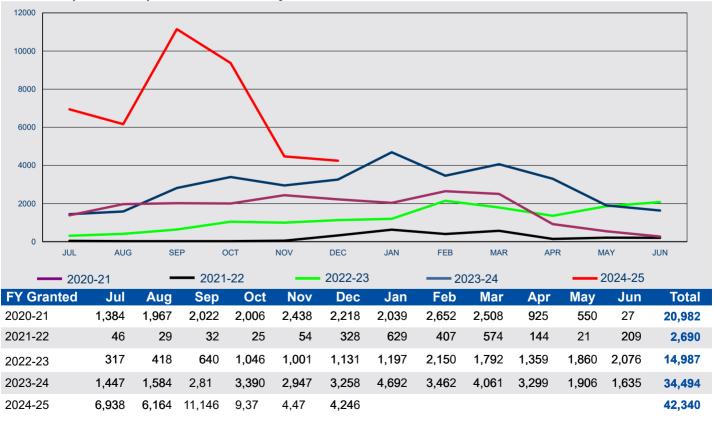
2.02 Total number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



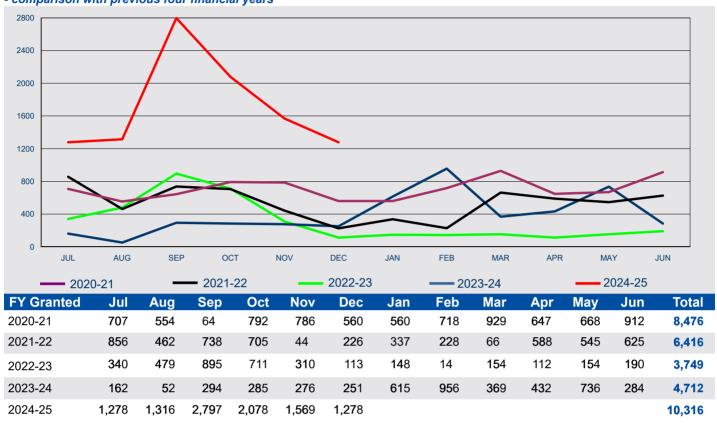
2.03 Number of first Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month-comparison with previous four financial years



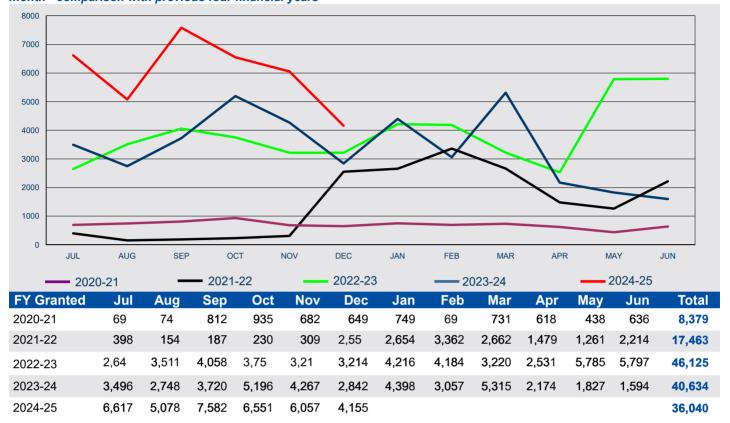
2.04 Number of second Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



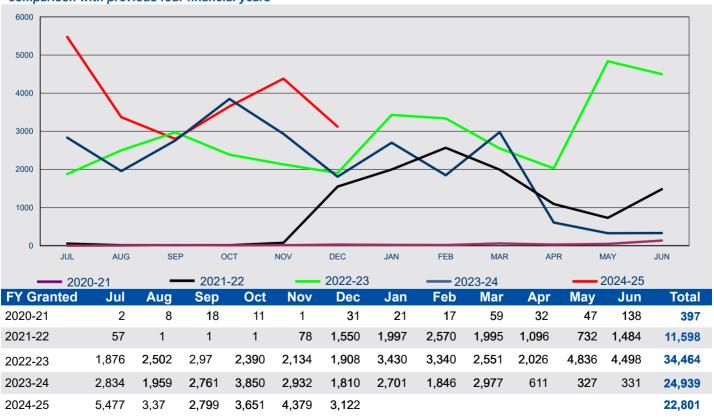
2.05 Number of third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



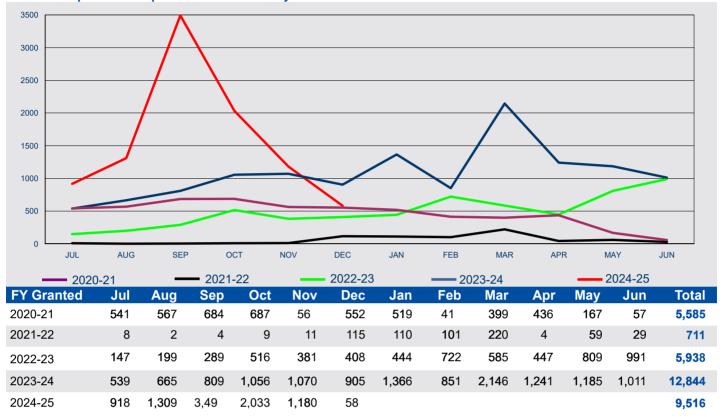
2.06 Total number of Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



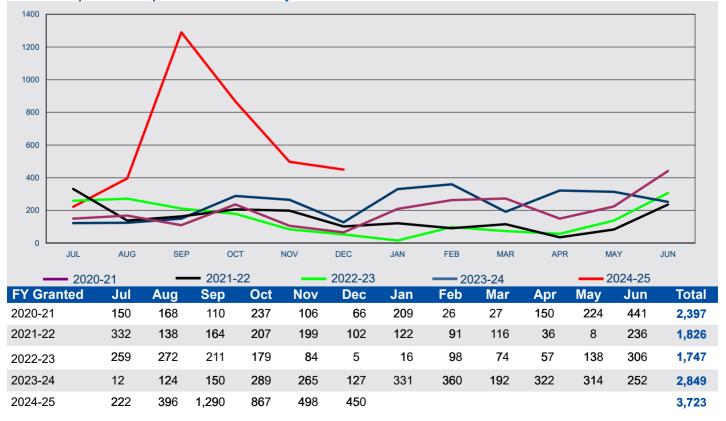
2.07 Number of first Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



2.08 Number of second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



2.09 Number of third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



2.10 Total number of Working Holiday Maker visa applications granted in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2024 by visa subclass and visa type - comparison with previous four periods

01/01/23 to 01/07/23 to 01/01/24 to Visa Subclass 01/07/22 to 01/07/24 to 30/06/23 31/12/22 30/06/24 31/12/23 31/12/24 417 Working Holiday First visa 66,870 74,265 83,350 71,354 86,372 4,55 Second visa 10,434 15,439 19,055 42,340 Third visa 1,320 2,848 901 3,392 10,316 onshore nil VAC 12.765 7 2 1.049 offshore nil VAC 4,182 439 2 0 0 93,804 139,030 **All 417 Working Holiday** 91,218 87,088 100,118 462 Work and Holiday 20.681 8.79 First visa 13.78 16.146 22.801 Second visa 1,940 3,998 5,044 7,800 9,516 Third visa **68**9 1.078 1.771 3,72 1,058 onshore nil VAC 2,744 170 0 0 offshore nil VAC 867 0 195 1 0 22,269 All 462 Work and Holiday 20,392 18,365 36.040 25,733 **All Working Holiday Maker** 111,610 112,821 122,387 112,169 175,070

2.11 Total number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous four financial years

Citizenship Country	2020-21 to 31/12/20	2021-22 to 31/12/21	2022-23 to 31/12/22	2023-24 to 31/12/23		% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as a % of Total
United Kingdom	3,714	4,885	20,125	26,572	47,956	80.5%	34.5%
France	1,894	2,107	14,345	16,188	21,630	33.6%	15.6%
Ireland, Republic of	1,888	2,680	10,138	10,723	13,234	23.4%	9.5%
Italy	1,334	1,658	8,301	7,369	10,275	39.4%	7.4%
Germany, Fed Republic of	925	1,595	7,895	7,838	9,275	18.3%	6.7%
Korea, South	1,402	854	6,754	6,650	8,376	26.0%	6.0%
Japan	907	1,426	5,056	6,846	7,843	14.6%	5.6%
Taiwan	2,495	1,047	7,527	6,687	7,619	13.9%	5.5%
Canada	470	1,086	3,107	3,033	3,339	10.1%	2.4%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	312	39	2,113	2,175	2,277	4.7%	1.6%
Sweden	113	16 6	1,171	1,377	1,552	12.7%	1.1%
Belgium	19 9	229	1,143	1,182	1,500	26.9%	1.1%
Estonia	30 8	157	911	82 8	1,135	37.1%	0.8%
Denmark	44	146	82 5	1,071	1,075	0.4%	0.8%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	24 9	201	76 5	581	65 8	13.3%	0.5%
Finland	56	69	384	38 8	40 6	4.6%	0.3%
Norway	20	59	215	27 9	32 2	15.4%	0.2%
Malta	17	26	59	42	48	14.3%	0.0%
Cyprus	5	7	31	37	34	-8.1%	0.0%
Not Specified	73	96	35	25 2	47 6	88.9%	0.3%
Total	16,425	18,887	91,218	100 ,118	139,030	38.9%	100.0%

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2.12 Number of first Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous four financial years

Citizenship Country	2020-21 to 31/12/20	2021-22 to 31/12/21	2022-23 to 31/12/22	2023-24 to 31/12/23	2024-25 to 31/12/24	% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as a % of Total
United Kingdom	141	3,723	15,078	23,013	24,704	7.3%	28.6%
France	38	1,491	10,474	14,116	16,202	14.8%	18.8%
Germany, Fed Republic of	23	1,250	6,435	7,012	7,875	12.3%	9.1%
Italy	24	1,230	5,761	6,082	6,637	9.1%	7.7%
Korea, South	< 5	53 0	5,182	5,465	6,022	10.2%	7.0%
Ireland, Republic of	30	2,056	7,415	8,123	5,993	-26.2%	6.9%
Japan	9	1,023	3,887	5,938	5,501	-7.4%	6.4%
Taiwan	< 5	225	4,10 8	4,031	3,672	-8.9%	4.3%
Canada	53	91 9	2,441	2,589	2,676	3.4%	3.1%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	15	296	1,681	1,881	1,814	-3.6%	2.1%
Sweden	< 5	134	1,001	1,247	1,324	6.2%	1.5%
Belgium	< 5	170	830	1,003	1,129	12.6%	1.3%
Denmark	< 5	129	75 0	967	930	-3.8%	1.1%
Estonia	< 5	51	531	552	601	8.9%	0.7%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	< 5	128	57 8	481	40 8	-15.2%	0.5%
Finland	< 5	50	278	337	32	-4.2%	0.4%
Norway	< 5	54	19 3	26	279	6.1%	0.3%
Malta		<20	3 8	31	35	12.9%	0.0%
Cyprus		<5	27	32	21	-34.4%	0.0%
Not Specified	0	6 6	182	196	22 8	16.3%	0.3%
Total	348	13,544	66,870	83,359	86,374	3.6%	100.0%

2.13 Number of second Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous four financial years

Citizenship Country	2020-21 to 31/12/20	2021-22 to 31/12/21	2022-23 to 31/12/22	2023-24 to 31/12/23		% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as a % of Total
United Kingdom	2,748	118	84	3,392	18,602	448.4%	43.9%
Ireland, Republic of	1,402	60	607	2,490	6,129	146.1%	14.5%
France	1,512	55	434	1,927	4,531	135.1%	10.7%
Italy	1,046	82	351	1,202	3,036	152.6%	7.2%
Taiwan	1,483	16	776	2,174	2,568	18.1%	6.1%
Japan	718	34	276	857	2,019	135.6%	4.8%
Korea, South	1,080	16	47 8	1,094	1,909	74.5%	4.5%
Germany, Fed Republic of	711	66	297	75 8	1,119	47.6%	2.6%
Canada	335	17	13 8	414	52 9	27.8%	1.2%
Estonia	18 8	< 5	56	25 2	384	52.4%	0.9%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	230	23	83	27 2	36 9	35.7%	0.9%
Belgium	158	6	46	16 5	307	86.1%	0.7%
Sweden	89	5	23	124	192	54.8%	0.5%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	15 5	< 5	51	94	179	90.4%	0.4%
Denmark	35	< 5	28	98	125	27.6%	0.3%
Finland	46	< 5	22	46	65	41.3%	0.2%
Norway	17		6	14	39	178.6%	0.1%
Malta	17		8	10	12	20.0%	0.0%
Cyprus	5			5	11	120.0%	0.0%
Not Specified	60	5	30	51	215	321.6%	0.5%
Total	12,035	514	4,553	15,439	42,340	174.2%	100.0%

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2.14 Number of third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous four financial years

Citizenship Country	2020-21 to 31/12/20	2021-22 to 31/12/21	2022-23 to 31/12/22	2023-24 to 31/12/23		% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as a % of Total
United Kingdom	82 5	68 2	61 5	167	4,650	2684.4%	45.1%
Taiwan	1,011	72 0	43 2	482	1,379	186.1%	13.4%
Ireland, Republic of	45 6	401	310	110	1,112	910.9%	10.8%
France	344	338	445	145	897	518.6%	8.7%
Italy	264	22	270	85	602	608.2%	5.8%
Korea, South	321	279	178	91	445	389.0%	4.3%
Japan	180	218	120	51	32	533.3%	3.1%
Germany, Fed Republic of	191	19	171	68	281	313.2%	2.7%
Estonia	119	87	66	24	150	525.0%	1.5%
Canada	82	82	69	30	134	346.7%	1.3%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	67	50	49	22	94	327.3%	0.9%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	91	63	36	6	71	1083.3%	0.7%
Belgium	40	36	40	14	64	357.1%	0.6%
Sweden	21	15	14	6	36	500.0%	0.3%
Denmark	7	7	< 5	6	20	233.3%	0.2%
Finland	9	10	13	5	18	260.0%	0.2%
Norway	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	100.0%	0.0%
Cyprus					< 5		0.0%
Malta		7	< 5	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.0%
Not Specified	13	16	13	5		560.0%	0.3%
Total	4,042	3,430	2,848	1,320	10,316	681.5%	100.0%

2.15 Total number of Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous four financial years

		ンリン1-ンン to	2022-23 to	2023-24 to	2024-25 to	% Change	2024-25 as a
Citizenship Country	31/12/20	31/12/21	31/12/22	31/12/23		from 2023-24	% of Total
Indonesia	601	26 2	2,984	4,285	8,187	91.1%	22.7%
Spain	406	197	1,568	1,903	3,847	102.2%	10.7%
Argentina	64 6	44	2,444	2,145	3,346	56.0%	9.3%
United States of America	414	1,150	2,557	2,742	3,199	16.7%	8.9%
Thailand	148	96	1,212	2,593	3,061	18.0%	8.5%
Chile	508	60 9	2,225	1,278	2,909	127.6%	8.1%
Vietnam	20	244	1,978	1,904	2,369	24.4%	6.6%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl \$	SARs) 1,022	35 9	1,369	1,133	1,339	18.2%	3.7%
Israel	86	28	87 9	767	1,206	57.2%	3.3%
Peru	84	99	62 9	554	1,200	116.6%	3.3%
Malaysia	51	48	552	50 9	1,150	125.9%	3.2%
India	na	na	na	na	70 6	na	2.0%
Brazil	na	na	25 2	36 5	65 0	78.1%	1.8%
Portugal	51	29	274	38	572	49.3%	1.6%
Poland	66	38	24 5	247	367	48.6%	1.0%
Austria	11	17	161	237	34 8	46.8%	1.0%
Singapore	18	72	16	230	11	35.2%	0.9%
Uruguay	49		150	146	27 5	88.4%	0.8%
Switzerland	na	na	16 5	20	217	6.9%	0.6%
Ecuador	< 5	16	112	117	177	51.3%	0.5%
Czechia	73	40	116	128	16	27.3%	0.5%
Hungary	20	16	93	93	126	35.5%	0.3%
Slovakia	23	13	69	59	93	57.6%	0.3%
Greece	< 5	< 5	16	19	38	100.0%	0.1%
Mongolia	na	na	10 0	112	38	-66.1%	0.1%
Turkiye	18	14	36	61	37	-39.3%	0.1%
Slovenia	6	< 5	30	36		-8.3%	0.1%
Luxembourg	5	< 5	11	11	20	81.8%	0.1%
San Marino	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0.0%
Not Specified	0	0	< 5	0	21	0	0.1%
Papua New Guinea							0.1%
Total	4,514	3,831	20,392	22,269	36,040	61.8%	100.0%

2.16 Number of first Working and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous four financial years

citizenship country - companson with		2021-22 to				% Change	2024-25 as a
Citizenship Country	31/12/20	31/12/21	31/12/22	31/12/23		from 2023-24	
Indonesia	0	84	2,552	2,696	3,953	46.6%	17.3%
Spain	7	94	1,470	1,657	2,986	80.2%	13.1%
United States of America	53	1,060	2,400	2,542	2,769	8.9%	12.1%
Chile	0	400	1,983	956	1,935	102.4%	8.5%
Thailand	< 5	49	1,010	1,920	1,879	-2.1%	8.2%
Argentina	< 5	219	2,114	1,546	1,741	12.6%	7.6%
Vietnam	0	176	1,100	777	1,114	43.4%	4.9%
Israel	< 5	16	856	671	1,015	51.3%	4.5%
Malaysia	< 5	29	511	430	88 6	106.0%	3.9%
Peru	0	63	58 9	39 5	76 6	93.9%	3.4%
India	na	na	na	na	70 6	na	3.1%
Brazil	na	na	252	32 9	484	47.1%	2.1%
Portugal	0	13	25 5	32 8	428	30.5%	1.9%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	0	167	945	39 8	390	-2.0%	1.7%
Austria	0	10	15	214	31 5	47.2%	1.4%
Poland	< 5	23	228	20 9	28 5	36.4%	1.2%
Singapore	< 5	67	147	220	28	28.6%	1.2%
Switzerland	na	na	16 5	187	181	-3.2%	0.8%
Uruguay	0	14	132	112	152	35.7%	0.7%
Czechia	6	19	104	110	131	19.1%	0.6%
Ecuador	0	12	10 6	98	10 0	2.0%	0.4%
Hungary	0	8	88	80	93	16.3%	0.4%
Slovakia	< 5	< 5	58	53	76	43.4%	0.3%
Greece	0	< 5	16	19	35	84.2%	0.2%
Slovenia	< 5	< 5	27	30	25	-16.7%	0.1%
Luxembourg	0	0	11	9	18	100.0%	0.1%
San Marino	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0.0%
Mongolia	na	na	10 0	9 8	0	-100.0%	
Turkiye	0	10	22	54	0	-100.0%	
Not Specified	0	0	0	0	21	0	0.1%
Papua New Guinea							0.1%
Total	83	2,540	17,394	16,147	22,801	41.2%	100.0%

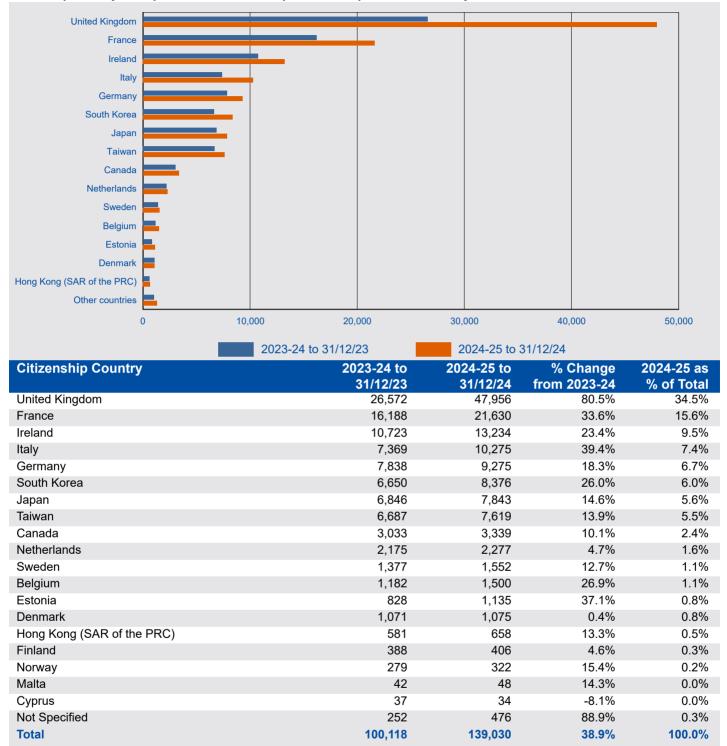
2.17 Number of second Working and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous four financial years

Citizenship Country	2020-21 to		2022-23 to		2024-25 to		2024-25 as a
Citizenship Country	31/12/20	31/12/21	31/12/22	31/12/23	31/12/24	from 2023-24	% of Total
Indonesia	45 8	8	250	1,231	2,650	115.3%	27.8%
Argentina	56	40	17 5	53 8	1,346	150.2%	14.1%
Chile	39 8	34	111	301	831	176.1%	8.7%
Thailand	10 6	< 5	167	592	80 6	36.1%	8.5%
Spain	357	12	27	23 2	76 0	227.6%	8.0%
Vietnam	1 6 6	< 5	801	76 6	67 8	-11.5%	7.1%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	75 6	12	210	61 9	607	-1.9%	6.4%
Peru	80	< 5	25	149	35 9	140.9%	3.8%
United States of America	302	13	77	18 6	351	88.7%	3.7%
Malaysia	43	< 5	25	69	221	220.3%	2.3%
Israel	78	< 5	10	91	164	80.2%	1.7%
Brazil	na	na	0	36	1 5 5	330.6%	1.6%
Portugal	45	5	6	54	127	135.2%	1.3%
Uruguay	41	< 5	11	29	104	258.6%	1.1%
Poland	55	< 5	5	35	71	102.9%	0.7%
Ecuador	< 5	0	5	17	62	264.7%	0.7%
Switzerland	na	na	0	16	32	100.0%	0.3%
Turkiye	14	0	10	< 5	32	3100.0%	0.3%
Hungary	17	< 5	< 5	12	30	150.0%	0.3%
Mongolia	na	na	0	14	29	107.1%	0.3%
Austria	10	< 5	5	21	28	33.3%	0.3%
Czechia	62	< 5	5	15	27	80.0%	0.3%
Singapore	13	< 5	10	8	21	162.5%	0.2%
Slovakia	16	< 5	< 5	5	15	200.0%	0.2%
Slovenia	< 5	< 5	0	5	6	20.0%	0.1%
Greece	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	0	0.0%
Luxembourg	5	0	0	< 5	< 5	-50.0%	0.0%
Papua New Guinea							0.0%
Not Specified	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	
Total	3,594	149	1,940	5,044	9,516	88.7%	100.0%

2.18 Number of third Working and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous four financial years

Citizanahin Cauntus	2020-21 to		2022-23 to				2024-25 as a
Citizenship Country	31/12/20	31/12/21	31/12/22	31/12/23	31/12/24	from 2023-24	% of Total
Indonesia	14	170	182	35 8	1,584	342.5%	42.5%
Vietnam	37	66	77	361	577	59.8%	15.5%
Thailand	39	44	35	81	376	364.2%	10.1%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	26 6	180	214	116	34 2	194.8%	9.2%
Argentina	80	184	15 5	61	25 9	324.6%	7.0%
Chile	110	17 5	131	21	14	581.0%	3.8%
Spain	42	91	71	14	101	621.4%	2.7%
United States of America	59	77	80	14	79	464.3%	2.1%
Peru	< 5	34	15	10	75	650.0%	2.0%
Malaysia	6	18	16	10	43	330.0%	1.2%
Israel	< 5	9	13	5	27	440.0%	0.7%
Uruguay	8	16	7	5	19	280.0%	0.5%
Portugal	6	11	13	< 5	17	1600.0%	0.5%
Ecuador	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	15	650.0%	0.4%
Brazil	na	na	0	0	11	0	0.3%
Poland	9	14	12	< 5	11	266.7%	0.3%
Mongolia	na	na	0	0	9	0	0.2%
Singapore	< 5	< 5	6	< 5	7	250.0%	0.2%
Austria	< 5	6	< 5	< 5	5	150.0%	0.1%
Czechia	5	17	7	< 5	5	66.7%	0.1%
Turkiye	< 5	< 5	< 5	6	5	-16.7%	0.1%
Switzerland	na	na	0	0	< 5	0	0.1%
Hungary	< 5	7	< 5	< 5	< 5	200.0%	0.1%
Slovakia	6	8	8	< 5	< 5	100.0%	0.1%
Slovenia	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	100.0%	0.1%
Greece	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0.0%
Luxembourg	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0.0%
Not Specified	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	
Total	837	1,142	1,058	1,078	3,723	245.4%	100.0%

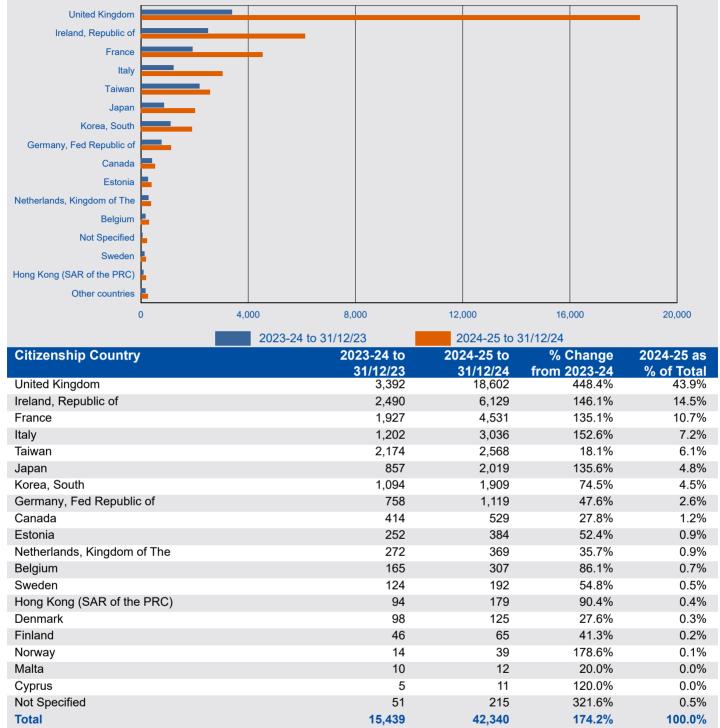
2.19 Total number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year



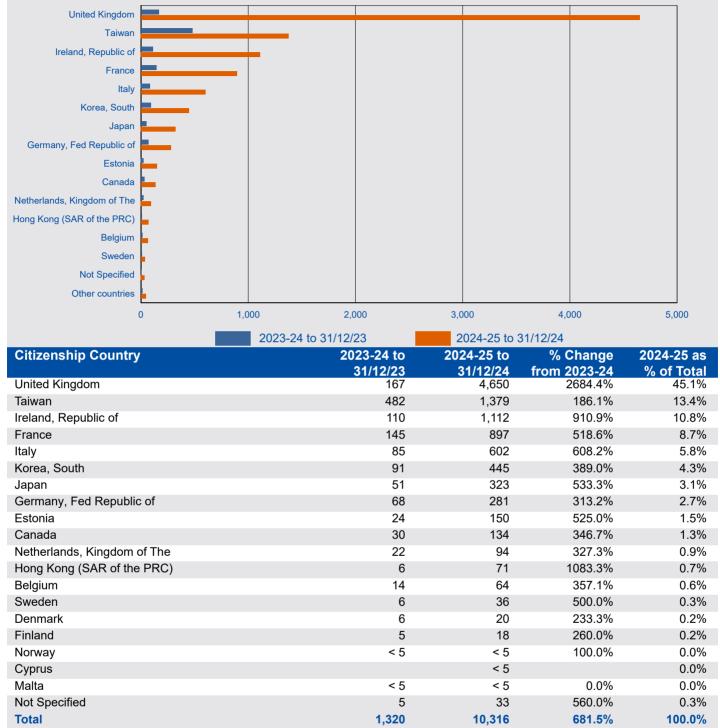
2.20 Number of first Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year



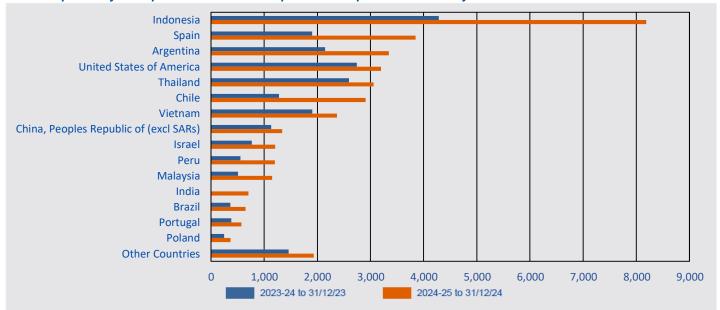
2.21 Number of second Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year



2.22 Number of third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year



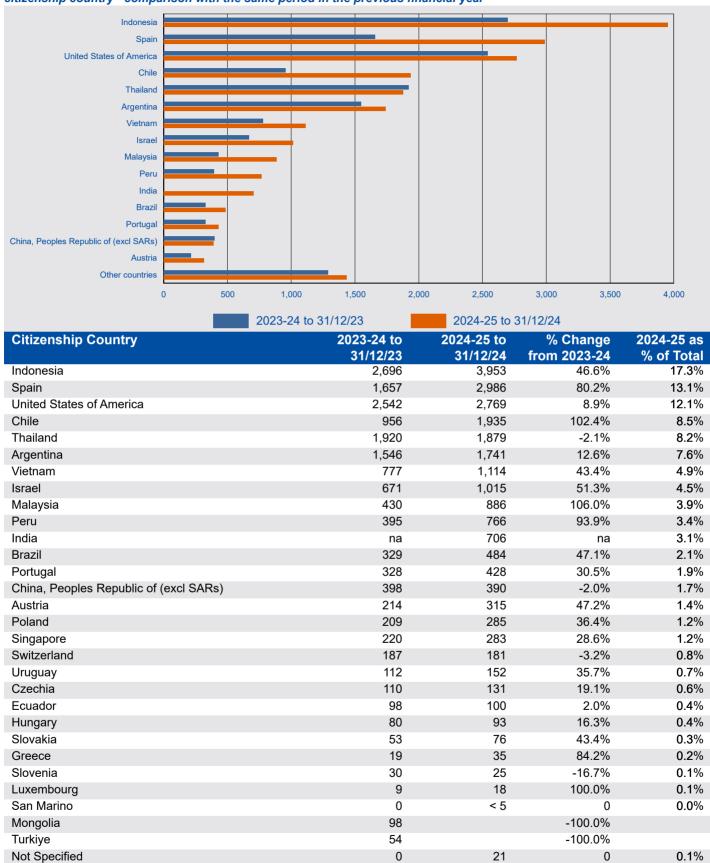
2.23 Total number of Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year



Citizenship Country	2023-24 to 31/12/2023	2024-25 to 31/12/2024	% Change from 2023-24	2024-25 as % of Total
Indonesia	4,285	8,187	91.1%	22.7%
Spain	1,903	3,847	102.2%	10.7%
Argentina	2,145	3,346	56.0%	9.3%
United States of America	2,742	3,199	16.7%	8.9%
Thailand	2,593	3,061	18.0%	8.5%
Chile	1,278	2,909	127.6%	8.1%
Vietnam	1,904	2,369	24.4%	6.6%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	1,133	1,339	18.2%	3.7%
Israel	767	1,206	57.2%	3.3%
Peru	554	1,200	116.6%	3.3%
Malaysia	509	1,150	125.9%	3.2%
India		706	na	2.0%
Brazil	365	650	78.1%	1.8%
Portugal	383	572	49.3%	1.6%
Poland	247	367	48.6%	1.0%
Austria	237	348	46.8%	1.0%
Singapore	230	311	35.2%	0.9%
Uruguay	146	275	88.4%	0.8%
Switzerland	203	217	6.9%	0.6%
Ecuador	117	177	51.3%	0.5%
Czechia	128	163	27.3%	0.5%
Hungary	93	126	35.5%	0.3%
Slovakia	59	93	57.6%	0.3%
Greece	19	38	100.0%	0.1%
Mongolia	112	38	-66.1%	0.1%
Turkiye	61	37	-39.3%	0.1%
Papua New Guinea	9	34	277.8%	0.1%
Slovenia	36	33	-8.3%	0.1%
Luxembourg	11	20	81.8%	0.1%
San Marino		<5	na	0.0%
Not Specified		<25	na	0.1%
Total	22,269	36,040	61.8%	100.0%

Note 1: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report' Note 2: Graph above shows top 15 countries only, the remaining countries are grouped under 'Other countries'.

2.24 Number of first Working and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year



Note 1: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report' Note 2: Graph above shows top 15 countries only, the remaining countries are grouped under 'Other countries'.

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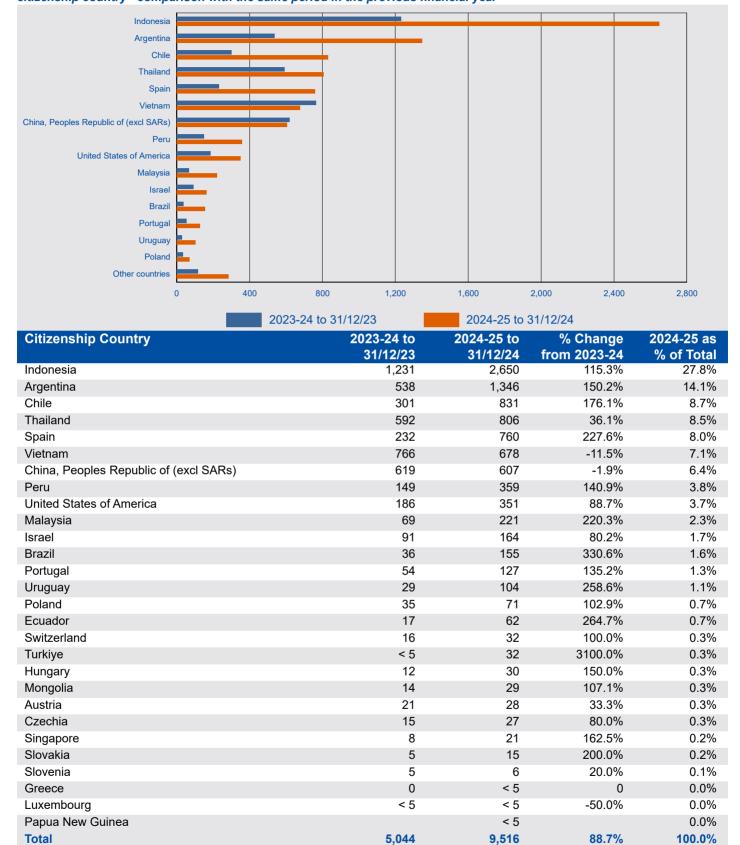
Papua New Guinea

Total

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2.25 Number of second Working and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year



2.26 Number of third Working and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year



Note 1: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report' Note 2: Graph above shows top 15 countries only, the remaining countries are grouped under 'Other countries'.

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Greece

Total

Luxembourg

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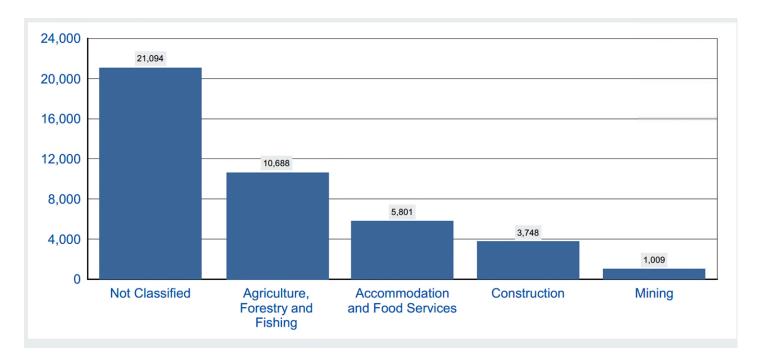
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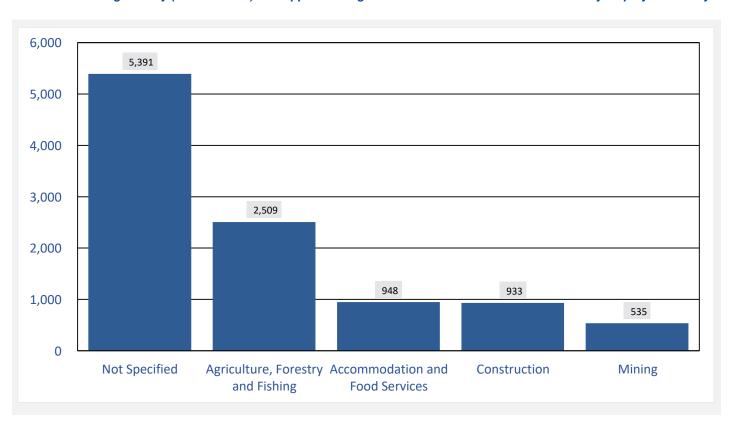
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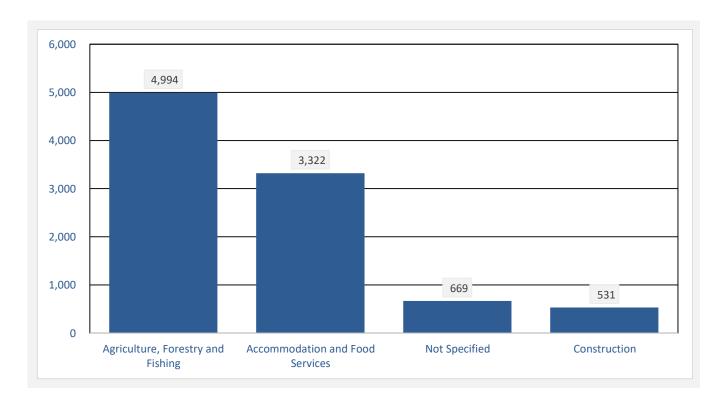
2.27 Second Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by employer industry



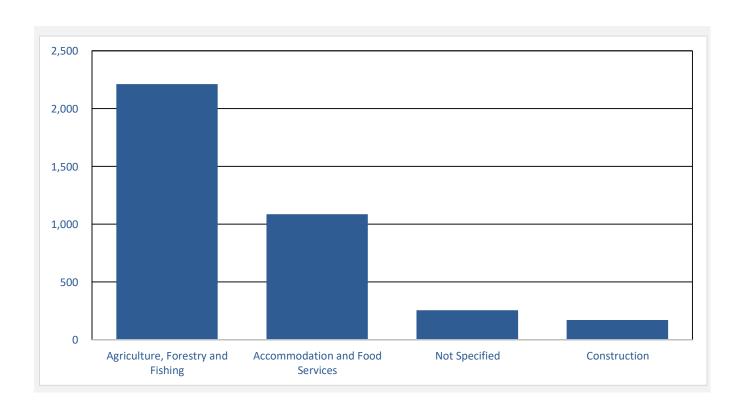
2.28 Third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by employer industry



2.29 Second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by employer industry



2.30 Third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2024-25 to 31 December 2024 by employer industry



3 Grant Rate

For this section, grant rates have been shown.

A grant rate is defined as:

Number of grants x 100
Number of decisions

where the number of decisions equals the number of grants plus the number of refusals.

3 Grant rate

3.01 Grant rate of Working Holiday Maker visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2024 by visa type and visa subclass - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	01/07/22 to 31/12/22	01/01/23 to 30/06/23	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24
417 Working Holiday					
First visa	99.5%	99.5%	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%
Second visa	91.8%	97.9%	99.6%	99.7%	99.8%
Third visa	92.6%	88.2%	98.5%	99.6%	99.8%
Onshore nil VAC visa	99.1%	97.0%	87.5%	42.9%	40.0%
Offshore nil VAC visa	99.2%	82.7%	100.0%	0.00%	0.00%
All 417 Working Holiday	98.8%	99.1%	99.7%	99.8%	99.9%
462 Work and Holiday					
First visa	96.0%	97.2%	97.2%	96.7%	97.0%
Second visa	96.3%	99.1%	99.8%	99.9%	99.7%
Third visa	94.7%	96.8%	98.9%	99.8%	100.0%
Onshore nil VAC visa	99.7%	96.6%	100.0%	0.00%	0.00%
Offshore nil VAC visa	98.3%	84.4%	0.00%	100.0%	0.00%
All 462 Work and Holiday	96.5%	97.4%	97.9%	98.3%	98.0%
All Working Holiday Maker	98.4%	98.7%	99.4%	99.6%	99.5%

3 Grant rate

3.02 Grant rate for Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods

Citizenship Country	01/07/22 to 31/12/22	01/01/23 to 30/06/23	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24
subclass 417 first visa					
United Kingdom	99.5%	99.4%	99.8%	99.7%	99.8%
France	99.5%	99.4%	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%
Germany	99.9%	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%	100.0%
Italy	100.0%	99.5%	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%
South Korea	99.6%	98.8%	99.3%	99.9%	99.9%
Ireland	99.7%	99.5%	99.8%	99.7%	99.8%
Japan	99.7%	99.8%	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%
Taiwan	99.4%	99.0%	99.4%	99.9%	99.9%
Canada	99.7%	99.0%	99.7%	99.8%	99.9%
Netherlands	100.0%	99.7%	99.8%	100.0%	99.9%
Sweden	99.4%	98.6%	99.7%	99.2%	99.9%
Belgium	100.0%	99.2%	99.6%	99.8%	99.6%
Denmark	98.8%	99.6%	99.8%	99.8%	99.7%
Estonia	100.0%	99.5%	100.0%	99.6%	100.0%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	96.8%	97.2%	98.3%	100.0%	99.5%
Finland	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Norway	100.0%	96.2%	99.2%	99.5%	100.0%
Malta	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Cyprus	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Not Specified	91.0%	93.1%	95.1%	96.1%	98.7%
All subclass 417 first visa	99.6%	99.4%	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%

3 Grant rate

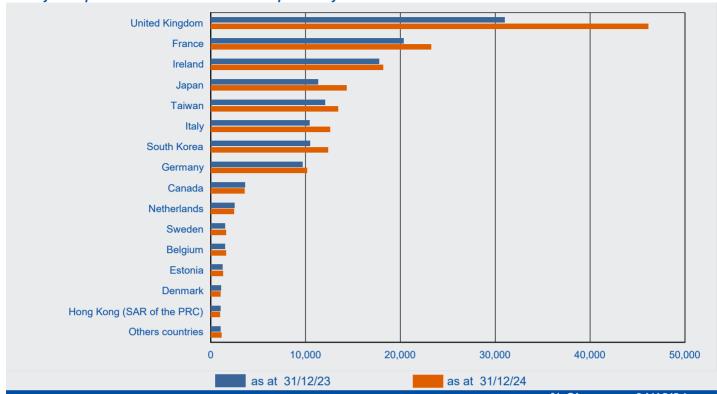
3.03 Grant rate for Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods

Citizenship Country	01/07/22 to 31/12/22	01/01/23 to 30/06/23	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24
subclass 462 first visa					
Indonesia	98.6%	98.9%	99.4%	96.7%	98.8%
Spain	96.9%	96.7%	97.1%	95.1%	97.7%
United States of America	98.7%	98.3%	99.2%	99.6%	99.6%
Chile	97.1%	96.7%	96.1%	98.4%	96.7%
Thailand	97.7%	97.9%	99.6%	93.4%	99.3%
Argentina	96.4%	98.8%	97.1%	98.8%	97.9%
Vietnam	96.7%	99.2%	97.9%	99.5%	97.4%
Israel	94.7%	98.8%	99.7%	98.8%	98.9%
Malaysia	91.1%	83.4%	92.0%	92.8%	93.9%
Peru	97.2%	96.9%	95.6%	97.6%	95.9%
India	na	na	na	na	91.6%
Brazil	97.2%	90.5%	91.6%	94.0%	96.8%
Portugal	90.7%	90.7%	96.1%	91.7%	95.7%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	92.9%	99.3%	92.5%	83.3%	96.0%
Austria	75.1%	68.7%	83.9%	65.1%	82.6%
Singapore	85.4%	90.5%	89.0%	84.1%	83.2%
Poland	97.5%	94.5%	96.7%	87.3%	95.3%
Switzerland	78.9%	77.5%	90.7%	61.1%	89.1%
Uruguay	95.6%	98.1%	95.7%	100.0%	97.4%
Czechia	85.2%	90.2%	96.4%	92.7%	96.3%
Ecuador	95.1%	94.1%	100.0%	100.0%	98.0%
Hungary	88.8%	95.7%	91.9%	92.5%	93.0%
Slovakia	95.0%	97.0%	98.1%	100.0%	93.8%
Greece	94.1%	84.0%	95.0%	100.0%	94.5%
Slovenia	91.6%	91.3%	96.7%	100.0%	100.0%
Luxembourg	77.7%	84.6%	69.2%	80.0%	94.7%
San Marino	0.00%	100.0%	0.00%	0.00%	100.0%
Mongolia	100.0%	0.00%	98.9%	100.0%	0.00%
Turkiye	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.00%
Not Specified	00.0%	00.0%	27.2%	53.3%	61.3%
All subclass 462 first visa	96.0%	97.2%	97.2%	96.7%	97.0%

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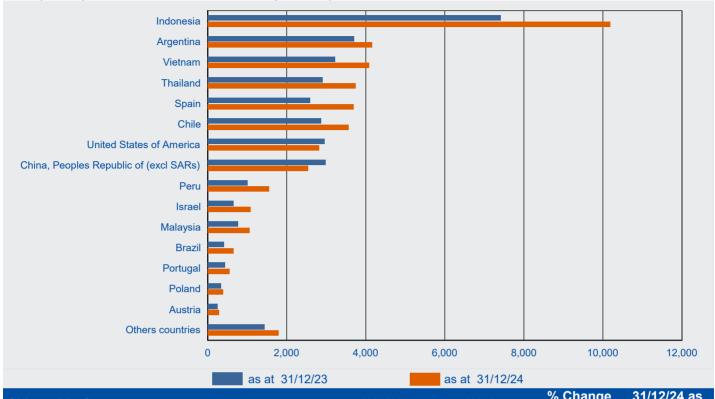
4.01 Total number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same date in the previous year



Citizenship Country	31/12/23	31/12/24	% Change from 31/12/23	31/12/24 as % of Total
United Kingdom	31,018	46,129	48.7%	28.1%
France	20,341	23,256	14.3%	14.2%
Ireland	17,758	18,146	2.2%	11.1%
Japan	11,319	14,302	26.4%	8.7%
Taiwan	12,057	13,437	11.4%	8.2%
Italy	10,416	12,574	20.7%	7.7%
South Korea	10,446	12,367	18.4%	7.5%
Germany	9,706	10,186	4.9%	6.2%
Canada	3,594	3,575	-0.5%	2.2%
Netherlands	2,529	2,449	-3.2%	1.5%
Sweden	1,491	1,616	8.4%	1.0%
Belgium	1,500	1,595	6.3%	1.0%
Estonia	1,242	1,292	4.0%	0.8%
Denmark	1,057	1,052	-0.5%	0.6%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	1,008	955	-5.3%	0.6%
Finland	487	496	1.8%	0.3%
Norway	311	356	14.5%	0.2%
Malta	61	54	-11.5%	0.0%
Cyprus	45	40	-11.1%	0.0%
Not Specified	116	178	53.4%	0.1%
Total	136,502	164,055	20.2%	100.0%

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4.02 Total number of Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2024 by citizenship country - comparison with the same date in the previous year



Citizenship Country	31/12/23	31/12/24	% Change from 31/12/23	31/12/24 as % of Total
Indonesia	7,411	10,190	37.5%	24.2%
Argentina	3,702	4,153	12.2%	9.9%
Vietnam	3,218	4,086	27.0%	9.7%
Thailand	2,905	3,738	28.7%	8.9%
Spain	2,585	3,685	42.6%	8.7%
Chile	2,867	3,569	24.5%	8.5%
United States of America	2,960	2,817	-4.8%	6.7%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	2,974	2,540	-14.6%	6.0%
Peru	1,006	1,555	54.6%	3.7%
Israel	656	1,083	65.1%	2.6%
Malaysia	772	1,054	36.5%	2.5%
Brazil	418	646	54.5%	1.5%
Portugal	436	547	25.5%	1.3%
Poland	340	392	15.3%	0.9%
Austria	242	286	18.2%	0.7%
Uruguay	237	279	17.7%	0.7%
Singapore	226	270	19.5%	0.6%
Czechia	162	194	19.8%	0.5%
Ecuador	139	190	36.7%	0.5%
Switzerland	198	178	-10.1%	0.4%
India	na	145	na	0.3%
Turkiye	100	126	26.0%	0.3%
Hungary	120	119	-0.8%	0.3%
Slovakia	80	94	17.5%	0.2%
Mongolia	92	60	-34.8%	0.1%
Slovenia	42	41	-2.4%	0.1%
Greece	26	37	42.3%	0.1%
Luxembourg	17	18	5.9%	0.0%
San Marino	0	<5	0.00%	0.0%
Not Specified	< 5	39	875.0%	0.1%
Total	33,935	42,132	24.2%	100.0%

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4.03 Working Holiday Maker visa holders in Australia at 31 December 2024 by visa type and visa subclass - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	31/12/22	30/06/23	31/12/23	30/06/24	31/12/24
417 Working Holiday					
First visa	71,428	83,184	105,107	97,22	105,88 9
Second visa	4,624	12,391	22,05 5	30,432	47,282
Third visa	1,098	1,34 9	2,058	4,342	10,835
Onshore nil VAC visa	12,39 5	10,431	5,424	2,670	17
Offshore nil VAC visa	3,91 9	2,852	1, 85 8	731	32
All 417 Working Holiday	93,464	110,207	136,502	135,398	164,055
462 Work and Holiday					
First visa	12,314	18,280	22,657	21,539	21,114
Second visa	2,00	4,967	7,926	12,480	15,002
Third visa	38	805	1,661	3,120	6,007
Onshore nil VAC visa	2,82	2,365	1,206	488	
Offshore nil VAC visa	1,348	7 67	48 5	191	6
All 462 Work and Holiday	18,871	27,184	33,935	37,818	42,132
All Working Holiday Maker	112,335	137,391	170,437	173,216	206,187

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