

## Gifts and Benefits Register for the Department of Education 1 July 2025 to 30 September 2025

In the course of official duties for the Department of Education officials received the following gifts and/or benefits with a value exceeding the threshold of \$AUD100.00 (excluding GST).

In addition to the items disclosed below, Qantas Chairmans lounge membership has been accepted by the Secretary (and partner) and five Deputy Secretaries (and two partners), Virgin Beyond lounge membership has been accepted by the Secretary (and partner) and four Deputy Secretaries (and one partner), and Virgin Platinum status has been accepted by one Deputy Secretary. The estimated value is not quantified.

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Date Received	Date Recorded	Gift item/benefit/service	Received by (agency contact if not received directly by agency head)	Presented by (giver's name, organisation/ country)	Occasion	Estimated value in \$AUD (wholesale value in country of origin or current market value in Australia)
07/07/2025	14/07/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Higher Education, Research and International	National Health and Medical Research Council	Dinner celebrating Frontier Science and International Scientific Partnership and Innovation, Canberra	\$100
23/07/2025	14/07/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Corporate and Enabling Services	CPA Australia	Attendance at the CPA welcome dinner as the keynote speaker for the CPA Forum	\$103
29/07/2025	06/05/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Higher Education, Research and International	Partners in International Education (PIE) Network	Invitation to speak and attend the PIE Network event	\$1,945
30/07/2025	05/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Higher Education, Research and International	Singapore High Commission	Singapore National Day reception at the Canberra Hyatt Hotel	\$150

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30/07/2025	05/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Higher Education, Research and International	Singapore High Commission	Singapore National Day reception at the Canberra Hyatt Hotel	\$150
13/08/2025	05/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Corporate and Enabling Services	Databricks	Free online training course	\$100
13/08/2025	13/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Corporate and Enabling Services	Databricks	Free online training course	\$100
13/08/2025	11/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Corporate and Enabling Services	Databricks	Free online training course	\$100
14/08/2025	12/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Corporate and Enabling Services	Databricks	Free online training course	\$100
14/08/2025	13/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Corporate and Enabling Services	Quantium	Attendance at a half-day AI Government Edge Masterclass at QT Canberra and a free 2-months subscription to Claude Pro which was used as part of the training	\$320
18/08/2025	29/07/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Higher Education, Research and International	Universities Australia	National Press Club Canberra address by Universities Australia's Productivity Commission Chair Danielle Wood	\$150

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19/08/2025	22/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Schools	Headspace National	Invitation to attend dinner with Dr Dan Siegel at Transport Hotel, Melbourne	\$120
26/08/2025	16/06/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Schools	Australian Primary Principals Association	Invitation to attend the Australian Primary Principals Association National Conference in Brisbane	\$1,300
27/08/2025	27/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Secretary	Universities Australia	National Press Club address by Universities Australia's Chair, Carolyn Evans	\$100
27/08/2025	27/08/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Higher Education, Research and International	Universities Australia	National Press Club Address by Universities Australia's Chair, Carolyn Evans	\$100
05/09/2025	10/09/2025	Conference/event ticket(s) or invite	Higher Education, Research and International	Deakin University	Guest speaker at the National Indigenous Learning Support Conference 2025 at the Deakin University	\$380
31/05/2025	17/07/2025	Frequent Flyer Status	Higher Education, Research and International	Qantas	Platinum frequent flyer status	>\$100