

Questionnaire ad hoc module on the entry of young people into the labour market - Q2 2009 [v1.6](#)

Opening filter All aged 15 to 34

Now are some questions about your own education, training and work experience between leaving formal education and your first job

Press 1 to interview now [on screen]

Q1 STOP_YR

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2

What year did you finish formal education or training for the last time?

Code 9999 to be used if not finished education [NOTE ON SCREEN]

Q2 STOP_MNTH

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and STOP_YR ne 9999

What month was that?

01. January
02. February
03. March
04. April
05. May
06. June
07. July
08. August
09. September
10. October
11. November
12. December
13. Don't know

Q3 WRKED

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and STOP_YR ne 9999

Respondent has left education all ready

Before finishing your formal education or training did you do any paid work equivalent to at least one month per year?

1. Yes
2. No
3. don't know

Q4 WRKSTUD

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and STOP_YR = 9999

Respondent still in education or had already stated in the core that was in education

Have you ever done any paid work equivalent to at least one month per year?

1. Yes
2. No

Q5 WORKEDUC

If WRKED = 1 or WRKSTUD = 1

Was this work carried out . . .

Code all that apply [NOTE ON SCREEN]

NOTE Multiple responses to be recorded, where applicable

Note Option 4 implies no other option is selected

1. as part of educational or training programmes? (eg compulsory internships, co-op, apprenticeship, placements etc.)
2. while studying but outside educational or training programmes, or
3. during an interruption of studies? (Interruption means at least one academic year)
4. none of these

Q6 JOBYR

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and STOP_YR ne 9999

After leaving formal education and training for the last time, in which year did you start your first job (of more than three months)?

Code 9997 if already in a job when finished education or training [On screen]

Code 9998 if not yet had a job of more than three months [ON screen]

Q7 JOBMTH

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and (STOP_YR ne 9999 and JOBYR not in 9997 or 9998)

.... and which month was that ?

01. January
02. February
03. March
04. April
05. May
06. June
07. July
08. August
09. September
10. October
11. November
12. December
13. Don't know/can't remember

Q8 JOBDUR

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and (STOP_YR ne 9999 or JOBYR ne 9998)

Those respondents that are not still in education, or were not in a job before they finished education

For how long were you in this job?

Code 998 current job is my first job [On screen]

Please enter in months [note on screen]

Q9 FINDMENTH

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and (STOP_YR ne 9999 and JOBYR ne 9998)

What was the main successful method which helped you to find your first job; was it

1. through an education or training institution,
2. through a Government employment service eg FAS,
3. through advertisements in the media,
4. by direct application to the employer,
5. through family, friends and relatives
6. after previous experience in the same company,
7. by launching your own private business or
8. another method?

Q10 JOBOCCUP (same as core OCCUP question)

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and (STOP_YR ne 9999 or JOBYR not in 9998 or JOBDUR not in 998)

Everybody except those that are still in education or have not yet got a job of 3 months or more or those that are still in the same job

What is/was your occupation in your first job (what do (did) you mainly do in the business / organisation)?

Please enter as full a description as possible [ON SCREEN]

OCCUPATION of first job [ON SCREEN]

Q11 JOBOCC2 (same as core OCC2 question)

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and (STOP_YR ne 9999 or JOBYR not in 9998 or JOBDUR not in 998)

Everybody except those that are still in education or have not yet got a job of 3 months or more or those that are still in the same job

(!) Press the backspace key to code the occupation of first job [ON SCREEN]

(!) You must enter a complete description of the respondent's first job occupation [ON SCREEN]

Q12 1STJOBSTAT

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and (STOP_YR ne 9999 or JOBYR not in 9998 or JOBDUR not in 998)

Everybody except those that are still in education or have not yet got a job of 3 months or more or those that are still in the same job

For that job, were you self employed or an employee?

RELATES TO FIRST JOB AFTER LEAVING EDUCATION [ON SCREEN]

1. Self employed,
2. An employee
3. A family worker/ assisting relative

Q13 JOBEMP1

If 1STJOBSTAT = 2

For that job were you on a permanent or temporary contract?

- (1) Permanent contract,
- (2) Temporary contract for a probationary period,
- (3) Temporary contract (not for a probationary period)

Q14 JOBEMP2

If 1STJOBSTAT = 2

Thinking about the hours you worked in that job would you describe it as full-time or part-time?

- (1) Full-time
- (2) Part-time

Q15 TRANSEMP

If 15<=age=>34 and EDUCAT >2 and (STOP_YR ne 9999 or JOBYR not in 9997)

Everybody except those that are still in education or have not yet got a job of 3 months

Between leaving formal education and training and starting your first job of more than three months, were you

1. Employed in a job or jobs of less than three months,
2. Not employed but actively looking for a job or
3. Not employed and not looking for a job?

Q16 TRANSOTH
IF TRANSEMP = 3

You mentioned that you were not actively looking for a job before you started your first job of more than three months. Was this because of

1. family responsibilities,
2. health problems,
3. being involved in non-formal education or training,
4. being involved in voluntary activities or
5. other reasons?

Q18 LIV_PAR
15<=age=>34

Does the respondent live with their parents? ie do we have the country of birth and education level of the respondents parents already?

- 1 Yes both parents
- 2 Lives with mother but not father
- 3 Lives with father but not mother
- 4 No

If LIV_PAR ne 1 and EDUCAT > 2
then the following should be read

To allow for a greater understanding in how people enter the labour force after education we would like to ask you a couple of questions about your parents / mother's / father's (as appropriate) and their education [NOTE ON SCREEN]

Press 1 to interview now [on screen]

If LIV_PAR ne 1 and EDUCAT <= 2
then the following should be read

We would just like to ask a few questions about your parents / mother / father (as appropriate) and their education [NOTE ON SCREEN]

Press 1 to interview now [on screen]

Q20 PAR_IRL

IF LIV_PAR ne 1 and IRISHNAT = 1 and BORN_IRL = 1 and 15<=age=>34

Respondent not living with either parent and were born in Ireland or Irish citizens

Were either of your parents born outside of Ireland?

1. No
2. Yes, both born outside Ireland
3. Yes, Mother born outside Ireland
4. Yes, Father born outside Ireland

Q21 NAT_MOTH

IF 15<=age=>34 AND LIV_PAR = 3 or 4

AND (IRISHNAT = 2 OR BORN_IRL = 2 OR PAR_IRL = 2 or 3)

Respondent lives with neither parent or father only and (is not an Irish citizen or was not born in Ireland or their mother was not born in Ireland)

In what country was your mother born?

LOOK UP FILES as per BORNWHERE

The “Don’t Know” icon should be available to be used

Q21 NAT_FATHER

IF 15<=age=>34 AND LIV_PAR = 2 or 4

AND (IRISHNAT = 2 OR BORN_IRL = 2 OR PAR_IRL = 2 or 4)

Respondent lives with neither parent or mother only and (is not an Irish citizen or was not born in Ireland or their father was not born in Ireland)

In what country was your father born?

LOOK UP FILES as per BORNWHERE

The “Don’t Know” icon should be available to be used

Q22 ED_MOTH (similar to new EDUCAT question from core except question relates to mother's education and option 15)
IF 15<=age=>34 AND LIV_PAR = 3 or 4

As far as you know, what is the highest qualification your mother gained?

1. No formal education or training/ Pre-primary education (or new FETAC certificate at NFQ level 1)
2. Primary education (or FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 2)
3. Secondary 1 (Junior/Inter/Group Certificate, NCVA foundation Certificate, FAS IAS Certificate or FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 3)
4. Transition year programme
5. Secondary 2 (Leaving Certificate)
6. Technical or Vocational (e.g. Secretarial courses, Certificate in Hotel Operations, PLCs, FAS National Skills/Specific Skills Certificate or FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 4 & 5)
7. Advanced Certificate (Completed apprenticeships, Teagasc Farming or Horticulture Certificate, National Craft Certificate or FETAC Advanced certificate at NFQ level 6)
8. Higher Certificate (e.g. National Certificate (NCEA/DIT/IOT), Cadetship (army, air corps or naval service), or HETAC/DIT Higher Certificate at NFQ level 6)
9. Diploma (e.g. National Diploma (HETAC/NCEA), Bachelor Degree (DIT), 3 year Diploma or Ordinary Bachelor Degree at NFQ level 7)
10. Honours Bachelor Degree, Graduate Diploma (*or Higher Diploma at NFQ level 8*)
11. Professional (Honours Bachelor Degree equivalent or higher)
12. Post-Graduate (e.g. Post Graduate Diploma at NFQ level 9, Masters Degree (taught or researched) at NFQ level 9)
13. Doctorate or higher (e.g. Doctoral Degree/higher Doctorate at NFQ level 10)
14. Other
15. Don't know

[NOTE ON SCREEN] Note: For Police or Nursing qualification code option 9

Q23 LS_MOTH (same as core LOWSEC question)

If ED_MOTH = 3

If the highest level of education the respondent's mother has attained is lower secondary

Please specify level achieved

1. Junior Certificate
2. Intermediate Certificate
3. Group Certificate
4. FÁS Introductory Certificate
5. NCVA foundation Certificate
6. FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 3
7. Equivalent Qualification at NFQ level 3

Q24 US_MOTH (same as core UPPSEC question)

If ED_MOTH=5

If the highest level of education the respondent's mother has attained is higher secondary

Please specify level achieved

1. Leaving Certificate (Traditional)
2. Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme (LCVP)
3. Leaving Certificate Applied (LCA)
4. Equivalent Qualification at NFQ level 4/5

Q25 TV_MOTH (same as core TECVOC question)

If ED_MOTH =6

If the highest level of education the respondent's mother has attained is Post Leaving Certificate

Please specify level achieved

1. Secretarial
2. Certificate in Hotel Operations
3. PLC (Post Leaving Certificate Course)
4. FAS National Skills Certificate
5. FAS Specific Skills Certificate
6. FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 4
7. FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 5
8. Equivalent Qualification at NFQ level 4/5

Q26 AC_MOTH (same as core ADVCERT question)

If ED_MOTH =7

If the highest level of education the respondent's mother has attained is Advanced Certificate

Please specify level achieved

1. Completed apprenticeships
2. Teagasc farming or horticulture certificate/diploma
3. National Craft Certificate
4. FETAC Advanced Certificate at NFQ level 6
5. Equivalent Qualification at NFQ level 6

Q27 HC_MOTH (same as core HIGCERT question)

If ED_MOTH =8

If the highest level of education the respondent's mother has attained is Higher Certificate

Please specify level achieved

1. National Certificate(NCEA/DIT/IOT)
2. Cadetship (army, air corps or naval service)
3. New HETAC/DIT Higher Certificate at NFQ level 7

Q28 DIP_MOTH (Same as core DIPLOMA question)

If ED_MOTH =9

If the highest level of education the respondent's mother has attained is Diploma

Please specify level achieved

1. National Diploma (HETAC/NCEA, e.g. 3 year diploma)
2. Bachelor Degree (DIT)
3. New Ordinary Bachelor Degree

Note: Police qualification could be coded 1 or 3. In general, the older police qualification (prior to 2004) would be coded option 1 and more recent qualifications from 2004 onwards would be coded 3. [ON SCREEN]

NOTE TO BLAISE programmer the following questions are the same as the previous questions from ED_MOTH to DIP_MOTH only they relate to the respondent's father education the filter to ED_FATH is different to ED_MOTH)

**Q29 ED_FATH (similar to new EDUCAT question from core except question relates to father's education and option 15)
IF 15<=age=>34 AND LIV_PAR = 2 or 4)**

As far as you know, what is the highest qualification your father gained?

1. No formal education or training/ Pre-primary education (or new FETAC certificate at NFQ level 1)
2. Primary education (or FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 2)
3. Secondary 1 (Junior/Inter/Group Certificate, NCVA foundation Certificate, FAS IAS Certificate or FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 3)
4. Transition year programme
5. Secondary 2 (Leaving Certificate)
6. Technical or Vocational (e.g. Secretarial courses, Certificate in Hotel Operations, PLCs, FAS National Skills/Specific Skills Certificate or FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 4 & 5)
7. Advanced Certificate (Completed apprenticeships, Teagasc Farming or Horticulture Certificate, National Craft Certificate or FETAC Advanced certificate at NFQ level 6)
8. Higher Certificate (e.g. National Certificate (NCEA/DIT/IOT), Cadetship (army, air corps or naval service), or HETAC/DIT Higher Certificate at NFQ level 6)
9. Diploma (e.g. National Diploma (HETAC/NCEA), Bachelor Degree (DIT), 3 year Diploma or Ordinary Bachelor Degree at NFQ level 7)
10. Honours Bachelor Degree, Graduate Diploma (*or Higher Diploma at NFQ level 8*)
11. Professional (Honours Bachelor Degree equivalent or higher)
12. Post-Graduate (e.g. Post Graduate Diploma at NFQ level 9, Masters Degree (taught or researched) at NFQ level 9)
13. Doctorate or higher (e.g. Doctoral Degree/higher Doctorate at NFQ level 10)
14. Other
15. Don't know

[NOTE ON SCREEN] Note: For Police or Nursing qualification code option 9

Q30 LS_FATH (same as core LOWSEC question)

If ED_FATH =3

If the highest level of education the respondent's father has attained is lower secondary

Please specify level achieved

1. Leaving Certificate (Traditional)
2. Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme (LCVP)
3. Leaving Certificate Applied (LCA)
4. Equivalent Qualification at NFQ level 4/5

Q31 US_FATH (same as core UPPSEC question)

If ED_FATH=5

If the highest level of education the respondent's father has attained is higher secondary

Please specify level achieved

1. Leaving Certificate (Traditional)
2. Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme (LCVP)
3. Leaving Certificate Applied (LCA)

Q32 TV_FATH (same as core TECVOC question)

If ED_FATH =6

If the highest level of education the respondent's father has attained is Post Leaving Certificate

Please specify level achieved

1. Secretarial
2. Certificate in Hotel Operations
3. PLC (Post Leaving Certificate Course)
4. FAS National Skills Certificate
5. FAS Specific Skills Certificate
6. FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 4
7. FETAC Certificate at NFQ level 5
8. Equivalent Qualification at NFQ level 4/5

Q33 AC_FATH (same as core ADVCERT question)

If ED_FATH =7

If the highest level of education the respondent's father has attained is Advanced Certificate

Please specify level achieved

1. Completed apprenticeships
2. Teagasc farming or horticulture certificate/diploma
3. National Craft Certificate
4. FETAC Advanced Certificate at NFQ level 6
5. Equivalent Qualification at NFQ level 6

Q34 HC_FATH (same as core HIGCERT question)

If ED_FATH =8

If the highest level of education the respondent's father has attained is Higher Certificate

Please specify level achieved

1. National Certificate (NCEA/DIT/IOT)
2. Cadetship (army, air corps or naval service)
3. New HETAC/DIT Higher Certificate at NFQ level 7

Q35 DIP_FATH (Same as core DIPLOMA question)

If ED_FATH =9

If the highest level of education the respondent's father has attained is Diploma

Please specify level achieved

1. National Diploma (HETAC/NCEA, e.g. 3 year diploma)
2. Bachelor Degree (DIT)
3. New Ordinary Bachelor Degree

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