Humans grade
test papers to teach the
system how to evaluate
student responses.

Automated Engine Training

- **Initial Training:** Our psychometricians, researchers & human markers collaborate to train our automated marking engine.

- **Guidelines and Criteria:** Human markers define the assessment criteria and guidelines that our automated marking enginel follows.

How does AI help with PTE security?

Biometrics

Gaming is across all high-stakes tests

Impact of anti gaming technology

- Staged rollout has commenced

- Continuous monitoring, research and review underway

- Volume of tests flagged for review declining = indicating positive impact on test taker behaviour

- Test preparation industry observes changes

- Anti Gaming White Paper to be released in 2024

PTE
Recent research

Migrants choose to study in Aust for high quality education and feeling welcomed.

Reasons Selected Australia as a Study Destination
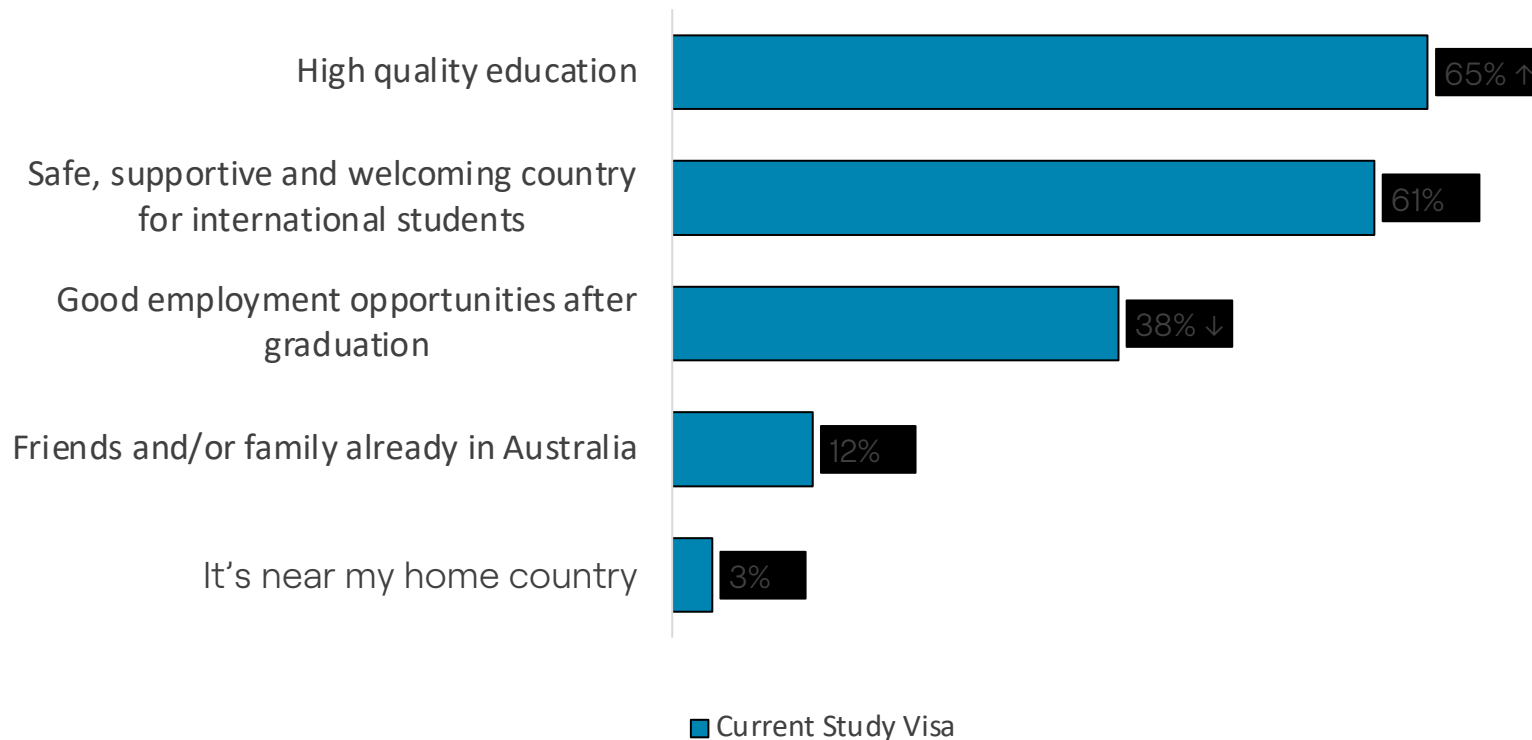
Reason	Current Study Visa
High quality education	65% ↑
Safe, supportive and welcoming country for international students	61%
Good employment opportunities after graduation	38% ↓
Friends and/or family already in Australia	12%
It's near my home country	3%

■ Current Study Visa

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Female students over 30yrs more likely to choose Aust due to its safe environment.

Reasons Selected Australia by Age and Gender

High quality education
- 65%
- 72% ↑
- 62%
- 37% ↓

Safe, supportive and welcoming country for international students
- 61%
- 62%

Good employment opportunities after graduation
- 38%
- 38%
- 46%
- 40%

Friends and/or family already in Australia
- 12%
- 14%
- 22%

It's near my home country
- 2%
- 2%
- 10% ↑

■ Total Current Study V. ■ Male 18-24 ■ Male 25-29 ■ Male 30+ ■ Female 18-24 ■ Female 25-29 ■ Female 30+

Q102. Which of the following best describes why you selected Australia as a study destination?
Base is studied in Australia and Current Study Visa n=790

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Students from India more motivated by Australia's high quality education.

Reasons Selected Australia by Country of Origin
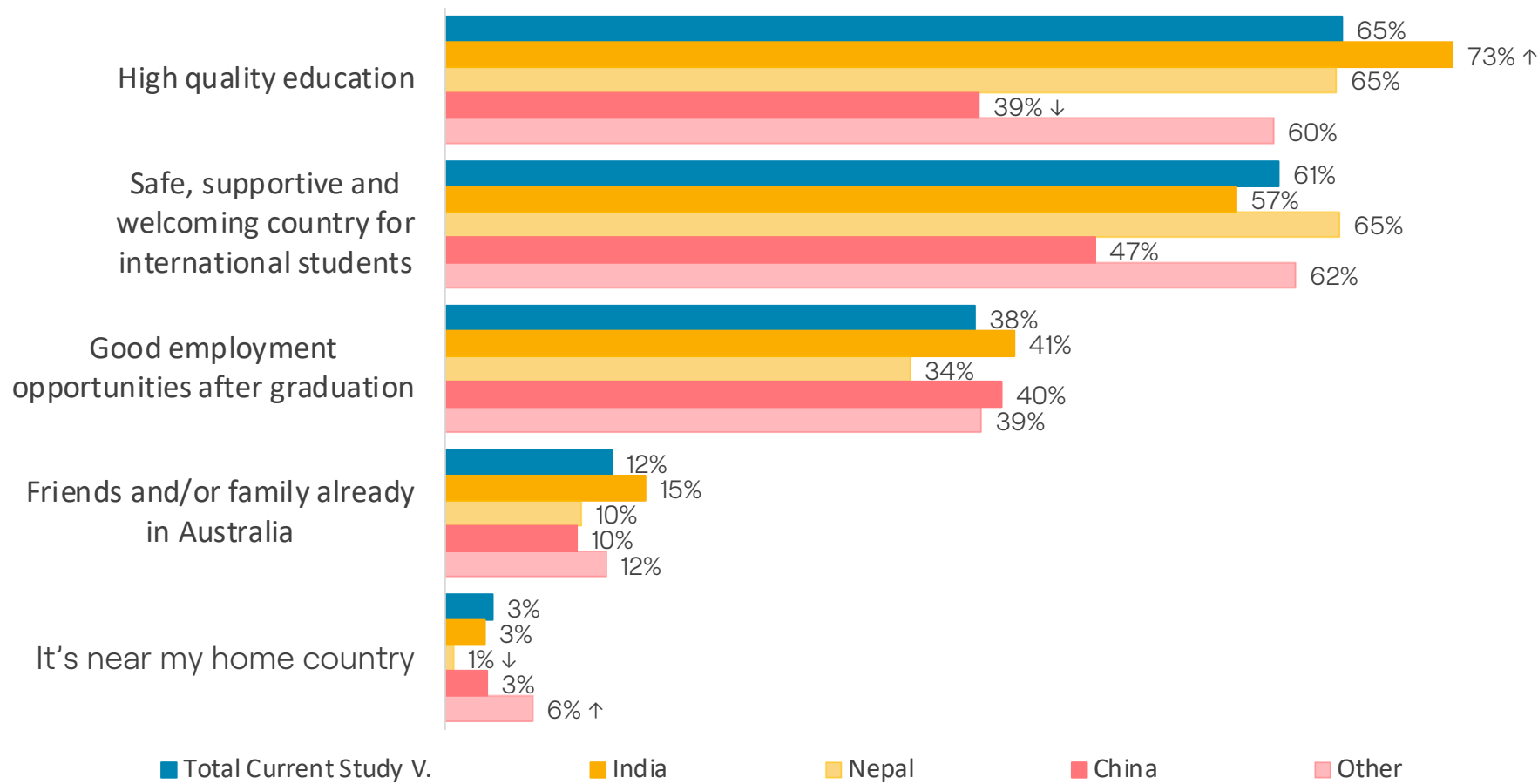
High quality education
- 65%
- 73% ↑
- 65%
- 39% ↓
- 60%

Safe, supportive and welcoming country for international students
- 61%
- 57%
- 65%
- 47%
- 62%

Good employment opportunities after graduation
- 38%
- 41%
- 34%
- 40%
- 39%

Friends and/or family already in Australia
- 12%
- 15%
- 10%
- 10%
- 12%

It's near my home country
- 3%
- 3%
- 1% ↓
- 3%
- 6% ↑

Legend: ■ Total Current Study V. ■ India ■ Nepal ■ China ■ Other
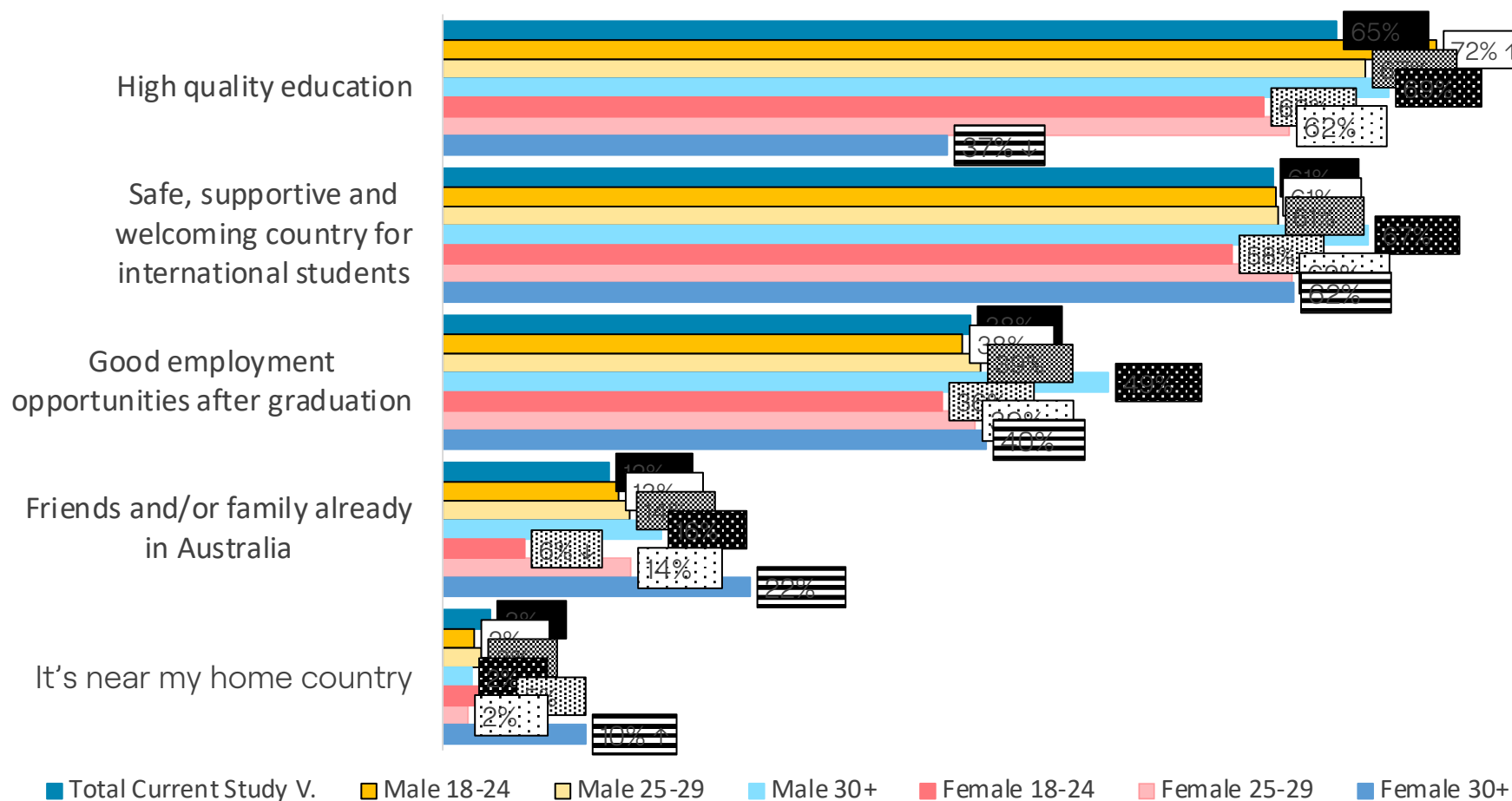
Q102. Which of the following best describes why you selected Australia as a study destination?
Base is studied in Australia and Current Study Visa n=790

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Eight out of 10 say Australia has met or exceeded their expectations.

Australia Met or Exceeded Expectations

	Total	Current Study Visa
TOTAL YES	84%	83%
Yes, it has met my expectations	72%	72%
Yes, it has exceeded my expectations	12%	12%
No	5%	5%
Unsure	10%	11%

■ Total ■ Current Study Visa
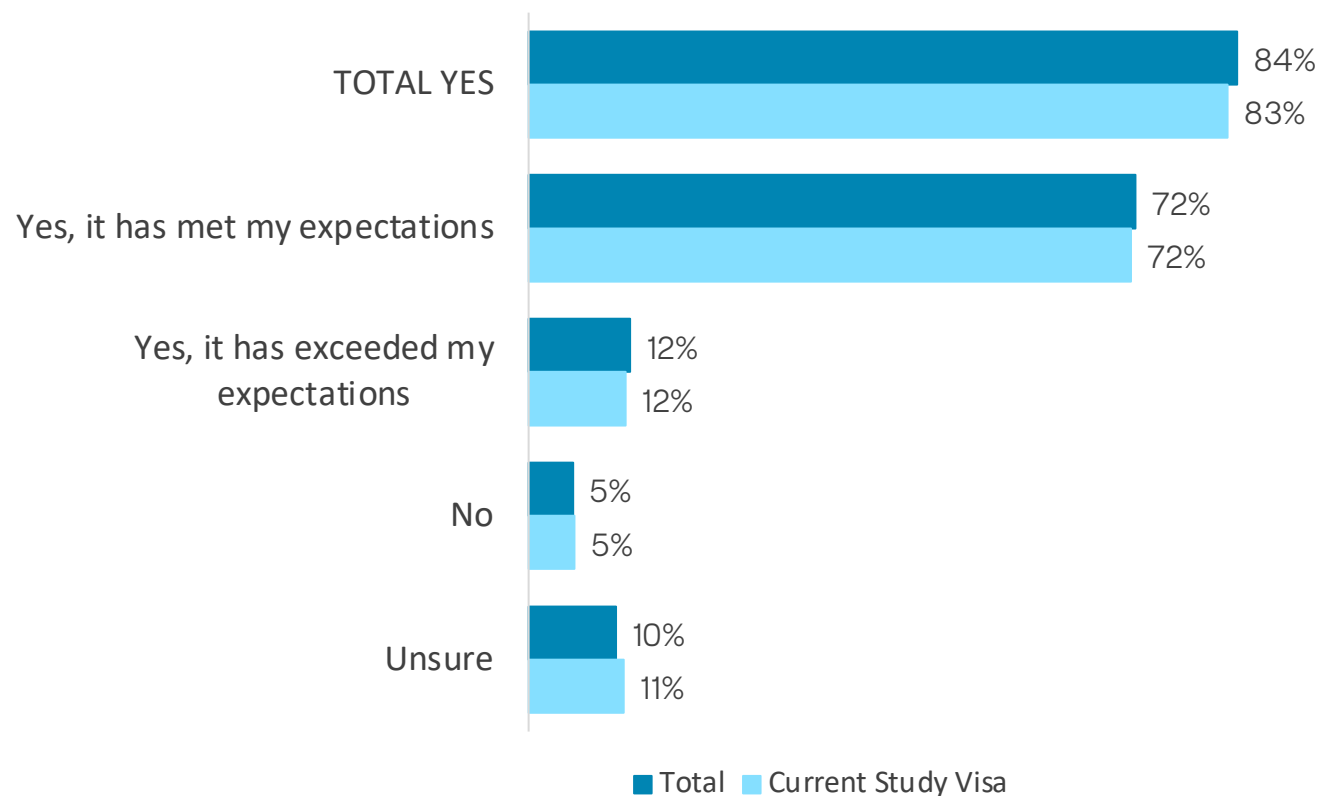
Q30. Has your experience in Australia met or exceeded your expectations? *Base n=3001*

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Nine out of 10 Study Visa holders want to improve their English.

Goals now in Australia

Goal	Total	Current Study Visa
Improving your English	91%	90%
Progressing your skills or education	86%	84% ↓
Seeing more of Australia	86%	82% ↓
Progressing your career	81%	77% ↓
Contributing to the Australian community	82%	77% ↓
Providing opportunities for your children's future	62%	54% ↓
Buying a home	55%	44% ↓
Starting or adding to your family	49%	41% ↓
Starting a business	42%	36% ↓

■ Total ■ Current Study Visa

Sorted by % Yes
Q38. Here are some things other migrants have told us are their goals now they are in Australia. Do you share any of these goals?
Base is temporary visa holders n=1909

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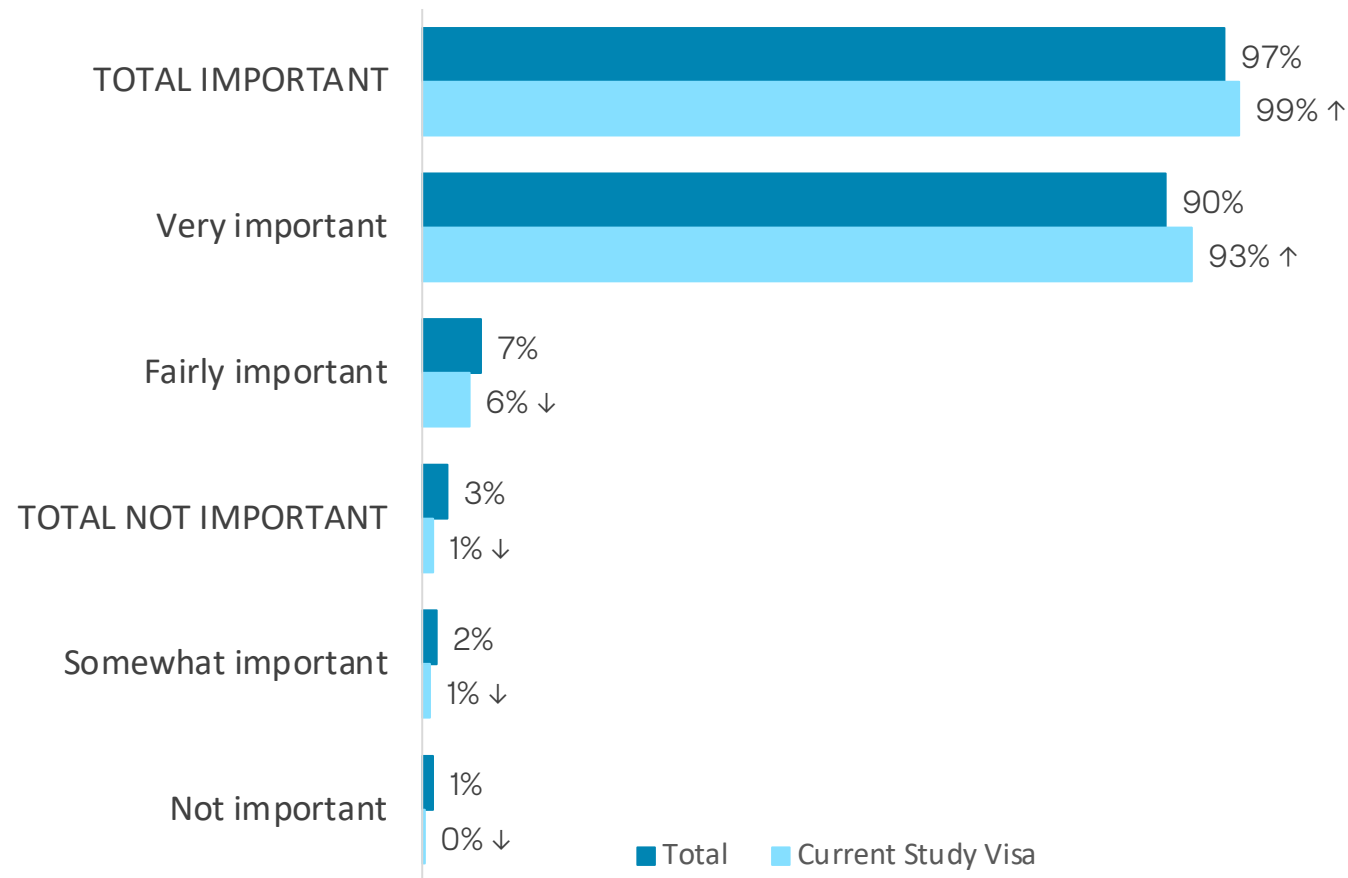# PTE test takers overwhelmingly agree: learning English is important.

Importance of Learning English

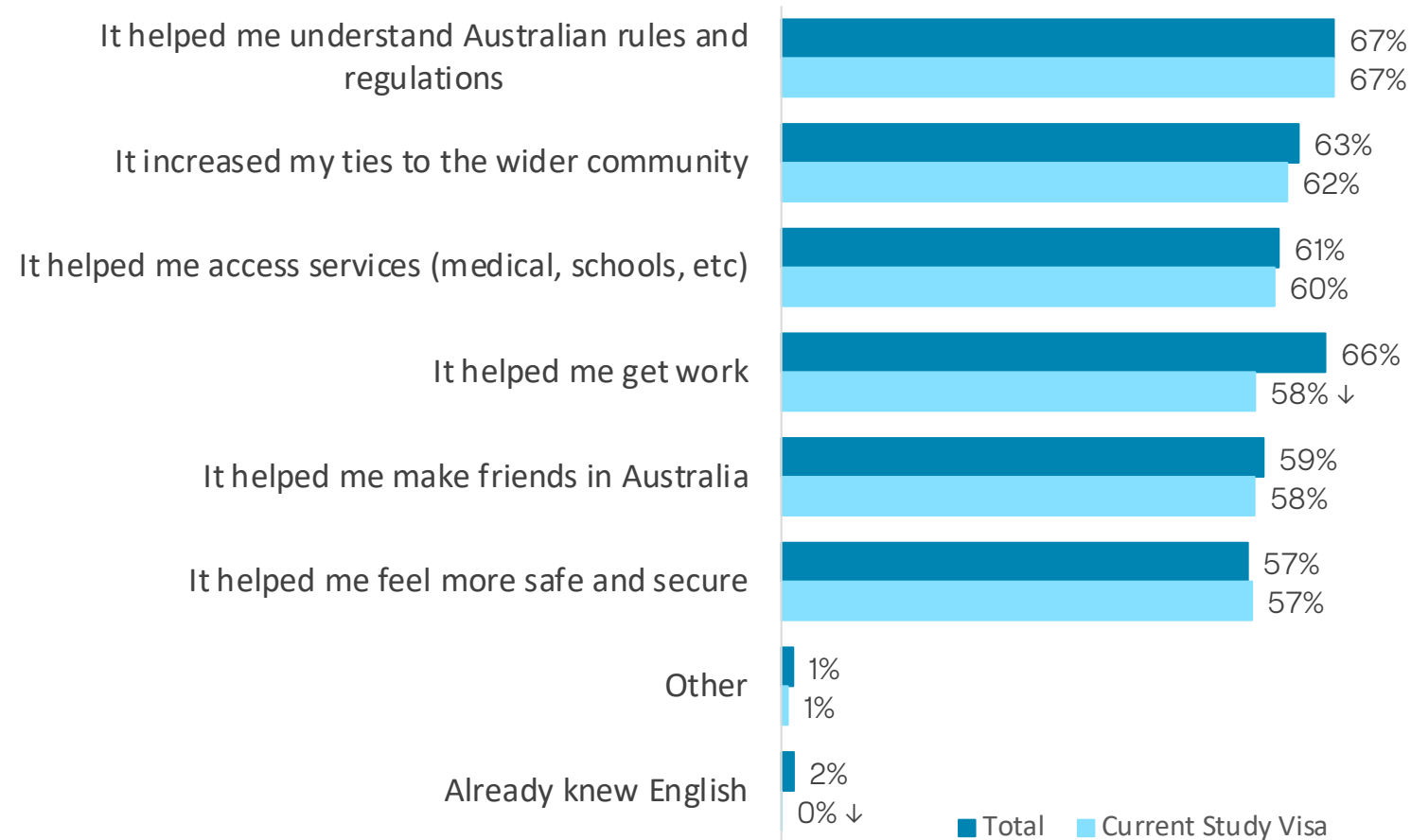|	Total	Current Study Visa
TOTAL IMPORTANT	97%	99% ↑
Very important	90%	93% ↑
Fairly important	7%	6% ↓
TOTAL NOT IMPORTANT	3%	1% ↓
Somewhat important	2%	1% ↓
Not important	1%	0% ↓

Net Important: % Total Important – % Total Not Important
Q33. How important was learning English as part of your life in Australia?   *Base n=3001*

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English is valuable for a wide variety of reasons.

Reasons Learning English is Important

It helped me understand Australian rules and regulations — 67% / 67%
It increased my ties to the wider community — 63% / 62%
It helped me access services (medical, schools, etc) — 61% / 60%
It helped me get work — 66% / 58% ↓
It helped me make friends in Australia — 59% / 58%
It helped me feel more safe and secure — 57% / 57%
Other — 1% / 1%
Already knew English — 2% / 0% ↓

■ Total ■ Current Study Visa

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After studying here, English speaking confidence improves the most.

Confidence in English Proficiency After Studying

	Very confident	Somewhat confident	Can't recall / Not applicable	
Listening (+89)	60%	34%	1%	5%
Writing (+89)	60%	34%		5%
Speaking (+89)	58%	36%		5% 1%
Reading (+88)	63%	31%	1%	6%

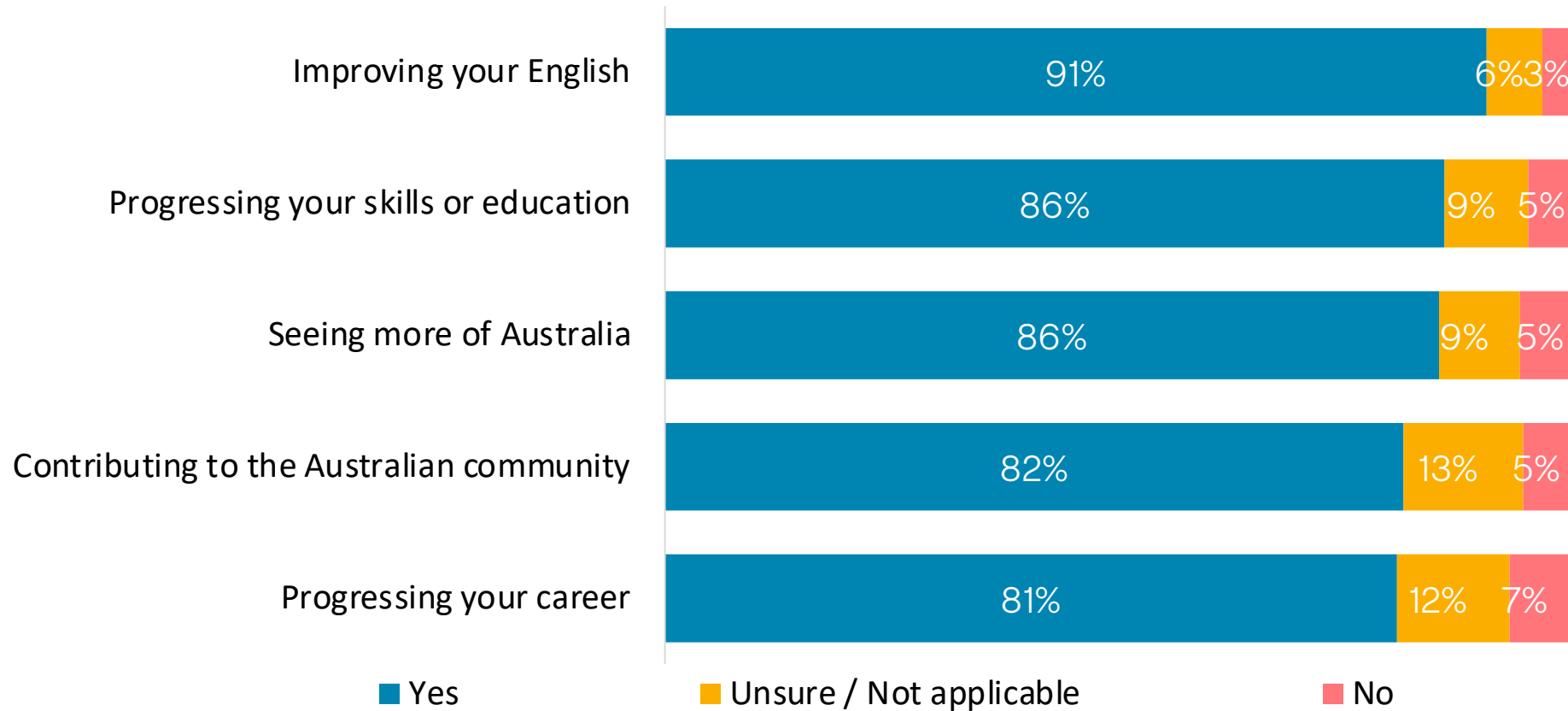■ Very confident ■ Somewhat confident ■ Can't recall / Not applicable
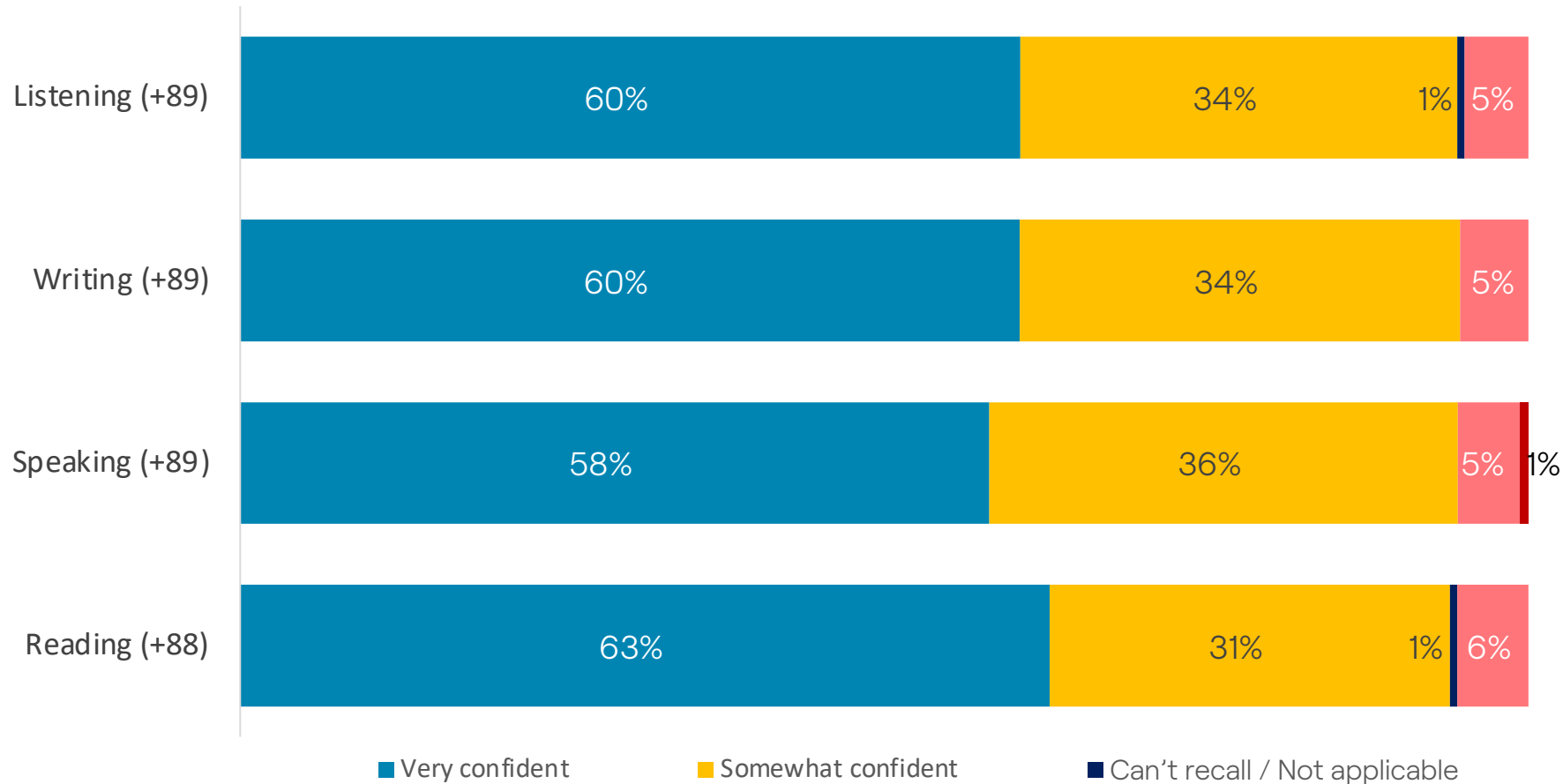
Sorted by Net Confident (in brackets): % Total Confident – % Total Unconfident
Q104. And how confident are you now with your level of English proficiency for each of the following? *Base is studied in Australia n=880*

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Nine out of 10 temporary visa holders who've done PTE want to keep improving their English.

Top 5 Migrant Goals now in Australia

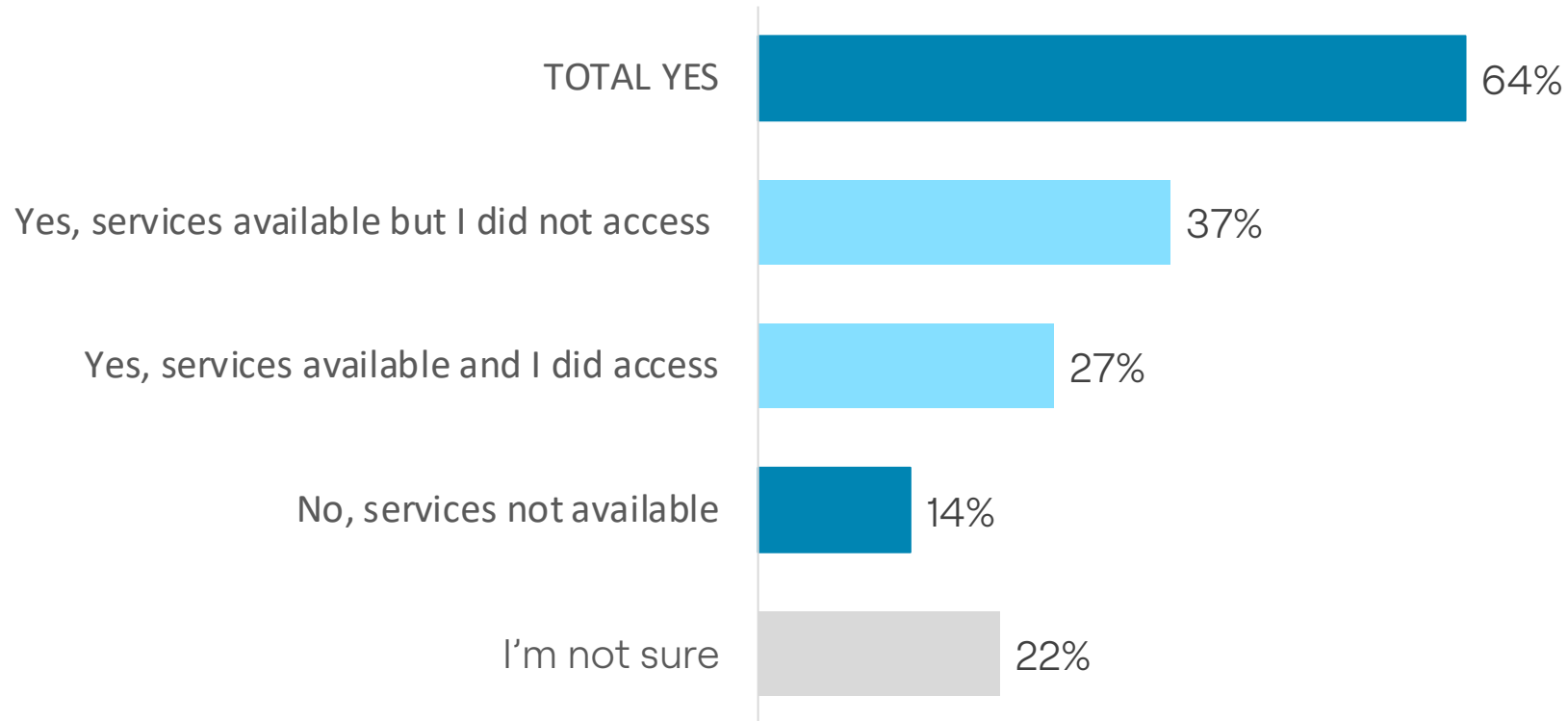| Goal	Yes	Unsure / Not applicable	No
Improving your English	91%	6%	3%
Progressing your skills or education	86%	9%	5%
Seeing more of Australia	86%	9%	5%
Contributing to the Australian community	82%	13%	5%
Progressing your career	81%	12%	7%

■ Yes   ■ Unsure / Not applicable   ■ No

Q38. Here are some things other migrants have told us are their goals now they are in Australia. Do you share any of these goals?
Sorted by % Yes   N.B. Base not permanent residents n=1909

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Two-thirds of students said language support services were available at the study institution.

Availability of English Support Services

TOTAL YES	64%
Yes, services available but I did not access	37%
Yes, services available and I did access	27%
No, services not available	14%
I'm not sure	22%

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Confidence in speaking English improves most for working migrants and least for students.

Shift in Confidence in English Proficiency After Studying – By Subgroup

	Speaking	Writing	Listening	Reading
Total	20	19	18	17
Current Employed FT	29	20	25	21
25-29 yrs	23	20	22	18
India	23	22	23	20
Current Employed PT	23	22	21	19
Nepal	21	27	20	18
Male	21	17	18	16
18-24 yrs	19	19	18	16
Female	18	22	19	18
Other CofOrigin	17	12	13	13
Current Self-employed	15	9	8	10
30+ yrs	14	18	13	15
Current Looking for work	10	12	9	10
Current Not employed	9	11	8	10
Current Student	9	11	8	10

Sorted by Shift Speaking Very Confident: % Very Confident Post Studying – % Very Confident Prior Studying

Q103. Before you started studying in Australia, how confident were you with your level of English proficiency for each of the following? /
Q104. And how confident are you now with your level of English proficiency for each of the following? *N.B. Base n=880, Base size <50 removed*

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66% say their success at work is down to English skills

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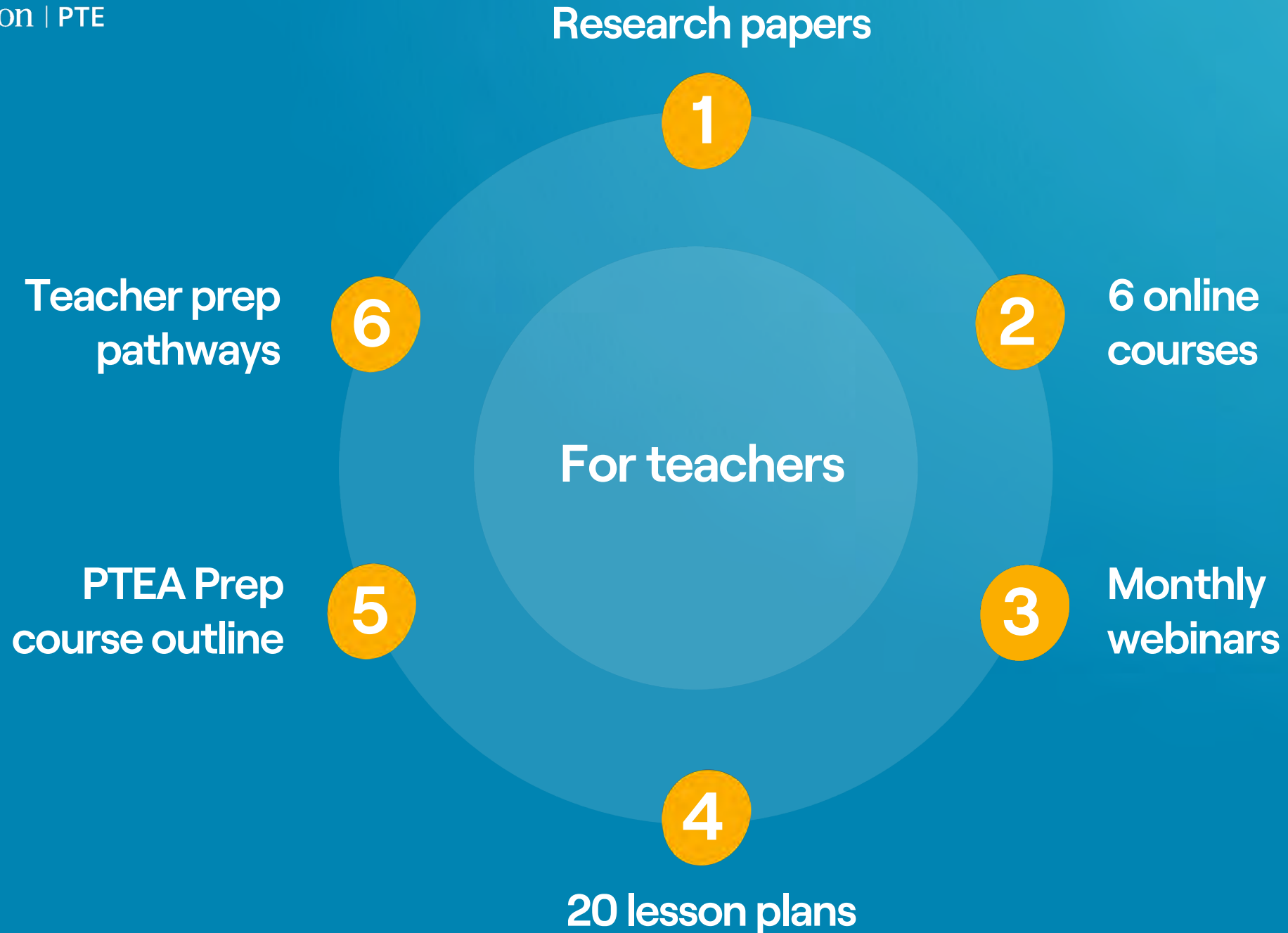
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The best introduction to PTE Academic: learn about the key features of the test and how it's scored.

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2

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A closer look at the Speaking section of PTE Academic and the skills that are tested.

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3

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4

Reading

A focus on the Reading section of PTE Academic and the skills that are tested.

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5

Listening

A closer look at the Listening section of PTE Academic and the skills that are tested.

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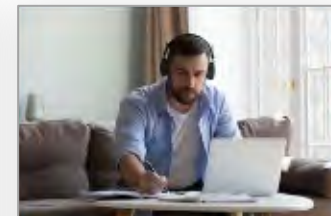
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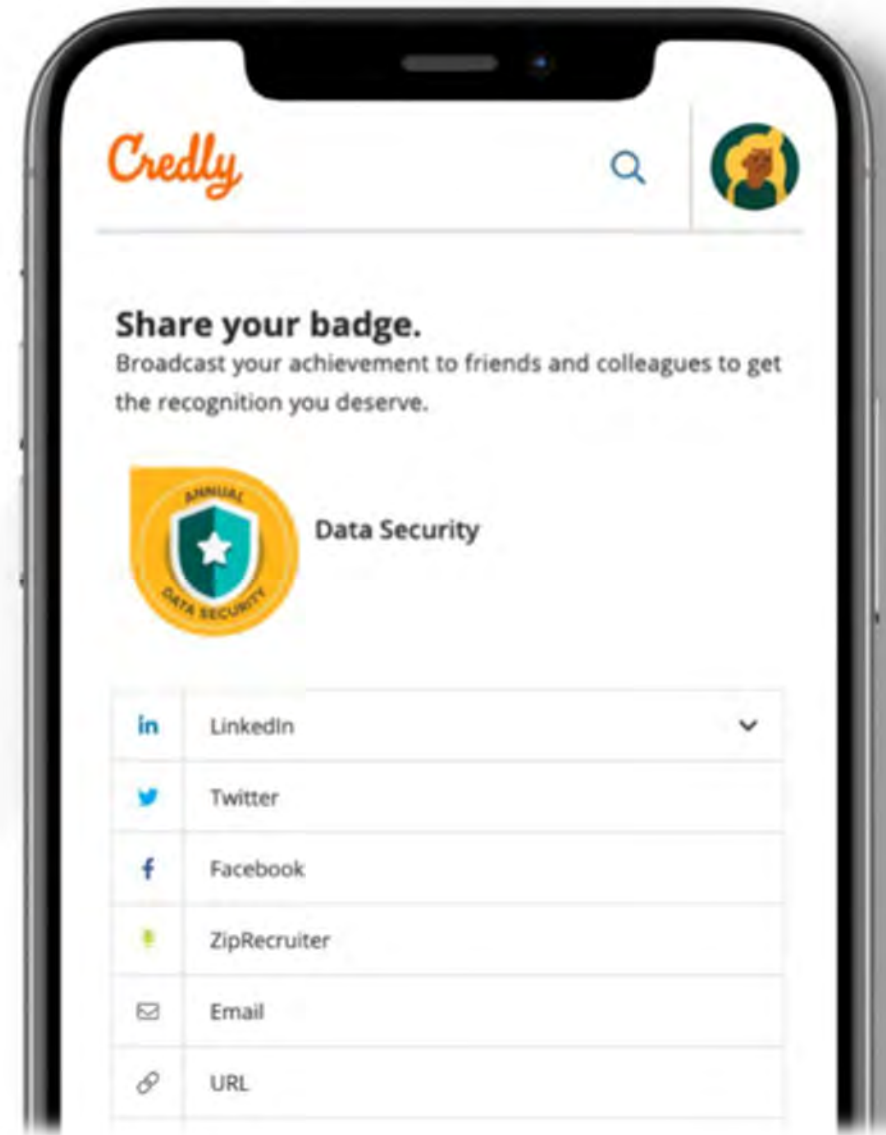*On a
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