

## The Netherlands – linking funding to performance

In the Netherlands 20% of the funding for VET provision is based on output.

The funding of adult and vocational education is governed by the Adult and Vocational Education Act. The Ministry of Education, Culture and Science funds vocational education courses directly, based partly on the number of students per course/learning pathway (80% of the available budget) and partly on the number of certificates awarded per institution (20% of the available budget).

More information is available from the National Reference Point.

The information was gathered in 2008, for more up to date information on this case study, please check the national website.