

<b>Name of the instrument in English</b>	<b>Direct aid to apprentices</b>
<b>Country</b>	 France
<b>Type of instrument</b>	Grants for individuals

<b>Level of operation</b>	Regional
<b>Part of the country where the instrument applies</b>	nap
<b>Sector(s) in which the instrument applies</b>	nap
<b>Objective(s) and target(s)</b>	To encourage the development of apprenticeship
<b>Year of termination</b>	No foreseen end to the instrument (on-going)
<b>Governance (management, operation, monitoring and evaluation)</b>	Regional councils are responsible for the management of the instrument.
<b>Eligible group(s)</b>	All apprentices
<b>Education and training eligible</b>	The instrument funds only apprenticeship.
<b>Financing formula and allocation mechanisms</b>	The amounts that apprentices may receive are decided by regions. The funds are disbursed to all eligible applicants on the basis of the legal entitlement.
<b>Eligible costs</b>	Travel and accommodation costs.
<b>Volumes of funding</b>	In 2014, some EUR 39,000,000 were involved.
<b>Beneficiaries/take up</b>	In 2014/15, there were 405,900 apprentices. According to the national expert(s), the number of those who benefited from the grant should be more-less the same.
<b>Sources</b>	CNEFOP, <a href="http://www.cnefop.fr">www.cnefop.fr</a>

### Related apprenticeship schemes

#### Apprenticeship contract

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