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## **Investment Opportunity**

### iCollege will consists of:

- The leading SaaS software supplier to the UK Childcare sector;
- The largest dedicated childcare training company in the UK;
- Two Australian vocational training Companies.

#### Lara:

- A leading provider of Education and Childcare services;
- A Platform from which to launch the global group;
- A Model that allows culture and entrepreneurship to be maintained whilst benefitting from scale;







### **Leadership Team**



Ross Cotton, Executive Chairman, iCollege Ltd

- 15 years experience in capital markets
- Experience in M&A, corporate advisory, debt & equity raising
- Co-founder, Regency Corporate
- Board Member of Listed Financial Services Group, AU1



Allan Presland, Group Chief Executive Officer, iCollege Ltd

- Founder and CEO of Parenta Group,
- Author of "Improving the business of Early Years Childcare"
- Over 20 years experience within the childcare sector
- On multiple Childcare committees and Government task forces
- Founder, Parenta Trust



**Barnaby Wynter**Communications Director, Lara
Group

- Marketing Speaker, practitioner and author
- 25 years experience creating over 450 brands



Matt Sutherland
Chief Operating Officer, iCollege
Ltd

 Accomplished leader with over 10 years executive management experience within the Australian vocational education sector.





# iCollege

### **Amalgamation of:**



#### **Lara Group Ltd**

The UKs largest Childcare support services Group

### With iCollege's existing assets:











## Portfolio Companies Lara







Parenta: The UKs leading Childcare support services Group

- SaaS-based nursery management software, learning journals and mobile apps,
- Early years vocational training provider
- Marketing services
- Fee Collection

	2016
Turnover	\$ 6.5m
EBITDA	\$ 1.9m <sup>1</sup>
Customers	~ 5,000
Number of staff trained	> 20,000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> based on provisional audited accounts



## Portfolio Companies iCollege

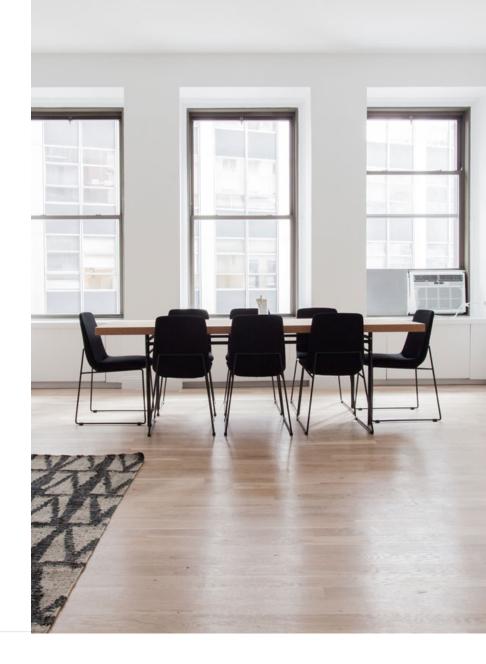
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mathisi flexible business training	<ul><li>Business     Administration;</li><li>Leadership and     Management.</li></ul>
Bookkeeping School	<ul> <li>Foundations Skills;</li> <li>Nursing;</li> <li>Personal care;</li> <li>Administration;</li> <li>Health and Safety;</li> <li>Injury Management.</li> </ul>





## **Strategic Rationale**

- Combining the UKs largest dedicated childcare vocational training and SaaS provider;
- ICTs Vocational training companies;
- Combined group able to exploit the talents of both companies;
- Lara acquired in an all scrip deal.





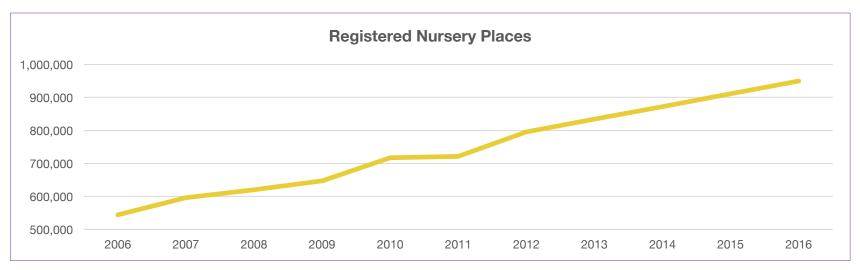


# Strong market demand within the UK Childcare sector

### Market value: \$8.5 Bn

## Total number of children attending nurseries increased by 75% from 2006 to 2016

Source: Children's Nurseries UK Market Report, LaingBuisson 2014



Source: Review childcare costs: the analytical report 2015



## **UK: Significant drivers of further demand**

2. Increased female workforce participation 1. Children Population growth (Age 0 -14 rate vears old) World Pop. Female WF (Bn) World Pop. (0 - 14 yrs old)Avg % Female WF for OECD countries (%) 2.9 65 **Demand Drivers** 2.8 60 2.7 2.6 2000 2005 2010 2015 2000 2005 2010 2015 4. Higher household disposable income 3. Substantial (~53%) govt. support in childcare funding 2015 Childcare funding sources for Disposable Childcare OECD countries Avg Disposable HH income funding (%) income **Affordability** (US/ capita '000) across OECD countries 100% 40 **Drivers** 46% Private 50% 20 Public 27 54% 17 (rebates/taxes) 0 0%

2000

2015





## Significant drivers of further demand

## Increase in female employment

Steady year-on-year increase in female workforce

## Rising disposable income

Average salary across the UK is increasing

Recognition of importance of early years education

## Increase in Government support

Free early education doubling and tax-free childcare

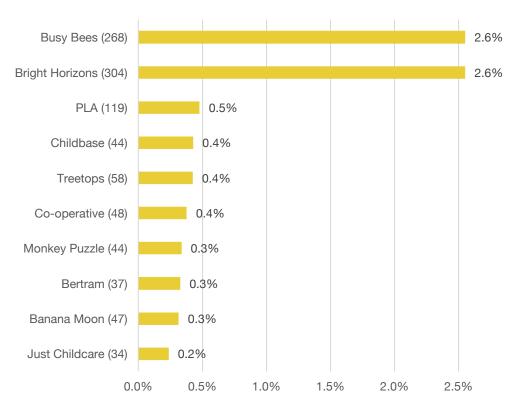
Statutory duty to provide sufficient childcare places





## **UK Nursery market: highly fragmented and imperfect**

UK's largest chains % of number of places against total market



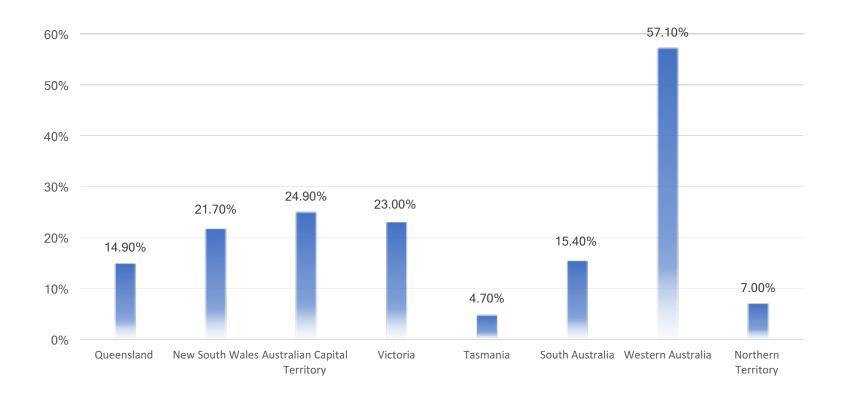
Source: Nursery World, Nursery Chains, 2016

#### **Market Highlights**

- 1. Highly fragmented market
  - Over 82K providers;
- 2. Lack of dominant player
  - Highest places → 2.6% share;
- Need for scale
  - Top 10 only takes up 8%;
- 4. High Barriers to entry
  - Need for industry expertise and localised knowledge;
- Total Market Size:
  - 23,500 settings.



### **Australian Child Care Centres Growth**



% Change in number of Child Care Centres in Australia, during the June-10, March-15 period;

Source: Department of Education and Training.



### Australia: Significant drivers of further demand

Increase in female employment 60% Female participation rate in March-16.

#### **Population Projection**

500,000 children between 0 -5 years estimated addition over the next 5 years.

Increase in Government Assistance
Since FY2003/04, the government has
contributed nearly \$40b in subsidy
funding.

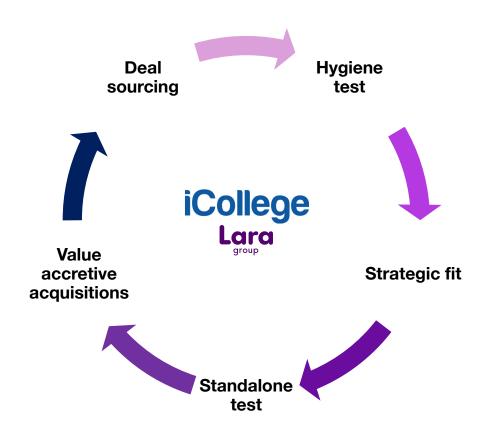
Source: Department of Education and Training; and Australian Bureau of Statistics.



## **Growth Strategy**

#### Acquisitions:

- Must be profitable, debt free, standout leaders:
  - Childcare Groups;
  - Leading Education Services companies;
  - o Vocational Training Providers;
  - Education providers;
- Strong Growth Pipeline;
- · Organic Growth.





## **Key Investment Highlights**

- An opportunity to invest in the Australian and the UK education sector;
- UK market experiencing significant demand, supported by a strong Government stimulus package;
- Highly fragmented markets in both countries, ripe for consolidation;
- Strong acquisition pipeline for educational training, childcare and support companies, designed to increase shareholder value.







## iCollege - Consolidated Structure

	Value, AUS \$	Number	Detail
Ordinary Shares on Issue <sup>1</sup>		182,972,082	
Consideration Shares on acquisition of Lara <sup>2</sup>	9,657,105	241,427,625	
Total Ordinary Shares		424,399,707	
Options			
Quoted ICTO		30,082,001	Exercisable at \$0.20 exp 24/7/17
Quoted ICTOB		63,509,687	Exercisable at \$0.08 exp 15/7/19

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Based on Last announced Appendix 3B as at 2 May 2017;



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Subject to completion of audited accounts.

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