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Night class backflip welcomed

The Opposition welcomes the Labor government's backflip on its cut to education in the Territory and welcomes the reinstatement of funding for adult night classes at Casuarina Senior College.

Deputy Leader of the Opposition, Lia Finocchiaro said the funding cut was a short sighted attempt to claw back the government's outrageous budget blow out, and it's Territorians who would suffer.

"Once again, this hopeless Labor government has shown it is not open, accountable or transparent.

"These classes not only provide a new skill, but a social outlet for Territorians and an important educational offering for the wider community.

"The question now is, what is a Labor going to cut next?

"The Opposition would expect that the full suite of courses will remain available across a variety of interests that suit Territorians, including professional skills, languages and recreational pursuits," said Ms Finocchiaro.

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