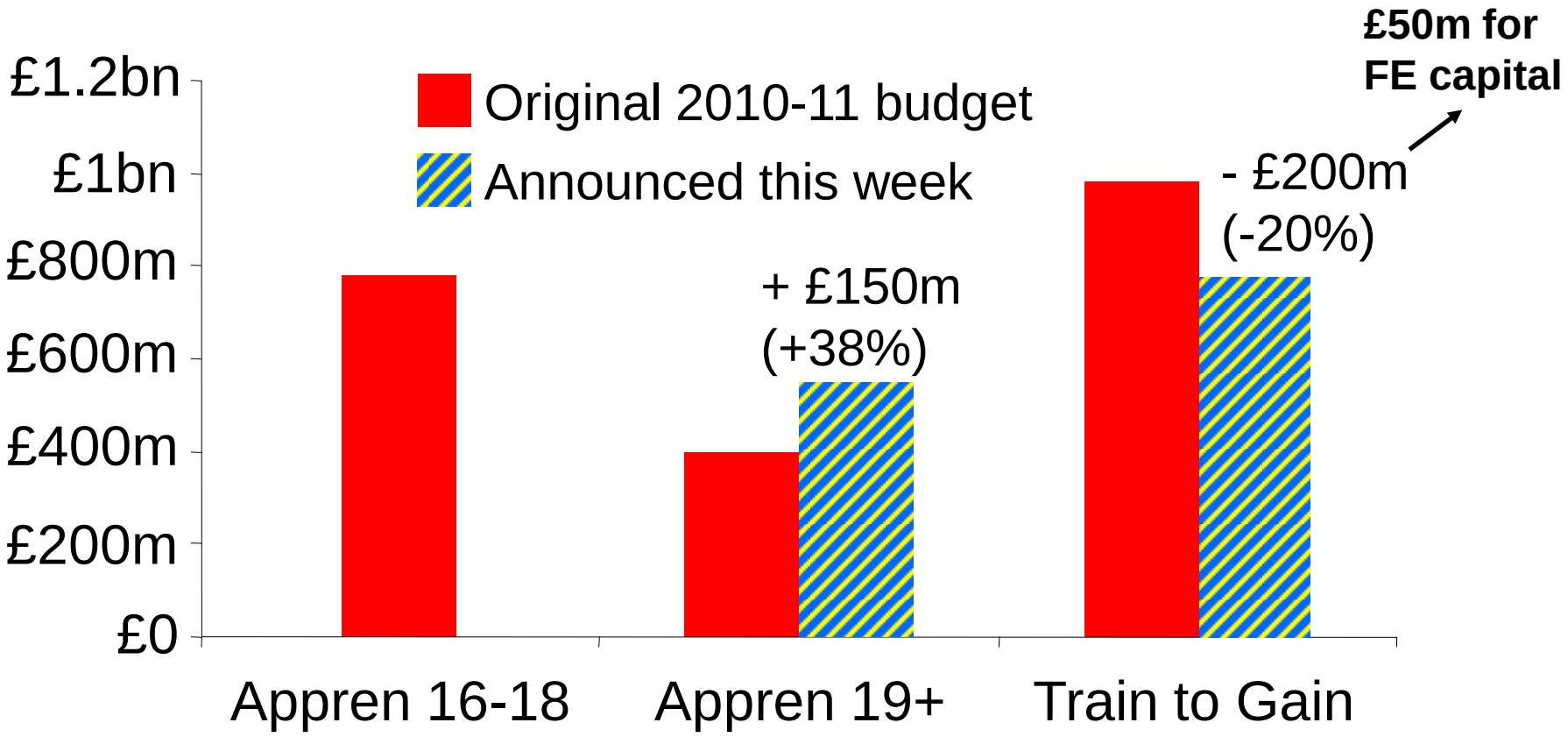
# Investment for 2010-11 and coalition changes*

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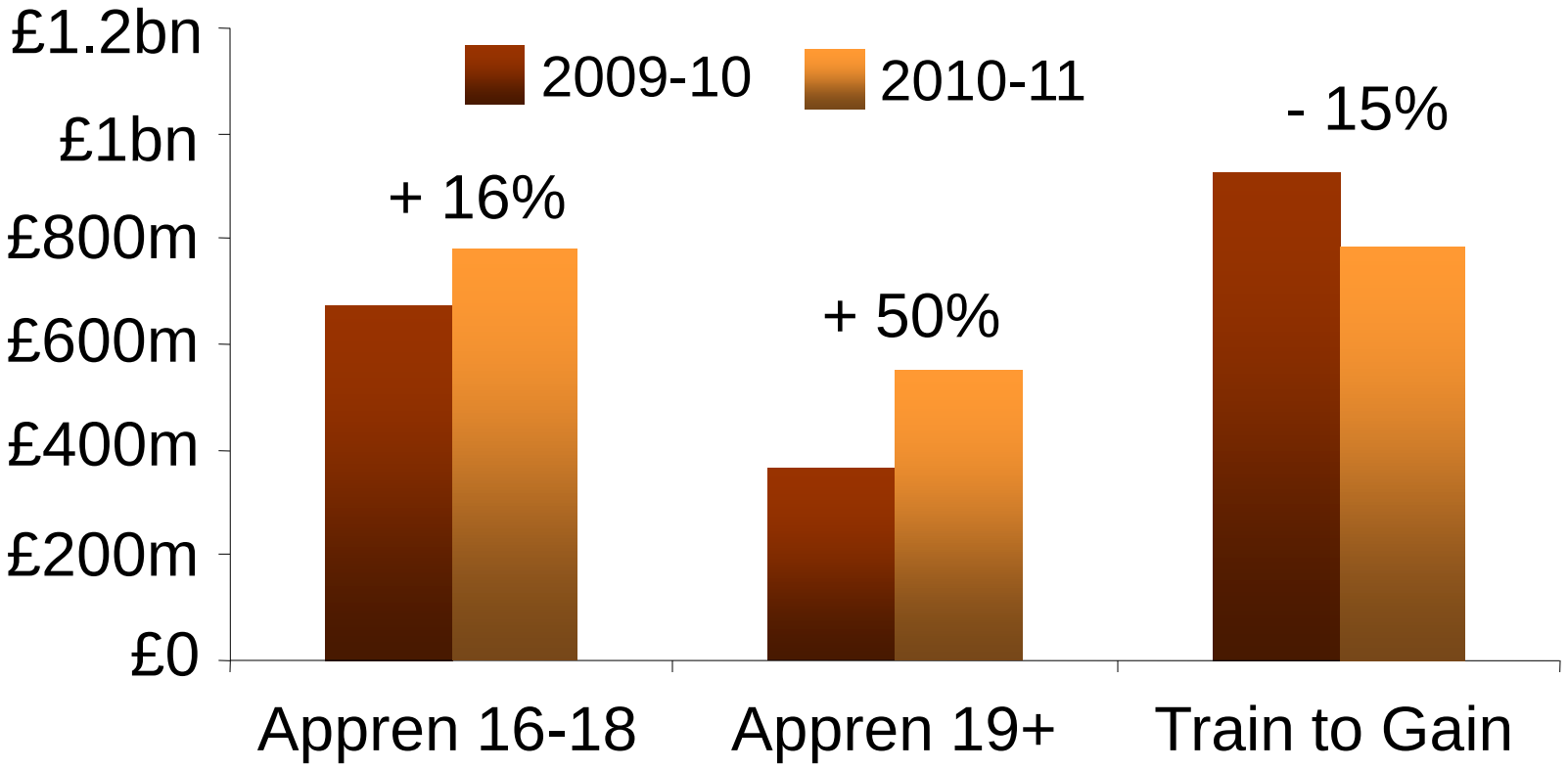


## So growth market is clearly Apprenticeships

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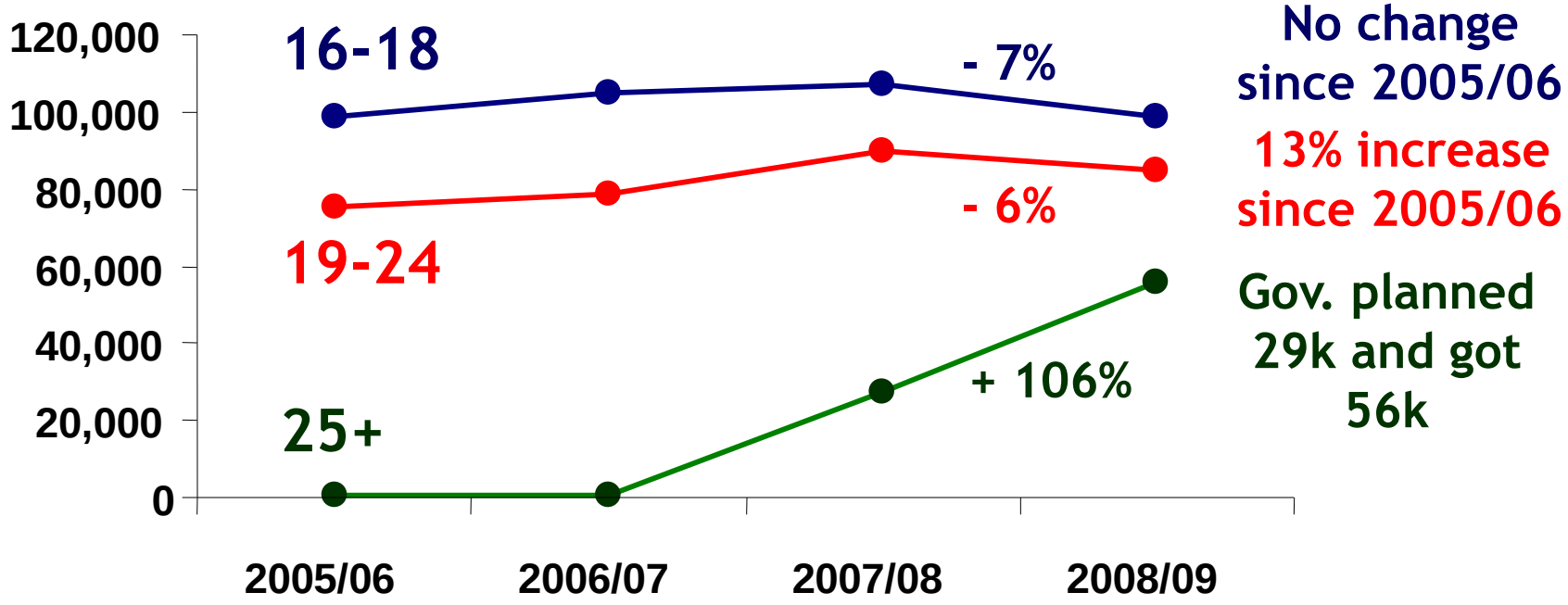
# Apprenticeship growth relies on employer demand

## "Apprenticeship starts have increased to a record 240,000 in 2008/09", but for the right employees?

### Apprenticeship starts by age and year*

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# How can we help stimulate demand from employers to recruit 16-24 year-olds as Apprentices (particularly at Level 3?)

**Note:**

**Figures published this week show a decline in 16-18 year-olds not in education, employment or training from 10.3% to 9.2% (with the exception of 18 year-old boys) but "still too high"**

**June Statistical First Release with the latest Apprenticeship figures for 2009/10 was published today. Provisional figures for Quarter 3 shows 16-18 starts were 23,700 (up from 14,300 in 2008/09)**