

## **PRIMARY & SECONDARY (GENERAL ISSUES)**

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#### **SCHOOLS (PUBLIC) – EXPENDITURE (11/12/12)**

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**Reply:** The average expenditure for the education of a student in a public school in the Island of Mauritius, per year, is as follows -

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**REPLY FOR SITTING OF TUESDAY 11 DECEMBER 2012**

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**ANNEX A****MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN RESOURCES****Per capita Spending for State Pre-Primary Sector****Cost based on revised estimates for 2012**

	Rs
Management Cost of ECCEA	4,850,600
Schools Expenditure	95,864,000
Allowance to Head Masters	2,200,000
Social Contributions	1,650,000
<b>Capital</b>	
ECCEA	291,391
Equipment for Schools	2,000,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106,855,991</b>
<b>Enrolment</b>	<b>6,158</b>
<b>Per Student Spending/Rs</b>	<b>17,352</b>

**ANNEX B****MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN RESOURCES****Per capita Spending for State Primary Sector****Cost based on revised estimates for 2012**

		Rs
21	Salary and Other Staff Cost	1,877,161
22	Security	21,760
22	Cleaning Services	20,745
22	Text Book	24,938
	Books and Periodicals	2,800
	Maintenance of Building etc.	58,000
	Other Goods/Services	76,127
26	Inet	1,286
	MES	22,442
	MIE	99,116
28	PTA	3,110
	School Feeding Project	49,350
31	<b>Capital</b>	
	IT	6,000
	Other Equipment	2,000
	School Furniture	8,000
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>2,269,822</b>
	<b>Number of Students</b>	<b>80,855</b>
	<b>Per Capita Spending</b>	<b>28,000</b>

## MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN RESOURCES

### Per capita Spending for State Secondary Sector

Cost based on revised estimates for 2012

	Rs
21 Salary and Other Staff Cost	1,604,377
22 Security	15,100
22 Cleaning Services	11,000
22 Text Book (Needy)	8,000
Books & Periodicals	3,200
Maintenance of Building etc.	20,000
Other Goods/Services	79,087
26 Inet	766
MES	19,136
28 PTA	7,600
MGI	343,100
RTI	8,100
MIE	34,337
MSSSA	406
31 Capital	
IT	14,000
Other Equipment	14,000
School Furniture	15,000
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>2,197,209</b>
<b>Number of Students</b>	<b>52,040</b>
<b>Per Capita Spending (Rs 000)</b>	<b>42,000</b>