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**QUESTION 822**

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**822. Mr G R Davis (DA) to ask the Minister of Basic Education:**

What amount did each provincial education department spend directly on each child attending a (a) primary school and (b) high school in the relevant province in the 2016 academic year? NW885E

**RESPONSE:**

The following table reflects the spending, per-learner, with regard to the school allocation. The spending, per-learner, is the same for both primary and secondary school learners.

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|  |  | 2016 School allocations per-learner | | |
| Province | | Per learner allocation to no fee learners | Per learner allocation to fee paying learners in Quintile 4 | Per learner allocation to fee paying learners in Quintile 5 |
| EC | | R 1 177 | R 590 | R 204 |
| FS | | R 1 177 | R 590 | R 240 |
| GT | | R 1 177 | R 590 | R 590 |
| KZN | | R 955 | R 522 | R 179 |
| LP | | R 1 102 | R 590 | R 204 |
| MPU | | R 1 010 | R 503 | R 173 |
| NC | | R 1 125 | R 698 | R 326 |
| NW | | R 1 177 | R 605 | R 204 |
| WC | | R 1 144 | R 573 | R 198 |