



DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

IMPLEMENTATION OF 2012 TUITION FEE FREE EDUCATION AND TUITION FEE SUBSIDY POLICY

The National Government Policy on Tuition Fee Free and Subsidized Education are in two components.

The first component covers all students attending Elementary Prep to Grade 10 in registered and approved schools in the National Education System who will have tuition fee free education this year. This means that the Government will pay all tuition fees for all children who enroll in school when school starts on February 6th.

The second component of the policy will be subsidized education for all students attending Grades 11 and 12, Vocational Centres, Flexible, Open and Distance Education (FODE) Centres and approved Permitted Schools.

The Government will pay 75 % of their fees while their parents will pay 25%.

The National Government has appropriated K300 million in the Supplementary Budget in 2011 and another K302 million in the Recurrent Budget for the Department of Education 2012 Budget, making it a total of K602 million to implement the Tuition Fee Free Education and Subsidy Policy.

The K300 million will be used for the first payment. This funding will relieve the financial burden on parents and guardians of students having to pay tuition fees in 2012.

The National Government is taking increasingly more of the financial burden from parents in 2012 but this does not mean that parents do not have any responsibility for the education of their children.

Parents are still required to pay for other, non tuition costs of education such as school uniforms, transport and lunches. Parents will also be expected to support schools in the funding of projects that have been approved by respective Provincial Education Boards.

In cases where parents have paid more than the approved parental component school authorities must refund the difference.

NATIONAL EDUCATION BOARD (NEB) 2012 MAXIMUM TUITION FEE LIMITS AND NATIONAL GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTION AND PARENTAL CONTRIBUTION

Payment for students under the Subsidized and Tuition Fee Free funds will be based on the NEB Maximum Fee Limits approved by the NEB in 2011 for the 2012 academic year.

The Table below shows the National Education Board (NEB) Maximum Tuition Fee Limits for 2012 for the different sectors in Column 2, the National Government Contribution in Column 3 and the Parental Contribution in Column 4.

2012 NEB Maximum Tuition Fee Limits and Components to be paid by the National Government and Parents.

School Level	NEB Maximum Fee Limits	Gov't Contribution	Parental Contribution
Elementary P1, E1 - E2	100	100	0
Primary Gr. 3 – 8	270	270	0
Lower Secondary (Day)	900	900	0
Lower Secondary (Boarding)	1500	1500	0
Vocational (Day)	900	675	225
Vocational (Boarding)	1300	975	325
Upper Secondary (Day)	990	743	247
Upper Secondary (Boarding)	1500	1125	375
Flexible, Open and Distance Education (one off payment)	100	75	25
Permitted Schools per student (one off payment)		30	
Inclusive Education (one off payment)		30	

The figures shown in column 3 above for Approved Permitted Schools and Inclusive Education Resource Centres were set by the Department of Education.

2012 TUITION FEE FREE AND TUITION FEE SUBSIDY PAYMENTS

The 2012 Tuition Fee Free and Tuition Fee Subsidy funds will be paid to schools in two (2) installments.

The first installment will be paid in January 2012. The first lot of payments for Tuition Fee Free will be the first 50% of the Tuition Fee Free component set by the National Education Board (NEB) for Elementary Schools (EP, E1, E2), Primary Schools (Grades 3-8) and Lower Secondary Schools (Grade 9 and Grade 10). The payments are based on the 2011 enrolment figures provided by schools to the Department of Education through the National Education Schools Census Forms (NESCF).

The first lot of payments for Tuition Fee Subsidy will be 67% of the Tuition Fees set by NEB for Upper Secondary Schools and National High Schools (Grade 11 and Grade 12), and Vocational Centres. The payments are based on the 2011 enrolment figures provided by schools to the Department of Education through the NESCF.

The first installment will also include a one off payment of K75 which is the fee limit set by the National Education Board while K83 that will be paid, is the fee calculated from the 10% inflation rate per student for the Flexible, Open and Distance Education (FODE) Institutions. Similarly K30 is the fee limit set by the NEB while K33 that will be paid is derived from the 10% inflation rate for the Inclusive Education Resource Centres and the approved Permitted Schools. The second installment of Tuition Fee Free and Tuition Fee Subsidy payments will be paid in June/July 2012.

The second lot of payments for Tuition Fee Free will be the second 50% of the Tuition Fees Limit set by the National Education Board (NEB) for Elementary Schools (EP, E1, E2), Primary Schools (Grades 3-8) and Vocational Centres. The second lot of payments will be based on the 2012 enrolment figures from the NESCF provided by schools.

The second lot of payments for Tuition Fee Subsidy will be 33% of the Tuition Fees Limit set by NEB for Upper Secondary Schools and National High Schools (Grade 11 and Grade 12). The second lot of payments will be based on the 2012 enrolment figures from the NESCF provided by schools.

Therefore, all schools are required to return/submit their 2012 National Education Schools Census Forms (NESCF) to the Research and Data Analysis Branch of the Department of Education, by the 30th of April 2012.

Where a school fails to submit its NESCF with its 2012 enrolment figures to the Department of Education before the end of April 2012, the Department will use the schools 2011 enrolment figures for the second payment of the Tuition Fee Free and Tuition Fee Subsidy in 2012.

SCHOOLS THAT HAVE NIL DATA RECORDS

There are schools that have failed to submit their NESCF to the Department of Education, resulting in nil data recorded against the schools. These Nil Data schools will not receive any funds from the Tuition Fee Free and Tuition Fee Subsidy in the first installment payments which will be paid in January 2012.

Schools in this category need to submit the data to the Department as soon as possible.

METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION

The Manual Cheque Payment Method, which has been the normal practice in the past, is costly and open to abuse. Therefore under the new management, schools without bank accounts are now being strongly encouraged to immediately open bank accounts with the commercial banks of their choice, preferably BSP for electronic transfer of funds and submit the account details to the contact details provided.

The method adopted to transfer funds electronically is aimed at ensuring that the Tuition Fee Free and Tuition Fee Subsidy funds to schools are delivered in a timely manner.

All future payments under this policy will be paid through the banking system electronically. This method requires the funds to be transferred directly into school bank accounts.

BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

School Boards, Head Teachers, Provincial Education Advisors and Community Leaders must ensure their schools have current operating bank accounts. The details of the bank accounts are to be communicated to the Department of Education through the contact

details given. School Boards and Head Teachers are strongly advised to facilitate schools to open a bank account immediately. After verification of the bank account by the Department of Education, the Bank South Pacific will begin transferring the funds electronically to the respective bank accounts.

Those schools that do not have bank accounts:

1. Allow the students to be enrolled
2. Go to the nearest BSP Branch and open a School Account immediately.

Department of Education officers will not be distributing the cheques to the provinces as has been the practice in the past. The breakdown of monies to be paid to provinces under different sectors are summarised in the tables below:

2012 EDUCATION TUITION FEE FREE/SUBSIDY - FIRST PAYMENTS

TABLE 1: SUMMARY OF ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (EFT) BY PROVINCE AND SECTOR

PROV CODE	PROVINCE	TOTAL SUMMARY OF 2012 TUITION FEE FREE/SUBSIDY PAYMENTS																												
		ELEMENTARY			PRIMARY			HIGH/SECONDARY SCHOOL			NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL			VOCATIONAL SCHOOL			FLEXIBLE OPEN DISTANCE EDUCATION			INCLUSIVE EDUCATION			PERMITTED			TOTAL				
		No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free/Subsidy Payment		
51	WESTERN	58	3,953	217,415	34	5,157	755,891	2	1,612	1,206,995	-	-	-	1	295	109,428											95	11,017	2,289,729	
52	GULF	22	1,870	102,850	38	5,688	811,134	5	1,642	1,418,377	-	-	-	2	76	28,196												67	9,276	2,360,557
53	CENTRAL	98	10,218	561,990	68	11,901	1,728,129	7	3,166	2,672,529	1	493	533,297	1	183	67,893												175	25,961	5,563,838
54	MILNE BAY	251	16,463	905,465	150	25,305	3,599,459	8	4,005	3,765,836				6	835	463,049												415	46,608	8,733,809
55	ORO	73	7,753	426,415	55	12,208	1,818,992	4	2,231	2,070,517	-	-	-	4	1,100	408,100												136	23,292	4,724,024
56	SHP	459	54,845	3,016,475	191	61,056	8,671,148	10	4,793	4,475,740	-	-	-	5	1,106	481,998												665	121,800	16,645,361
57	EHP	287	39,945	2,196,975	153	45,824	6,296,944	11	8,120	7,037,733	1	578	639,268	4	561	251,195												456	95,028	16,422,115
58	SIMBU	211	23,308	1,281,940	112	26,710	3,879,492	14	2,293	4,389,044				6	929	477,667												343	53,240	10,028,143
59	WHP	188	34,822	1,915,210	88	34,744	4,778,014	11	8,835	7,474,668	-	-	-	7	1,640	762,696												294	80,041	14,930,588
60	SANDAUN	51	3,982	219,010	124	21,026	2,817,692	9	2,986	2,686,541	-	-	-	7	794	376,662												191	28,788	6,099,905
61	EAST SEPIK	64	10,136	557,480	150	40,483	5,792,831	13	7,715	6,768,684	-	-	-	7	946	457,066												234	59,280	13,576,061
62	MADANG	159	19,941	1,096,755	87	25,819	3,593,795	4	3,029	2,278,561				4	869	368,762												254	49,658	7,337,873
63	MOROBE	331	38,135	2,097,425	205	52,787	7,615,693	13	9,218	7,685,878	1	323	357,238	3	992	379,125												553	101,455	18,135,359
64	WNB	150	16,999	934,945	121	23,446	3,416,844	5	2,898	2,370,293	-	-	-	2	1,047	403,565												278	44,390	7,125,647
65	ENBP	177	16,348	899,140	86	21,592	3,211,004	11	7,027	5,863,692	-	-	-	3	732	416,404												277	45,699	10,390,240
66	NIP	251	14,635	804,925	109	17,355	2,509,003	7	3,337	3,114,356	-	-	-	4	897	460,259												371	36,224	6,888,543
67	AROB	196	17,207	946,385	121	17,846	2,651,534	8	3,951	3,979,841	-	-	-	6	823	484,036												331	39,827	8,061,796
68	MANUS	98	4,814	264,770	75	6,356	947,044	4	1,812	1,618,140	-	-	-	1	104	64,376												178	13,086	2,894,330
69	NCD	26	12,936	711,480	26	26,299	3,873,431	5	4,768	3,058,468	-	-	-	3	917	340,207												60	44,920	7,983,586
70	ENGA	218	33,946	1,867,030	93	31,938	4,501,108	10	14,252	4,891,710	-	-	-	6	658	244,118												327	80,794	11,503,966
71	KLMD	88	5,994	329,670	43	7,927	1,181,123	3	2,143	1,451,405	-	-	-	1	562	347,134												135	16,626	3,309,332
	TOTAL PNG	3,456	388,250	21,353,750	2,129	521,467	74,450,305	164	99,833	80,279,008	3	1,394	1,529,803	83	16,065	7,391,936	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,835	1,027,009	185,004,802

Source: 2011 National School Census

*Figures used are based on real figures from the 2011 National School Census

Table 1: This information is based on the Volume 1 Summary of Electronic Fund Transfer by sectors by province based on real figures supplied by schools. The figures used are based on the 2011 National School Census.

TABLE 2: SUMMARY OF MANUAL CHEQUE PAYMENTS BY PROVINCE AND SECTOR

PROV CODE	PROVINCE	TOTAL SUMMARY OF 2012 TUITION FEE FREE/SUBSIDY PAYMENTS																										
		ELEMENTARY			PRIMARY			HIGH/SECONDARY SCHOOL			NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL			VOCATIONAL SCHOOL			FLEXIBLE OPEN DISTANCE EDUCATION			INCLUSIVE EDUCATION			PERMITTED			TOTAL		
		No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free/Subsidy Payment
51	WESTERN	71	4,522	248,710	41	5,547	826,503	2	437	210,735			-	1	583	216,209	1	3,693	306,519	1	100	3,300	-	-	-	117	14,882	1,811,976
52	GULF	69	6,453	354,915	19	2,070	299,970	-	-	-			-	-	-	-	1	758	62,914	1	-	-	-	-	-	90	9,281	717,799
53	CENTRAL	91	7,933	436,315	61	10,756	1,544,270	4	1,953	1,893,162			-	2	224	83,104	1	4,384	363,872	1	-	-	1	107	3,531	161	25,357	4,324,254
54	MILNE BAY	129	7,523	413,765	26	5,081	728,117	-	-	2,247,776			-	1	211	130,609	1	1,373	113,959	1	122	4,026	1	107	1,947	159	14,417	3,640,199
55	ORO	128	11,323	622,765	22	2,975	431,901	-	-	-			-	-	-	-	1	1,197	99,351	1	-	-	1	77	2,541	153	15,572	1,156,558
56	SHP	192	19,968	1,098,240	20	6,376	928,498	5	2,847	2,374,377			-	1	171	87,497	1	2,656	220,448	1	166	5,478	3	119	3,927	223	32,303	4,718,465
57	EHP	125	14,745	810,975	44	13,016	1,769,808	1	251	241,335			-	1	227	136,049	1	2,423	201,109	1	357	11,781	9	1,643	71,412	182	32,662	3,242,469
58	SIMBU	88	7,821	430,155	18	4,382	641,920	1	905	605,445			-	2	208	116,848	1	1,256	104,248	1	1,271	41,943	1	79	2,607	112	15,922	1,943,166
59	WHP	113	18,420	1,013,100	80	36,827	4,995,321	4	2,282	1,467,415			-	-	-	-	1	1,258	104,414	1	502	16,566	10	935	30,855	209	60,224	7,627,671
60	SANDAUN	167	10,466	575,630	25	3,318	464,490	-	-	-			-	1	70	28,450	1	1,194	99,102	1	1,313	43,329	24	1,031	34,023	219	17,392	1,245,024
61	EAST SEPIK	271	22,680	1,247,400	53	12,488	1,708,244	1	214	143,166	1	578	639,268	-	-	-	1	1,928	160,024	1	222	7,326	7	493	16,269	335	38,603	3,921,697
62	MADANG	246	23,505	1,292,775	65	16,502	2,269,952	5	2,989	2,320,781			-	3	428	204,701	1	1,084	89,972	1	225	7,425	4	209	6,897	325	44,942	6,192,503
63	MOROBE	174	17,807	947,045	67	19,660	2,796,142	4	3,754	2,784,167			-	3	872	254,877	1	5,166	428,778	1	365	12,045	10	1,443	47,619	260	49,067	7,270,673
64	WNB	125	11,287	620,785	41	5,263	754,389	1	135	89,505			-	2	1,101	544,871	1	1,287	106,821	1	75	2,475	3	336	11,088	174	19,484	2,129,934
65	ENBP	150	12,890	708,950	61	14,538	2,163,906	1	665	584,205	1	337	372,722	5	1,282	656,662	1	5,616	466,128	1	247	8,151	4	596	19,668	224	36,171	4,980,392
66	NIP	60	2,613	143,715	18	2,168	315,512	-	-	-			-	1	46	28,474	1	1,625	134,875	1	40	1,320	3	218	7,194	84	6,710	631,090
67	AROB	122	10,253	563,915	92	14,203	2,112,205	3	-	744,338			-	-	-	-	1	2,953	245,099	1	530	17,490	-	-	-	219	27,939	3,683,047
68	MANUS	17	446	24,530	7	445	66,305	-	-	-			-	1	51	31,569	1	1,551	128,733	1	31	1,023	-	-	-	27	2,524	252,160
69	NCD	21	9,783	538,065	10	9,181	1,367,969	4	3,514	2,247,776	1	670	444,210	1	684	253,764	1	13,009	1,079,747	1	737	24,321	30	12,519	413,127	69	50,097	6,368,979
70	ENGA	109	14,239	783,145	39	10,683	1,410,065	-	-	-			-	2	206	76,426	1	993	82,419	1	107	3,531	1	369	12,177	153	26,597	2,367,763
71	KLMD	61	3,037	167,035	13	1,419	211,431	1	372	376,909			-	-	-	-	1			1	190	6,270	4	653	21,549	81	5,671	783,194
	TOTAL PNG	2,529	237,714	13,041,930	822	196,898	27,806,918	37	20,318	18,331,092	3	1,585	1,456,200	27	6,364	2,850,110	21	55,404	4,598,532	21	6,600	217,800	116	20,934	706,431	3,576	545,817	69,009,013

Source: 2011 National School Census

*Figures used are based on real figures from the 2011 National School Census

Table 2: This information is based on Volume 2 for Manual Cheques. Figures used are based on real figures from the National School Census.

TABLE 3: TOTAL SUMMARY OF ELECTRONIC FUND TRANSFER (EFT) AND MANUAL CHEQUE PAYMENTS BY PROVINCE AND SECTOR

PROV CODE	PROVINCE	TOTAL SUMMARY OF 2012 TUITION FEE FREE/SUBSIDY PAYMENTS																										
		ELEMENTARY			PRIMARY			HIGH/SECONDARY SCHOOL			NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL			VOCATIONAL SCHOOL			FLEXIBLE OPEN DISTANCE EDUCATION			INCLUSIVE EDUCATION			PERMITTED			TOTAL		
		No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free/Subsidy Payment
51	WESTERN	129	8,475	466,125	75	10,704	1,582,394	4	2,049	1,417,730	-	-	-	2	878	325,637	1	3,693	306,519	1	100	3,300	-	-	-	212	25,899	4,101,705
52	GULF	91	8,323	457,765	57	7,758	1,111,104	5	1,642	1,418,377	-	-	-	2	76	28,196	1	758	62,914	1	-	-	-	-	-	157	18,557	3,078,356
53	CENTRAL	189	18,151	998,305	129	22,657	3,272,399	11	5,119	4,565,691	1	493	533,297	3	407	150,997	1	4,384	363,872	1	-	-	1	107	3,531	336	51,318	9,888,092
54	MILNE BAY	380	23,986	1,319,230	176	30,386	4,327,576	8	4,005	6,013,612	-	-	-	7	1,046	593,658	1	1,373	113,959	1	122	4,026	1	107	1,947	574	61,025	12,374,008
55	ORO	201	19,076	1,049,180	77	15,183	2,250,893	4	2,231	2,070,517	-	-	-	4	1,100	408,100	1	1,197	99,351	1	-	-	1	77	2,541	289	38,864	5,880,582
56	SHP	651	74,813	4,114,715	211	67,432	9,599,646	15	7,640	6,850,117	-	-	-	6	1,277	569,495	1	2,656	220,448	1	166	5,478	3	119	3,927	888	154,103	21,363,826
57	EHP	412	54,690	3,007,950	197	58,840	8,066,752	12	8,371	7,279,068	1	578	639,268	5	788	387,244	1	2,423	201,109	1	357	11,781	9	1,643	71,412	638	127,690	19,664,584
58	SIMBU	299	31,129	1,712,095	130	31,092	4,521,412	15	3,198	4,994,489	-	-	-	8	1,137	594,515	1	1,256	104,248	1	1,271	41,943	1	79	2,607	455	69,162	11,971,309
59	WHP	301	53,242	2,928,310	168	71,571	9,773,335	15	11,117	8,942,083	-	-	-	7	1,640	762,696	1	1,258	104,414	1	502	16,566	10	935	30,855	503	140,265	22,558,259
60	SANDAUN	218	14,448	794,640	149	24,344	3,282,182	9	2,986	2,686,541	-	-	-	8	864	405,112	1	1,194	99,102	1	1,313	43,329	24	1,031	34,023	410	46,180	7,344,929
61	EAST SEPIK	335	32,816	1,804,880	203	52,971	7,501,075	14	7,929	6,911,850	1	578	639,268	7	946	457,066	1	1,928	160,024	1	222	7,326	7	493	16,269	569	97,883	17,497,758
62	MADANG	405	43,446	2,389,530	152	42,321	5,863,747	9	6,018	4,599,342	-	-	-	7	1,297	573,463	1	1,084	89,972	1	225	7,425	4	209	6,897	579	94,600	13,530,376
63	MOROBE	505	55,942	3,044,470	272	72,447	10,411,835	17	12,972	10,470,045	1	323	357,238	6	1,864	634,002	1	5,166	428,778	1	365	12,045	10	1,443	47,619	813	150,522	25,406,032
64	WNB	275	28,286	1,555,730	162	28,709	4,171,233	6	3,033	2,459,798	-	-	-	4	2,148	948,436	1	1,287	106,821	1	75	2,475	3	336	11,088	452	63,874	9,255,581
65	ENBP	327	29,238	1,608,090	147	36,130	5,374,910	12	7,692	6,447,897	1	337	372,722	8	2,014	1,073,066	1	5,616	466,128	1	247	8,151	4	596	19,668	501	81,870	15,370,632
66	NIP	311	17,248	948,640	127	19,523	2,824,515	7	3,337	3,114,356	-	-	-	5	943	488,733	1	1,625	134,875	1	40	1,320	3	218	7,194	455	42,934	7,519,633
67	AROB	318	27,460	1,510,300	213	32,049	4,763,739	11	3,951	4,724,179	-	-	-	6	823	484,036	1	2,953	245,099	1	530	17,490	-	-	-	550	67,766	11,744,843
68	MANUS	115	5,260	289,300	82	6,801	1,013,349	4	1,812	1,618,140	-	-	-	2	155	95,945	1	1,551	128,733	1	31	1,023	-	-	-	205	15,610	3,146,490
69	NCD	47	22,719	1,249,545	36	35,480	5,241,400	9	8,282	5,306,244	1	670	444,210	4	1,601	593,971	1	13,009	1,079,747	1	737	24,321	30	12,519	413,127	129	95,017	14,352,565
70	ENGA	327	48,185	2,650,175	132	42,621	5,911,173	10	14,252	4,891,710	-	-	-	8	864	320,544	1	993	82,419	1	107	3,531	1	369	12,177	480	107,391	13,871,729
71	KLMD	149	9,031	496,705	56	9,346	1,392,554	4	2,515	1,828,314	-	-	-	1	562	347,134	1	-	-	1	190	6,270	4	653	21,549	216	22,297	4,092,526
	TOTAL PNG	5,985	625,964	34,395,680	2,951	718,365	102,257,223	201	120,151	98,610,100	6	2,979	2,986,003	110	22,429	10,242,046	21	55,404	4,598,532	21	6,600	217,800	116	20,934	706,431	9,411	1,572,826	254,013,815

Source: 2011 National School Census

*Includes figures from Table 1 and 2. Figures used are based on real figures from the 2011 National School Census

Table 3: This is the summary of Table 1 and Table 2. Figures used are based on 2011 National School Census and Tuition Fee Free distribution and comprises of 100% for Elementary to Grade 10 and 75% subsidy for Grade 11 and 12 and Vocational Centres. This is based on the Government rate distribution. Grades 1 and 2 in Community/Primary Schools are paid according to the Elementary School

Tuition Fee Free Rate. Due to different rates for Secondary Schools, Lower Secondary (Grade 9 & 10) fees are calculated separately from the Upper Secondary (Grade 11 & 12) in the same Secondary School, then added together to give the total payment for the school. Due to different rates in Day and Boarding Schools, Day and Boarding Students' fees are calculated separately then added together to give the total payment for the school. Permitted Schools' figures include schools that are registered and approved by the Department of Education to operate in PNG

TABLE 4: PROJECTED ENROLMENTS AND ESTIMATED PAYMENTS FOR SCHOOL WITH NIL DATA BY PROVINCE AND SECTOR

PROV CODE	PROVINCE	TOTAL SUMMARY OF 2012 TUITION FEE FREE/SUBSIDY PAYMENTS																											
		ELEMENTARY			PRIMARY			HIGH/SECONDARY SCHOOL			NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL			VOCATIONAL SCHOOL			FLEXIBLE OPEN DISTANCE EDUCATION			INCLUSIVE EDUCATION			PERMITTED			TOTAL			
		No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free/Subsidy Payment	
51	WESTERN	89	5,850	321,771	22	2,066	613,676																				111	7,917	935,447
52	GULF	68	6,242	343,324	29	1,516	450,365																				98	7,759	793,689
53	CENTRAL	125	11,985	659,198	56	6,768	2,010,029																				180	18,753	2,669,227
54	MILNE BAY	53	3,323	182,783	5	482	143,150																				58	3,805	325,933
55	ORO	79	7,526	413,930	23	2,429	721,554																				103	9,955	1,135,484
56	SHP	112	12,923	710,752	25	5,386	1,599,598																				137	18,309	2,310,350
57	EHP	31	4,142	227,787	14	2,873	853,341																				45	7,015	1,081,127
58	SIMBU	62	6,496	357,307	11	1,797	533,765																				74	8,294	891,071
59	WHP	67	11,842	651,330	19	5,997	1,781,229																				86	17,840	2,432,559
60	SANDAUN	51	3,360	184,808	37	1,350	401,062																				87	4,711	585,871
61	EAST SEPIK	99	9,678	532,305	36	3,009	893,704																				135	12,687	1,426,009
62	MADANG	259	27,752	1,526,349	86	15,509	4,606,248																				345	43,261	6,132,598
63	MOROBE	112	12,457	685,123	56	8,845	2,626,831																				168	21,301	3,311,954
64	WNB	47	4,881	268,434	5	464	137,746																				52	5,344	406,180
65	ENBP	25	2,267	124,664	5	827	245,709																				31	3,094	370,373
66	NIP	36	2,019	111,031	15	1,488	442,071																				51	3,507	553,102
67	AROB	14	1,235	67,916	8	829	246,358																				22	2,064	314,274
68	MANUS	-	-	-	-	-	-																				-	-	-
69	NCD	2	943	51,843	3	1,382	410,547																				5	2,325	462,390
70	ENGA	69	10,153	558,401	11	2,853	847,254																				80	13,005	1,405,654
71	KLMD	49	2,955	162,513	14	1,340	398,068																				62	4,295	560,581
	TOTAL PNG	1,451	148,029	8,141,568	479	67,213	19,962,305	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,929	215,242	28,103,873

*Figures used in Table 4 are based on projection.

TABLE 5: TOTAL SUMMARY OF ELECTRONIC FUND TRANSFER (EFT), MANUAL CHEQUE AND PROJECTED PAYMENTS BY PROVINCE AND SECTOR

PROV CODE	PROVINCE	TOTAL SUMMARY OF 2012 TUITION FEE FREE/SUBSIDY PAYMENTS																										
		ELEMENTARY			PRIMARY			HIGH/SECONDARY SCHOOL			NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL			VOCATIONAL SCHOOL			FLEXIBLE OPEN DISTANCE EDUCATION			INCLUSIVE EDUCATION			PERMITTED			TOTAL		
		No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Subsidy Payment	No. of School	Enrolment	Tuition Fee Free/Subsidy Payment
51	WESTERN	218	14,325	787,896	97	12,770	2,196,070	4	2,049	1,417,730	-	-	-	2	878	325,637	1	3,693	306,519	1	100	3,300	-	-	-	323	33,815	5,037,152
52	GULF	159	14,565	801,089	86	9,274	1,561,469	5	1,642	1,418,377	-	-	-	2	76	28,196	1	758	62,914	1	-	-	-	-	-	255	26,316	3,872,045
53	CENTRAL	314	30,136	1,657,503	185	29,425	5,282,428	11	5,119	4,565,691	1	493	533,297	3	407	150,997	1	4,384	363,872	1	-	-	1	107	3,531	516	70,071	12,557,319
54	MILNE BAY	433	27,309	1,502,013	181	30,868	4,470,726	8	4,005	6,013,612	-	-	-	7	1,046	593,658	1	1,373	113,959	1	122	4,026	1	107	1,947	632	64,830	12,699,941
55	ORO	280	26,602	1,463,110	100	17,612	2,972,447	4	2,231	2,070,517	-	-	-	4	1,100	408,100	1	1,197	99,351	1	-	-	1	77	2,541	392	48,819	7,016,066
56	SHP	763	87,736	4,825,467	236	72,818	11,199,244	15	7,640	6,850,117	-	-	-	6	1,277	569,495	1	2,656	220,448	1	166	5,478	3	119	3,927	1,025	172,412	23,674,176
57	EHP	443	58,832	3,235,737	211	61,713	8,920,093	12	8,371	7,279,068	1	578	639,268	5	788	387,244	1	2,423	201,109	1	357	11,781	9	1,643	71,412	683	134,705	20,745,711
58	SIMBU	361	37,625	2,069,402	141	32,889	5,055,177	15	3,198	4,994,489	-	-	-	8	1,137	594,515	1	1,256	104,248	1	1,271	41,943	1	79	2,607	529	77,455	12,862,380
59	WHP	368	65,084	3,579,640	187	77,568	11,554,564	15	11,117	8,942,083	-	-	-	7	1,640	762,696	1	1,258	104,414	1	502	16,566	10	935	30,855	589	158,105	24,990,818
60	SANDAUN	269	17,808	979,448	186	25,694	3,683,244	9	2,986	2,686,541	-	-	-	8	864	405,112	1	1,194	99,102	1	1,313	43,329	24	1,031	34,023	497	50,891	7,930,800
61	EAST SEPIK	434	42,494	2,337,185	239	55,980	8,394,779	14	7,929	6,911,850	1	578	639,268	7	946	457,066	1	1,928	160,024	1	222	7,326	7	493	16,269	704	110,570	18,923,766
62	MADANG	664	71,198	3,915,879	238	57,830	10,469,995	9	6,018	4,599,342	-	-	-	7	1,297	573,463	1	1,084	89,972	1	225	7,425	4	209	6,897	924	137,861	19,662,974
63	MOROBE	617	68,399	3,729,593	328	81,292	13,038,666	17	12,972	10,470,045	1	323	357,238	6	1,864	634,002	1	5,166	428,778	1	365	12,045	10	1,443	47,619	981	171,823	28,717,986
64	WNB	322	33,167	1,824,164	167	29,173	4,308,979	6	3,033	2,459,798	-	-	-	4	2,148	948,436	1	1,287	106,821	1	75	2,475	3	336	11,088	504	69,218	9,661,761
65	ENBP	352	31,505	1,732,754	152	36,957	5,620,619	12	7,692	6,447,897	1	337	372,722	8	2,014	1,073,066	1	5,616	466,128	1	247	8,151	4	596	19,668	532	84,964	15,741,005
66	NIP	347	19,267	1,059,671	142	21,011	3,266,586	7	3,337	3,114,356	-	-	-	5	943	488,733	1	1,625	134,875	1	40	1,320	3	218	7,194	506	46,441	8,072,735
67	AROB	332	28,695	1,578,216	221	32,878	5,010,097	11	3,951	4,724,179	-	-	-	6	823	484,036	1	2,953	245,099	1	530	17,490	-	-	-	572	69,830	12,059,117
68	MANUS	115	5,260	289,300	82	6,801	1,013,349	4	1,812	1,618,140	-	-	-	2	155	95,945	1	1,551	128,733	1	31	1,023	-	-	-	205	15,610	3,146,490
69	NCD	49	23,662	1,301,388	39	36,862	5,651,947	9	8,282	5,306,244	1	670	444,210	4	1,601	593,971	1	13,009	1,079,747	1	737	24,321	30	12,519	413,127	134	97,342	14,814,955
70	ENGA	396	58,338	3,208,576	143	45,474	6,758,427	10	14,252	4,891,710	-	-	-	8	864	320,544	1	993	82,419	1	107	3,531	1	369	12,177	560	120,396	15,277,383
71	KLMD	198	11,986	659,218	70	10,686	1,790,622	4	2,515	1,828,314	-	-	-	1	562	347,134	1	-	-	1	190	6,270	4	653	21,549	278	26,592	4,653,107
	TOTAL PNG	7,436	773,993	42,537,248	3,430	785,578	122,219,528	201	120,151	98,610,100	6	2,979	2,986,003	110	22,429	10,242,046	21	55,404	4,598,532	21	6,600	217,800	116	20,934	706,431	11,340	1,788,067	282,117,688

Source: 2011 National School Census

*Includes figure from Tables 3 and 4

Table 5 is the summary of Table 1, Table 2 and Table 4. Table 1 is the electronic fund transfer, Table 2 is the Manual Cheque distribution and Table 4 projected figures.

TUITION FEE FREE FUND MANAGEMENT MONITORING AND REPORTING

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