

HOW DO YOU WORK OUT YOUR SUBSIDY

CATEGORISING THE SCHOOL

1. Find out your 2004 non-discounted tuition fees. (Use the figure that the PED asks you to submit every year that you apply for the subsidy.)
2. This figure is divided by the provincial average estimate per learner cost in ordinary public schools for the 2004/2005 fiscal year. (This figure is still be advised)
3. That will give you a figure which is a ratio.
4. Your category is then as follows: If the figure above is between 0 and 0,5 you are then in category A and will receive a 60% subsidy. The categories are:

Figure / Ratio	Category	Percentage Subsidy
0.0 – 0.5	A	60%
0.5 – 1.0	B	40%
1.0 – 1.5	C	25%
1.5 – 2.5	D	15%
2.5 and above	E	0

5. Once you have been categorised you remain in that category until the Minister of Education decides to change the reference year for fees.

ANNUAL SUBSIDY PAYMENT PER LEARNER

6. The % subsidy is a percentage of PED per capita costs in the fiscal year preceding the given subsidy (school) year.