

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

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to Minister for Employment, Education and Training

Education Department spending in community schools - Kintore

1. What is the Education Department proposing to spend in the current financial year on Minor New Works; Wages/Overtime; General costs including Maintenance; and Miscellaneous Expenditure on schools in Kintore.
2. Please include those schools that are feeder schools from Major Schools such as Kulpitara being a school in the Hermannsburg district.

ANSWER

- As the 2003-04 financial year has not yet concluded, expenditure for the current financial year is not yet available, however, it is anticipated that it will be similar to that of 2002-03.
- The Department of Employment, Education and Training spent \$777,000 on Walungurru School (Kintore) during the 2002-03 financial year.
- Total expenditure for the period was comprised of:

Item	\$000
Employee Expenses	619
Operational Expenses	69
<i>Repairs & Maintenance</i>	28
<i>Other</i>	41
Grants and Subsidies	89
Total	777

*Depreciation not included in the above figures.

- The Department of Employment, Education and Training spent \$371,000 on Walungurru School (Kintore) during the period 1 July 2003 to 31 December 2003.

- Total expenditure for the period was comprised of:

Item	\$000
Employee Expenses	316
Operational Expenses	25
<i>Repairs & Maintenance</i>	13
<i>Other</i>	12
Grants and Subsidies	30
Total	371

*Depreciation not included in the above figures.

- Please note the following points:
 1. The expenditure listed above includes all funding for homeland centres.
 2. The amounts provided are derived from DEET's total budget which includes funding from external sources.