

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY
QUESTION 1107**

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Mr D C Smiles (DA) to ask the Minister of Basic Education:

In respect of each of the three most recent financial years for which information is available, what was the teacher learner ratio in each province?NW1368E

REPLY:

The learner educator ratio for the three most recent financial years in each province:

Province	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10
EC	33.8	31.6	31.4
FS	29.3	28.1	28.8
GP	34.3	33.8	35.1
KZN	33.2	32.1	34.2
LP	31.5	30.8	30.1
MP	33.0	32.2	31.3
NW	28.2	30.1	31.5
NC	32.0	31.2	31.5
WC	38.0	36.7	37.7