

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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QUESTION WITHOUT NOTICE
(Of which some notice has been given)

Thursday, 12 March 2015

Hon Samantha Rowe to the Minister for Education.

I seek an update for the new school year on the number of staff members employed at Belmont City College, Kalamunda Senior High School and Darling Range Sports College.

1. What is the current ratio of staff to students at each of these schools?
2. What is the current ratio of teaching staff to students at each of these schools?

On Thursday, 18th March 2015 Hon Samantha Rowe asked a question 253, I would like to provide further information to my answer and seek leave to have it incorporated into Hansard.

1. The current ratio of students to staff at each of these schools is

Belmont City College	7.51
Kalamunda Senior High School	11.26
Darling Range Sports College	10.55

2. The current ratio of teaching staff to students at each school is

Belmont City College	12.84
Kalamunda Senior High School	15.60
Darling Range Sports College	15.09

Principals are responsible for determining the portion of their one-line budget to be spent on salaries and for determining the profile of staff they wish to employ.

As staff may take leave, retire, resign or transfer and may not be replaced immediately, staff ratios are subject to change on a daily basis.

The ratios have been calculated using staff employment levels as at 17 March 2015 and student enrolments as at the February census in 2015.



Minister for Education