

RESPONSES TO THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY NOTICE PAPER NO. 29

Member asking: Ms. Tabitha Sarabo-Halley, M.P.

Member answering: The Minister of Public Service

Questions on Scholarships

Question 1:

Can the Honourable Minister provide the programmes and cost of every local scholarship awarded since August 2, 2020?

Response of the Minister to Question No. 1

I am advised that the programmes and cost of every local scholarship awarded since August 2, 2020 are as follows:

Local Programmes and Cost for Scholarships Granted	Tuition
University of Guyana	
Accountancy	228,448
Agricultural Science	228,448
Applied and Exploration Geology	228,448
Biology	228,448
Business Management	228,448
Chemistry	228,448
Civil Engineering with Environmental Engineering	228,448
Communication Studies	228,448
Computer Science	228,448
Dental Surgery	713,900
Early Childhood Education	428,340
Economics	228,448
Education	228,448
Electrical Engineering	228,448
Environmental Health	228,448
Environmental Management	1,213,630
Environmental Studies	228,448
Finance	228,448
Food Science and Nutrition	278,000
Forestry	228,448
General Psychology	302,500



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Geography	228,448
Human Medicine	713,900
Mechanical Engineering	228,448
Nursing	357,443
Petroleum Engineering	755,000
Pharmacy	356,950
Public Administration	571,120
Public Health	1,427,800
Public Management	228,448
Social Work	228,448
Sociology	228,448
Supply Chain Management	228,448
Urban and Regional Planning	1,142,240
Guyana School of Agriculture:	
Certificate in Agriculture	285,000
Diploma in Agriculture	285,000
Animal Health and Veterinary Public Health	285,000
Art Williams and Harry Wendt Aeronautical School	880,000
Texila American University	1,100,000



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Question 2:

Can the Honourable Minister provide the programmes, country and cost of every overseas scholarship awarded since August 2, 2020?

Response of the Minister to Question No. 2

I am advised that the programmes, country and cost of every overseas scholarship awarded since August 2, 2020 are as follows:

Programme	Country	Tuition
Labour & Employment Relations	Barbados	6,345,000
Cardiovascular Surgery	India	Study Leave with Pay
Chemical & Process Engineering	Trinidad & Tobago	2,315,390
Children Youth & International Development	United Kingdom	Study Leave with Pay
Climate Change	Spain	779,746
Management & Educational Leadership	UWI Open Campus	921,083
Environmental Engineering	United Kingdom	Donor Funded
Environmental Engineering and Project Management	United Kingdom	Donor Funded
Finance	United Kingdom	4,213,500
Bio Chemistry	Barbados	4,320,000
Human Resources Management	Barbados	1,438,200
Law	Trinidad & Tobago	3,234,047
Law	United Kingdom	Study Leave with Pay
Maritime Affairs	Sweden	Study Leave with Pay
Meteorology	Barbados	Study Leave with Pay
Ophthalmology	United Kingdom	6,863,500
Project Management	Barbados	1,438,200
Public Health	Jamaica	634,500
Public Health	United Kingdom	5,962,500
Public Sector Management	Barbados	6,345,000 EACH
Public Procurement Law and Strategy	Italy	2,150,500
Science	Jamaica	2,210,387
Tourism	Barbados	6,345,000
Water Management	Netherlands	10,403,613
Nephrology	Canada	Study Leave with Pay
Bussiness Administration	Barbados	Us 5000
Oil and Gas Engineering	Russia	60,000



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Medicine	Russia	60,000
Infectious Diseases	Canada	Study Leave with Pay



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b) I am advised that the demographic spread of awardees for local and overseas scholarships awarded since August 2, 2020 are as follows:

- **Overseas Institutions**

Gender	Awardees
Female	24
Male	15
Total	39

- **Local Institutions**

Gender	Awardees
Female	230
Male	177
Total	407

Question 3:

Can the Honourable Minister indicate how many of the overseas scholarships awarded since August 2, 2020 are online scholarships?

Response of the Minister to Question No. 3

I am advised that there are twenty- six (26) online scholarships awarded since August 2, 2020. It must be noted that due to the Covid-19 Pandemic most scholarships awarded are of an online nature.



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Question 4:

Can the Honourable Minister give an accurate breakdown of the geographic and demographic spread of the awardees for both local and overseas scholarships?

Response of the Minister to Question No. 4

- a) I am advised that the geographic spread of awardees for both local and overseas scholarships awarded since August 2, 2020 are as follows:

Region	2020
Region 1	14
Region 2	21
Region 3	51
Region 4	226
Region 5	23
Region 6	42
Region 7	7
Region 8	7
Region 9	10
Region 10	45
Total	446