## 1.8.6 Education expenditure per student in Primary education by source of funding

Only the grants were considered as expenditure.

The Education expenditure per student in primary school has slightly decreased by 6% over the last three years to reach 15,047 VT in 2020. In terms of provincial level, the highest education expenditure per student was in Shefa for 19,679 VT and the least observed expenditure per student was in Torba for 10,809 VT for 2020.

Note:The calculation of the grants needs to be reviewed as it might be an error. It's connected to the calculation grants in the above indicators. In terms of expenditure all grants that had zero student enrollment were removed and not factored in when we calculate the expenditure.

Province	Expenditure 2018	Expenditure 2019	Expenditure 2020
Malampa	14,575	11,568	11,273
Penama	14,792	11,540	11,505
Sanma	16,373	13,759	15,184
Shefa	18,044	15,748	19,679
Tafea	14,532	12,438	14,085
Torba	18,127	12,810	10,809
Average of the total	16,061	13,434	15,047