

Census of Population and Housing 2001

Percentage of population aged 5-34 years attending educational institutions by district

Attending Educational Institutions (Aged 5-34 years)				
District	Population aged 5-34 years	Percentage of Attending School	Percentage of Attending University	Percentage of Attending Vocational or Technical Institution
Total (18 districts)	8,877,901	40.5	0.7	0.8
Colombo	1170059	32.0	1.6	1.2
Gampaha	1087709	34.2	0.8	1.0
Kalutara	535701	38.3	0.6	1.0
Kandy	657483	43.9	1.4	0.9
Matale	230178	43.3	0.3	0.6
Nuwara Eliya	371123	41.9	0.2	0.5
Galle	502392	44.0	0.6	0.9
Matara	385708	46.5	1.1	0.8
Hambantota	278345	47.9	0.4	0.7
Ampara	343530	43.1	0.4	0.6
Kurunegala	741085	43.0	0.5	0.6
Puttalam	393135	39.1	0.2	0.3
Anuradhapura	415629	42.3	0.4	0.6
Polonnaruwa	200116	40.4	0.2	0.7
Badulla	416460	45.0	0.2	0.8
Moneragala	225977	47.1	0.3	0.5
Ratnapura	539907	42.2	0.4	0.5
Kegalle	383364	43.4	0.5	0.7