

Pupils by type of cycle in government schools by province: 1997*

Province	Primary 1-5	Secondary 6-12	Grade 12-13 (A/L streams)				Grand Total
			Science	Arts	Com.	Total	
Western	370,388	456,783	15,472	18,977	22,452	56,901	885,128
Central	246,931	285,624	6,230	18,303	7,023	31,556	564,415
Southern	237,282	288,103	7,449	17,650	6,888	31,987	557,584
Northern	123,495	126,647	3,331	7,558	4,089	14,978	265,120
Eastern	171,631	162,880	3,414	9,969	3,438	16,821	351,375
North Western	215,078	255,873	4,318	18,130	5,036	27,484	498,920
North Central	120,658	143,918	1,912	7,307	2,435	11,654	276,544
Uva	139,705	151,958	2,037	8,175	3,686	13,898	305,657
Sabaragamuwa	182,583	213,858	4,056	13,739	4,793	22,588	419,365
SRI LANKA	1,807,751	2,085,644	48,219	119,808	59,840	227,867	4,124,108

* provisional