

Table 1.01: Summary Statistics of Schools and Full-Time Students ^{(a)(k)}
Census Date: 13 February 2026 **Report Generated: 10 March 2026**

Type of School	Schools	Kindergarten	Pre-Primary	Years 1-6	Years 7-10	Years 11-12	Total Years 7-12	Total
PUBLIC SCHOOLS								
- Primary Schools	552	(b)20,894	23,523	147,264	(c)161	(d)62	223	191,904
- Remote Community Schools	21	64	120	703	(e)383	(f)106	489	1,376
- District High Schools	53	(g)784	888	5,570	3,712	579	4,291	11,533
- K-12 Schools	5	190	245	1,451	1,191	527	1,718	3,604
- High Schools and Senior High Schools	101	0	0	0	77,749	33,883	111,632	111,632
- Senior Colleges	7	0	0	0	11	(h)3,318	3,329	3,329
- Education Support Schools/Centres	66	506	657	3,051	1,316	678	1,994	6,208
- Agricultural Colleges/Schools	5	0	0	0	161	500	661	661
- School of Isolated & Distance Ed.	1	0	0	14	87	128	215	229
- Schools of the Air	5	21	30	199	0	0	0	250
- Community Kindergartens	17	427	0	0	0	0	0	427
TOTAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS	833	22,886	25,463	158,252	84,771	39,781	124,552	331,153
NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS								
- Primary Schools	141	(i)6,294	5,256	29,609	0	0	0	41,159
- Primary-Secondary Schools	129	(j)5,328	4,875	34,035	44,488	17,695	62,183	106,421
- Secondary Schools	47	0	0	0	18,879	9,783	28,662	28,662
TOTAL NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS	317	11,622	10,131	63,644	63,367	27,478	90,845	176,242
GRAND TOTAL	1,150	34,508	35,594	221,896	148,138	67,259	215,397	507,395

a - Kindergarten figures represent a 'head count' of all students.

b - Kindergarten students attend 544 Primary Schools.

c - Lower Secondary students attend 11 Primary Schools.

d - Upper Secondary students attend 9 Primary Schools.

e - Lower Secondary students attend 17 Remote Community Schools.

f - Upper Secondary students attend 12 Remote Community Schools.

g - Kindergarten students attend 53 District High Schools.

h - Ungraded Secondary students are classified as Years 11-12 students for Senior Colleges and as Years 7-10 students for other schools.

i - Kindergarten students attend 138 Primary Schools.

j - Kindergarten students attend 118 Primary-Secondary Schools.

k - Kindergarten includes pre-kindergarten students at non-government schools.

Table 1.01: Summary Statistics of Metropolitan Schools and Full-Time Students ^{(a)(k)}
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Type of School	Schools	Kindergarten	Pre-Primary	Years 1-6	Years 7-10	Years 11-12	Total Years 7-12	Total
PUBLIC SCHOOLS								
- Primary Schools	374	(b)17,267	19,460	121,133	(c)0	(d)0	0	157,860
- District High Schools	2	(g)83	90	561	734	0	734	1,468
- K-12 Schools	1	49	67	395	309	149	458	969
- High Schools and Senior High Schools	73	0	0	0	63,603	28,349	91,952	91,952
- Senior Colleges	5	0	0	0	11	(h)2,288	2,299	2,299
- Education Support Schools/Centres	53	476	620	2,764	1,105	559	1,664	5,524
- School of Isolated & Distance Ed.	1	0	0	14	87	128	215	229
- Community Kindergartens	14	339	0	0	0	0	0	339
TOTAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS	523	18,214	20,237	124,867	65,849	31,473	97,322	260,640
NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS								
- Primary Schools	96	(i)5,069	4,207	23,679	0	0	0	32,955
- Primary-Secondary Schools	88	(j)4,378	3,998	28,464	39,001	15,815	54,816	91,656
- Secondary Schools	33	0	0	0	14,867	8,274	23,141	23,141
TOTAL NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS	217	9,447	8,205	52,143	53,868	24,089	77,957	147,752
GRAND TOTAL	740	27,661	28,442	177,010	119,717	55,562	175,279	408,392

a - Kindergarten figures represent a 'head count' of all students.

b - Kindergarten students attend 372 Primary Schools.

c - Lower Secondary students attend 0 Primary Schools.

d - Upper Secondary students attend 0 Primary Schools.

e - Lower Secondary students attend 0 Remote Community Schools.

f - Upper Secondary students attend 0 Remote Community Schools.

g - Kindergarten students attend 2 District High Schools.

h - Ungraded Secondary students are classified as Years 11-12 students for Senior Colleges and as Years 7-10 students for other schools.

i - Kindergarten students attend 95 Primary Schools.

j - Kindergarten students attend 81 Primary-Secondary Schools.

k - Kindergarten includes pre-kindergarten students at non-government schools.

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Type of School	Schools	Kindergarten	Pre-Primary	Years 1-6	Years 7-10	Years 11-12	Total Years 7-12	Total
PUBLIC SCHOOLS								
- Primary Schools	178	(b)3,627	4,063	26,131	(c)161	(d)62	223	34,044
- Remote Community Schools	21	64	120	703	(e)383	(f)106	489	1,376
- District High Schools	51	(g)701	798	5,009	2,978	579	3,557	10,065
- K-12 Schools	4	141	178	1,056	882	378	1,260	2,635
- High Schools and Senior High Schools	28	0	0	0	14,146	5,534	19,680	19,680
- Senior Colleges	2	0	0	0	0	(h)1,030	1,030	1,030
- Education Support Schools/Centres	13	30	37	287	211	119	330	684
- Agricultural Colleges/Schools	5	0	0	0	161	500	661	661
- Schools of the Air	5	21	30	199	0	0	0	250
- Community Kindergartens	3	88	0	0	0	0	0	88
TOTAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS	310	4,672	5,226	33,385	18,922	8,308	27,230	70,513
NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS								
- Primary Schools	45	(i)1,225	1,049	5,930	0	0	0	8,204
- Primary-Secondary Schools	41	(j)950	877	5,571	5,487	1,880	7,367	14,765
- Secondary Schools	14	0	0	0	4,012	1,509	5,521	5,521
TOTAL NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS	100	2,175	1,926	11,501	9,499	3,389	12,888	28,490
GRAND TOTAL	410	6,847	7,152	44,886	28,421	11,697	40,118	99,003

a - Kindergarten figures represent a 'head count' of all students.

b - Kindergarten students attend 172 Primary Schools.

c - Lower Secondary students attend 11 Primary Schools.

d - Upper Secondary students attend 9 Primary Schools.

e - Lower Secondary students attend 17 Remote Community Schools.

f - Upper Secondary students attend 12 Remote Community Schools.

g - Kindergarten students attend 51 District High Schools.

h - Ungraded Secondary students are classified as Years 11-12 students for Senior Colleges and as Years 7-10 students for other schools.

i - Kindergarten students attend 43 Primary Schools.

j - Kindergarten students attend 37 Primary-Secondary Schools.

k - Kindergarten includes pre-kindergarten students at non-government schools.