

4.1 - Primary Students - 2014 (in Govt. Schools)

Province	District	Grades 1 - 5 (with special education)								
		Sinhala Medium			Tamil Medium			Total		
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Western	Colombo	68,353	65,265	133,618	7,341	7,433	14,774	75,694	72,698	148,392
	Gampaha	72,518	71,537	144,055	3,753	3,775	7,528	76,271	75,312	151,583
	Kalutara	42,813	40,517	83,330	6,430	6,889	13,319	49,243	47,406	96,649
	Total	183,684	177,319	361,003	17,524	18,097	35,621	201,208	195,416	396,624
Central	Kandy	42,707	41,870	84,577	14,441	14,533	28,974	57,148	56,403	113,551
	Matale	17,530	17,067	34,597	4,201	4,073	8,274	21,731	21,140	42,871
	Nuwaraeliya	13,118	12,888	26,006	22,728	21,509	44,237	35,846	34,397	70,243
	Total	73,355	71,825	145,180	41,370	40,115	81,485	114,725	111,940	226,665
Southern	Galle	46,464	44,736	91,200	1,134	1,151	2,285	47,598	45,887	93,485
	Hambantota	28,346	27,387	55,733	590	685	1,275	28,936	28,072	57,008
	Matara	34,399	31,878	66,277	1,713	1,639	3,352	36,112	33,517	69,629
	Total	109,209	104,001	213,210	3,437	3,475	6,912	112,646	107,476	220,122
Northern	Jaffna	0	0	0	22,901	22,300	45,201	22,901	22,300	45,201
	Kilinochchi	0	0	0	7,023	6,746	13,769	7,023	6,746	13,769
	Mannar	3	5	8	6,091	5,812	11,903	6,094	5,817	11,911
	Mullativu	375	379	754	5,729	5,482	11,211	6,104	5,861	11,965
	Vavuniya	763	738	1,501	7,221	7,061	14,282	7,984	7,799	15,783
	Total	1,141	1,122	2,263	48,965	47,401	96,366	50,106	48,523	98,629
Eastern	Ampara	12,353	11,875	24,228	23,495	22,163	45,658	35,848	34,038	69,886
	Batticaloa	0	0	0	28,792	27,671	56,463	28,792	27,671	56,463
	Trincomalee	4,940	4,834	9,774	17,090	16,513	33,603	22,030	21,347	43,377
	Total	17,293	16,709	34,002	69,377	66,347	135,724	86,670	83,056	169,726
North Western	Kurunegala	65,397	62,571	127,968	6,015	6,337	12,352	71,412	68,908	140,320
	Puttalam	26,885	26,379	53,264	9,530	9,211	18,741	36,415	35,590	72,005
	Total	92,282	88,950	181,232	15,545	15,548	31,093	107,827	104,498	212,325
North Central	Anuradhapura	37,659	36,860	74,519	4,383	4,473	8,856	42,042	41,333	83,375
	Polonnaruwa	17,135	16,327	33,462	2,294	2,149	4,443	19,429	18,476	37,905
	Total	54,794	53,187	107,981	6,677	6,622	13,299	61,471	59,809	121,280
Uva	Badulla	27,774	27,248	55,022	11,182	10,992	22,174	38,956	38,240	77,196
	Monaragala	20,949	20,525	41,474	1,119	1,089	2,208	22,068	21,614	43,682
	Total	48,723	47,773	96,496	12,301	12,081	24,382	61,024	59,854	120,878
Sabaragamuwa	Kegalle	30,077	29,047	59,124	6,253	6,051	12,304	36,330	35,098	71,428
	Ratnapura	41,531	40,807	82,338	6,394	6,225	12,619	47,925	47,032	94,957
	Total	71,608	69,854	141,462	12,647	12,276	24,923	84,255	82,130	166,385
Sri Lanka		652,089	630,740	1,282,829	227,843	221,962	449,805	879,932	852,702	1,732,634

Data Source: School Census 2014