2.1 Government School System at a Glance

Schools - 2018

Schools by Type of School			
1 AB Schools	1,044	10%	
1 C Schools	1,845	18%	
Type 2 schools	3,227	32%	
Type 3 Schools	4,059	40%	
Total	10,175	100%	

Schools by Teacher Population				
Less than 10 teachers	3,034	30%		
10-25 teachers	4,289	42%		
26-50 teachers	1,861	18%		
51-100 teachers	725	7%		
5.more than 100	266	3%		
Total	10,175	100%		

Data Source: School Census 2018

Schools by Medium of Instruction			
Sinhala only	6,370	63%	
Tamil only	3,031	30%	
Sinhala & Tamil	35	0%	
Sinhala & English	531	5%	
Tamil & English	170	2%	
Sinhala, Tamil & English	38	0%	
Total	10,175	100%	

National/Provincial Schools				
National Schools	353	3%		
Provincial Schools	9,822	97%		
Total	10,175	100%		

Schools by Student Population			
1-50 students	1,480	15%	
51-100 students	1,530	15%	
101-250 students	2,817	28%	
251-500 students	1,972	19%	
501-750 students	921	9%	
751-1000 students	469	5%	
1001-1500 students	421	4%	
1501-2000 students	221	2%	
2001 students & above	344	3%	
Total	10,175	100%	