

**5.1 - Primary (With Special Education) Students - 2021 (in National Schools)**

Province	District	Grades 1 - 5									Special Education									Grade 1-5 (With Special Education)		
		Sinhala Medium			Tamil Medium			Total			Sinhala Medium			Tamil Medium			Total			Total		
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Western	Colombo	14,421	8,920	23,341	2,606	1,273	3,879	17,027	10,193	27,220	44	3	47	-	-	-	44	3	47	17,071	10,196	27,267
	Gampaha	4,207	3,338	7,545	-	-	-	4,207	3,338	7,545	21	11	32	-	-	-	21	11	32	4,228	3,349	7,577
	Kalutara	5,392	4,694	10,086	818	304	1,122	6,210	4,998	11,208	33	30	63	3	1	4	36	31	67	6,246	5,029	11,275
	<b>Total</b>	<b>24,020</b>	<b>16,952</b>	<b>40,972</b>	<b>3,424</b>	<b>1,577</b>	<b>5,001</b>	<b>27,444</b>	<b>18,529</b>	<b>45,973</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>27,545</b>	<b>18,574</b>	<b>46,119</b>
Central	Kandy	3,772	3,591	7,363	672	1,178	1,850	4,444	4,769	9,213	46	16	62	17	12	29	63	28	91	4,507	4,797	9,304
	Matale	956	1,244	2,200	1,293	1,245	2,538	2,249	2,489	4,738	12	15	27	15	-	15	27	15	42	2,276	2,504	4,780
	Nuwaraeliya	-	158	158	-	310	310	-	468	468	6	9	15	-	-	-	6	9	15	6	477	483
	<b>Total</b>	<b>4,728</b>	<b>4,993</b>	<b>9,721</b>	<b>1,965</b>	<b>2,733</b>	<b>4,698</b>	<b>6,693</b>	<b>7,726</b>	<b>14,419</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>6,789</b>	<b>7,778</b>	<b>14,567</b>
Southern	Galle	9,063	8,157	17,220	334	374	708	9,397	8,531	17,928	59	24	83	6	4	10	65	28	93	9,462	8,559	18,021
	Matara	4,379	2,901	7,280	119	130	249	4,498	3,031	7,529	35	48	83	-	-	-	35	48	83	4,533	3,079	7,612
	Hambantota	1,179	1,076	2,255	-	-	-	1,179	1,076	2,255	14	21	35	-	-	-	14	21	35	1,193	1,097	2,290
	<b>Total</b>	<b>14,621</b>	<b>12,134</b>	<b>26,755</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>957</b>	<b>15,074</b>	<b>12,638</b>	<b>27,712</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>15,188</b>	<b>12,735</b>	<b>27,923</b>
Northern	Jaffna	-	-	-	512	635	1,147	512	635	1,147	-	-	-	5	5	10	5	5	10	517	640	1,157
	Mannar	-	-	-	844	831	1,675	844	831	1,675	-	-	-	8	8	16	8	8	16	852	839	1,691
	Vavuniya	107	95	202	1,053	1,048	2,101	1,160	1,143	2,303	-	-	-	14	3	17	14	3	17	1,174	1,146	2,320
	<b>Total</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>280</b>
Eastern	Batticalo	-	-	-	2,067	2,234	4,301	2,067	2,234	4,301	-	-	-	50	29	79	50	29	79	2,681	2,790	5,471
	Ampara	381	927	1,308	545	561	1,106	926	1,488	2,414	10	7	17	20	-	20	30	7	37	956	1,495	2,451
	Trincomalee	779	794	1,573	1,833	2,001	3,834	2,612	2,795	5,407	9	11	20	17	19	36	26	30	56	2,638	2,825	5,463
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,721</b>	<b>2,881</b>	<b>4,445</b>	<b>4,796</b>	<b>9,241</b>	<b>5,605</b>	<b>6,517</b>	<b>12,122</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>5,661</b>	<b>6,554</b>	<b>12,215</b>
North Western	Kurunegala	5,046	4,894	9,940	732	737	1,469	5,778	5,631	11,409	69	48	117	3	1	4	72	49	121	5,850	5,680	11,530
	Puttalam	1,885	1,572	3,457	256	279	535	2,141	1,851	3,992	25	3	28	5	4	9	30	7	37	2,171	1,858	4,029
	<b>Total</b>	<b>6,931</b>	<b>6,466</b>	<b>13,397</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>2,004</b>	<b>7,919</b>	<b>7,482</b>	<b>15,401</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>8,021</b>	<b>7,538</b>	<b>15,559</b>
North Central	Anuradhapura	-	1,341	1,341	153	151	304	153	1492	1,645	13	10	23	-	-	-	13	10	23	166	1,502	1,668
	Polonnaruwa	1,012	1,022	2,034	-	-	-	1,012	1,022	2,034	-	6	6	4	-	4	4	6	10	1,016	1,028	2,044
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,012</b>	<b>2,363</b>	<b>3,375</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>1,165</b>	<b>2,514</b>	<b>3,679</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>2,530</b>	<b>3,712</b>
Uva	Badulla	2,362	2,713	5,075	152	168	320	2,514	2,881	5,395	44	12	56	9	5	14	53	17	70	2,567	2,898	5,465
	Monaragala	476	445	921	-	-	-	476	445	921	39	20	59	-	-	-	39	20	59	515	465	980
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,838</b>	<b>3,158</b>	<b>5,996</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>2,990</b>	<b>3,326</b>	<b>6,316</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>3,082</b>	<b>3,363</b>	<b>6,445</b>
Sabaragamuwa	Ratnapura	1,656	1,932	3,588	66	97	163	1,722	2,029	3,751	19	16	35	3	5	8	22	21	43	1,744	2,050	3,794
	Kegalle	2,300	2,638	4,938	641	570	1,211	2,941	3,208	6,149	48	33	81	-	-	-	48	33	81	2,989	3,241	6,230
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,956</b>	<b>4,570</b>	<b>8,526</b>	<b>707</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>1,374</b>	<b>4,663</b>	<b>5,237</b>	<b>9,900</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>4,733</b>	<b>5,291</b>	<b>10,024</b>
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>59,488</b>	<b>52,604</b>	<b>112,092</b>	<b>14,696</b>	<b>14,126</b>	<b>28,822</b>	<b>74,184</b>	<b>66,730</b>	<b>140,914</b>	<b>546</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>74,882</b>	<b>67,153</b>	<b>142,035</b>	

Data Source: School Census 2021