

2.3 Government School System at a Glance

Students - 2019

Students by Type of School

1 AB schools	1,570,177	39%
1 C schools	1,055,562	26%
Type 2 schools	760,953	19%
Type 3 schools	674,961	17%
Total	4,061,653	100%

Students by National & Provincial Schools

National schools	798,372	20%
Provincial schools	3,263,281	80%
Total	4,061,653	100%

Students by Gender

Male	2,019,005	49.71%
Female	2,042,648	50.29%
Total	4,061,653	100%

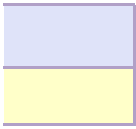
Students by Medium of Instruction

Sinhala Medium	2,981,235
Tamil Medium	988,773
English Medium	91,645
Total	4,061,653

Students by Cycle

Primary cycle (Grades 1-5 & Special Edu.)	1,663,954	41%
Junior Secondary cycle (Grades 6-9)	1,359,061	33%
Senior Secondary cycle (Grades 10-11)	627,477	15%
Collegiate cycle (Grades 12-13)	411,161	10%
Total	4,061,653	100%

Data Source: School Census 2019



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