

## 2.3 Government School System at a Glance

### Students - 2020

#### Students by Type of School

1 AB schools	1,570,640	39%
1 C schools	1,076,629	26%
Type 2 schools	750,726	18%
Type 3 schools	665,690	16%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,063,685</b>	<b>100%</b>

#### Students by National & Provincial Schools

National schools	796,812	20%
Provincial schools	3,266,873	80%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,063,685</b>	<b>100%</b>

#### Students by Gender

Male	2,018,151	50%
Female	2,045,534	50%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,063,685</b>	<b>100%</b>

#### Students by Medium of Instruction

Sinhala Medium	2,978,133	73%
Tamil Medium	986,156	24%
English Medium	99,396	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,063,685</b>	<b>100%</b>

#### Students by Cycle

Primary cycle (Grades 1-5 & Special Edu.)	1,648,149	41%
Junior Secondary cycle (Grades 6-9)	1,357,437	33%
Senior Secondary cycle (Grades 10-11)	636,985	16%
Collegiate cycle (Grades 12-13)	421,114	10%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,063,685</b>	<b>100%</b>

Data Source: School Census 2020