

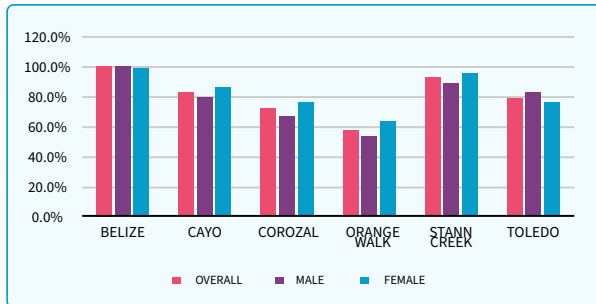
Student-Teacher Ratio by level and Urban/Rural location

EDUCATION LEVEL	LOCATION		
	AVG.	URBAN	RURAL
PRESCHOOL	18	19	16
PRIMARY	19	19	20
SECONDARY	17	16	17

Repetition & Dropout Rates by Level & Sex

EDUCATION LEVEL	REPETITION RATE			DROPOUT RATE		
	AVG.	MALE	FEMALE	AVG.	MALE	FEMALE
PRIMARY	7.0%	7.7%	6.3%	0.6%	0.7%	0.5%
SECONDARY	9.0%	11.0%	7.1%	9.6%	11.1%	8.2%

Transition Rate from Standard VI to Secondary by District & Sex



Full-time Vocational/Technical & Adult & Continuing Education (ACE) Enrolment by District

DISTRICT	ITVET	ACE
BELIZE	119	304
CAYO	274	179
COROZAL	55	144
ORANGE WALK	254	37
STANN CREEK	68	182
TOLEDO	69	53
TOTAL	839	899

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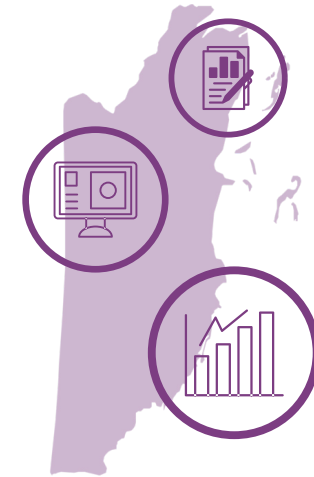
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EDUCATION QUICK FACTS 2022-2023

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There are 223 pre-primary, 314 primary schools, 63 secondary schools, and 11 junior colleges in the country of Belize.

Number of Schools, Teachers & Students by Level

LEVEL	SCHOOL	TEACHERS	ENROLLMENT
PRE-SCHOOL	223	395	7,007
PRIMARY	314	3,353	59,505
SECONDARY	63	1,407	22,014
TERTIARY	13	642	8,912

Teaching in our schools are 395 pre-primary teachers, 3,353 primary school teachers, 1,407 secondary school teachers, and 279 junior college teachers.

Enrolled in our school system are 7,007 pre-primary students, 59,505 Primary school students, 22,014 secondary school students, 4,268 students in junior colleges, and 4,644 at the universities.

73.7% of pre-primary teachers, 88.5% of primary school teachers, and 68.4% of secondary school teachers are trained.

The repetition rate is 7.0% for primary schools and 9.0% for secondary schools.

The dropout rate is 0.6% for primary schools and 9.6% for secondary schools.

84.8% of our standard six students transition from primary to secondary schools.

Number of Schools by Level & District

DISTRICT	PRESCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY	TERTIARY
BELIZE	46	59	19	3
CAYO	48	78	17	4
COROZAL	37	42	6	3
ORANGE WALK	28	45	8	1
STANN CREEK	32	34	6	2
TOLEDO	32	57	7	0

Number of Primary School Classrooms by District



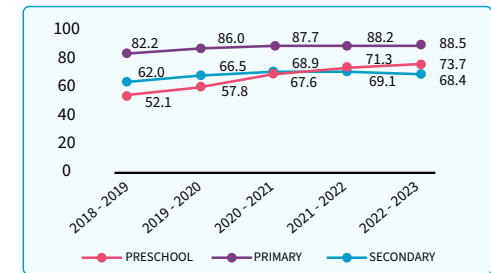
Enrolment by Level & Sex

PRESCHOOL	MALE - 3,472 FEMALE - 3,535
PRIMARY	MALE - 30,600 FEMALE - 28,905
SECONDARY	MALE - 10,739 FEMALE - 11,275
TERTIARY	MALE - 3,218 FEMALE - 5,694

Number of Teachers by Level & District

DISTRICT	PRESCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY	TERTIARY
BELIZE	125	856	450	116
CAYO	80	882	330	400
COROZAL	45	388	146	71
ORANGE WALK	45	463	154	18
STANN CREEK	54	381	178	37
TOLEDO	46	383	149	0

Percentage of Trained teachers by Level



Percentage of Trained teachers by District & Level

