Quick Facts

Ontario Schools

1999-2000





The following information is based on 1999–2000 data provided by schools, district school boards, and school authorities (106). Unless otherwise specified, the information refers to Ontario's publicly funded elementary and secondary schools.

Enrolment, 1999–2000*

	Elementary	Secondary	Total
Public Schools			
Male	491 771	263 968	755 739
Female	461 923	243 627	705 550
Total	953 694	507 595	1 461 289
Roman Catholic Schools			
Male	240 789	97 029	337 818
Female	232 875	99 644	332 519
Total	473 664	196 673	670 337
All Schools			
Male	732 560	360 997	1 093 557
Female	694 798	343 271	1 038 069
Total	1 427 358	704 268	2 131 626

^{*} Excludes 6951 students in Provincial Schools and in care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Enrolment by Grade, 1999–2000*

Elementary Schools

Grade	Public Schools	Roman Catholic Schools	Total
JK	70 551	43 317	113 868
K	92 791	47 085	139 876
1	95 574	49 152	144 726
2	96 231	49 850	146 081
3	96 368	48 865	145 233
4	96 598	48 992	145 590
5	94 611	46 970	141 581
6	92 321	45 200	137 521
7	92 264	44 610	136 874
8	93 777	44 376	138 153
Special education	32 608	5 247	37 855
Total	953 694	473 664	1 427 358

Secondary Schools

Grade/Age	Public Schools	Roman Catholic Schools	Total
Pre-Grade 9	2 652	382	3 034
Grade 9	109 521	44 004	153 525
Grade 10	114 345	44 093	158 438
Grade 11	109 388	41 323	150 711
Grade 12: No OACs	57 834	22 709	80 543
Grade 12: 1-5 OACs	61 256	25 215	86 471
Grade 12: 6+ OACs	43 671	17 601	61 272
Age 21+	8 928	1 346	10 274
Total	507 595	196 673	704 268

^{*} The total number of elementary and secondary school students excludes 6951 students in Provincial Schools and in care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Enrolment in French-Language Units

	1980–81	1995–96	1996–97	1997–98	1998–99	1999–2000
Elementary	67 298	69 340	68 956	69 234	68 109	68 161
Secondary	28 959	28 316	26 424	26 185	26 164	26 106
Total	96 257	97 656	95 380	95 419	94 273	94 267

Number of Schools, 1999–2000*

	Elementary	Secondary	Total
Public schools Roman Catholic schools Total	2 577	596	3 173
	1 393	224	1 617
	3 970	820	4 790

^{*} School counts exclude 13 Provincial Schools and 395 care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Elementary and Secondary School Enrolment, 1990–91 and 1995–96 to 1999–2000

	1990–91	1995–96	1996–97	1997–98	1998–99	1999–2000
Elementary	1 282 469	1 396 100	1 376 506	1 394 439	1 413 786	1 427 358
Secondary	660 024	720 671	695 784	701 191	697 836	704 268
Total	1 942 493	2116 771	2072 290	2 095 630	2111 622	2131 626

Enrolment in French As a Second Language, 1999–2000*

Elementary	Schools
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School Type	Core Program	Extended Program	Immersion Program	Total
Public	508 879	9 429	68 546	586 854
Roman Catholic	292 650	17 063	28 719	338 432
Total	801 529	26 492	97 265	925 286

Secondary Schools**

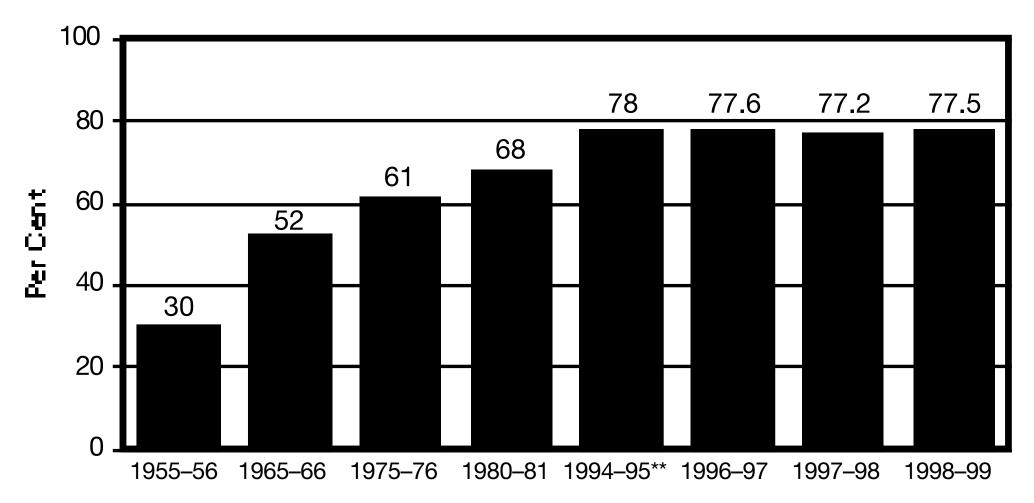
School Type	Core Program	Extended Program	Immersion Program	Total
Public	83 947	6 404	14 602	104 953
Roman Catholic	31 895	2 797	4 920	39 612
Total	115 842	9 201	19 522	144 565

^{*} Corrections to the FSL enrolment figures published in the 1998–99 edition of Quick Facts have been posted on the Ministry of Education web site.

^{**} Data for secondary schools are not comparable with those of previous years, owing to changes in policies related to diploma requirements and to the reporting of enrolment data.

Secondary School Graduation Rate, 1955-56 to 1998-99

Graduates* As a Percentage of 18-Year-Old Population



^{*} Includes graduates from private schools.

^{**} The 1994–95 figure is not strictly comparable with the figures in previous years, owing to a change in the definition of population and the methodology for estimating population totals.

Full-Time Teachers in Schools, 1999–2000

	Elementary	Secondary	Total
Number of Teachers			
Public School Boards			
Male	13 065	16 002	29 067
Female	36 955	15 751	52 706
Roman Catholic School Boards			
Male	5 679	6 351	12 030
Female	18 439	6 166	24 605
Total	74 138	44 270	118 408
Positions Held			
Principals and vice-principals	5 562	1 894	7 456
Percentage female	56.2%	41.0%	52.4%
Department heads	_	8 352	8 352
Percentage female	_	46.8%	46.8%
Classroom and other teachers	68 079	34 521	102 600
Percentage female	76.3%	50.9%	67.7%

Adults in Secondary Day School

		1980–81			1999–2000			
Age Group	Male	(%)*	Female	(%)*	Male	(%)*	Female	(%)*
19–21	9 421	,		(1.8)	18 787	,	12 045	,
22 and older Total	1 441 10 862	(0.5) (3.6)	3 519 8 498	(1.2) (3.0)	2 719 21 506	,	5 981 18 026	,

^{*} Percentage of total secondary school enrolment.

Private Schools* and Enrolment by Level of Instruction, October 31, 1999

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Level	Schools	Male	Female Tota				
Elementary	436	25 211	23 283	48 494			
Secondary	75	5 584	5 466	11 050			
Elementary and secondary	211	22 931	20 495	43 426			
Total	722	53 726	49 244	102 970			

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^{*} Includes First Nation secondary schools and overseas schools.

Continuing Education Provided by School Boards, 1998–99*

Enrolment

Type of Course	English	French	Total
Secondary school credit courses	251 412	2 623	254 035
Non-classroom correspondence courses or self-study	41 859	4 836	46 695
Adult basic literacy and numeracy	17 354	188	17 542
English or French as a second language	187 888	1 280	189 168
Native as a second language	209	0	209
Citizenship and official national languages classes	18 776	0	18 776
Non-credit courses	175 643	91	175 734
Total	693 141	9 018	702 159

^{*} Enrolment in courses offered in 1998–99, generally in the evening, and during the summer of 1999.

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