

EDUCATION IN BELIZE

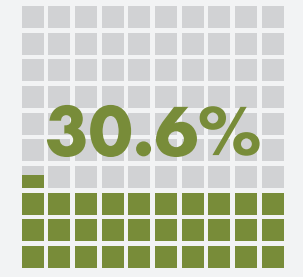
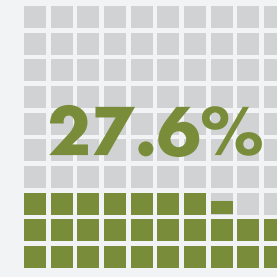
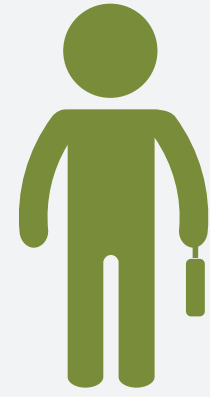
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EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

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of children aged 3 - 4 were enrolled in school

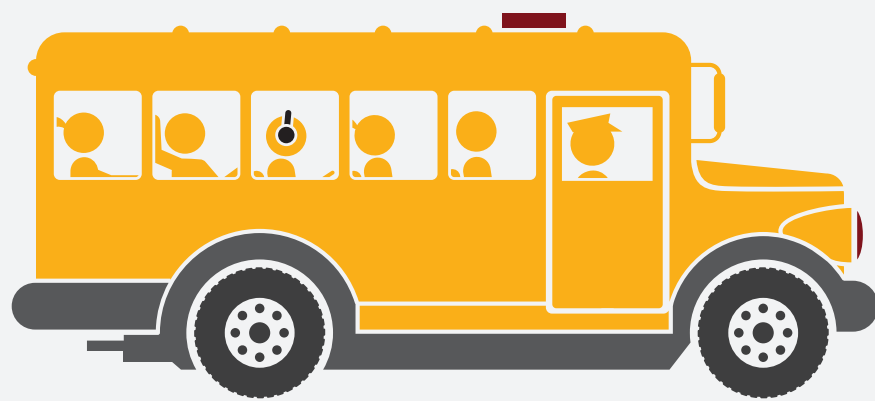


The net enrollment ratio in primary education shows what percentage of children in the official age group participate in primary education.

PRIMARY SCHOOL EDUCATION

89.6%

of children aged 5 - 12 were enrolled in school

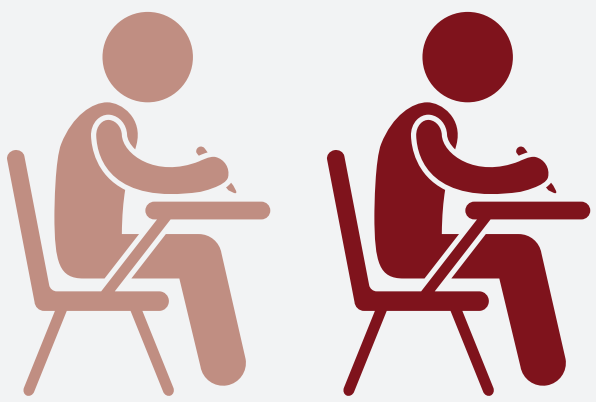


61,582

children enrolled in primary school

SECONDARY SCHOOL EDUCATION

The net enrollment ratio in secondary education shows what percentage of children in the official age group participate in secondary education.



Just over **half** or **56.5%**

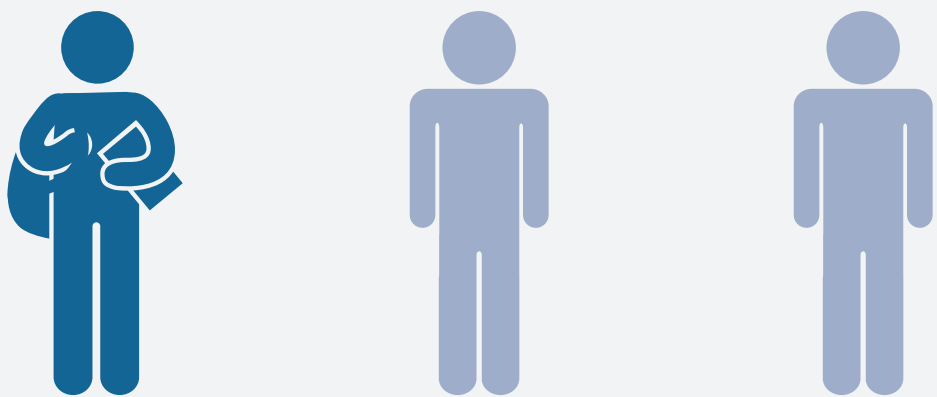
of the population aged 13 - 16 were enrolled in secondary school.

21,838

adolescents enrolled in secondary school

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

According to the September 2021 Labor Force Survey



1 in 3 persons five years and older were enrolled in the formal education system

The Total Population 14 Years and Over was **310,695**

15.9%

had not completed any formal schooling

43.4%

had completed primary school only

23.1%

had completed up to secondary school

16.7%

had completed up to tertiary school

*0.3% responded other, whilst 0.6% had no response.