

Quick Facts

Ontario
Schools

2005–06



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The following information is based on 2005-06 data reported by schools, district school boards, and school authorities. Unless otherwise specified, the information refers to Ontario's publicly funded elementary and secondary schools.

Enrolment, 2005-06*

	Elementary	Secondary	Total
Public Schools			
Male	489 101	259 078	748 179
Female	460 334	234 592	694 926
Total	949 435	493 670	1 443 105
Roman Catholic Schools			
Male	234 201	107 848	342 049
Female	227 375	106 015	333 390
Total	461 576	213 863	675 439
All Schools			
Male	723 302	366 926	1 090 228
Female	687 709	340 607	1 028 316
Total	1 411 011	707 533	2 118 544

*Excludes students in Provincial Schools and in care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Teachers and Administrators in Schools – Full-Time Equivalent (FTE), 2005-06*

	Elementary	Secondary	Total
Teachers and Administrators (FTE)			
<i>Public School Boards</i>			
Male	11 071.84	14 776.56	25 848.40
Female	41 819.12	17 297.44	59 116.56
<i>Roman Catholic School Boards</i>			
Male	4 991.80	6 769.40	11 761.20
Female	21 329.56	7 591.48	28 921.04
Total	79 212.32	46 434.88	125 647.20
Positions Held			
Principals and vice-principals	5 260.12	1 878.16	7 138.28
<i>Percentage female</i>	62.4%	46.1%	58.1%
Department heads	249.88	7 369.72	7 619.60
<i>Percentage female</i>	70.4%	47.9%	48.7%
Classroom and other teachers	73 702.32	37 187.00	110 889.32
<i>Percentage female</i>	81.0%	55.1%	72.3%

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Number of Schools, 1995-96 and 2001-02 to 2005-06*

	1995-96	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
Elementary						
Public	2 920	2 582	2 588	2 601	2 593	2 611
Roman Catholic	1 430	1 387	1 383	1 389	1 387	1 391
Total	4 350	3 969	3 971	3 990	3 980	4 002
Secondary						
Public	603	604	606	605	616	630
Roman Catholic	212	235	242	248	252	254
Total	815	839	848	853	868	884
Total						
Public	3 527**	3 186	3 194	3 206	3 209	3 241
Roman Catholic	1 642	1 622	1 625	1 637	1 639	1 645
Total	5 169**	4 808	4 819	4 843	4 848	4 886

* Excludes Provincial Schools and care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

** Includes four schools managed by the Ministry of Education and Training, which operated at both the elementary and the secondary levels and which are therefore not shown in either the elementary or the secondary totals.

Enrolment by Grade in Elementary Schools, 2005–06*

Grade	Public Schools	Roman Catholic Schools	Total
JK	78 020	38 526	116 546
K	84 765	39 438	124 203
1	90 937	43 162	134 099
2	92 204	44 557	136 761
3	93 739	45 575	139 314
4	97 086	47 750	144 836
5	101 759	49 941	151 700
6	102 898	50 466	153 364
7	102 284	50 631	152 915
8	105 743	51 530	157 273
Total	949 435	461 576	1 411 011

*Excludes students in Provincial Schools and in care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Elementary and Secondary School Enrolment, 1995–96 and 2001–02 to 2005–06*

	1995–96	2001–02	2002–03	2003–04	2004–05	2005–06
Elementary						
Public	938 735	971 030	974 854	970 358	959 373	949 435
Roman Catholic	457 365	477 240	476 287	472 621	466 371	461 576
Total	1 396 100	1 448 270	1 451 141	1 442 979	1 425 744	1 411 011
Secondary						
Public	538 948	509 063	505 508	485 524	490 355	493 670
Roman Catholic	181 723	205 775	208 291	201 239	207 805	213 863
Total	720 671	714 838	713 799	686 763	698 160	707 533
Total						
Public	1 477 683	1 480 093	1 480 362	1 455 882	1 449 728	1 443 105
Roman Catholic	639 088	683 015	684 578	673 860	674 176	675 439
Total	2 116 771	2 163 108	2 164 940	2 129 742	2 123 904	2 118 544

* Excludes students in Provincial Schools and in care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Enrolment in French-Language Units, 1995–96 and 2001–02 to 2005–06

	1995–96	2001–02	2002–03	2003–04	2004–05	2005–06
Elementary	69 340	67 748	67 445	67 172	66 674	66 458
Secondary	28 316	25 090	24 906	22 966	23 165	23 617
Total	97 656	92 838	92 351	90 138	89 839	90 075

Number of Private Schools, 1995–96 and 2001–02 to 2005–06*

	1995–96	2001–02	2002–03	2003–04	2004–05	2005–06
Elementary	305	466	487	477	491	499
Secondary	57	87	106	137	162	167
Combined**	198	213	222	214	222	229
Total	560	766	815	828	875	895
<i>Includes above:</i>						
First Nations Secondary Schools	–	27	28	29	32	33
Overseas Schools	–	13	18	18	29	29

* Includes First Nations and overseas secondary and combined schools. Elementary-level First Nations and overseas schools do not report to the ministry.

** “Combined schools” offer both elementary and secondary education.

Enrolment by Grade in Secondary Schools, 2005–06*

Grade	Public Schools	Roman Catholic Schools	Total
Pre-Grade 9	2 118	298	2 416
Grade 9	112 897	52 148	165 045
Grade 10	115 893	52 124	168 017
Grade 11	113 726	49 439	163 165
Grade 12 – no U or M courses	40 724	14 250	54 974
Grade 12 – fewer than 6 U or M courses	45 081	17 666	62 747
Grade 12 – 6 or more U or M courses	57 744	26 912	84 656
Students 21 or over	5 487	1 026	6 513
Total	493 670	213 863	707 533

*Excludes students in Provincial Schools and in care, treatment, and correctional facilities.

Teachers and Administrators in Schools – Full-Time Equivalent (FTE), 2001–02 to 2005–06*

	2001–02	2002–03	2003–04	2004–05	2005–06
Positions Held – Elementary					
Principals and vice-principals	5 361.60	5 319.00	5 281.84	5 266.12	5 260.12
<i>Percentage female</i>	59.4%	60.0%	60.9%	61.8%	62.4%
Department heads	360.72	312.00	284.76	256.36	249.88
<i>Percentage female</i>	69.4%	66.8%	70.8%	70.2%	70.4%
Classroom and other teachers	70 324.76	70 821.96	70 989.64	71 940.08	73 702.32
<i>Percentage female</i>	80.0%	80.1%	80.3%	80.7%	81.0%
Positions Held – Secondary					
Principals and vice-principals	1 892.16	1 903.68	1 887.72	1 882.08	1 878.16
<i>Percentage female</i>	43.1%	44.4%	44.2%	44.7%	46.1%
Department heads	7 412.08	7 888.72	7 128.48	7 183.20	7 369.72
<i>Percentage female</i>	46.4%	47.8%	47.0%	47.6%	47.9%
Classroom and other teachers	34 477.44	34 156.92	33 832.80	34 811.48	37 187.00
<i>Percentage female</i>	53.0%	53.3%	53.8%	54.3%	55.1%

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Private School Enrolment, 1995–96 and 2001–02 to 2005–06*

	1995–96	2001–02	2002–03	2003–04	2004–05	2005–06
Male Enrolment						
Elementary	18 396	26 726	27 643	26 814	26 455	26 080
Secondary	5 073	6 626	8 286	10 650	9 458	10 526
Combined**	18 225	25 091	27 233	23 901	24 958	24 895
Total	41 694	58 443	63 162[†]	61 365	60 871	61 501
Female Enrolment						
Elementary	16 996	25 192	25 770	24 992	24 832	24 785
Secondary	4 396	6 211	7 603	9 661	9 166	10 152
Combined**	17 252	22 807	24 912	22 213	23 067	23 146
Total	38 644[†]	54 210	58 285	56 866	57 065	58 083
Total Enrolment						
Elementary	35 392	51 918	53 413	51 806	51 287	50 865
Secondary	9 469	12 837	15 889	20 311	18 624	20 678
Combined**	35 477	47 898	52 145	46 114	48 025	48 041
Total	80 338[†]	112 653	121 447	118 231	117 936	119 584

* Includes enrolment at First Nations and overseas secondary and combined schools. Elementary-level First Nations and overseas schools do not report to the ministry.

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[†]Data have been updated since their original publication.

Enrolment in French as a Second Language, 2005–06

	Core Program	Extended Program	Immersion Program	Total
Elementary				
Public	490 145	6 441	77 791	574 377
Roman Catholic	256 315	16 781	26 581	299 677
Total	746 460	23 222	104 372	874 054
Secondary				
Public	68 400	5 031	12 930	86 361
Roman Catholic	26 173	2 811	4 357	33 341
Total	94 573	7 842	17 287	119 702
Elementary and Secondary				
Public	558 545	11 472	90 721	660 738
Roman Catholic	282 488	19 592	30 938	333 018
Total	841 033	31 064	121 659	993 756

Adults in Secondary Day School, 1994–95* and 2001–02 to 2005–06

	1994–95*	2001–02	2002–03	2003–04	2004–05	2005–06
Male						
19–21	31 842	15 879	14 702	13 914	13 531	13 561
22 and over	18 558	2 532	2 488	2 112	1 988	1 874
Total	50 400	18 411	17 190	16 026	15 519	15 435
%**	7.1%	2.6%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%	2.2%
Female						
19–21	20 430	10 309	9 892	9 445	9 388	9 404
22 and over	31 287	4 869	5 049	4 321	3 713	3 396
Total	51 717	15 178	14 941	13 766	13 101	12 800
%**	7.3%	2.1%	2.1%	2.0%	1.9%	1.8%
Total						
19–21	52 272	26 188	24 594	23 359	22 919	22 965
22 and over	49 845	7 401	7 537	6 433	5 701	5 270
Total	102 117	33 589	32 131	29 792	28 620	28 235
%**	14.3%	4.7%	4.5%	4.3%	4.1%	4.0%

*Data not available for 1995-96.

**Percentage of total secondary school enrolment.

Continuing Education Provided by School Boards, 2004–05*

	English	French	Total
Secondary school credit	275 899	1 513	277 412
Correspondence or self-study	29 116	3 292	32 408
Adult basic literacy and numeracy	11 794	0	11 794
English or French as a second language for adults	196 254	3 202	199 456
Native as a second language for adults	0	0	0
Citizenship and official national languages	6 468	0	6 468
Non-credit/general interest	57 875	0	57 875
Total	577 406	8 007	585 413

*Information is reported to the ministry after the completion of the school year (e.g., 2004–05 data are reported in 2005–06). The reporting year runs from September 1 to August 31. Figures include summer enrolments.

Continuing Education Provided by School Boards, 2000–01 to 2004–05*

	2000–01	2001–02	2002–03	2003–04	2004–05
Secondary school credit	248 434	293 894	291 544	272 544	277 412
Correspondence or self-study	39 663	53 062	44 220	39 194	32 408
Adult basic literacy and numeracy	13 753	11 708	14 537	14 157	11 794
English or French as a second language for adults	174 739	229 009	229 181	222 441	199 456
Native as a second language for adults	49	40	61	24	0
Citizenship and official national languages	5 007	8 070	8 570	8 111	6 468
Non-credit/general interest	78 522	75 300	71 700	73 640	57 875
Total	560 167	671 083	659 813	630 111	585 413

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Financial Information, 2001-02 to 2005-06 *

	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
School Boards					
Revenue (excluding revenue from reserves)	\$14 470 235 433	\$15 437 491 953	\$16 066 058 019	\$16 989 182 159	\$17 784 663 341
Expenditures (excluding expenditures to reserves)	14 547 846 574	15 222 004 891	15 927 170 811	17 044 309 794	17 794 786 050
Net transfers to/(from) reserves	(40 939 146)	274 925 477	116 819 932	(54 515 652)	5 105 624
Surplus/(Deficit) at year end	(36 671 990)	(59 438 412)	22 067 276	(611 983)	(15 228 333)
Reserve at year ending August 31	987 300 564	1 285 820 635	1 534 772 813	1 381 028 806	1 377 442 894
School Authorities					
Revenue (excluding revenue from reserves)	36 404 261	37 139 270	39 250 746	42 114 925	41 692 014
Expenditures (excluding expenditures to reserves)	35 806 946	37 350 072	38 877 274	40 341 800	39 924 735
Net transfers to/(from) reserves	585 279	258 903	877 124	1 492 301	509 890
Surplus/(Deficit) at year end	12 036	(469 705)	(503 652)	280 824	1 257 389

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