

Global Catholic Education Report 2020: Country Profiles

Country: **Madagascar**

Data: Statistical yearbooks of the Church

Table 1: Trends in the Number of Students (Thousand) and Schools, 1975-2017

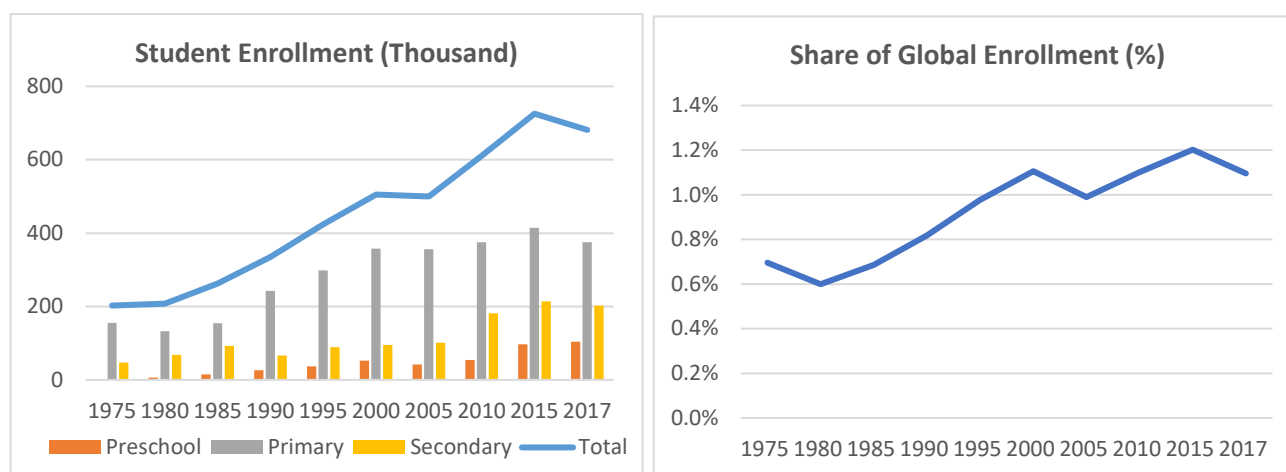
	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2017
Students										
Preschool	-	7	15	26	36	53	42	54	97	104
Primary	155	133	154	242	299	357	356	375	414	375
Secondary	48	68	93	66	89	95	101	182	214	202
Total	203	207	262	335	424	505	500	610	725	682
Schools										
Preschool	-	78	220	256	281	281	971	609	849	3,184
Primary	1,597	1,327	1,430	1,681	2,019	2,019	2,479	3,263	2,791	3,463
Secondary	164	162	174	170	187	187	426	718	519	976
Total	1,761	1,567	1,824	2,107	2,209	2,487	3,876	4,590	4,159	7,623

Note: No data for preschools in 1975.

Table 2: Annual Growth Rates in the Number of Students and Schools, Various Periods (%)

	Students					Schools				
	1980s	1990s	2000s	2010s	2015-17	1980s	1990s	2000s	2010s	2015-17
Preschool	14.8%	7.2%	0.3%	9.8%	3.6%	12.6%	0.9%	8.0%	26.7%	93.7%
Primary	6.2%	4.0%	0.5%	0.0%	-4.8%	2.4%	1.8%	4.9%	0.9%	11.4%
Secondary	-0.3%	3.7%	6.7%	1.5%	-2.8%	0.5%	1.0%	14.4%	4.5%	37.1%
Total	4.9%	4.2%	1.9%	1.6%	-3.1%	3.0%	1.7%	6.3%	7.5%	35.4%

Note: Compounded growth rates for 10 years by decade (e.g., 1980 to 1990) except last two periods



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