

Global Catholic Education Report 2020: Country Profiles

Country: **Poland**

Data: Statistical yearbooks of the Church

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

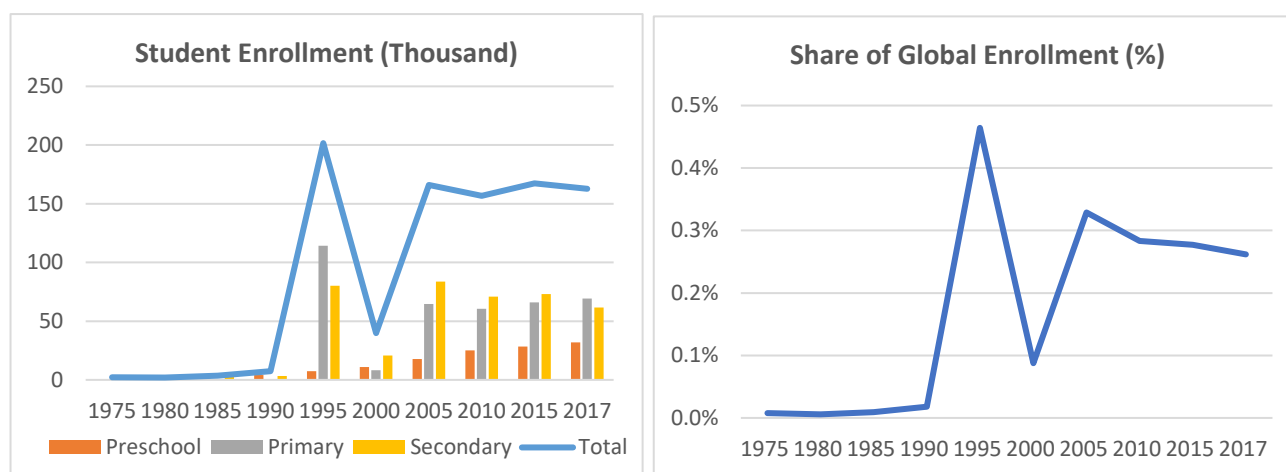
	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2017
Students										
Preschool	-	0	1	4	7	11	18	25	28	32
Primary	0	0	0	0	114	8	65	61	66	69
Secondary	2	2	2	3	80	21	84	71	73	62
Total	2	2	4	7	202	40	166	157	167	163
Schools										
Preschool	-	0	35	102	158	158	205	334	408	434
Primary	0	0	0	2	257	257	83	395	407	453
Secondary	12	12	14	19	171	171	192	430	501	485
Total	12	12	49	123	146	586	480	1,159	1,316	1,372

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	0.0%	10.5%	8.7%	3.4%	6.1%	0.0%	4.5%	7.8%	3.8%	3.1%
Primary	0.0%	48.5%	22.1%	1.9%	2.4%	0.0%	62.5%	4.4%	2.0%	5.5%
Secondary	5.0%	20.5%	13.1%	-2.0%	-8.1%	4.7%	24.6%	9.7%	1.7%	-1.6%
Total	14.1%	18.3%	14.7%	0.5%	-1.4%	26.2%	16.9%	7.1%	2.4%	2.1%

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



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