

## Global Catholic Education Report 2020: Country Profiles

Country: **Germany**

Data: Statistical yearbooks of the Church

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

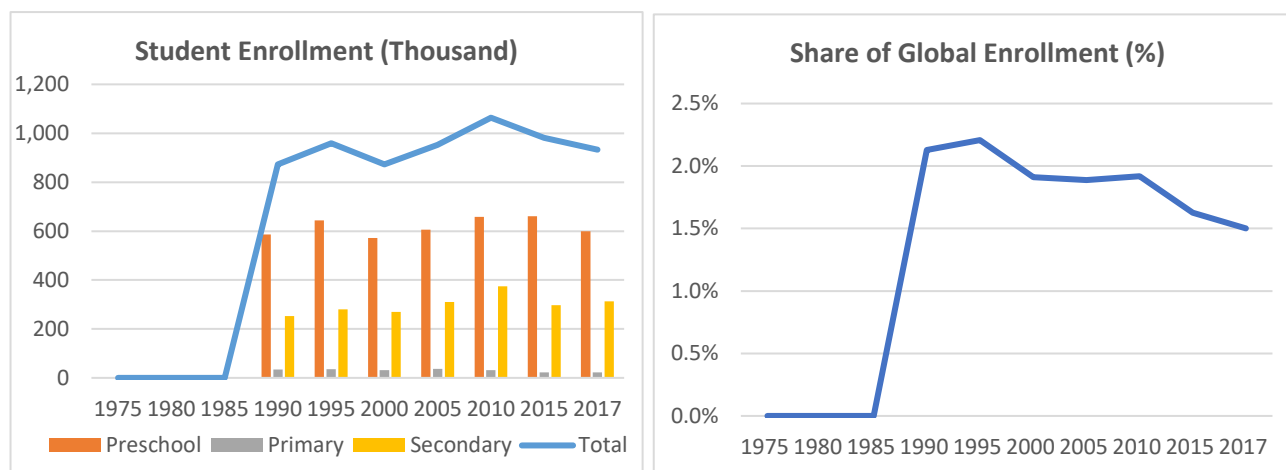
	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2017
<b>Students</b>										
Preschool	-			586	644	572	605	658	660	599
Primary				34	35	32	37	31	23	22
Secondary				252	280	270	310	374	297	312
Total				872	959	873	952	1,064	981	933
<b>Schools</b>										
Preschool	-			8,764	9,365	9,365	9,219	9,153	9,392	9,183
Primary				220	196	196	171	245	194	125
Secondary				931	1,069	1,069	797	805	817	786
Total				9,915	9,488	10,630	10,187	10,203	10,403	10,094

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	-	-0.2%	1.4%	-1.3%	-4.8%	-	0.7%	-0.2%	0.0%	-1.1%
Primary		-0.7%	-0.1%	-5.1%	-2.5%		-1.1%	2.3%	-9.2%	-19.7%
Secondary		0.7%	3.3%	-2.5%	2.5%		1.4%	-2.8%	-0.3%	-1.9%
Total		0.0%	2.0%	-1.9%	-2.5%		0.7%	-0.4%	-0.2%	-1.5%

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



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