

Global Catholic Education Report 2020: Country Profiles

Country: **Suriname**

Data: Statistical yearbooks of the Church

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

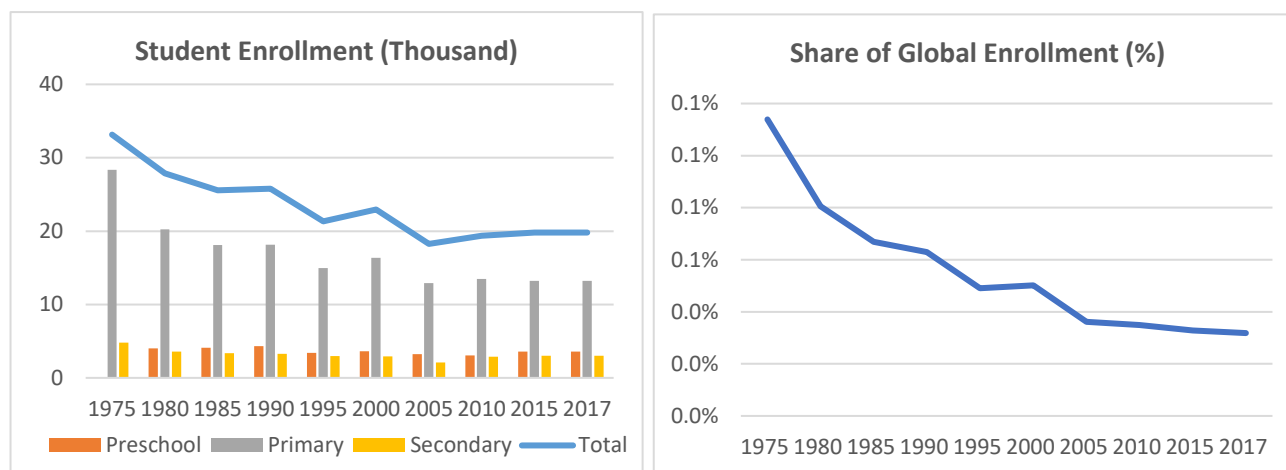
	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2017
Students										
Preschool	-	4	4	4	3	4	3	3	4	4
Primary	28	20	18	18	15	16	13	13	13	13
Secondary	5	4	3	3	3	3	2	3	3	3
Total	33	28	26	26	21	23	18	19	20	20
Schools										
Preschool	-	55	61	64	55	55	48	51	58	62
Primary	157	75	67	72	63	63	59	60	64	65
Secondary	13	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Total	170	141	139	147	147	129	118	122	133	138

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	0.7%	-1.7%	-1.8%	2.3%	0.0%	1.5%	-1.5%	-0.8%	2.8%	3.4%
Primary	-1.1%	-1.0%	-1.9%	-0.3%	0.0%	-0.4%	-1.3%	-0.5%	1.2%	0.8%
Secondary	-0.9%	-1.2%	-0.2%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	-0.8%	-1.2%	-1.7%	0.3%	0.0%	0.4%	-1.3%	-0.6%	1.8%	1.9%

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



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