

GENERAL STATE BUDGET 2023 Education

KEY MESSAGES



Data from the General State Budget (OGE) has shown a nominal increase in expenditure in the education sector in recent years, having more than doubled in 5 years to the level of Kz. 1.555.857.073.978,00.



Angola is still halfway to achieving the goals of the 2015 Incheon Declaration, with the country investing an average of 7% of its State Budget in education, equivalent to 2% of GDP, far from the recommended minimums of 15% and 4% respectively. It is necessary to review the allocation to this sector, since education is fundamental to guaranteeing the human capital necessary for the country's growth.



In 2023, unlike in previous years, the government dedicated at least 1% of the education budget to preschool education, rising from around Kz. 2.6 billion in 2022 to just over Kz. 15 billion in 2023.



Although the allocation of resources between **Primary and Secondary** education is relatively similar, with **Kz. 516 billion (33%)** and **Kz. 613 billion (39%)** respectively in 2023, when the student's population is taken into account the **investment per student in primary education** is much lower than in secondary education.



By the second half of 2022, the "Todos Unidos Pela Primeira Infância - TUPPI" project had served around 26,154 children (less than 1% of the pre-school population) up to the age of six throughout the country and involved 11,161 families in various communities, who benefited from educational activities, as well as birth registration, vaccination and deworming campaigns.

RECOMMENDATIONS

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Prioritize progressive increase of the Education budget to 15% by 2027, as recommended in the Incheon Declaration, in order to ensure greater quality and access to education.

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Make efforts to reduce the gap between budgeted expenditure and executed expenditure.

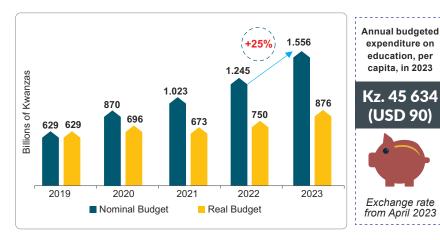
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Encourage continuous investment in preschool education, specifically to reach the target of at least 10% of the education budget.

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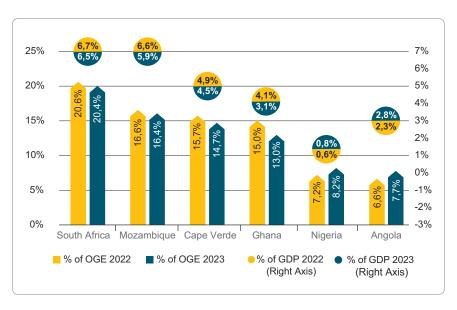
Prioritize the acquisition of basic skills of reading, writing and calculating for children attending primary education, by investing in the implementation of a school reinforcement strategy and improving the quality of primary education.

Graph 1 | Evolution of the Education expenditure in the OGE



Data from the General State Budget (OGE) has shown an increase in expenditure in the education sector in recent years, having more than doubled in 5 years to a level of Kz. 1.56 billion. If we divide this expenditure by the country's population, the investment per capita investment in education would be around Kz. 46 thousand per year.

Graph 2 | Expenditure on Education as a % of OGE and as a % of GDP - Selected Countries



Graph 3 | Execution of Education Budget

