### Key figures

- **28,000** estimated number of refugee and migrant children across Greece. Among them **3,531** unaccompanied
- **88** accompanied children have been returned to Turkey, in the framework of the EU - Turkey statement (20 March 2016 - 28 February 2019)
- **555** children received international protection in Greece on first instance in January 2019. Among them **37** unaccompanied (January 2019)

#### Number of available places in long term accommodation for UAC (shelters and Supported Independent Living programme (SIL), February 2019)

- **1057** places in shelters
- **28** places in SIL

#### Number of available places in temporary accommodation for UAC (safe zones and UAC hotels, February 2019)

- **300** places in safe zones
- **662** places in hotels for UAC

#### Total number of UAC in need of long term accommodation (February 2019)

- **2446**

Out of the estimated **3,531** unaccompanied children in Greece, approximately **2,446** (including **106** in protective custody) are still in need of long term accommodation.

### It is estimated that **11,500** refugee and migrant children of school age (4-17 years old) across Greece are enrolled in formal education (as of January 2019)

### 66% of children 4-17 years old residing in apartments with their families or shelters and hotels for unaccompanied children are enrolled in Greek schools (as of December 2018)

### 39% of the total sea arrivals in 2019 were children. Among total sea arrivals 6% were unaccompanied children

### During Jan-Feb 2019 there was an **18%** increase of child sea arrivals compared to the same period during 2018.