

TABLE 5: EDUCATION

Countries and territories	Youth (15–24 years) literacy rate (%)		Number per 100 population		Pre-primary school participation				Primary school participation						Secondary school participation					
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Afghanistan	–	–	41	4	–	–	123	83	–	–	66 x	40 x	–	90 x	38	15	18 x	6 x		
Albania	99	99	142	45	59	57	121	117	86	84	90	91	–	100	–	–	84	82		
Algeria	94	89	92	13	23	23	111	104	96	94	97	96	93	93	–	–	57	65		
Andorra	–	–	77	81	100	97	89	90	83	84	–	–	–	–	68	72	–	–		
Angola	81	66	47	10	45	35	141	114	–	–	77	75	–	83 x	–	–	21	17		
Antigua and Barbuda	–	–	185	80	62	67	103	97	92	88	–	–	–	–	89	87	–	–		
Argentina	99	99	142	36	71	73	117	116	–	–	–	–	96	–	76	85	–	–		
Armenia	100	100	125	37	31	36	97	100	92	94	99	98	–	100	86	89	93	95		
Australia	–	–	101	76	84	82	107	106	97	98	–	–	–	–	87	88	–	–		
Austria	–	–	146	73	98	99	99	98	–	–	–	–	98	–	–	–	–	–		
Azerbaijan	100	100	99	36	23	24	96	95	86	85	74	72	98	100	91	94	83	82		
Bahamas	–	–	125	43	–	–	103	103	91	93	–	–	91	–	83	87	–	–		
Bahrain	100	100	124	55	59	59	108	105	99	98	86 x	87 x	98	99 x	87	91	77 x	85 x		
Bangladesh	74	77	46	4	10	10	93	97	86	93	–	–	67	80	40	43	–	–		
Barbados	–	–	128	70	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Belarus	100	100	108	32	98	97	98	100	94	96	93	94	99	100	–	–	95	97		
Belgium	–	–	113	79	123	122	104	103	99	99	–	–	93	–	–	–	–	–		
Belize	–	–	62	14	41	43	124	120	99	100	95	95	95	98	62	68	58	60		
Benin	65	43	80	3	14	14	129	114	–	–	65	58	–	89	–	–	34	23		
Bhutan	80	68	54	14	1	1	108	110	87	90	91	93	90	94	46	49	54	56		
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	99	99	72	20	47	47	108	107	95	95	97	97	84	96	69	69	78	75		
Bosnia and Herzegovina	100	100	80	52	15	15	108	110	86	88	97	98	–	100	–	–	89	89		
Botswana	94	97	118	6	16	17	111	108	86	88	86	88	–	–	56	64	36 x	44 x		
Brazil	97	99	104	41	65	65	132	123	96	94	95	95	–	88	78	85	74	80		
Brunei Darussalam	100	100	109	50	90	93	106	107	96	98	–	–	96	–	88	91	–	–		
Bulgaria	98	97	141	46	81	80	102	101	98	99	–	–	94	–	84	81	–	–		
Burkina Faso	47	33	35	1	3	3	83	74	68	60	49	44	64	89	18	13	17	15		
Burundi	77	76	14	2	9	10	149	144	98	100	72	70	60	82	10	8	8	6		
Cambodia	89	86	58	1	13	13	120	113	90	87	84	86	54	92	36	32	29	26		
Cameroon	89	77	42	4	26	27	122	106	97	86	82	77	69	87	–	–	39	37		
Canada	–	–	71	82	71	71	99	98	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Cape Verde	97	99	75	30	60	62	102	94	84	82	–	–	86	–	–	–	–	–		
Central African Republic	72	57	23	2	4	5	104	74	77	57	56	47	47	62	13	8	12	9		
Chad	54	39	23	2	1	1	105	74	–	–	56	48	–	94 x	–	–	20	12		
Chile	99	99	116	45	54	56	109	104	96	95	–	–	–	–	83	86	–	–		
China	99	99	64	34	47	47	111	115	99 z	99 z	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Colombia	97	98	94	37	52	51	120	120	93	93	90	92	–	95	71	77	73	79		
Comoros	86	85	22	5	27	26	125	114	91	84	31 x	31 x	–	19 x	–	–	10 x	11 x		
Congo	87	78	94	5	12	13	123	116	–	–	86	87	70	93	–	–	39	40		
Cook Islands	–	–	38	36	–	–	109	116	98	99	–	–	–	–	76	82	–	–		
Costa Rica	98	99	65	37	70	70	110	109	–	–	96	96	94	–	–	–	59 y	65 y		
Côte d'Ivoire	72	61	76	3	4	4	81	66	62	52	59	51	61	90	–	–	32	22		
Croatia	100	100	144	60	58	56	95	95	95	95	–	–	99	–	91	94	–	–		
Cuba	100	100	9	15	105	105	104	103	–	–	–	–	95	–	82	83	–	–		
Cyprus	100	100	94	53	81	80	106	105	99	99	–	–	95	–	95	96	–	–		
Czech Republic	–	–	137	69	110	107	104	103	–	–	–	–	100	–	–	–	–	–		
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	100	100	2	0	–	–	–	–	–	–	99	99	–	–	–	–	98	98		
Democratic Republic of the Congo	69	62	17	1	4	4	98	83	–	–	78	72	76	75	–	–	35	28		
Denmark	–	–	124	89	97	97	98	99	94	97	–	–	99	–	89	92	–	–		
Djibouti	–	–	19	7	3	3	58	51	47	42	67	66	64	92	28	20	45	37		
Dominica	–	–	145	47	109	111	113	111	–	–	–	–	89	–	88	91	–	–		
Dominican Republic	95	97	90	40	39	35	114	98	82	83	87	90	–	78	52	63	56	68		
Ecuador	97	97	102	24	98	102	117	118	96	99	92 y	93 y	–	–	59	60	71 y	73 y		
Egypt	88	82	87	27	23	22	103	99	97	94	90	87	–	99	66	64	70	70		
El Salvador	95	95	124	15	59	61	117	113	95	96	–	–	76	–	54	56	–	–		
Equatorial Guinea	98	98	57	6	46	61	84	80	58	56	61 x	60 x	63	–	–	–	23 x	22 x		
Eritrea	92	86	4	5	13	13	53	44	39	34	69 x	64 x	73	–	32	23	23 x	21 x		
Estonia	100	100	123	74	95	95	101	99	96	97	–	–	98	–	88	91	–	–		
Ethiopia	56	33	8	1	4	4	107	98	86	81	45	45	38	84	–	–	30	23		
Fiji	–	–	116	15	–	–	95	94	92	92	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		

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Finland	–	–	156	87	67	67	98	97	96	96	–	–	100	–	–	95	96	–	–	
France	–	–	100	80	109	108	109	108	99	99	–	–	–	–	–	98	100	–	–	
Gabon	99	97	107	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	94 x	94 x	–	–	–	–	–	34 x	36 x	
Gambia	71	60	86	9	31	32	88	91	74	78	40	45	61	93	–	–	–	39	34	
Georgia	100	100	73	27	56	70	108	108	–	–	94	95	95	98	–	–	–	89	88	
Germany	–	–	127	82	111	110	104	103	–	–	–	–	98	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Ghana	81	79	71	9	69	72	106	105	76	77	74	75	73	81	48	44	42	42		
Greece	99	99	108	44	68	69	101	101	99	100	–	–	–	–	91	91	–	–		
Grenada	–	–	117	33	97	102	110	104	98	99	–	–	–	–	93	85	–	–		
Guatemala	89	84	126	11	29	30	117	110	98	95	–	–	65	–	41	39	–	–		
Guinea	68	54	40	1	12	12	97	83	79	69	55	48	63	96	35	22	27	17		
Guinea-Bissau	78	64	39	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	89	86	–	79	–	–	–	27	20	
Guyana	–	–	74	30	86	88	104	102	99	98	91	93	83	100	–	–	–	70	79	
Haiti	74	70	40	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	48	52	–	85	–	–	–	18	21	
Holy See	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Honduras	93	95	125	11	40	41	116	116	96	98	87	90	76	–	–	–	–	35	43	
Hungary	99	99	120	65	87	86	100	99	96	96	–	–	98	–	92	91	–	–		
Iceland	–	–	109	95	98	99	98	98	98	98	–	–	99	–	88	89	–	–		
India	88	74	61	8	53	54	–	–	97	94	85	81	–	95	–	–	–	59	49	
Indonesia	100	99	92	9	49	51	123	119	–	–	98	98	80	–	69	68	57 y	59 y		
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	99	99	91	13	38	42	103	102	–	–	–	–	94	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Iraq	85	80	76	6	6	6	111	94	93	82	91	80	–	93	48	38	46	34		
Ireland	–	–	105	70	–	–	104	105	96	97	–	–	–	–	88	91	–	–		
Israel	–	–	133	67	101	107	110	112	96	97	–	–	99	–	85	87	–	–		
Italy	100	100	135	54	100	99	104	103	100	99	–	–	100	–	94	95	–	–		
Jamaica	92	98	113	26	85	88	95	92	82	79	97	98	–	99	75	79	89	93		
Japan	–	–	95	80	–	–	102	102	–	–	–	–	100	–	98	99	–	–		
Jordan	99	99	107	38	38	35	97	97	93	95	99	99	–	–	80	83	85	89		
Kazakhstan	100	100	123	34	40	39	109	109	99	100	99	98	99	100	87	87	95	95		
Kenya	92	94	62	21	52	51	114	111	83	84	72	75	–	96	51	48	40	42		
Kiribati	–	–	10	9	–	–	114	119	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Kuwait	99	99	161	38	77	76	96	94	94	93	–	–	95	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Kyrgyzstan	100	100	92	20	18	18	95	95	91	91	91	93	96	99	79	80	88	91		
Lao People's Democratic Republic	89	79	65	7	15	15	117	106	84	81	81	77	67	65	39	33	39	32		
Latvia	100	100	102	68	89	87	100	97	93	94	–	–	96	–	82	85	–	–		
Lebanon	98	99	68	31	77	76	104	102	92	90	97 x	97 x	92	93 x	71	79	61 x	68 x		
Lesotho	86	98	32	4	–	–	105	104	71	76	87	91	–	84 x	22	36	26	40		
Liberia	70	81	39	0	107	113	96	86	–	–	32	28	46	–	–	–	–	14	14	
Libya	100	100	172	14	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Liechtenstein	–	–	99	80	97	101	108	110	87	92	–	–	82	–	87	80	–	–		
Lithuania	100	100	147	62	77	75	98	96	97	97	–	–	98	–	91	93	–	–		
Luxembourg	–	–	143	91	89	87	100	101	97	98	–	–	–	–	82	85	–	–		
Madagascar	66	64	40	2	10	10	162	158	99	100	78	80	49	89	23	24	27	28		
Malawi	87	86	20	2	–	–	118	121	89	94	76	79	42	81	26	24	19	20		
Malaysia	98	99	121	55	69	73	95	94	94	94	–	–	96	–	66	71	–	–		
Maldives	99	99	156	28	104	105	114	108	97	95	82	84	–	99	–	–	–	52	63	
Mali	47	31	48	3	4	4	103	86	84	70	62	55	77	96	37	23	38	24		
Malta	97	99	109	63	104	107	98	99	90	92	–	–	91	–	79	82	–	–		
Marshall Islands	–	–	7	0	42	38	91	90	81	80	–	–	83	–	51	54	–	–		
Mauritania	71	64	79	3	–	–	101	108	74	79	56	59	41	77	17	15	21	17		
Mauritius	96	98	92	25	97	99	100	100	93	95	–	–	96	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Mexico	99	98	81	31	111	113	117	116	99	100	97	97	94	–	72	74	–	–		
Micronesia (Federated States of)	–	–	25	20	–	–	110	111	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Monaco	–	–	74	80	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Mongolia	95	97	91	10	57	61	110	110	–	–	94	96	94	97	79	85	83	88		
Montenegro	–	–	185	52	30	29	113	111	–	–	97	98	–	97	–	–	–	84	85	
Morocco	87	72	100	49	70	53	112	103	92	88	91	88	78	–	–	–	–	39 x	36 x	
Mozambique	78	64	31	4	–	–	121	108	93	88	82	80	36	60	16	14	21	20		
Myanmar	96	95	1	0	7	7	117	115	–	–	90	91	70	100 x	49	50	58	59		
Namibia	91	95	67	7	–	–	113	111	88	92	91	93	83	89	49	60	47	62		

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Nauru	–	–	60	6	96	93	90	96	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nepal	87	77	31	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	86	82	62	95	–	–	46	38	–	–
Netherlands	–	–	116	91	98	98	108	106	99	99	–	–	–	–	–	87	88	–	–	
New Zealand	–	–	115	83	92	95	101	102	99	100	–	–	–	–	–	95	97	–	–	
Nicaragua	85	89	65	10	55	56	118	116	93	94	77 x	84 x	48	56 x	–	–	35 x	47 x	–	–
Niger	52	23	25	1	3	3	69	55	60	48	44	31	67	88	–	–	13	8	13	9
Nigeria	78	65	55	28	17	12	95	84	66	60	65	60	–	98	–	–	29	22	45	43
Niue	–	–	0	0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Norway	–	–	113	93	97	98	99	99	99	99	–	–	99	–	–	95	95	–	–	–
Occupied Palestinian Territory	99	99	–	–	34	33	79	79	78	77	91 x	92 x	98	–	–	82	87	–	–	
Oman	98	98	166	63	37	38	85	83	82	81	–	–	–	–	–	83	81	–	–	
Pakistan	79	61	59	17	–	–	92	77	72	60	70	62	60	–	–	36	29	35	29	
Palau	–	–	71	0	–	–	100	103	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Panama	97	96	185	43	65	66	111	107	98	97	–	–	87	–	–	63	69	–	–	
Papua New Guinea	65	70	28	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Paraguay	99	99	92	24	35	35	101	98	86	86	87	89	78	–	–	58	62	81 x	80 x	
Peru	98	97	100	34	72	72	109	109	97	98	96	96	83	95	–	–	74	73	–	–
Philippines	97	98	86	25	48	49	111	109	91	93	88 x	89 x	75	90 x	–	55	66	55 x	70 x	
Poland	100	100	120	62	65	66	97	97	96	96	–	–	98	–	–	92	94	–	–	
Portugal	100	100	142	51	83	83	114	111	99	100	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Qatar	98	98	132	69	54	53	107	105	98	98	–	–	94	–	–	65	96	–	–	
Republic of Korea	–	–	105	84	117	117	105	103	100	99	–	–	99	–	–	98	94	–	–	
Republic of Moldova	99	100	89	40	75	74	94	93	91	90	84	85	95	100	–	79	80	82	85	
Romania	97	98	115	40	75	76	100	99	96	96	–	–	95	–	–	80	82	–	–	
Russian Federation	100	100	166	43	91	89	97	97	94	95	–	–	95	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rwanda	77	77	33	8	17	17	150	151	95	97	84	87	–	76	–	–	5	5	–	–
Saint Kitts and Nevis	–	–	161	0	84	82	95	97	92	95	–	–	67	–	–	85	92	–	–	
Saint Lucia	–	–	103	0	67	68	98	95	93	93	–	–	93	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	–	–	121	0	78	79	111	103	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	85	95	–	–	
Samoa	99	100	91	7	43	48	101	99	–	–	88 y	89 y	–	–	–	–	–	51 y	70 y	–
San Marino	–	–	76	0	107	103	92	94	91	93	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sao Tome and Principe	95	96	62	19	49	53	131	132	–	–	86	85	75	84	–	30	35	30	31	–
Saudi Arabia	99	97	188	41	–	–	101	97	88	85	–	–	93	–	–	70	76	–	–	–
Senegal	74	56	67	16	11	12	82	85	74	76	58	59	58	93	–	–	20	16	–	–
Serbia	99	99	129	41	51	51	98	97	96	96	99	98	98	100	–	89	91	81	87	–
Seychelles	99	99	136	41	107	111	105	107	93	95	–	–	–	–	–	95	99	–	–	–
Sierra Leone	68	48	34	0	–	–	–	–	–	–	62	64	–	94	–	–	31	25	–	–
Singapore	100	100	144	70	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	99	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Slovakia	–	–	108	79	94	92	102	102	–	–	–	–	98	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Slovenia	100	100	105	70	86	84	99	98	98	98	–	–	100	–	–	91	92	–	–	–
Solomon Islands	–	–	6	5	–	–	109	106	81	80	63 y	69 y	–	–	–	32	29	29 y	30 y	–
Somalia	–	–	7	0	–	–	42	23	–	–	18	15	–	85	–	–	12	8	–	–
South Africa	97	98	100	12	64	65	103	99	89	90	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
South Sudan ^a	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Spain	100	100	112	67	129	131	108	107	100	100	–	–	99	–	–	94	97	–	–	–
Sri Lanka	97	99	83	12	–	–	97	97	95	96	–	–	99	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sudan ^a	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Suriname	99	99	170	32	81	81	116	111	91	90	95	94	68	92	–	–	56	67	–	–
Swaziland	92	95	62	8	–	–	112	104	82	84	83	86	72	74	–	31	26	31	41	–
Sweden	–	–	114	90	100	100	97	96	96	96	–	–	99	–	–	98	98	–	–	–
Switzerland	–	–	124	84	104	103	104	103	99	100	–	–	–	–	–	86	82	–	–	–
Syrian Arab Republic	96	93	57	21	9	9	125	120	–	–	87	86	93	100	–	70	69	63	63	–
Tajikistan	100	100	86	12	10	8	104	100	99	96	99 y	96 y	99	100	–	88	77	89	74	–
Thailand	98	98	101	21	92	93	92	90	91	89	98	98	–	99	–	68	77	77	84	–
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	99	99	105	52	24	26	89	89	93	94	97	93	97	100	–	–	79	78	–	–
Timor-Leste	–	–	53	0	–	–	116	109	84	82	71	73	–	91	–	–	43	48	–	–
Togo	85	68	41	5	7	8	119	111	–	–	91	87	69	89	–	–	52	41	–	–
Tonga	99	100	52	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Trinidad and Tobago	100	100	141	49	81	81	106	102	97	94	98	98	93	98	–	–	84	90	–	–

Countries and territories	Youth (15–24 years) literacy rate (%)		Number per 100 population		Pre-primary school participation		Primary school participation						Secondary school participation							
					Gross enrolment ratio (%)		Gross enrolment ratio (%)		Net enrolment ratio (%)		Net attendance ratio (%)		Survival rate to last primary grade (%)		Net enrolment ratio (%)		Net attendance ratio (%)			
	2005–2010*		2010		2007–2010*		2007–2010*		2007–2010*		2005–2010*		2006–2009* admin. data		2005–2010* survey data		2007–2010*		2005–2010*	
	male	female	mobile phones	Internet users	male	female	male	female	male	female	male	female	male	female	male	female	male	female	male	female
Tunisia	98	96	106	37	–	–	109	107	–	–	95 x	93 x	95	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkey	99	97	85	40	18	17	101	98	96	94	94 y	92 y	94	95 x	77	70	65 y	57 y	–	–
Turkmenistan	100	100	63	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	99	99	–	100	–	–	84	84	–	–
Tuvalu	–	–	25	25	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Uganda	90	85	38	13	12	13	121	122	91	94	83	82	52	72	22	21	17	17	–	–
Ukraine	100	100	119	23	102	99	97	98	89	89	70	76	98	100	85	85	85	85	–	–
United Arab Emirates	94	97	145	78	95	94	106	105	98	97	–	–	97	–	82	84	–	–	–	–
United Kingdom	–	–	130	85	80	81	106	106	100	100	–	–	–	–	92	95	–	–	–	–
United Republic of Tanzania	78	76	47	11	33	34	105	105	96	97	79	82	74	91 x	–	–	26	24	–	–
United States	–	–	90	79	57	57	98	99	91	93	–	–	–	–	87	89	–	–	–	–
Uruguay	98	100	132	43	86	87	115	112	99	99	–	–	94	–	66	73	–	–	–	–
Uzbekistan	100	100	76	20	26	26	93	91	91	89	100	100	98	100	93	91	91	90	–	–
Vanuatu	94	94	119	8	58	56	111	105	–	–	80	82	71	88	–	–	38	36	–	–
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	98	99	96	36	80	74	105	102	94	94	91 x	93 x	92	82 x	67	75	30 x	43 x	–	–
Viet Nam	97	96	175	28	–	–	–	–	–	–	95	95	–	98	–	–	78	80	–	–
Yemen	96	72	46	11	–	–	94	76	80	66	75	64	–	73	–	–	48	27	–	–
Zambia	82	67	38	7	–	–	113	112	91	94	81	82	53	87	–	–	38	36	–	–
Zimbabwe	98	99	60	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	90 y	92 y	–	82	–	–	45	45	–	–

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Sudan and South Sudan ^a	89	83	41	0	28	29	78	70	–	–	56 y	52 y	86	90	–	–	17 y	22 y	–	–
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SUMMARY INDICATORS[#]

Africa	79	70	53	13	19	18	104	96	80	77	70	67	63	87	36	30	35	33	–	–
Sub-Saharan Africa	77	67	45	10	18	17	104	95	78	74	67	65	61	86	30	24	31	28	–	–
Eastern and Southern Africa	79	72	42	8	22	21	114	108	87	87	70	70	51	82	32	28	26	24	–	–
West and Central Africa	73	61	48	13	15	13	97	85	70	63	66	61	69	90	29	20	36	32	–	–
Middle East and North Africa	93	87	90	22	23	22	101	94	90	85	83	78	90	92	65	58	54	51	–	–
Asia	92	86	67	20	48	48	112	109	–	–	86 **	83 **	–	93 **	63	48	57 **	50 **	–	–
South Asia	85	72	59	8	47	47	–	–	–	–	83	79	–	93	–	–	55	46	–	–
East Asia and Pacific	99	99	74	30	50	50	110	112	–	–	96 **	96 **	79 **	–	66	68	64 **	66 **	–	–
Latin America and Caribbean	97	97	98	34	69	69	119	115	95	95	93	93	88	–	71	76	70	75	–	–
CEE/CIS	99	99	124	36	55	54	99	98	94	93	92	92	96	–	82	81	82	78	–	–
Industrialized countries	100	100	106	76	81	80	102	102	96	97	–	–	–	–	90	92	–	–	–	–
Developing countries	91	85	70	21	41	41	110	106	90	88	81 **	79 **	73 **	91 **	61	49	53 **	48 **	–	–
Least developed countries	75	66	34	4	13	13	106	98	81	78	68	66	61	82	31	25	29	25	–	–
World	92	87	78	29	46	46	109	105	91	89	81 **	79 **	76 **	91 **	65	55	53 **	49 **	–	–

[#] For a complete list of countries and territories in the regions, subregions and country categories, see page 124.

^δ Because of the cession in July 2011 of the Republic of South Sudan by the Republic of the Sudan, and its subsequent admission to the United Nations on 14 July 2011, disaggregated data for the Sudan and South Sudan as separate States are not yet available for most indicators. Aggregated data presented are for the Sudan pre-cession (see Memorandum item).

DEFINITIONS OF THE INDICATORS

Youth literacy rate – Number of literate persons aged 15–24 years, expressed as a percentage of the total population in that group.

Pre-primary school gross enrolment ratio – Number of children enrolled in pre-primary school, regardless of age, expressed as a percentage of the total number of children of official pre-primary school age.

Primary school gross enrolment ratio – Number of children enrolled in primary school, regardless of age, expressed as a percentage of the total number of children of official primary school age.

Primary school net enrolment ratio – Number of children enrolled in primary or secondary school who are of official primary school age, expressed as a percentage of the total number of children of official primary school age. Because of the inclusion of primary-school-aged children enrolled in secondary school, this indicator can also be referred to as a primary adjusted net enrolment ratio.

Primary school net attendance ratio – Number of children attending primary or secondary school who are of official primary school age, expressed as a percentage of the total number of children of official primary school age. Because of the inclusion of primary-school-aged children attending secondary school, this indicator can also be referred to as a primary adjusted net attendance ratio.

Survival rate to last primary grade – Percentage of children entering the first grade of primary school who eventually reach the last grade of primary school.

Mobile phones – The number of active subscriptions to a public mobile telephone service, including the number of prepaid SIM cards active during the past three months.

Internet users – The estimated number of Internet users out of the total population. This includes those using the Internet from any device (including mobile phones) in the last 12 months.

Secondary school net enrolment ratio – Number of children enrolled in secondary school who are of official secondary school age, expressed as a percentage of the total number of children of official secondary school age. Secondary net enrolment ratio does not include secondary-school-aged children enrolled in tertiary education owing to challenges in age reporting and recording at that level.

Secondary school net attendance ratio – Number of children attending secondary or tertiary school who are of official secondary school age, expressed as a percentage of the total number of children of official secondary school age. Because of the inclusion of secondary-school-aged children attending tertiary school, this indicator can also be referred to as a secondary adjusted net attendance ratio.

All data refer to official International Standard Classifications of Education (ISCED) for the primary and secondary education levels and thus may not directly correspond to a country-specific school system.

MAIN DATA SOURCES

Youth literacy – UNESCO Institute for Statistics (UIS).

Mobile phone and Internet use – International Telecommunications Union, Geneva.

Pre-primary, primary and secondary enrolment – UIS. Estimates based on administrative data from national Education Management Information Systems (EMIS) with United Nations population estimates.

Primary and secondary school attendance – Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS), Multiple Indicator Cluster Surveys (MICS) and other national household surveys.

Survival rate to last primary grade – Administrative data: UIS; survey data: DHS and MICS. Regional and global averages calculated by UNICEF.

NOTES

– Data not available.

x Data refer to years or periods other than those specified in the column heading. Such data are not included in the calculation of regional and global averages. Estimates from data years prior to 2000 are not displayed.

y Data differ from the standard definition or refer to only part of a country. Such data are included in the calculation of regional and global averages.

z Data provided by Chinese Ministry of Education. The UIS data do not currently publish net enrolment rates for China.

* Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified in the column heading.

** Excludes China.