

Table 2: Education Indicators

DMC	Gross Pre-Primary School Enrollment Ratio (%)					Gross Primary School Enrollment Ratio (%)				
	1990		Latest Year			1990		Latest Year		
	Female	Male	Female	Male	(Year)	Female	Male	Female	Male	(Year)
East Asia										
China, People's Rep. of	23	23	39	40	(1999)	120	130	108	105	(1999)
Hong Kong, China	81	80	...	...		103	102	100	100	(2000)
Korea, Rep. of	55	56	80	80	(2000)	105	105	101	101	(2000)
Mongolia	43	35	30	27	(2000)	98	96	101	97	(2000)
Taipei, China ^a	...	...	...	...		100	100	101	100	(2000)
Southeast Asia										
Cambodia	6	5	7	6	(2000)	108	134	103	117	(2000)
Indonesia	...	...	19	18	(2000)	114	117	109	111	(2000)
Lao PDR	7	6	8	7	(2000)	92	118	104	121	(2000)
Malaysia	35	35	53	51	(1999)	94	94	99	99	(2000)
Myanmar	...	...	2	2	(2000)	105	108	89	89	(2000)
Philippines	...	...	32	30	(1998)	109	113	113	113	(2000)
Singapore	...	...	...	...		102	105	97	98	(1998)
Thailand	50	49	82	84	(2000)	105	100	93	97	(2000)
Viet Nam	...	...	41	45	(2000)	100	106	102	109	(2000)
South Asia										
Afghanistan	...	...	...	...		19	35	0	29	(2000)
Bangladesh	...	...	26	23	(2000)	66	77	101	100	(2000)
Bhutan ^b	...	...	...	...		15	24	19	23	(1999)
India	3	4	20	20	(1998)	84	110	92	111	(1999)
Maldives	...	...	51	49	(2000)	132	136	131	131	(2000)
Nepal	...	...	11	14	(2000)	81	132	108	128	(2000)
Pakistan	...	...	46	63	(2000)	39	82	54	93	(2000)
Sri Lanka	...	...	...	...		105	107	104	107	(1998)
Central Asia										
Azerbaijan	18	21	24	23	(1999)	113	114	99	97	(1999)
Kazakhstan	49	54	13	13	(2000)	87	88	98	99	(2000)
Kyrgyz Republic	14	14	14	15	(2000)	111	111	100	103	(2000)
Tajikistan	...	...	8	9	(2000)	90	92	100	108	(2000)
Turkmenistan	...	...	...	...		91	92	109	109	(1996)
Uzbekistan	71	71	...	...		81	82	85	86	(1999)
Pacific DMCs										
Cook Islands	...	...	85	86	(2000)	...	...	93	98	(2000)
Fiji Islands	15	14	16	15	(1998)	125	125	110	111	(1998)
Kiribati	...	...	...	...		...	...	129	127	(1999)
Marshall Islands ^c	...	...	...	...		...	...	79	78	(1998)
Micronesia, Fed. States of	...	...	49	43	(2000)	...	...	149	136	(2000)
Nauru	...	...	138	144	(1998)	...	...	82	80	(1998)
Papua New Guinea	0	1	18	19	(1999)	66	78	80	88	(1999)
Samoa	...	...	38	34	(2000)	127	117	101	105	(2000)
Solomon Islands	32	32	...	...		78	91	36	41	(1998)
Timor-Leste	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
Tonga	...	...	35	27	(2000)	...	...	112	113	(2000)
Tuvalu	...	...	89	71	(1998)	...	...	101	106	(1998)
Vanuatu	...	...	77	70	(2000)	94	98	121	113	(2000)

a For 1990, gross primary enrollment rates refer to 1985; while adult literacy rates for 1990 refer to age 25 years and over and exclude those who are self-educated.

b Data for 1990 gross enrollment rates refer to 1988 estimates.

c Adult literacy rates for 1990 refer to 1988 estimate of the population who has reached at least grade 4; 1999 estimates refer to population 10 years old and over who can read and write.

d Estimate from source was greater than 100%, suggesting a survival rate which includes repeaters.

e Refers to years other than specified in column heading, differs from standard definition or refers to only part of a country.

f Refers to 1998.

g Refers to 1999.

h Refers to 1995.

Table 2: **Education Indicators** (Continued)

Gross Secondary School Enrollment Ratio (%)					Gross Tertiary Enrollment Ratio (%)					DMC
1990		Latest Year			1990		Latest Year			
Female	Male	Female	Male	(Year)	Female	Male	Female	Male	(Year)	
East Asia										
42	55	60	66	(1999)	2	4	4	8	(1997)	China, People's Rep. of
82	78	79	75	(2000)	14	24	26	29	(1997)	Hong Kong, China
88	91	94	94	(2000)	25	51	57	97	(2000)	Korea, Rep. of
88	77	67	55	(2000)	18	10	42	24	(2000)	Mongolia
97	93	100	98	(2000)	34	34	71	66	(2000)	Taipei, China ^a
Southeast Asia										
19	15	13	24	(2000)	0	1	2	4	(2000)	Cambodia
40	48	56	58	(2000)	6	13	13	16	(2000)	Indonesia
19	31	31	44	(2000)	1	2	2	4	(2000)	Lao PDR
58	55	74	67	(2000)	7	8	29	27	(2000)	Malaysia
23	23	38	40	(2000)	5	4	15	8	(2000)	Myanmar
73	74	81	74	(2000)	33	24	33	30	(2000)	Philippines
66	70	73	75	(1996)	15	22	40	47	(1997)	Singapore
30	31	80	84	(2000)	19	17	32	39	(2000)	Thailand
31	33	64	70	(2000)	1	3	8	11	(2000)	Viet Nam
South Asia										
6	12	12	32	(1996)	1	2	1	3	(1997)	Afghanistan
13	25	47	45	(2000)	1	7	5	8	(2000)	Bangladesh
2	7	9	11	(1999)	...	...	...	...		Bhutan ^b
33	55	40	57	(1999)	4	8	8	13	(1999)	India
51	49	57	53	(2000)	...	...	...	...		Maldives
20	46	43	58	(2000)	2	8	2	7	(2000)	Nepal
15	30	19	29	(2000)	2	4	3	4	(1997)	Pakistan
77	71	74	70	(1998)	4	6	5	6	(1997)	Sri Lanka
Central Asia										
90	90	80	80	(1999)	20	29	21	23	(1999)	Azerbaijan
99	97	87	90	(2000)	44	36	34	28	(2000)	Kazakhstan
101	99	86	86	(2000)	15	13	42	40	(2000)	Kyrgyz Republic
102	102	71	86	(2000)	17	27	7	21	(2000)	Tajikistan
108	106	112	112	(1996)	23	20	20	19	(1997)	Turkmenistan
95	104	89	100	(1996)	32	29	40	35	(1997)	Uzbekistan
Pacific DMCs										
...	...	63	58	(2000)	...	...	...	...		Cook Islands
57	55	35	37	(1998)	6	11	10	17	(1997)	Fiji Islands
...	...	47	42	(1998)	...	...	...	...		Kiribati
...	...	51	47	(1998)	...	...	...	...		Marshall Islands ^c
...	...	137	127	(2000)	...	...	...	...		Micronesia, Fed. States of
...	...	56	52	(1998)	...	...	...	...		Nauru
10	15	18	24	(1999)	1	4	2	3	(1998)	Papua New Guinea
56	46	79	73	(2000)	6	6	11	11	(2000)	Samoa
11	17	18	30	(1998)	...	...	...	...		Solomon Islands
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		Timor-Leste
...	...	103	97	(2000)	...	...	4	3	(1999)	Tonga
...	...	73	83	(1998)	...	...	...	...		Tuvalu
14	19	26	31	(2000)	0	0	(1998)	Vanuatu

Sources: UNESCO, Internet Website.
 WB, Edstats Website.
 Country sources.

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DMC	Pupils Starting Grade 1 Who Reach Grade 5 (%)					Literacy Rate, 15 Years and Over (%)				Literacy Rate 15-24 Years Old (%)			
	1990		Latest Year			1990		2000		1990		2002	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	(Year)	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
East Asia													
China, People's Rep. of	...	...	94	93	(1995)	69	57	78	92	93	97	97	99
Hong Kong, China	...	...	...	...		83	96	89	97	98	98	100	99
Korea, Rep. of	100	99	99	98	(1995)	93	98	96	99	100	100	100	100
Mongolia	...	...	...	...		97	98	98	99	99	99	99	99
Taipei, China ^a	...	...	...	...		80	92	87	95	...	...	...	...
Southeast Asia													
Cambodia	42	56	63	63	(1999)	49	78	57	80	66	81	76	85
Indonesia	81	96	100 ^d	92	(1999)	73	87	82	92	93	97	98	99
Lao PDR	50	56	54	57	(1995)	43	70	53	76	61	79	73	86
Malaysia	98	98	100	98	(1993)	74	87	83	91	94	95	98	98
Myanmar	...	...	...	...		74	87	80	89	86	90	91	92
Philippines	...	...	...	...		91	92	95	95	97	97	99	99
Singapore	...	...	...	...		83	94	88	96	99	99	100	100
Thailand	...	...	99	96	(1998)	89	95	94	97	98	99	99	99
Viet Nam	...	...	...	...		87	94	91	94	94	94	96	95
South Asia													
Afghanistan	...	...	...	...		12	40	21	51	...	...	...	...
Bangladesh	...	...	...	...		24	44	30	49	33	51	41	58
Bhutan ^b	84	81	92	89	(1999)	23	51	34	61	...	...	...	...
India	55	61	65	70	(1998)	36	62	45	68	54	73	67	81
Maldives	...	...	...	...		95	95	97	97	98	98	99	99
Nepal	52	52	...	...		14	47	24	59	27	67	46	78
Pakistan	...	...	...	...		20	49	28	57	31	63	44	72
Sri Lanka	95	94	84	83	(1995)	85	93	89	94	94	96	97	97
Central Asia													
Azerbaijan	...	...	...	...		96	99	97	97 ^f	...	...	...	...
Kazakhstan	...	...	...	...		98	99	99	100	100	100	100	100
Kyrgyz Republic	...	...	...	...		96	99	98	99 ^g	...	...	...	...
Tajikistan	...	...	...	...		97	99	99	100	100	100	100	100
Turkmenistan	...	...	...	...		97 ^e	99 ^e	100	100 ^h	...	...	...	...
Uzbekistan	...	...	...	...		98	99	99	100	100	100	100	100
Pacific DMCs													
Cook Islands	...	...	...	...		...	...	94	93 ^f	...	...	...	...
Fiji Islands	...	...	...	...		86	92	91	95	98	98	99	99
Kiribati	99	93	93	95	(1996)	...	...	91	94 ^f	...	...	...	...
Marshall Islands ^c	...	...	...	...		90	91	97	97 ^g	...	...	...	...
Micronesia, Fed. States of	...	...	...	...		...	...	66	77 ^f	...	...	...	...
Nauru	...	...	...	...		...	...	95	95 ^f	...	...	...	...
Papua New Guinea	58	60	60	59	(1994)	48	64	57	71	62	74	73	81
Samoa	...	...	77	89	(1998)	100	99	98	99	99	99	100	99
Solomon Islands	...	...	...	...		...	...	100	100	...	...	...	...
Timor-Leste	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tonga	75	85	84	93	(1992)	...	...	99	99 ^f	...	...	...	...
Tuvalu	98	89	...	...		...	...	95	95 ^f	...	...	...	...
Vanuatu	91	89	100 ^d	76	(1998)	...	...	30	37 ^f	...	...	...	...