

Goal 4. Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all

Table 1.4.1: Selected Indicators for Sustainable Development Goal 4—Early Childhood Education

Target 4.2: By 2030, ensure that all girls and boys have access to quality early childhood development, care, and preprimary education, so that they are ready for primary education						
4.2.2: Participation Rate in Organized Learning (1 Year before the Official Primary Entry Age) ^{a,b}						
ADB Regional Member	(%)					
	2000			2017		
	Total	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male
Developing ADB Member Economies						
Central and West Asia						
Afghanistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Armenia	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azerbaijan	15.8	16.1	15.6	61.3	61.4	61.2
Georgia	46.1 (2004)	49.1 (2004)	43.4 (2004)	...	...	...
Kazakhstan	...	...	...	63.9 (2018)	65.0 (2018)	62.7 (2018)
Kyrgyz Republic	42.4	43.2	41.6	95.4	96.3	94.5
Pakistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tajikistan	...	...	...	12.5	11.6	13.4
Turkmenistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Uzbekistan	...	...	...	36.9	36.4	37.4
East Asia						
China, People's Republic of	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hong Kong, China	...	...	...	99.5	99.0	100.0
Korea, Republic of	49.6 (2005)	49.6 (2005)	49.6 (2005)	96.4 (2016)	96.1 (2016)	96.6 (2016)
Mongolia	96.5 (2007)	100.0 (2007)	93.1 (2007)	96.0	95.5	96.6
Taipei, China	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Asia						
Bangladesh	...	...	...	35.3 (2010)	35.4 (2010)	35.3 (2010)
Bhutan	...	...	...	...	...	...
India	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maldives	69.5	70.0	69.1	98.5	97.4	99.5
Nepal	...	...	...	84.9	82.1	87.6
Sri Lanka	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast Asia						
Brunei Darussalam	97.5 (2006)	95.0 (2006)	100.0 (2006)	95.1	94.8	95.3
Cambodia	26.6 (2006)	27.2 (2006)	26.0 (2006)	43.0 (2012)	43.6 (2012)	42.5 (2012)
Indonesia	...	...	...	96.8	100.0	93.7
Lao People's Democratic Republic	...	...	...	63.1	63.6	62.6
Malaysia	76.9 (2002)	79.3 (2002)	74.6 (2002)	98.6 (2015)	99.3 (2015)	98.0 (2015)
Myanmar	...	...	...	...	...	...
Philippines	24.0 (2001)	23.8 (2001)	24.1 (2001)	79.6 (2016)	80.7 (2016)	78.6 (2016)
Singapore	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thailand	98.9 (2006)	100.0 (2006)	97.9 (2006)	97.0	96.8	97.1
Viet Nam	78.7 (2006)	...	...	99.3	98.5	100.0
The Pacific						
Cook Islands	...	...	...	99.1 (2016)	100.0 (2016)	98.3 (2016)
Fiji	48.6 (2004)	50.2 (2004)	47.1 (2004)	...	...	...
Kiribati	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marshall Islands	...	...	...	65.6 (2016)	64.8 (2016)	66.4 (2016)
Micronesia, Federated States of	...	...	...	76.4 (2015)	72.8 (2015)	79.8 (2015)
Nauru	89.4 (2007)	78.5 (2007)	100.0 (2007)	74.8 (2016)	84.3 (2016)	67.3 (2016)
Niue	...	...	...	55.7 (2015)	100.0 (2015)	23.2 (2015)
Palau	...	...	...	90.4 (2014)	80.4 (2014)	100.0 (2014)
Papua New Guinea	...	...	...	73.5 (2016)	73.1 (2016)	73.9 (2016)
Samoa	...	...	...	36.9	39.1	34.9
Solomon Islands	...	...	...	65.4 (2015)	65.7 (2015)	65.1 (2015)
Timor-Leste	...	...	...	33.1	33.5	32.8
Tonga	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuvalu	...	...	...	97.0 (2016)	100.0 (2016)	94.2 (2016)
Vanuatu	...	...	...	...	...	...
Developed ADB Member Economies						
Australia	52.6 (2001)	53.3 (2001)	52.0 (2001)	87.4	87.1	87.7
Japan	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Zealand	...	...	...	96.2	96.5	95.8

... = data not available, ADB = Asian Development Bank.

a Covers participation in early childhood education and primary education.

b The indicator measures the exposure of children to organized learning, but not to the intensity of the learning programs.

Source: United Nations Statistics Division. Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), SDG Indicators, Global Database. <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/indicators/database/> (accessed 8 July 2019).

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Table 1.4.2: Selected Indicators for Sustainable Development Goal 4—Teacher Training and Supply

Target 4.c: By 2030, substantially increase the supply of qualified teachers, including through international cooperation for teacher training in developing countries, especially least developed countries and small island developing states								
ADB Regional Member	4.c.1a: Proportion of Teachers in Primary Education Who Have Received at least the Minimum Organized Teacher Training (% of total teachers)		4.c.1b: Proportion of Teachers in Primary Education Who Have Received at least the Minimum Organized Teacher Training (% of total teachers)		4.c.1c: Proportion of Teachers in Lower Secondary Education Who Have Received at least the Minimum Organized Teacher Training (% of total teachers)		4.c.1d: Proportion of Teachers in Upper Secondary Education Who Have Received at least the Minimum Organized Teacher Training (% of total teachers)	
	2000	2017	2000	2017	2000	2017	2000	2017
	Developing ADB Member Economies							
Central and West Asia								
Afghanistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Armenia	97.1 (2002)	82.0	66.7 (2004)	...	...	...	...	...
Azerbaijan	79.1	88.4	99.9	98.0	...	97.6	...	...
Georgia	99.1	...	94.7	94.6 (2009)	76.8	94.6 (2009)	93.0	94.8 (2009)
Kazakhstan	...	100.0 (2014)	...	100.0 (2018)	...	...	...	...
Kyrgyz Republic	32.1	46.2 (2011)	52.0 (2003)	95.4	...	...	...	...
Pakistan	...	...	78.0 (2004)	82.5 (2015)	...	54.5	...	...
Tajikistan	91.3 (2001)	100.0 (2016)	81.6 (2001)	100.0	94.0 (2003)	...	94.3 (2003)	...
Turkmenistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Uzbekistan	100.0 (2006)	98.5	100.0 (2006)	98.9	...	99.0	...	93.4
East Asia								
China, People's Republic of	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hong Kong, China	...	...	87.5	96.9	...	...	...	...
Korea, Republic of	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mongolia	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0 (2016)	100.0	...	100.0	...
Taipei, China	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Asia								
Bangladesh	...	...	53.4 (2005)	50.4	36.8	67.2 (2016)	22.4	58.5 (2016)
Bhutan	93.8	100.0	94.8	100.0	93.5 (2005)	100.0	72.2 (2008)	100.0
India	...	...	...	69.8	...	76.6	...	...
Maldives	47.2	87.9	66.5	90.1	76.3	96.8	54.3 (2002)	...
Nepal	72.6 (2008)	88.7	15.4 (2001)	97.3	32.6	89.5	28.5 (2002)	88.0
Sri Lanka	...	...	...	85.5	...	84.5	...	79.8
Southeast Asia								
Brunei Darussalam	64.4 (2005)	59.1	84.5 (2005)	85.3	...	92.1	...	89.1
Cambodia	98.1 (2001)	100.0	95.9 (2001)	100.0	99.7 (2001)	100.0 (2016)	99.1 (2001)	...
Indonesia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lao People's Democratic Republic	83.1	90.1	76.7	97.0	98.5	94.7	95.6	98.4
Malaysia	...	91.0	97.9	98.9	...	...	...	...
Myanmar	50.3 (2006)	97.9	62.7	97.8 (2016)	62.1	93.6	97.1	91.9
Philippines	...	100.0 (2016)	...	100.0 (2016)	...	100.0 (2016)	...	100.0 (2016)
Singapore	...	...	99.2 (2007)	99.0 (2016)	...	...	...	...
Thailand	...	...	...	100.0	...	100.0 (2015)	...	100.0 (2015)
Viet Nam	50.5	98.8	80.0	99.7	86.3	99.0	...	...
The Pacific								
Cook Islands	60.9 (2005)	78.1 (2016)	79.2 (2007)	95.3 (2016)	...	...	...	...
Fiji	...	...	97.8 (2008)	90.1 (2016)	...	100.0 (2012)	94.8 (2008)	85.7 (2016)
Kiribati	...	...	93.9 (2005)	72.7 (2016)	83.6 (2005)	86.7 (2014)	43.1 (2005)	...
Marshall Islands	100.0 (2002)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Micronesia, Federated States of	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nauru	77.5 (2006)	100.0 (2016)	74.2 (2007)	100.0 (2016)	...	100.0 (2016)	...	100.0 (2016)
Niue	...	100.0 (2016)	...	92.3 (2016)	...	80.0 (2016)	...	100.0 (2015)
Palau	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Papua New Guinea	...	...	...	...	...	100.0 (2012)	...	100.0 (2012)
Samoa	...	100.0	...	...	...	...	...	79.5 (2016)
Solomon Islands	...	59.5 (2014)	...	74.1	...	86.6	...	63.0 (2015)
Timor-Leste	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tonga	...	100.0 (2012)	...	92.5 (2015)	...	...	...	...
Tuvalu	...	87.9 (2016)	...	76.6 (2016)	...	52.4 (2016)	...	34.6 (2016)
Vanuatu	100.0 (2007)	46.0 (2015)	100.0 (2007)	21.5 (2015)
Developed ADB Member Economies								
Australia
Japan
New Zealand

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