

Table 6.1 : STUDENT ENROLMENT IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, 1979 - 2015

Year	Republic			Malé			Atolls					
	Total	Government schools	Community schools	Private schools	Total	Government schools	Community schools	Private schools	Total	Government schools	Community schools	Private schools
1979	33,064	7,047	NA	26,017	7,830	3,402	NA	4,428	25,234	3,645	NA	21,589
1980	47641 ^{1/}	8,225	NA	39,416	9,939	3,812	NA	6,127	37,702	4,413	NA	33,289
1981	37,015	9,035	NA	27,980	7,489	4,228	NA	3,261	29,526	4,807	NA	24,719
1982	38,086	11,697	NA	26,389	8,972	4,978	NA	3,994	29,114	6,719	NA	22,395
1983	42,598	13,808	NA	28,790	11,233	5,892	NA	5,341	31,365	7,916	NA	23,449
1984	44,425	15,674	NA	28,751	12,649	5,848	NA	6,801	31,776	9,826	NA	21,950
1985	46,248	15,705	3,692	26,851	13,747	5,720	3,692	4,335	32,501	9,985	NA	22,516
1986	50,055	17,721	4,488	27,846	15,471	6,547	4,488	4,436	34,584	11,174	NA	23,410
1987	51,369	19,442	4,729	27,198	17,047	7,618	4,729	4,700	34,322	11,824	NA	22,498
1988	56,305	22,505	26,720	7,080	19,007	9,492	5,285	4,230	37,298	13,013	21,435	2,850
1989	59,969	23,375	29,443	7,151	19,739	9,670	5,570	4,499	40,230	13,705	23,873	2,652
1990	62,573	25,608	29,739	7,226	20,765	10,815	5,389	4,561	41,808	14,793	24,350	2,665
1991	68,095	27,843	32,680	7,572	22,068	11,945	5,507	4,616	46,027	15,898	27,173	2,956
1992	73,642	32,475	33,779	7,388	22,802	12,568	6,014	4,220	50,840	19,907	27,765	3,168
1993	78,639	35,138	35,486	8,015	23,177	12,962	5,838	4,377	55,462	22,176	29,648	3,638
1994	83,855	36,693	38,662	8,500	23,500	13,226	5,810	4,464	60,355	23,467	32,852	4,036
1995	87,878	39,032	39,565	9,281	24,570	13,255	6,368	4,947	63,308	25,777	33,197	4,334
1996	90,597	40,935	40,153	9,509	25,641	13,567	7,418	4,656	64,956	27,368	32,735	4,853
1997	93,375	43,757	41,295	8,323	26,190	14,124	7,875	4,191	67,185	29,633	33,420	4,132
1998	97,323	46,352	42,159	8,812	27,057	14,588	8,348	4,121	70,266	31,764	33,811	4,691
1999	101,081	49,721	42,524	8,836	27,714	15,167	8,382	4,165	73,367	34,554	34,142	4,671
2000	105,356	53,413	42,352	9,591	28,547	15,820	8,326	4,401	76,809	37,593	34,026	5,190
2001	106,391	56,224	40,448	9,719	28,306	16,456	7,749	4,101	78,085	39,768	32,699	5,618
2002	106,220	56,579	40,877	8,764	28,243	16,845	8,030	3,368	77,977	39,734	32,847	5,396
2003	104,408	58,682	37,540	8,186	28,950	17,838	7,737	3,375	75,458	40,844	29,803	4,811
2004	104,214	57,139	38,042	9,033	29,307	18,278	7,559	3,470	74,907	38,861	30,483	5,563
2005	102,073	83,563	9,845	8,665	30,036	19,564	7,107	3,365	72,037	63,999	2,738	5,300
2006	100,241	82,177	9,691	8,373	29,345	19,760	6,532	3,053	70,896	62,417	3,159	5,320
2007	97,131	79,439	7,340	10,352	29,777	20,164	2,343	7,270	67,354	59,275	4,997	3,082
2008	93,433	75,377	7,528	10,528	27,007	18,626	2,025	6,356	66,426	56,751	5,503	4,172
2009	89,841	71,729	10,006	8,106	25,876	17,917	5,800	2,159	63,965	53,812	4,206	5,947
2010	87,600	68,004	10,909	8,687	25,565	16,285	6,383	2,897	62,035	51,719	4,526	5,790
2011	86,712	64,377	11,826	10,509	24,992	15,626	6,389	2,977	61,720	48,751	5,437	7,532
2012	86,510	62,151	11,957	12,402	26,583	15,770	4,538	6,275	59,927	46,381	7,419	6,127
2013	86,096	59,560	13,302	13,234	27,204	15,558	6,074	5,572	58,892	44,002	7,228	7,662
2014	87,083	59,914	14,149	13,020	28,507	16,831	6,884	4,792	58,576	43,083	7,265	8,228
2015	88,341	60,841	14,191	13,309	30,361	18,405	7,015	4,941	57,980	42,436	7,176	8,368

1_/ Includes participants of classes organized outside the formal schooling system, who were omitted in other years

2_/ Excludes 234 students enrolled in special classes, for children with special needs

Note: Data have been taken from the past publications of the Statistical Yearbook of Maldives

Note: Numbers for "private schools" from 1979 to 1987 includes "community schools"

Source: Ministry of Education.