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## Preface

Fact-based policies are of crucial importance at the national and international levels. Therefore, the Federal Ministry for Education, the Arts and Culture publishes statistical key data on the educational system with the aim to provide a compact, readable and solid foundation for fact-based policy.

In the future, the “Statistical Guide” series so far published jointly with the Science Department will be continued and further developed by the Ministry for Education under the title “Statistical Guide 2007 – key facts and figures about schools and adult education in Austria”. The well known tables presenting data on schools, classes, pupils and students, teachers and the proportions of school types are kept in a similar style for the purpose of comparison. Context tables are added on demographic development, educational attainment of the resident population, on participation in foreign language classes, on the distribution of class sizes in the various types of school as well as on participation in different opportunities of adult education. A new graphic representation of the Austrian educational system together with thematic figures and diagrams are to provide a quick glance on selected topics.

In order to provide a fast statistical overview on education in Austria to an international audience this booklet is published for the first time in a bilingual version (German and English).

I wish all who take an interest in educational issues enjoyable reading!



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Claudia Schmied".

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**Table 1:**  
**Key data on education and population statistics, 2000/01, 2005/06 und 2006/07**

	2006/07		2005/06		2000/01	
	Total	of which females %	Total	of which females %	Total	of which females %
Children in kindergartens <sup>1</sup>	201,277	48.8	199,778	48.9	208,930	49.1
Children in 1 <sup>st</sup> classes of primary schools <sup>2</sup>	83,923	48.0	84,802	48.2	97,040	48.4
Students in grade 9 <sup>2</sup>	101,566	50.4	102,772	50.5	94,134	51.2
of which in secondary schools <sup>2, 2a</sup>	58,558	54.0	58,403	54.1	52,930	54.1
Students in graduation (Matura) classes of secondary schools <sup>2,3</sup>	43,399	57.1	42,246	56.0	39,302	56.7
of which in VET courses	1,877	74.3	1,628	72.7	1,482	69.9
New entrants in higher education institutions <sup>4</sup>	44,803	53.2	43,682	53.3	34,481	53.5
Students in higher education institutions <sup>5</sup>	241,714	52.5	232,788	52.3	239,691	50.2
Graduates from higher education institutions <sup>6</sup>	23,957	52.7	22,643	52.8	17,051	49.4
Live births <sup>7</sup>	77,914	49.0	78,190	49.0	78,268	48.7
Resident population <sup>7</sup>	8,281,948	51.4	8,233,306	51.4	8,011,566	51.6
Resident population with completed secondary education <sup>7,8</sup>	4,965,300	47.1	4,857,000	47.6	4,566,800	46.8
Proportion <i>in</i> % of age cohort						
Children in kindergartens <sup>1</sup>	83.5	84.0	82.7	83.0	77.6	n.a.
Graduates from (upper) secondary schools <sup>9</sup>	42.1	48.6	41.6	47.0	38.3	43.9
Resident population with completed secondary education <sup>7,10</sup>	81.8	76.3	80.6	75.4	77.4	71.1
Proportion of higher education graduates <sup>7,8,11</sup>	11.8	10.7	10.2	9.2	8.1	7.2

1 Children aged 3 to 5 years (age as at September 1) in public and private nurseries, kindergartens, day-homes and mixed-age child care institutions.

2 Number of students 2005/06: preliminary figures.

2a Secondary schools with Matura school leaving certificate (higher education entrance qualification)

3 Students in graduation classes of secondary schools with Matura school leaving certificate (higher education entrance qualification), school year; including VET courses.

4 New entrants in university degree programmes, Fachhochschule degree programmes and at private universities.

5 Total of all students in degree programmes; winter terms.

6 First degrees of students (diploma, bachelor), respective academic year.

7 Calendar years 2006, 2005 and 2000.

8 Microcensus annual average.

9 As 3, without VET courses, in relation to the average of the corresponding age group (arithmetic mean of the 18 to 19 year old resident population).

10 Proportion of persons aged 25 to 64 years with at least completed secondary education in relation to the resident population of the same age group.

11 Proportion of persons aged 25 to 64 years with higher education degree (university and Fachhochschule degree programmes) in relation to the labour force of the same age group.

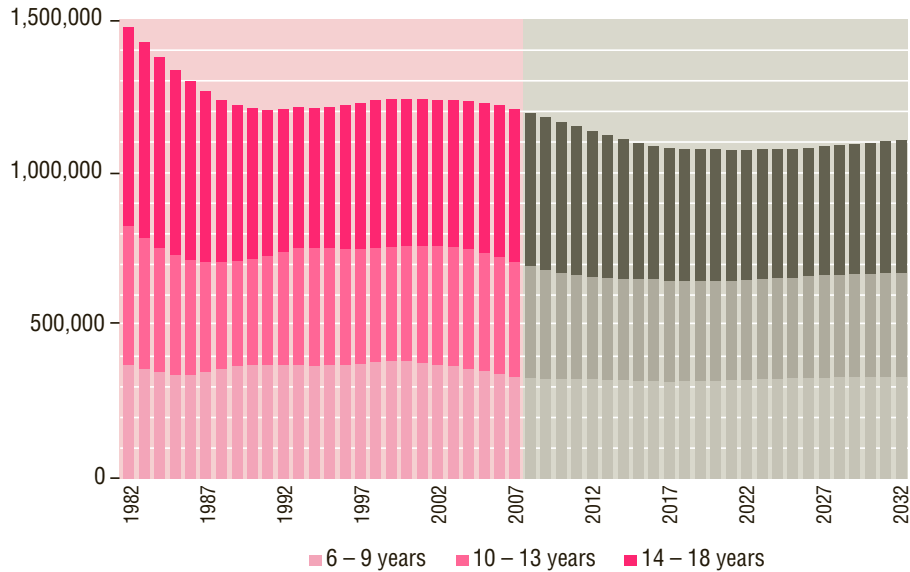
Source: Statistics Austria

**Table 2:**  
**Demographic development, population aged 6 to 18 years, 1982 – 2032<sup>1</sup>**

	6 – 9 years	10 – 13 years	14 – 18 years
1982	373,207	453,402	649,506
1987	348,218	360,670	556,527
1992	371,560	370,889	466,335
1997	377,505	374,057	475,065
2002	373,016	386,380	476,593
<b>2007</b>	<b>333,649</b>	<b>374,557</b>	<b>498,326</b>
2012	327,005	334,563	474,117
2017	317,864	331,046	430,765
2022	324,972	324,471	423,987
2027	332,140	332,891	419,550
2032	333,860	339,493	431,017

<sup>1</sup> Resident population, annual average; from 2007: forecast

Source: Statistics Austria





**Table 3:**  
**Educational attainment of the population:**  
**25 to 64 year old resident population by highest level of education attained, 2006**

	Total		Compulsory school		Apprenticeship		Intermediate VET school (without vocational school for apprentices)		Upper secondary school with „Matura“ <sup>1</sup> exam		University, university college and other HE institutions	
	Numbers	Proportion %	Numbers	Proportion %	Numbers	Proportion %	Numbers	Proportion %	Numbers	Proportion %	Numbers	Proportion %
<b>All</b>												
25 to 34 years	1,083,693	100.0	130,796	12.1	423,222	39.1	127,257	11.7	234,060	21.6	168,358	15.5
35 to 44 years	1,390,726	100.0	212,297	15.3	572,261	41.1	196,366	14.1	215,137	15.5	194,665	14.0
45 to 54 years	1,142,314	100.0	235,170	20.6	468,361	41.0	170,746	14.9	125,091	11.0	142,946	12.5
55 to 64 years	930,624	100.0	247,197	26.6	377,132	40.5	141,027	15.2	81,328	8.7	83,940	9.0
Total	4,547,357	100.0	825,460	18.2	1,840,976	40.5	635,396	14.0	655,616	14.4	589,909	13.0
<b>Females</b>												
25 to 34 years	541,516	100.0	77,151	14.2	157,758	29.1	86,126	15.9	127,128	23.5	93,353	17.2
35 to 44 years	688,490	100.0	137,939	20.0	213,354	31.0	133,840	19.4	108,043	15.7	95,314	13.8
45 to 54 years	572,976	100.0	157,242	27.4	167,171	29.2	116,591	20.3	57,759	10.1	74,213	13.0
55 to 64 years	478,511	100.0	167,245	35.0	143,710	30.0	98,605	20.6	36,483	7.6	32,468	6.8
Total	2,281,493	100.0	539,577	23.7	681,993	29.9	435,162	19.1	329,413	14.4	295,348	12.9
<b>Males</b>												
25 to 34 years	542,177	100.0	53,645	9.9	265,464	49.0	41,131	7.6	106,932	19.7	75,005	13.8
35 to 44 years	702,236	100.0	74,358	10.6	358,907	51.1	62,526	8.9	107,094	15.3	99,351	14.1
45 to 54 years	569,338	100.0	77,928	13.7	301,190	52.9	54,155	9.5	67,332	11.8	68,733	12.1
55 to 64 years	452,113	100.0	79,952	17.7	233,422	51.6	42,422	9.4	44,845	9.9	51,472	11.4
Total	2,265,864	100.0	285,883	12.6	1,158,983	51.1	200,234	8.8	326,203	14.4	294,561	13.0

1 Higher education (HE) entrance qualification

Source: Statistics Austria – Microcensus

**Table 4:**  
**Schools, classes and students by type of school and federal province, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school <sup>2</sup>	Austria total				Burgenland			
	Schools	Classes	Students		Schools	Classes	Students	
			all	of which female			all	of which female
<b>All mainstream schools</b>	<b>5,877</b>	<b>53,415</b>	<b>1,187,937</b>	<b>571,775</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>1,734</b>	<b>36,279</b>	<b>17,644</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>5,160</b>	<b>39,460</b>	<b>843,161</b>	<b>412,905</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>1,264</b>	<b>25,205</b>	<b>12,319</b>
<b>Compulsory schools, total</b>	<b>4,830</b>	<b>31,383</b>	<b>639,433</b>	<b>302,777</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>1,018</b>	<b>19,307</b>	<b>9,187</b>
Primary schools	3,248	17,467	347,254	167,999	193	576	10,465	5,067
Lower secondary schools	1,165	11,240	257,642	122,219	43	381	8,066	3,893
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	330	1,734	13,158	4,748	11	35	229	87
Pre-vocational schools	268	942	21,379	7,811	12	26	547	140
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>8,077</b>	<b>203,728</b>	<b>110,128</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>5,898</b>	<b>3,132</b>
Academic secondary schools, full 8 / 9 year cycle	268	6,888	175,666	93,100	8	190	4,591	2,413
Academic secondary schools, lower level	268	4,262	116,674	60,547	8	130	3,418	1,793
Academic secondary schools, upper level	260	2,626	58,992	32,553	7	60	1,173	620
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	93	1,017	23,813	14,608	7	56	1,307	719
Academic secondary schools for people in employment	8	142	3,626	2,067	-	-	-	-
Add-on secondary schools	4	30	623	353	-	-	-	-
<b>Technical and vocational schools, post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>13,520</b>	<b>320,727</b>	<b>140,149</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>10,543</b>	<b>4,829</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>5,854</b>	<b>133,625</b>	<b>45,456</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>2,434</b>	<b>558</b>
<b>Intermediate technical and vocational schools, total</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>2,223</b>	<b>52,468</b>	<b>26,343</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>1,996</b>	<b>1,146</b>
Crafts, technical and arts schools	134	743	16,661	3,310	6	20	475	143
Schools of business administration	111	520	12,167	7,056	8	29	684	406
Schools of management and the service industries	90	403	9,441	8,195	6	24	531	448
Schools for social professions	14	56	1,489	1,384	-	-	-	-
Schools for agriculture and forestry	100	501	12,710	6,398	3	17	306	149
<b>Higher technical and vocational colleges, total</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>5,442</b>	<b>134,609</b>	<b>68,333</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>6,113</b>	<b>3,125</b>
Crafts, technical and arts colleges	109	2,431	59,432	14,770	5	104	2,596	642
Colleges of business administration	110	1,800	43,731	26,598	7	95	2,296	1,323
Colleges of management and the service industries	86	1,087	27,852	25,427	4	48	1,221	1,160
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	12	124	3,594	1,538	-	-	-	-
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>24,049</b>	<b>18,721</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>496</b>
Intermediate schools for teacher training	4	88	3,396	891	-	-	-	-
Higher colleges for teacher training	34	347	9,118	8,695	1	15	385	372
Post-secondary colleges for teacher training	28	-	11,535	9,135	1	-	146	124

1 Healthcare schools and schools with a statute of their own are not included.

2 Schools offering several types of schooling are counted only once in sum rows.

Source: Statistics Austria - Education documentation

Table 4: (continued)

Schools, classes and students by type of school and federal province, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>

Type of school <sup>2</sup>	Carinthia				Lower Austria			
	Schools	Classes	Students		Schools	Classes	Students	
			all	of which female			all	of which female
<b>All mainstream schools</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>3,888</b>	<b>81,753</b>	<b>39,700</b>	<b>1,212</b>	<b>9,912</b>	<b>216,407</b>	<b>103,266</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>2,809</b>	<b>56,386</b>	<b>27,820</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>7,506</b>	<b>156,648</b>	<b>76,573</b>
<b>Compulsory schools, total</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,276</b>	<b>42,627</b>	<b>20,388</b>	<b>1,030</b>	<b>6,197</b>	<b>123,596</b>	<b>58,535</b>
Primary schools	284	1,345	23,122	11,328	640	3,309	66,613	32,303
Lower secondary schools	73	779	17,770	8,448	264	2,235	49,422	23,571
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	24	109	817	282	118	474	3,566	1,277
Pre-vocational schools	9	43	918	330	67	179	3,995	1,384
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>13,759</b>	<b>7,432</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>1,309</b>	<b>33,052</b>	<b>18,038</b>
Academic secondary schools, full 8 / 9 year cycle	15	441	11,715	6,222	43	1,161	29,638	15,964
Academic secondary schools, lower level	15	284	8,016	4,132	43	747	20,591	10,805
Academic secondary schools, upper level	15	157	3,699	2,090	40	414	9,047	5,159
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	7	75	1,676	986	10	120	2,844	1,761
Academic secondary schools for people in employment	2	17	368	224	1	3	54	2
Add-on secondary schools	-	-	-	-	3	25	516	311
<b>Technical and vocational schools, post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1,063</b>	<b>24,448</b>	<b>11,061</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>2,336</b>	<b>57,173</b>	<b>24,303</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>9,006</b>	<b>3,217</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>19,845</b>	<b>5,699</b>
<b>Intermediate technical and vocational schools, total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>3,826</b>	<b>1,687</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>11,745</b>	<b>5,868</b>
Crafts, technical and arts schools	11	52	1,111	130	23	152	3,361	463
Schools of business administration	6	26	540	255	22	105	2,645	1,565
Schools of management and the service industries	8	28	661	527	20	86	2,046	1,718
Schools for social professions	2	6	164	153	6	27	744	695
Schools for agriculture and forestry	10	51	1,350	622	21	121	2,949	1,427
<b>Higher technical and vocational colleges, total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>11,616</b>	<b>6,157</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>1,009</b>	<b>25,583</b>	<b>12,736</b>
Crafts, technical and arts colleges	8	178	4,504	1,049	21	427	10,526	2,270
Colleges of business administration	9	152	3,736	2,074	22	323	8,054	5,019
Colleges of management and the service industries	8	116	2,983	2,692	17	226	5,980	5,172
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	1	14	393	342	3	33	1,023	275
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>2,586</b>	<b>2,390</b>
Intermediate schools for teacher training	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Higher colleges for teacher training	1	16	457	438	6	70	1,698	1,579
Post-secondary colleges for teacher training	2	-	462	381	2	-	888	811

1 Healthcare schools and schools with a statute of their own are not included.

2 Schools offering several types of schooling are counted only once in sum rows.

Source: Statistics Austria - Education documentation

Table 4: (continued)

 Schools, classes and students by type of school and federal province, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>

Type of school <sup>2</sup>	Upper Austria				Salzburg			
	Schools	Classes	Students		Schools	Classes	Students	
			all	of which female			all	of which female
<b>All mainstream schools</b>	<b>1,046</b>	<b>9,843</b>	<b>220,429</b>	<b>105,174</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>3,737</b>	<b>83,058</b>	<b>40,211</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>7,172</b>	<b>153,281</b>	<b>74,655</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>2,657</b>	<b>57,731</b>	<b>28,197</b>
<b>Compulsory schools, total</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>6,008</b>	<b>123,697</b>	<b>58,254</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>2,148</b>	<b>44,664</b>	<b>21,248</b>
Primary schools	583	3,278	64,272	30,628	188	1,171	23,757	11,476
Lower secondary schools	243	2,314	53,158	25,294	75	781	18,397	8,844
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	37	212	1,491	528	24	134	959	331
Pre-vocational schools	58	204	4,776	1,804	19	62	1,551	597
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>1,164</b>	<b>29,584</b>	<b>16,401</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>13,067</b>	<b>6,949</b>
Academic secondary schools, full 8 / 9 year cycle	39	996	25,639	13,837	19	416	10,825	5,595
Academic secondary schools, lower level	39	622	17,219	9,058	19	244	6,989	3,548
Academic secondary schools, upper level	38	374	8,420	4,779	18	172	3,836	2,047
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	10	149	3,511	2,296	8	72	1,691	1,043
Academic secondary schools for people in employment	1	19	434	268	1	21	551	311
Add-on secondary schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Technical and vocational schools, post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>2,588</b>	<b>62,343</b>	<b>26,919</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1,061</b>	<b>24,001</b>	<b>10,810</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1,184</b>	<b>27,666</b>	<b>9,146</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>10,394</b>	<b>3,729</b>
<b>Intermediate technical and vocational schools, total</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>9,524</b>	<b>4,550</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>4,050</b>	<b>2,041</b>
Crafts, technical and arts schools	29	146	3,422	518	10	69	1,307	320
Schools of business administration	17	68	1,439	805	8	30	677	353
Schools of management and the service industries	16	77	1,836	1,726	9	47	1,065	904
Schools for social professions	1	5	98	86	1	3	80	75
Schools for agriculture and forestry	19	108	2,729	1,415	7	33	921	389
<b>Higher technical and vocational colleges, total</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>999</b>	<b>25,128</b>	<b>13,206</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>9,557</b>	<b>5,040</b>
Crafts, technical and arts colleges	21	435	10,822	2,467	8	149	3,754	1,052
Colleges of business administration	18	312	7,656	4,759	9	138	3,183	1,770
Colleges of management and the service industries	16	232	6,038	5,659	9	96	2,319	2,140
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	2	20	612	321	1	10	301	78
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>17</b>	-	-	-	-
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>4,805</b>	<b>3,600</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1,326</b>	<b>1,204</b>
Intermediate schools for teacher training	1	26	779	219	-	-	-	-
Higher colleges for teacher training	6	57	1,585	1,529	2	19	507	494
Post-secondary colleges for teacher training	4	-	2,441	1,852	2	-	819	710

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Table 4: (continued)

Schools, classes and students by type of school and federal province, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>

Type of school <sup>2</sup>	Styria				Tyrol			
	Schools	Classes	Students		Schools	Classes	Students	
			all	of which female			all	of which female
<b>All mainstream schools</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>7,447</b>	<b>165,509</b>	<b>79,341</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>4,928</b>	<b>107,555</b>	<b>51,707</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>5,437</b>	<b>115,510</b>	<b>56,364</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>3,702</b>	<b>75,777</b>	<b>37,056</b>
<b>Compulsory schools, total</b>	<b>766</b>	<b>4,327</b>	<b>87,447</b>	<b>41,291</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>3,118</b>	<b>61,425</b>	<b>29,111</b>
Primary schools	537	2,521	47,565	23,169	397	1,671	31,121	14,985
Lower secondary schools	179	1,614	36,696	17,189	109	1,153	26,443	12,709
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	27	69	522	185	34	188	1,333	457
Pre-vocational schools	49	123	2,664	748	32	106	2,528	960
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>1,110</b>	<b>28,063</b>	<b>15,073</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>14,352</b>	<b>7,945</b>
Academic secondary schools, full 8 / 9 year cycle	36	901	23,037	12,124	17	444	11,267	5,973
Academic secondary schools, lower level	36	550	14,739	7,598	17	268	7,415	3,877
Academic secondary schools, upper level	36	351	8,298	4,526	17	176	3,852	2,096
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	16	188	4,568	2,687	10	106	2,362	1,595
Academic secondary schools for people in employment	1	21	458	262	1	29	616	335
Add-on secondary schools	-	-	-	-	1	5	107	42
<b>Technical and vocational schools, post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>1,936</b>	<b>45,622</b>	<b>19,621</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>29,459</b>	<b>13,142</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>20,730</b>	<b>7,116</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>14,056</b>	<b>4,955</b>
<b>Intermediate technical and vocational schools, total</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>6,338</b>	<b>3,511</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>5,471</b>	<b>2,965</b>
Crafts, technical and arts schools	14	63	1,267	197	15	83	1,838	704
Schools of business administration	19	68	1,412	846	11	52	1,283	707
Schools of management and the service industries	11	44	868	726	7	33	880	870
Schools for social professions	2	6	156	151	-	-	-	-
Schools for agriculture and forestry	33	104	2,635	1,591	6	55	1,470	684
<b>Higher technical and vocational colleges, total</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>18,554</b>	<b>8,994</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>9,932</b>	<b>5,222</b>
Crafts, technical and arts colleges	10	334	8,118	1,636	14	175	4,529	1,396
Colleges of business administration	16	250	5,990	3,763	10	148	3,435	1,949
Colleges of management and the service industries	14	144	3,573	3,352	6	64	1,731	1,686
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	3	29	873	243	1	8	237	191
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>4,377</b>	<b>3,356</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>2,319</b>	<b>1,509</b>
<b>Intermediate schools for teacher training</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>151</b>
<b>Higher colleges for teacher training</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>1,451</b>	<b>1,379</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>618</b>
<b>Post-secondary colleges for teacher training</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,379</b>	<b>1,877</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,007</b>	<b>740</b>

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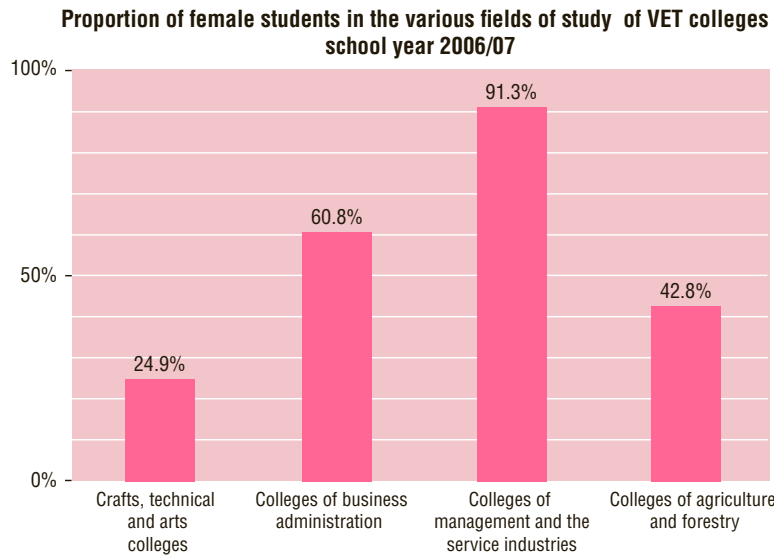
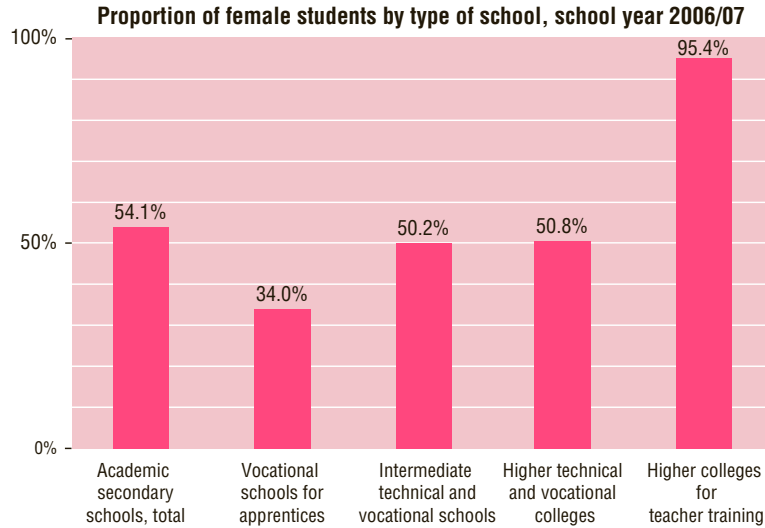
Type of school <sup>2</sup>	Vorarlberg				Vienna			
	Schools	Classes	Students		Schools	Classes	Students	
			all	of which female			all	of which female
<b>All mainstream schools</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>2,772</b>	<b>58,582</b>	<b>28,341</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>9,154</b>	<b>218,365</b>	<b>106,391</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>2,119</b>	<b>43,089</b>	<b>21,030</b>	<b>516</b>	<b>6,794</b>	<b>159,534</b>	<b>78,891</b>
<b>Compulsory schools, total</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>1,812</b>	<b>35,101</b>	<b>16,696</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>4,479</b>	<b>101,569</b>	<b>48,067</b>
Primary schools	165	959	17,903	8,703	261	2,637	62,436	30,340
Lower secondary schools	57	641	14,832	7,128	122	1,342	32,858	15,143
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	18	148	1,090	394	37	365	3,151	1,207
Pre-vocational schools	11	64	1,276	471	11	135	3,124	1,377
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>7,988</b>	<b>4,334</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>2,315</b>	<b>57,965</b>	<b>30,824</b>
Academic secondary schools, full 8 / 9 year cycle	10	237	6,335	3,262	81	2,102	52,619	27,710
Academic secondary schools, lower level	10	147	4,345	2,220	81	1,270	33,942	17,516
Academic secondary schools, upper level	10	90	1,990	1,042	79	832	18,677	10,194
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	6	70	1,653	1,072	19	181	4,201	2,449
Academic secondary schools for people in employment	-	-	-	-	1	32	1,145	665
Add-on secondary schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Technical and vocational schools, post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>14,856</b>	<b>6,721</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>2,258</b>	<b>52,282</b>	<b>22,743</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>7,030</b>	<b>2,447</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1,008</b>	<b>22,464</b>	<b>8,589</b>
<b>Intermediate technical and vocational schools, total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>2,377</b>	<b>1,252</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>7,141</b>	<b>3,323</b>
Crafts, technical and arts schools	6	40	934	278	20	118	2,946	557
Schools of business administration	5	28	658	420	15	114	2,829	1,699
Schools of management and the service industries	5	19	435	433	8	45	1,119	843
Schools for social professions	-	-	-	-	2	9	247	224
Schools for agriculture and forestry	1	12	350	121	-	-	-	-
<b>Higher technical and vocational colleges, total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>5,449</b>	<b>3,022</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>22,677</b>	<b>10,831</b>
Crafts, technical and arts colleges	5	89	2,131	591	17	540	12,452	3,667
Colleges of business administration	5	88	2,219	1,333	14	294	7,162	4,608
Colleges of management and the service industries	4	41	1,099	1,098	8	120	2,908	2,468
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	-	-	-	-	1	10	155	88
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>6,549</b>	<b>4,757</b>
Intermediate schools for teacher training	-	-	-	-	1	28	1,402	421
Higher colleges for teacher training	1	12	308	306	6	74	2,083	1,980
Post-secondary colleges for teacher training	1	-	329	284	8	-	3,064	2,356

1 Healthcare schools and schools with a statute of their own are not included.

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Charts table 4:



**Table 5:**  
**Students with other than Austrian citizenship by type of school and federal province, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school	Austria, total	Burgenland	Carinthia	Lower Austria	Upper Austria	Salzburg	Styria	Tyrol	Vorarlberg	Vienna
<b>All mainstream schools</b>	<b>108,329</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>5,530</b>	<b>13,986</b>	<b>17,424</b>	<b>9,408</b>	<b>9,560</b>	<b>8,644</b>	<b>6,331</b>	<b>35,347</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>88,120</b>	<b>1,561</b>	<b>4,346</b>	<b>11,303</b>	<b>14,455</b>	<b>7,315</b>	<b>7,891</b>	<b>6,434</b>	<b>5,117</b>	<b>29,698</b>
<b>Compulsory schools, total</b>	<b>76,250</b>	<b>1,274</b>	<b>3,760</b>	<b>10,187</b>	<b>13,324</b>	<b>6,282</b>	<b>6,644</b>	<b>5,741</b>	<b>4,663</b>	<b>24,375</b>
Primary schools	39,693	647	2,066	5,206	6,460	3,193	3,827	2,990	2,200	13,104
Lower secondary schools	31,168	580	1,516	4,051	5,975	2,673	2,555	2,332	2,072	9,414
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	2,398	11	83	522	216	185	46	205	269	861
Pre-vocational schools	2,991	36	95	408	673	231	216	214	122	996
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>11,870</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>586</b>	<b>1,116</b>	<b>1,131</b>	<b>1,033</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>5,323</b>
Academic secondary schools, full 8 / 9 year cycle	10,007	237	512	1,038	938	807	996	537	332	4,610
Academic secondary schools, lower level	6,708	147	327	680	682	565	640	352	208	3,107
Academic secondary schools, upper level	3,299	90	185	358	256	242	356	185	124	1,503
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	1,410	50	63	68	152	86	206	76	122	587
Academic secondary schools for people in employment	437	-	11	-	41	140	45	74	-	126
Add-on secondary schools	16	-	-	10	-	-	-	6	-	-
<b>Technical and vocational schools, post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>19,995</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>2,659</b>	<b>2,953</b>	<b>2,091</b>	<b>1,639</b>	<b>2,176</b>	<b>1,195</b>	<b>5,569</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>8,624</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>896</b>	<b>1,235</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>1,380</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>2,429</b>
<b>Intermediate technical and vocational schools, total</b>	<b>4,382</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>1,110</b>
Crafts, technical and arts schools	1,430	19	66	238	222	126	107	102	112	438
Schools of business administration	2,211	81	100	418	365	181	224	135	128	579
Schools of management and the service industries	559	24	45	89	88	89	78	41	24	81
Schools for social professions	47	-	8	15	3	6	3	-	-	12
Schools for agriculture and forestry	135	5	10	26	28	9	39	13	5	-
<b>Higher technical and vocational colleges, total</b>	<b>6,987</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>664</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>2,030</b>
Crafts, technical and arts colleges	2,505	60	125	334	279	241	252	280	105	829
Colleges of business administration	3,861	224	324	552	614	352	317	200	199	1,079
Colleges of management and the service industries	611	15	111	88	116	70	42	25	23	121
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	10	-	1	3	1	1	3	-	-	1
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>214</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>80</b>
Intermediate schools for teacher training	61	-	-	-	2	-	18	24	-	17
Higher colleges for teacher training	153	4	5	24	14	2	12	10	19	63

1 Healthcare schools and schools with a statute of their own are not included.

2 Without post-secondary colleges for teacher training.

Source: Statistics Austria - Education documentation



**Table 6:**  
**Students with non-German mother tongue by type of school and federal province, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school	Austria, total	Burgenland	Carinthia	Lower Austria	Upper Austria	Salzburg	Styria	Tyrol	Vorarlberg	Vienna
<b>All mainstream schools</b>	<b>182,285</b>	<b>3,745</b>	<b>6,646</b>	<b>20,795</b>	<b>26,060</b>	<b>11,005</b>	<b>12,741</b>	<b>10,073</b>	<b>9,291</b>	<b>81,929</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>150,106</b>	<b>2,897</b>	<b>5,263</b>	<b>16,805</b>	<b>22,282</b>	<b>9,011</b>	<b>10,608</b>	<b>8,586</b>	<b>8,239</b>	<b>66,415</b>
<b>Compulsory schools, total</b>	<b>126,333</b>	<b>2,285</b>	<b>4,237</b>	<b>15,096</b>	<b>20,361</b>	<b>8,049</b>	<b>8,730</b>	<b>7,835</b>	<b>7,736</b>	<b>52,004</b>
Primary schools	70,433	1,226	2,423	8,040	10,804	4,347	5,320	4,324	3,977	29,972
Lower secondary schools	48,057	984	1,624	5,838	8,370	3,239	3,082	2,999	3,144	18,777
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	3,492	20	91	687	307	202	59	275	370	1,481
Pre-vocational schools	4,351	55	99	531	880	261	269	237	245	1,774
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>23,773</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>1,026</b>	<b>1,709</b>	<b>1,921</b>	<b>962</b>	<b>1,878</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>14,411</b>
Academic secondary schools, full 8 / 9 year cycle	20,866	509	927	1,603	1,699	818	1,528	576	404	12,802
Academic secondary schools, lower level	14,391	340	621	1,117	1,255	614	1,043	387	288	8,726
Academic secondary schools, upper level	6,475	169	306	486	444	204	485	189	116	4,076
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	2,295	103	77	89	144	99	286	97	99	1,301
Academic secondary schools for people in employment	595	-	22	-	78	45	64	78	-	308
Add-on secondary schools	17	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Technical and vocational schools, post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>31,911</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>1,369</b>	<b>3,964</b>	<b>3,765</b>	<b>1,992</b>	<b>2,100</b>	<b>1,479</b>	<b>1,051</b>	<b>15,366</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>10,593</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>827</b>	<b>1,059</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>6,370</b>
<b>Intermediate technical and vocational schools, total</b>	<b>8,078</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>1,330</b>	<b>1,115</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>3,165</b>
Crafts, technical and arts schools	2,426	29	55	426	204	106	146	60	194	1,206
Schools of business administration	4,499	144	150	750	700	272	345	280	173	1,685
Schools of management and the service industries	947	36	54	125	175	123	104	79	34	217
Schools for social professions	109	-	10	29	4	7	2	-	-	57
Schools for agriculture and forestry	97	10	12	-	32	-	43	-	-	-
<b>Higher technical and vocational colleges, total</b>	<b>13,240</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>838</b>	<b>1,807</b>	<b>1,591</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>945</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>5,831</b>
Crafts, technical and arts colleges	4,583	122	153	658	310	168	359	203	148	2,462
Colleges of business administration	7,604	297	514	1,003	1,068	522	523	383	236	3,058
Colleges of management and the service industries	1,049	33	170	144	213	67	62	39	10	311
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	4	-	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>268</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>148</b>
Intermediate schools for teacher training	31	-	-	-	2	-	18	-	-	11
Higher colleges for teacher training	237	23	14	26	11	2	15	8	1	137

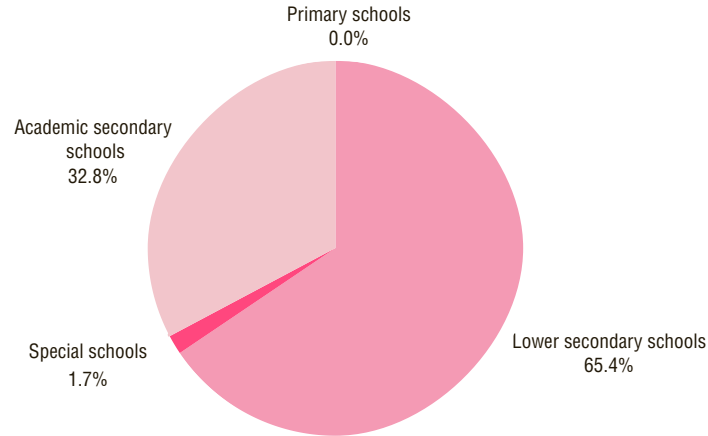
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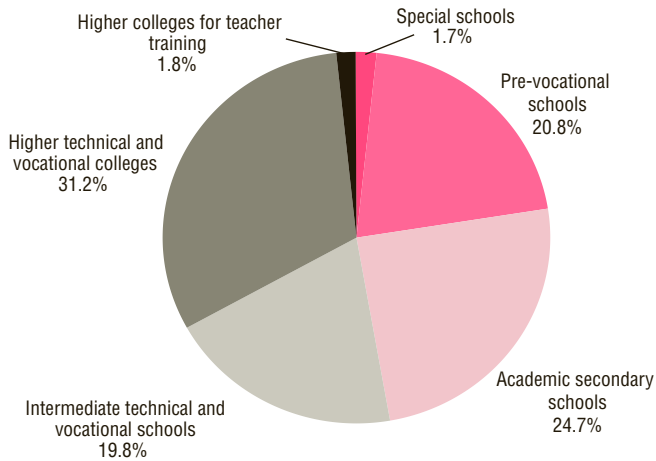
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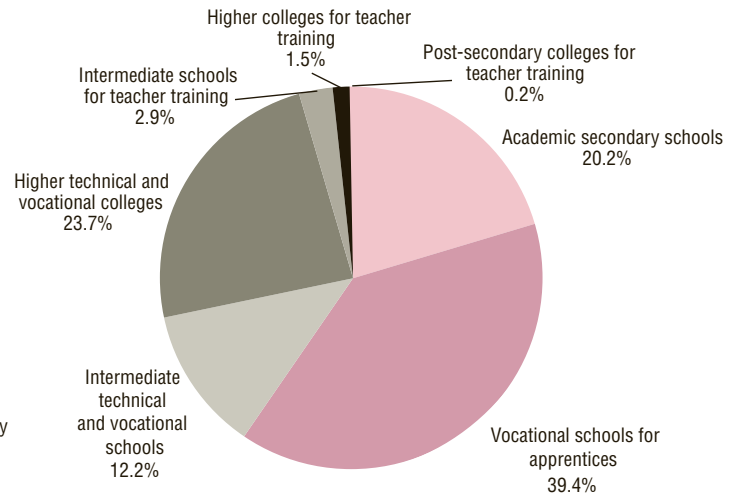
**Proportions of school types at grade 5  
school year 2006/07**



**Proportions of school types at grade 9  
school year 2006/07**



**Proportions of school types at grade 10  
school year 2006/07**



**Table 7:**  
**Proportions of school types, distribution of all pupils/students by type of school, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school	Students, total	Primary schools	Lower secondary schools	Special schools	Pre-vocational schools	Academic secondary schools	Vocational schools for apprentices	Intermediate technical and vocational schools	Higher technical and vocational colleges	Post-secondary technical and vocational colleges	Intermediate schools for teacher training	Higher colleges for teacher training	Post-secondary colle- ges for teacher training
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,187,937</b>	<b>347,254</b>	<b>257,642</b>	<b>13,158</b>	<b>21,379</b>	<b>203,728</b>	<b>133,625</b>	<b>52,468</b>	<b>134,609</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3,396</b>	<b>9,118</b>	<b>11,535</b>
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>29.2</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>1.0</b>
<b>Pre-primary level</b>	<b>6,326</b>	<b>6,270</b>	-	<b>56</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>99.1</b>	-	<b>0.9</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Grade 1 – 4</b>	<b>344,946</b>	<b>340,883</b>	-	<b>4,063</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>98.8</b>	-	<b>1.2</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 1	84,585	83,923	-	662	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	99.2	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 4	90,781	89,384	-	1,397	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	98.5	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Grade 5 – 8</b>	<b>382,626</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>257,642</b>	<b>7,295</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>116,947</b>	-	<b>424</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>67.3</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>30.6</b>	-	<b>0.1</b>	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 5	91,827	18	60,097	1,547	-	30,165	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	0.0	65.4	1.7	-	32.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 8	100,531	26	69,188	2,237	15	28,641	-	424	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	0.0	68.8	2.2	0.0	28.5	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
<b>From grade 9</b>	<b>454,039</b>	-	-	<b>1,744</b>	<b>21,162</b>	<b>86,781</b>	<b>133,625</b>	<b>52,044</b>	<b>134,609</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3,396</b>	<b>9,118</b>	<b>11,535</b>
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	-	-	<b>0.4</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>29.4</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>29.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.5</b>
Grade 9	101,566	-	-	1,744	21,162	25,058	-	20,102	31,667	-	-	1,833	-
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	1.7	20.8	24.7	-	19.8	31.2	-	-	1.8	-
Grade 10	111,066	-	-	-	-	22,412	43,710	13,596	26,307	-	3,220	1,618	203
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	-	-	20.2	39.4	12.2	23.7	-	2.9	1.5	0.2
Grade12	84,682	-	-	-	-	18,309	37,177	2573	24,930	-	-	1,523	170
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	-	-	21.6	43.9	3.0	29.4	-	-	1.8	0.2

<sup>1</sup> Healthcare schools and schools with a statute of their own are not included.

Source: Statistics Austria - Education documentation, BMUKK calculations

**Table 7a:**  
**Proportions of school types, distribution of male pupils/students by type of school, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school	Students, total	Primary schools	Lower secondary schools	Special schools	Pre-vocational schools	Academic secondary schools	Vocational schools for apprentices	Intermediate technical and vocational schools	Higher technical and vocational colleges	Post-secondary technical and vocational colleges	Intermediate schools for teacher training	Higher colleges for teacher training	Post-secondary colle- ges for teacher training
<b>Total</b>	<b>616,162</b>	<b>179,255</b>	<b>135,423</b>	<b>8,410</b>	<b>13,568</b>	<b>93,600</b>	<b>88,169</b>	<b>26,125</b>	<b>66,276</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2,505</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>2,400</b>
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.4</b>
<b>Pre-primary level</b>	<b>3,993</b>	<b>3,949</b>	-	<b>44</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>98.9</b>	-	<b>1.1</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Grade 1 – 4</b>	<b>177,881</b>	<b>175,256</b>	-	<b>2,625</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>98.5</b>	-	<b>1.5</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 1	44,077	43,656	-	421	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	99.0	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 4	46,461	45,537	-	924	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	98.0	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Grade 5 – 8</b>	<b>196,950</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>135,423</b>	<b>4,715</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>56,261</b>	-	<b>346</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>68.8</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>28.6</b>	-	<b>0.2</b>	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 5	47,219	5	31,613	991	-	14,610	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	0.0	66.9	2.1	-	30.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 8	51,677	17	36,305	1,436	9	13,564	-	346	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	0.0	70.3	2.8	0.0	26.2	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
<b>From grade 9</b>	<b>237,338</b>	-	-	<b>1,026</b>	<b>13,413</b>	<b>37,339</b>	<b>88,169</b>	<b>25,779</b>	<b>66,276</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2,505</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>2,400</b>
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	-	-	<b>0.4</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>37.1</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>1.0</b>
Grade 9	50,373	-	-	1,026	13,413	11,020	-	8,998	15,837	-	-	79	-
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	2.0	26.6	21.9	-	17.9	31.4	-	-	0.2	-
Grade 10	58,489	-	-	-	-	9,655	27,696	5,837	12,817	-	2,375	74	35
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	-	-	16.5	47.4	10.0	21.9	-	4.1	0.1	0.1
Grade 12	45,595	-	-	-	-	7,581	23,837	2,027	12,063	-	-	46	41
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	-	-	16.6	52.3	4.4	26.5	-	-	0.1	0.1

1 Healthcare schools and schools with a statute of their own are not included.

Source: Statistics Austria - Education documentation, BMUKK calculations

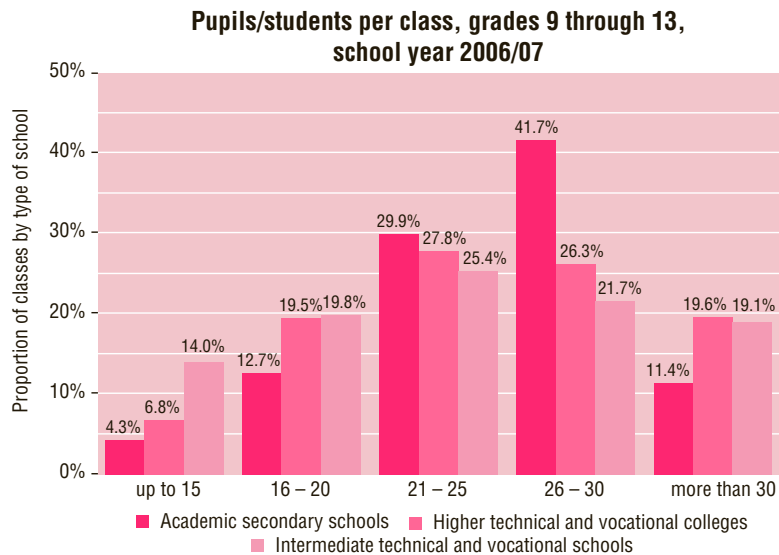
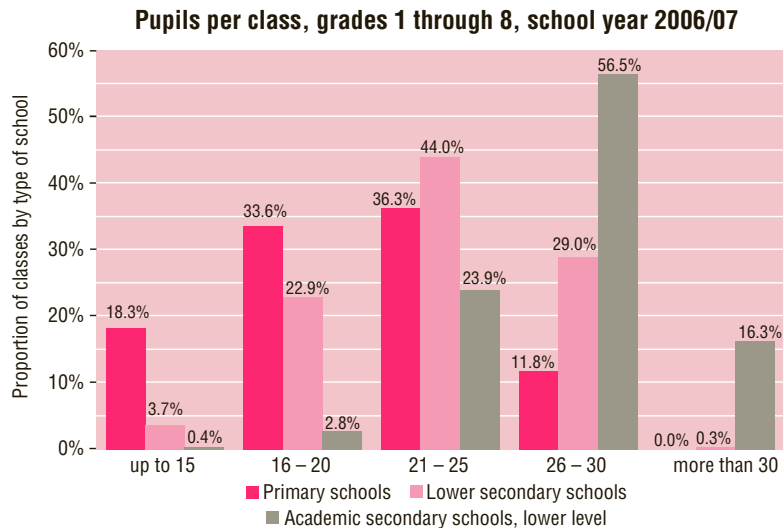
**Table 7b:**  
**Proportions of school types, distribution of female pupils/students by type of school, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school	Students, total	Primary schools	Lower secondary schools	Special schools	Pre-vocational schools	Academic secondary schools	Vocational schools for apprentices	Intermediate technical and vocational schools	Higher technical and vocational colleges	Post-secondary technical and vocational colleges	Intermediate schools for teacher training	Higher colleges for teacher training	Post-secondary colle- ges for teacher training
<b>Total</b>	<b>571,775</b>	<b>167,999</b>	<b>122,219</b>	<b>4,748</b>	<b>7,811</b>	<b>110,128</b>	<b>45,456</b>	<b>26,343</b>	<b>68,333</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>8,695</b>	<b>9,135</b>
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>29.4</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.6</b>
<b>Pre-primary level</b>	<b>2,333</b>	<b>2,321</b>	-	<b>12</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>99.5</b>	-	<b>0.5</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Grade 1 – 4</b>	<b>167,065</b>	<b>165,627</b>	-	<b>1,438</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>99.1</b>	-	<b>0.9</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 1	40,508	40,267	-	241	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	99.4	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 4	44,320	43,847	-	473	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	98.9	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Grade 5 – 8</b>	<b>185,676</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>122,219</b>	<b>2,580</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>60,686</b>	-	<b>78</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>65.8</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>32.7</b>	-	<b>0.0</b>	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 5	44,608	13	28,484	556	-	15,555	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	0.0	63.9	1.2	-	34.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grade 8	48,854	9	32,883	801	6	15,077	-	78	-	-	-	-	-
Proportion %	100.0	0.0	67.3	1.6	0.0	30.9	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
<b>From grade 9</b>	<b>216,701</b>	-	-	<b>718</b>	<b>7,749</b>	<b>49,442</b>	<b>45,456</b>	<b>26,265</b>	<b>68,333</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>8,695</b>	<b>9,135</b>
<b>Proportion %</b>	<b>100.0</b>	-	-	<b>0.3</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>31.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>
Grade 9	51,193	-	-	718	7,749	14,038	-	11,104	15,830	-	-	1,754	-
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	1.4	15.1	27.4	-	21.7	30.9	-	-	3.4	-
Grade 10	52,577	-	-	-	-	12,757	16,014	7,759	13,490	-	845	1,544	168
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	-	-	24.3	30.5	14.8	25.7	-	1.6	2.9	0.3
Grade 12	39,087	-	-	-	-	10,728	13,340	546	12,867	-	-	1,477	129
Proportion %	100.0	-	-	-	-	27.4	34.1	1.4	32.9	-	-	3.8	0.3

1 Healthcare schools and schools with a statute of their own are not included.

Source: Statistics Austria - Education documentation, BMUKK calculations

Charts table 8:



**Table 8:**  
**Class sizes, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school	Number of classes, total	Number of classes with . . . pupils/students						Average class size
		up to 10	11 – 15	16 – 20	21 – 25	26 – 30	more than 30	
<b>All mainstream schools<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>53,327</b>	<b>2,449</b>	<b>4,813</b>	<b>12,462</b>	<b>17,611</b>	<b>13,134</b>	<b>2,858</b>	<b>22.0</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>39,460</b>	<b>2,062</b>	<b>3,683</b>	<b>9,690</b>	<b>14,108</b>	<b>8,951</b>	<b>966</b>	<b>21.4</b>
<b>Compulsory schools, total</b>	<b>31,383</b>	<b>2,023</b>	<b>3,371</b>	<b>8,668</b>	<b>11,691</b>	<b>5,583</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>20.4</b>
Primary schools	17,467	458	2,741	5,873	6,333	2,059	3	19.9
Lower secondary schools	11,240	30	386	2,577	4,951	3,258	38	22.9
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	1,734	1,528	194	9	3	-	-	7.1
Pre-vocational schools	942	7	50	209	404	266	6	22.7
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>8,077</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>1,022</b>	<b>2,417</b>	<b>3,368</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>25.2</b>
Academic secondary schools, full 8 / 9 year cycle	6,888	23	212	784	2,034	3,043	792	25.5
Academic secondary schools, lower level	4,262	-	19	120	1,020	2,409	694	27.4
Academic secondary schools, upper level	2,626	23	193	664	1,014	634	98	22.5
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	1,017	12	74	207	345	297	82	23.4
Academic secondary schools for people in employment	142	3	19	25	32	18	45	25.5
Add-on secondary schools	30	1	7	6	6	10	-	20.6
<b>Technical and vocational schools and post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>13,520</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>1,123</b>	<b>2,730</b>	<b>3,423</b>	<b>4,050</b>	<b>1,810</b>	<b>23.7</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>5,854</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>1,229</b>	<b>1,342</b>	<b>2,139</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>22.8</b>
<b>Intermediate technical and vocational schools, total</b>	<b>2,223</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>441</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>424</b>	<b>23.6</b>
Crafts, technical and arts schools	743	45	105	164	167	123	139	22.4
Schools of business administration	520	9	59	107	142	129	74	23.4
Schools of management and the service industries	403	15	39	82	104	98	65	23.4
Schools for social professions	56	-	1	7	16	20	12	26.6
Schools for agriculture and forestry	501	13	25	81	136	112	134	25.4
<b>Higher technical and vocational colleges, total</b>	<b>5,442</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>1,060</b>	<b>1,515</b>	<b>1,429</b>	<b>1,069</b>	<b>24.7</b>
Crafts, technical and arts colleges	2,431	48	178	491	630	579	505	24.4
Colleges of business administration	1,800	12	85	385	581	461	276	24.3
Colleges of management and the service industries	1,087	5	36	174	292	350	230	25.6
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	124	2	3	10	12	39	58	29.0
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>25.0</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>347</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>26.3</b>
<b>Higher colleges for teacher training</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>26.3</b>

1 Healthcare schools and schools with a statute of their own are not included.

2 Without post-secondary teacher training colleges and schools for physical education teachers and sports instructors training.

Source: Statistics Austria - Education documentation, BMUKK calculations

**Table 9:**  
**Teaching staff by school type and federal province, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school	Austria total		Burgenland		Carinthia		Lower Austria		Upper Austria	
	All	of which female	All	of which female	All	of which female	All	of which female	All	of which female
<b>All mainstream schools<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>121,756</b>	<b>83,832</b>	<b>3,940</b>	<b>2,492</b>	<b>8,626</b>	<b>5,955</b>	<b>21,451</b>	<b>15,147</b>	<b>22,482</b>	<b>15,446</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>91,664</b>	<b>68,939</b>	<b>2,740</b>	<b>1,894</b>	<b>6,378</b>	<b>4,842</b>	<b>16,369</b>	<b>12,698</b>	<b>16,918</b>	<b>12,758</b>
<b>General compulsory schools</b>	<b>71,803</b>	<b>56,880</b>	<b>2,138</b>	<b>1,548</b>	<b>5,068</b>	<b>4,072</b>	<b>13,439</b>	<b>10,958</b>	<b>14,093</b>	<b>11,138</b>
Primary schools	31,679	28,393	997	811	2,403	2,115	5,843	5,377	6,016	5,389
Lower secondary schools	31,700	22,008	1,006	659	2,209	1,613	6,080	4,373	6,875	4,857
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	6,241	5,366	78	60	341	280	1,107	988	762	655
Pre-vocational schools	2,183	1,113	57	18	115	64	409	220	440	237
<b>Academic secondary schools</b>	<b>19,861</b>	<b>12,059</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>1,310</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>2,930</b>	<b>1,740</b>	<b>2,825</b>	<b>1,620</b>
<b>Technical and vocational schools and post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>25,890</b>	<b>12,399</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>2,021</b>	<b>961</b>	<b>4,565</b>	<b>2,114</b>	<b>4,738</b>	<b>2,232</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>4,560</b>	<b>1,465</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>293</b>
<b>Technical and vocational schools and colleges, total</b>	<b>21,282</b>	<b>10,903</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>1,703</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>3,929</b>	<b>1,912</b>	<b>3,831</b>	<b>1,939</b>
Technical and crafts schools and colleges (in a narrower sense)	6,895	1,343	293	51	482	74	1,232	190	1,173	196
Schools and colleges of tourism	1,066	538	-	-	45	17	191	95	185	88
Schools and colleges of business administration	5,594	3,493	338	214	422	267	952	595	900	525
Schools and colleges of management and the service industries <sup>2</sup>	5,033	3,975	314	227	450	340	963	738	1,020	804
Schools and colleges for social professions	326	266	-	-	39	33	116	101	-	-
Schools and colleges for agriculture and forestry	2,368	1,288	27	6	265	148	475	193	553	326
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total</b>	<b>4,202</b>	<b>2,494</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>826</b>	<b>456</b>
<b>Higher teacher training colleges</b>	<b>1,403</b>	<b>1,144</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>207</b>
<b>Post-secondary teacher training colleges<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>2,799</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>249</b>

1 Including staff on maternity or educational leave and part-time staff; without teachers at schools for healthcare and nursing, schools for the training of physical education teachers and sports instructors as well as other schools with a statute of their own.

2 Including schools and colleges of clothing and arts and crafts.

3 Including assignments, teaching contracts and teachers at training schools (possible double counts in sum rows).

Source: Statistics Austria, BMUKK



**Table 9: (continued)**  
**Teaching staff by school type and federal province, school year 2006/07<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school	Salzburg		Styria		Tyrol		Vorarlberg		Vienna	
	All	of which female	All	of which female	All	of which female	All	of which female	All	of which female
<b>All mainstream schools<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>8,660</b>	<b>5,896</b>	<b>16,289</b>	<b>11,167</b>	<b>11,365</b>	<b>7,183</b>	<b>6,335</b>	<b>3,993</b>	<b>22,608</b>	<b>16,553</b>
<b>General schools, total</b>	<b>6,349</b>	<b>4,763</b>	<b>12,037</b>	<b>8,966</b>	<b>8,506</b>	<b>5,804</b>	<b>4,952</b>	<b>3,379</b>	<b>17,415</b>	<b>13,835</b>
<b>General compulsory schools</b>	<b>4,996</b>	<b>3,961</b>	<b>9,410</b>	<b>7,347</b>	<b>7,072</b>	<b>5,054</b>	<b>4,113</b>	<b>2,972</b>	<b>11,474</b>	<b>9,830</b>
Primary schools	2,097	1,911	4,149	3,758	3,007	2,482	1,850	1,542	5,317	5,008
Lower secondary schools	2,196	1,522	4,676	3,172	3,256	2,024	1,729	1,038	3,673	2,750
Special schools and special (SEN) classes	500	425	347	298	509	413	404	335	2,193	1,912
Pre-vocational schools	203	103	238	119	300	135	130	57	291	160
<b>Academic secondary schools</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>2,627</b>	<b>1,619</b>	<b>1,434</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>5,941</b>	<b>4,005</b>
<b>Technical and vocational schools and post-secondary colleges, total</b>	<b>2,040</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>3,466</b>	<b>1,753</b>	<b>2,390</b>	<b>1,110</b>	<b>1,238</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>4,352</b>	<b>2,201</b>
<b>Vocational schools for apprentices</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>332</b>
<b>Technical and vocational schools and colleges, total</b>	<b>1,700</b>	<b>864</b>	<b>2,825</b>	<b>1,564</b>	<b>1,890</b>	<b>960</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>3,497</b>	<b>1,839</b>
Technical and crafts schools and colleges (in a narrower sense)	420	53	875	199	559	110	303	59	1,558	411
Schools and colleges of tourism	137	64	53	23	201	110	60	32	194	109
Schools and colleges of business administration	422	254	762	497	524	286	328	179	946	676
Schools and colleges of management and the service industries <sup>2</sup>	478	374	579	489	337	271	207	165	685	567
Schools and colleges for social professions	64	46	33	28	-	-	-	-	74	58
Schools and colleges for agriculture and forestry	179	73	523	328	269	183	37	13	40	18
<b>Post-secondary vocational colleges</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Institutions for teacher training, total</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>841</b>	<b>517</b>
<b>Higher teacher training colleges</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>215</b>
<b>Post-secondary teacher training colleges<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>194</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>302</b>

1 Including staff on maternity or educational leave and part-time staff; without teachers at schools for healthcare and nursing, schools for the training of physical education teachers and sports instructors as well as other schools with a statute of their own.

2 Including schools and colleges of clothing and arts and crafts.

3 Including assignments, teaching contracts and teachers at training schools (possible double counts in sum rows).

Source: Statistics Austria, BMUKK

**Table 10:**
**Recipients of student support and/or accommodation grants by support category, type of school and federal province, school year 2005/06**

Support category / Type of school <sup>1</sup>	Austria, total	Burgen-land	Carinthia	Lower Austria	Upper Austria	Salzburg	Styria	Tyrol	Vorarl-berg	Vienna
<b>All support categories and school types</b>	<b>29,346</b>	<b>946</b>	<b>2,804</b>	<b>6,614</b>	<b>6,140</b>	<b>2,060</b>	<b>4,526</b>	<b>3,166</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>2,433</b>
<b>Student support</b>	<b>18,101</b>	<b>761</b>	<b>1,621</b>	<b>3,955</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>2,684</b>	<b>1,678</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>2,170</b>
Pre-vocational schools	9	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-
Academic secondary schools	3,638	115	287	590	561	204	613	372	90	806
Technical and vocational schools and colleges	13,525	600	1,286	3,150	3,012	741	1,871	1,235	380	1,250
Teacher training institutions	848	42	48	179	176	35	181	63	24	100
Schools for paramedical training	81	4	-	36	-	-	19	8	-	14
<b>Accommodation grant</b>	<b>4,447</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>1,038</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>737</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>32</b>
Pre-vocational schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Academic secondary schools	110	3	8	33	9	17	16	20	1	3
Technical and vocational schools and colleges	4,276	52	443	982	1,011	393	716	584	66	29
Teacher training institutions	61	8	1	23	15	-	5	9	-	-
Schools for paramedical training	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Student support and accommodation grant combined</b>	<b>6,758</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>1,612</b>	<b>1,356</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>1,098</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>231</b>
Pre-vocational schools	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Academic secondary schools	236	5	17	58	26	30	30	49	2	19
Technical and vocational schools and colleges	6,188	87	696	1,474	1,293	606	1,005	763	86	178
Teacher training institutions	260	28	18	75	37	7	22	58	1	14
Schools for paramedical training	73	2	-	5	-	-	41	5	-	20
<b>Special student support<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>40</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>
Academic secondary schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Technical and vocational schools and colleges	40	-	-	9	-	17	7	-	7	-

1 Including types for people in work.

2 Only automatically processed applications are shown here; overall, some 500 such administrative decisions have been issued.

Source: BMUKK

**Table 11:**  
**Recipients of student support and/or accommodation grants: average (annual) amount of support in €**  
**by support category, type of school and federal province, school year 2005/06**

Support category / Type of school <sup>1</sup>	Austria, total	Burgen- land	Carinthia	Lower Austria	Upper Austria	Salzburg	Styria	Tyrol	Vorarl- berg	Vienna
<b>Average support, all categories</b>	<b>1,074</b>	<b>853</b>	<b>1,122</b>	<b>1,118</b>	<b>1,051</b>	<b>1,157</b>	<b>1,097</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>929</b>
<b>Student support</b>	<b>778</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>769</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>776</b>	<b>758</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>816</b>
Pre-vocational schools	929	-	-	-	-	929	-	-	-	-
Academic secondary schools	795	748	760	823	755	835	799	764	748	827
Technical and vocational schools and colleges	773	727	769	787	758	757	771	756	813	812
Teacher training institutions	779	697	828	799	812	825	759	707	787	758
Schools for paramedical training	902	1,154	-	816	-	-	810	1,155	-	1,035
<b>Accommodation grant</b>	<b>1,056</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>1,038</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>1,060</b>	<b>1,067</b>	<b>1,212</b>
Pre-vocational schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Academic secondary schools	1,031	1,005	1,176	1,085	1,111	879	1,059	972	1,288	867
Technical and vocational schools and colleges	1,057	937	1,037	1,062	1,053	1,042	1,075	1,064	1,064	1,248
Teacher training institutions	991	869	47	1,067	1,047	-	894	971	-	-
Schools for paramedical training	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Student support and accommodation grant combined</b>	<b>1,870</b>	<b>1,570</b>	<b>1,959</b>	<b>1,941</b>	<b>1,851</b>	<b>1,798</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>1,741</b>	<b>1,968</b>	<b>1,947</b>
Pre-vocational schools	2,260	-	-	-	-	2,260	-	-	-	-
Academic secondary schools	1,828	1,335	2,289	1,871	1,995	1,872	1,786	1,589	1,653	1,821
Technical and vocational schools and colleges	1,871	1,538	1,944	1,952	1,844	1,792	1,897	1,734	1,968	1,934
Teacher training institutions	1,839	1,670	2,202	1,786	1,993	1,907	1,568	1,841	2,620	1,916
Schools for paramedical training	2,068	2,163	-	1,931	-	-	1,897	3,043	-	2,201
<b>Special student support<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>2,354</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,082</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,848</b>	<b>2,399</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,601</b>	<b>-</b>
Academic secondary schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Technical and vocational schools and colleges	2,354	-	-	3,082	-	1,848	2,399	-	2,601	-

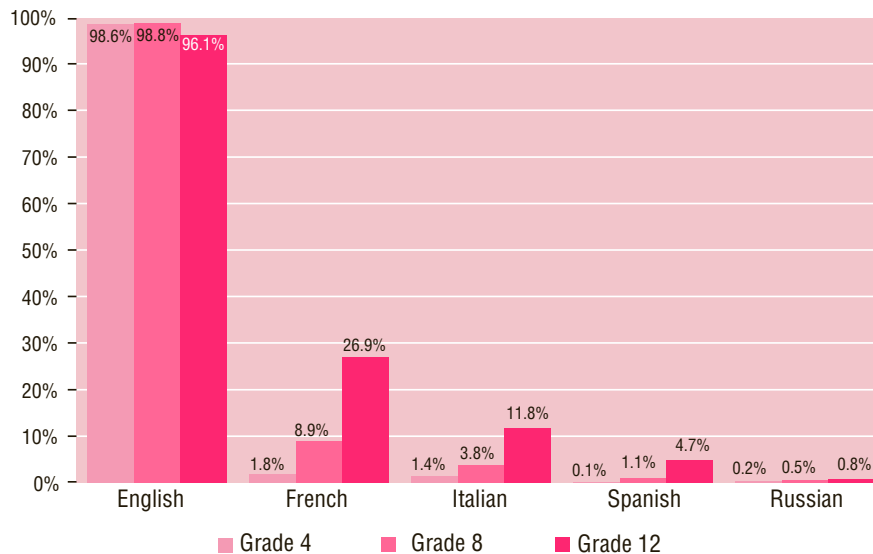
1 Including types for people in work.

2 Calculation is based on automatically processed applications only.

Source: BMUKK

Chart table 12:

**Participation in foreign language classes**  
**Proportion of pupils/students in the most frequently taught foreign languages:**  
**grades 4, 8 and 12, school year 2004/05**



**Table 12:**  
**Participation in foreign language classes: primary, lower and upper secondary stages 2004/05**

<b>Primary stage</b>	<b>Grade 1</b>		<b>Grade 4</b>	
Pupils, total	85,657	100.0%	93,012	100.0%
English	80,925	94.5%	91,718	98.6%
French	362	0.4%	1,639	1.8%
Italian	281	0.3%	1,338	1.4%
Russian	115	0.1%	176	0.2%
Spanish	2	0.0%	97	0.1%
Croatian	377	0.4%	488	0.5%
Slovak	130	0.2%	140	0.2%
Slovenian	676	0.8%	716	0.8%
Czech	269	0.3%	278	0.3%
Hungarian	278	0.3%	195	0.2%
<b>Lower secondary stage</b>	<b>Grade 5</b>		<b>Grade 8</b>	
Pupils, total	96,478	100.0%	99,078	100.0%
English	95,394	98.9%	97,906	98.8%
French	858	0.9%	8,809	8.9%
Italian	1,547	1.6%	3,727	3.8%
Russian	455	0.5%	462	0.5%
Spanish	83	0.1%	1,041	1.1%
Croatian	187	0.2%	199	0.2%
Slovak	47	0.1%	47	0.1%
Slovenian	64	0.1%	56	0.1%
Czech	144	0.2%	144	0.2%
Hungarian	249	0.3%	222	0.2%
<b>Upper secondary stage</b>	<b>Grade 9</b>		<b>Grade 12</b>	
Pupils, total	100,726	100.0%	87,297	100.0%
English	99,258	98.5%	83,915	96.1%
French	24,709	24.5%	23,481	26.9%
Italian	11,333	11.3%	10,287	11.8%
Russian	696	0.7%	661	0.8%
Spanish	3,173	3.2%	4,142	4.7%
Croatian	98	0.1%	64	0.1%
Slovak	11	0.0%	20	0.0%
Slovenian	166	0.2%	143	0.2%
Czech	174	0.2%	162	0.2%
Hungarian	156	0.2%	103	0.1%

Source: Austrian Centre for Language Competence, University of Vienna

**Table 13:**  
**Students in graduation classes of upper secondary schools by school type and gender,**  
**graduation years 1990, 2000 and 2005 to 2007<sup>1</sup>**

Type of school		Graduation year				
		2007	2006	2005	2000	1990
<b>All mainstream schools</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>41,522</b>	<b>40,618</b>	<b>38,802</b>	<b>37,796</b>	<b>31,744</b>
	<b>Females</b>	<b>23,373</b>	<b>22,460</b>	<b>21,695</b>	<b>21,269</b>	<b>16,651</b>
	<b>Males</b>	<b>18,149</b>	<b>18,158</b>	<b>17,107</b>	<b>16,527</b>	<b>15,093</b>
<b>Academic secondary schools, total</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>17,914</b>	<b>16,786</b>	<b>16,113</b>	<b>17,255</b>	<b>15,473</b>
	<b>Females</b>	<b>10,522</b>	<b>9,889</b>	<b>9,504</b>	<b>10,131</b>	<b>8,305</b>
	<b>Males</b>	<b>7,392</b>	<b>6,897</b>	<b>6,609</b>	<b>7,124</b>	<b>7,168</b>
Academic secondary schools (full 8/9 year cycle) <sup>2</sup>	All	12,535	11,749	11,348	12,348	11,024
	Females	7,117	6,674	6,557	6,980	5,820
	Males	5,418	5,075	4,791	5,368	5,204
Academic secondary schools, separate upper level	All	4,817	4,648	4,395	4,517	4,087
	Females	3,086	2,972	2,729	2,944	2,357
	Males	1,731	1,676	1,666	1,573	1,730
Academic secondary schools (special sub-types) <sup>3</sup>	All	562	389	370	390	362
	Females	319	243	218	207	128
	Males	243	146	152	183	234
<b>Technical and vocational colleges, total<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>All</b>	<b>22,198</b>	<b>22,290</b>	<b>21,322</b>	<b>18,955</b>	<b>15,411</b>
	<b>Females</b>	<b>11,483</b>	<b>11,072</b>	<b>10,846</b>	<b>9,599</b>	<b>7,505</b>
	<b>Males</b>	<b>10,715</b>	<b>11,218</b>	<b>10,476</b>	<b>9,356</b>	<b>7,906</b>
Technical and crafts colleges <sup>5</sup>	All	9,706	10,211	9,648	7,794	6,451
	Females	2,299	2,179	2,219	1,627	1,108
	Males	7,407	8,032	7,429	6,167	5,343
Colleges of business administration	All	7,231	7,181	6,843	6,741	6,040
	Females	4,611	4,734	4,458	4,103	3,849
	Males	2,620	2,447	2,385	2,638	2,191
Colleges of management and service industries	All	4,601	4,201	4,158	3,796	2,402
	Females	4,294	3,875	3,904	3,599	2,390
	Males	307	326	254	197	12
Colleges of agriculture and forestry	All	660	697	673	624	518
	Females	279	284	265	270	158
	Males	381	413	408	354	360
<b>Colleges for teacher training<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>All</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>1,542</b>	<b>1,367</b>	<b>1,586</b>	<b>860</b>
	<b>Females</b>	<b>1,368</b>	<b>1,499</b>	<b>1,345</b>	<b>1,539</b>	<b>841</b>
	<b>Males</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>19</b>

1 Austrian and foreign students in graduation classes of secondary schools with „Matura“ secondary school leaving certificate, without VET courses; data as at October of previous year. 2005 and 2006: students in graduation classes, preliminary figures.

2 Academic secondary schools and academic secondary schools of management and the service industries.

3 Add-on academic secondary schools and academic secondary schools for people in work.

4 Including special types (for people in employment, add-on courses).

5 Including colleges of tourism and colleges of the clothing trades.

6 Nursery teacher training institutions and institutions for social pedagogy.

Source: Statistics Austria - Education documentation, BMUKK calculations

**Table 14:****Reference levels of European average performance (*Benchmarks*) in education and training, 2006****Early school leavers**

By 2010, an EU average rate of no more than 10 % early school leavers should be achieved.

	2000	2006	EU rank
<b>Average EU-27</b>	17.6	15.3	
<b>Austria</b>	10.2	9.6	6 (of 27)

**Note:** Definition „early school leavers“: Share of the population aged 18-24 with only lower secondary education and not in education or training.

**Completion of upper secondary education**

By 2010, at least 85 % of 22 year olds in the EU should have completed upper secondary education.

	2000	2006	EU rank
<b>Average EU-27</b>	76.6	77.8	
<b>Austria</b>	85.1	85.8	7 (of 27)

**Note:** Data refer to the percentage of the 20 to 24 year old population having completed at least upper secondary education.

**Graduations in mathematics, science and technology**

By 2010, the total number of graduates in mathematics, science and technology (MST) should increase by at least 15% as compared to 2000 while, at the same time, the level of gender imbalance should decrease.

	2000	2005	EU rank
<b>EU-27, total</b>	686.2	864.2	
<b>Austria</b>	7.5	10.1	11 (of 25)

**Note:** Number of tertiary graduates in MST (thousands); calculation of the rank within the EU is based on average annual growth rates.

**Adults' participation in lifelong learning**

By 2010, the EU average level of adults' participation in lifelong learning, should be at least 12.5%.

	2000	2006	EU rank
<b>Average EU-27</b>	7.1	9.6	
<b>Austria</b>	8.3	13.1	7 (of 27)

**Note:** Data refer to the percentage of the population aged 25-64 participating in formal or non-formal education and training programmes within four weeks prior to the survey.

**Key competences**

By 2010, the percentage of low-achieving 15 year olds in reading literacy in the EU should have decreased by at least 20% compared to the year 2000.

	2000	2006	EU rank
<b>Average EU-27</b>	21.3	24.1	
<b>Austria</b>	19.3	21.5	14 (of 25)

**Note:** Data refer to the percentage of 15 year old pupils with reading literacy proficiency level 1 and lower in the PISA reading literacy scale.

Source: European Commission

**Table 15:**  
**Adult education: number of events and participation, calendar year 2005 and academic year 2004/05, respectively**

		Short events 1 – 4 TU <sup>1</sup>	Courses	Total	Special courses / events
Platform Educational Institutions in Austria	Events	3,347	9,529	12,876	-
	Participation	77,790	200,032	277,822	-
„bfi“ Vocational Training Institute	Events	n.a. <sup>2</sup>	14,562	14,562	95
	Participation	n.a. <sup>2</sup>	166,349	166,349	136,769
Austrian Library Association	Borrowings <sup>3</sup>			19,974,687	
	Visitors	-	-	9,383,542	13,223
	Users <sup>4</sup>	-	-	1,097,686	n.a. <sup>2</sup>
Catholic Adult Education Institutions	Events	16,433	7,312	23,745	2,506
	Participation	413,525	143,505	557,030	246,772
Institute for Adult Education in Rural Areas	Events	12,507	5,355	17,862	350
	Participation	336,095	119,489	455,584	47,391
Federation of Austrian Educational Associations	Events	9,657	5,036	14,693	6,430
	Participation	209,558	104,541	314,099	1,130,688
Austrian National Economy Society	Events	1,027	1,655	2,682	131
	Participation	29,330	30,135	59,465	4,500
Austrian Trade Union Education Network	Events	5,111	6,924	12,035	2,433
	Participation	120,421	98,422	218,843	254,311
Association of Austrian Adult Education Centres	Events	3,384	46,164	49,548	3,384
	Participation	80,688	467,463	548,151	188,271
Institute for Economic Promotion of the Austrian Federal Economic Chamber	Events	n.a. <sup>2</sup>	n.a. <sup>2</sup>	24,223	-
	Participation	n.a. <sup>2</sup>	n.a. <sup>2</sup>	279,228	-
Total	Events	51,466	96,537	172,226 <sup>5</sup>	28,552
	Participation	1,267,407	1,329,936	2,876,571 <sup>5</sup>	2,008,702

1 TU = Teaching unit

2 not available

3 Borrowings of books and other media

4 Registered users

5 Sum total without data from the Austrian Library Association

Source: Austrian Conference on Adult Education (KEBÖ)



Table 16:

**Adults' participation in lifelong learning: Population of 15 years and older by participation in training and continuing education; type, purpose and hours by age and gender, 2006**

Age (years)	Total		of which in education / training (formal and/or non-formal <sup>1</sup> )			Courses attended			Average number of hours within four weeks prior to the survey <sup>2</sup>		EU structural indicator „lifelong learning“ <sup>3</sup>
	Thousands	Thousands	%	Total	of which predominantly job-related	of which predominantly private	Total	of which in predominantly job-related courses	Hours		
										Thousands	
<b>All</b>											
<b>All age groups</b>	<b>6,851.7</b>	<b>1,250.6</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>630.7</b>	<b>343.1</b>	<b>287.6</b>	<b>18.5</b>	<b>23.8</b>	<b>13.1</b>		
15 – 19	478.0	416.7	87.2	61.5	15.3	46.1	20.4	39.9	-		
20 – 29	1,024.1	331.3	32.3	123.4	71.4	51.9	23.0	29.6	24.7		
30 – 39	1,247.4	189.0	15.2	151.3	99.4	51.9	20.5	24.5	15.0		
40 – 49	1,333.6	168.2	12.6	155.0	103.0	52.0	16.8	19.3	12.6		
50 – 59	1,015.1	88.7	8.7	85.8	48.6	37.2	15.7	19.4	8.7		
60 and older	1,753.4	56.7	3.2	53.7	5.3	48.4	9.9	13.3	5.6		
25 – 64	4,545.3	599.1	13.2	478.7	293.2	185.6	18.0	21.9	13.1		
<b>Females</b>											
<b>All age groups</b>	<b>3,556.2</b>	<b>659.9</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>348.3</b>	<b>165.9</b>	<b>182.4</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>14.0</b>		
15 – 19	239.3	208.7	87.2	30.5	8.2	22.3	18.7	36.2	-		
20 – 29	515.0	173.2	33.6	69.8	36.6	33.2	20.9	28.8	25.2		
30 – 39	623.2	98.7	15.8	79.7	46.6	33.1	18.6	23.5	15.7		
40 – 49	660.9	93.5	14.2	85.8	51.2	34.6	15.8	19.2	14.1		
50 – 59	515.3	49.7	9.6	48.3	21.9	26.5	14.1	19.5	9.6		
60 and older	1,002.5	36.1	3.6	34.2	1.5	32.7	8.5	12.4	6.2		
25 – 64	2,281.5	321.4	14.1	262.5	139.3	123.2	16.4	21.3	14.0		
<b>Males</b>											
<b>All age groups</b>	<b>3,295.4</b>	<b>590.7</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>282.3</b>	<b>177.2</b>	<b>105.1</b>	<b>20.7</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>12.2</b>		
15 – 19	238.7	208.0	87.1	31.0	7.1	23.9	22.1	44.3	-		
20 – 29	509.0	158.0	31.0	53.6	34.9	18.8	25.7	30.3	24.3		
30 – 39	624.2	90.3	14.5	71.5	52.8	18.8	22.6	25.5	14.3		
40 – 49	672.8	74.6	11.1	69.2	51.8	17.4	18.1	19.4	11.1		
50 – 59	499.8	39.0	7.8	37.4	26.8	10.7	17.7	19.4	7.8		
60 and older	750.9	20.7	2.8	19.5	3.9	15.6	12.3	13.6	4.8		
25 – 64	2,263.7	277.8	12.3	216.2	153.9	62.3	20.0	22.3	12.2		

- 1 Adults' participation in training and continuing education within four weeks prior to the survey; formal education: school and higher education system (including apprenticeship); non-formal education: courses and training.
- 2 Refers to participants.
- 3 Percentage of the population aged 25 to 64 years participating in training and continuing education programmes (not including persons who interrupt attendance at school or higher education institution on account of holidays).

Source: Statistics Austria - Microcensus / Labour Force Survey

**Table 17:**

**Labour force aged 25 to 64 years participating in continuing education by federal province and purpose of continuing education, 2006**

Participation in continuing education	Austria	Burgen-land	Carinthia	Lower Austria	Upper Austria	Salzburg	Styria	Tyrol	Vorarl-berg	Vienna
	Thousands									
<b>All</b>	3,348.1	112.8	213.2	644.5	569.1	221.7	482.0	287.8	148.5	668.6
Numbers	395.7	10.8	23.2	76.5	69.3	26.3	53.9	33.2	19.6	83.0
%	11.8%	9.6%	10.9%	11.9%	12.2%	11.9%	11.2%	11.5%	13.2%	12.4%
predominantly job-related	259.2	8.2	15.9	52.6	46.6	16.7	35.4	22.9	13.1	47.7
predominantly private	136.6	2.6	7.2	23.9	22.7	9.5	18.5	10.3	6.4	35.3
<b>Females</b>	1,514.9	49.5	95.2	293.0	251.9	101.6	216.4	129.1	64.4	313.9
Numbers	204.3	4.8	12.2	38.0	33.4	14.3	28.8	15.9	9.7	47.2
%	13.5%	9.7%	12.8%	13.0%	13.3%	14.1%	13.3%	12.3%	15.0%	15.0%
predominantly job-related	118.4	3.4	7.9	23.9	18.8	7.8	16.1	9.6	5.4	25.6
predominantly private	85.9	1.4	4.3	14.1	14.6	6.6	12.7	6.3	4.3	21.6
<b>Males</b>	1,833.2	63.3	118.0	351.6	317.2	120.1	265.6	158.7	84.1	354.6
Numbers	191.4	6.0	11.0	38.4	35.9	12.0	25.1	17.3	9.9	35.7
%	10.4%	9.5%	9.3%	10.9%	11.3%	10.0%	9.5%	10.9%	11.8%	10.1%
predominantly job-related	140.7	4.9	8.1	28.7	27.8	9.0	19.3	13.3	7.7	22.1
predominantly private	50.6	1.2	2.9	9.8	8.1	3.0	5.9	4.0	2.2	13.6

Source: Statistics Austria - Microcensus / Labour Force Survey