

# Arunachal Pradesh RURAL

ANALYSIS BASED ON DATA FROM HOUSEHOLDS, 13 OUT OF 16 DISTRICTS  
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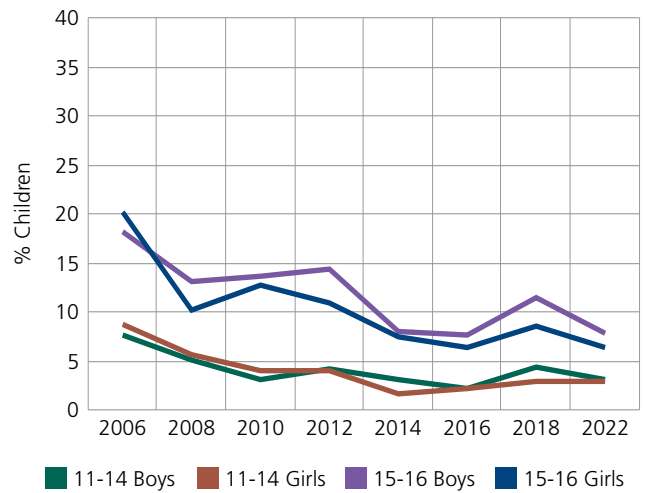
## School enrollment

**Table 1: % Children enrolled in different types of schools. By age group and sex. 2022**

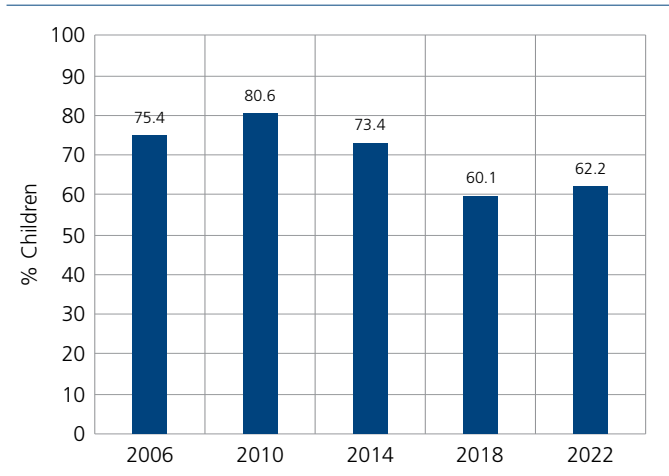
Age group and sex	Govt	Pvt	Other	Not in school	Total
Age 6-14: All	62.2	33.0	1.7	3.1	100
Age 7-16: All	63.8	31.1	1.8	3.4	100
Age 7-10: All	58.2	37.9	1.4	2.5	100
Age 7-10: Boys	57.0	39.1	1.5	2.5	100
Age 7-10: Girls	59.6	36.6	1.3	2.6	100
Age 11-14: All	66.8	27.9	2.2	3.0	100
Age 11-14: Boys	65.5	29.5	1.9	3.1	100
Age 11-14: Girls	68.1	26.3	2.6	3.0	100
Age 15-16: All	72.2	19.1	1.5	7.1	100
Age 15-16: Boys	70.8	20.2	1.3	7.8	100
Age 15-16: Girls	73.8	17.9	1.9	6.4	100

'Other' includes children going to Madarsa or EGS.  
 'Not in school' includes children who never enrolled or have dropped out.

**Chart 1: Trends over time % Children not enrolled in school. By age group and sex. 2006-2022**



**Chart 2: Trends over time % Children age 6-14 enrolled in govt schools. 2006, 2010, 2014, 2018, 2022**



## Young children in pre-school and school

**Table 2: % Children enrolled in different types of pre-schools and schools. By age. 2018**

Age	Pre-school			School			Not in pre-school or school	Total
	Anganwadi	Govt pre-primary	Pvt LKG/UKG	Govt	Pvt	Other		
Age 3	35.2	3.8	17.8	3.1	0.4	0.0	39.8	100
Age 4	25.7	8.0	39.3	6.9	1.9	0.0	18.3	100
Age 5	17.1	8.4	36.0	24.1	7.7	0.0	6.8	100
Age 6	12.0	4.1	20.1	32.8	24.6	0.0	6.4	100
Age 7	8.7	2.1	10.6	40.2	34.6	0.4	3.4	100
Age 8	3.5	3.0	3.3	51.6	36.2	0.4	1.9	100

**Table 3: % Children enrolled in different types of pre-schools and schools. By age. 2022**

Age	Pre-school			School			Not in pre-school or school	Total
	Anganwadi	Govt pre-primary	Pvt LKG/UKG	Govt	Pvt	Other		
Age 3	42.7	6.5	11.7	3.5	0.1	0.0	35.6	100
Age 4	29.8	8.6	28.2	9.1	2.5	0.0	21.7	100
Age 5	13.5	10.8	32.8	23.7	8.2	0.2	10.8	100
Age 6	6.9	6.7	20.6	39.9	21.3	0.6	4.1	100
Age 7	1.8	3.7	8.5	49.0	32.5	1.4	3.2	100
Age 8	1.3	1.0	1.8	55.1	36.9	1.7	2.2	100

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## Reading

ASER learning assessments are conducted in the household. Children in the age group 5-16 are assessed. Assessments are conducted in 19 languages across the country. The type of school in which children are enrolled (government or private) is also recorded.

**Table 4: % Children by grade and reading level. All children. 2022**

Std	Not even letter	Letter	Word	Std I level text	Std II level text	Total
I	25.8	51.8	19.6	2.2	0.7	100
II	11.0	44.9	26.6	8.9	8.6	100
III	2.9	31.8	38.5	16.0	10.9	100
IV	2.5	19.4	33.1	20.7	24.3	100
V	2.6	11.1	24.9	23.6	37.9	100
VI	2.1	7.6	18.8	23.3	48.2	100
VII	1.8	4.5	13.5	17.2	63.0	100
VIII	0.5	2.7	8.2	15.2	73.4	100

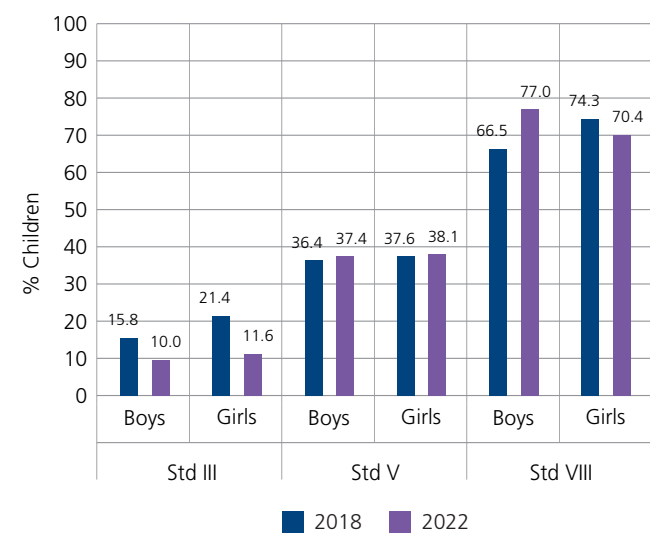
The reading tool is a progressive tool. Each row shows the variation in children's reading levels within a given grade. For example, among children in Std III, 2.9% cannot even read letters, 31.8% can read letters but not words or higher, 38.5% can read words but not Std I level text or higher, 16% can read Std I level text but not Std II level text, and 10.9% can read Std II level text. For each grade, the total of these exclusive categories is 100%.

**Table 5: Trends over time Reading in Std III. By school type. 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2022**

Year	% Children in Std III who can read Std II level text			The highest level in the ASER reading assessment is a Std II level text. Table 5 shows the proportion of children in Std III who can read Std II level text. This figure is a proxy for "grade level" reading for Std III. Data for children enrolled in government schools and private schools is shown separately.
	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*	
2012	15.5	42.1	21.2	
2014	5.8	24.9	10.3	
2016	2.3	33.5	11.8	
2018	4.8	44.0	18.7	
2022	3.5	25.1	10.8	

\*This is the weighted average for children in government and private schools only.

**Chart 3: Trends over time % Children who can read Std II level text. By grade and sex. 2018 and 2022**



## Reading tool

Std II level text

**It was the rainy season. The sky was full of clouds. There was a cool breeze blowing. Asif was eager to play on a swing. His older brother got a thick rope. They tied it on the tree and made a swing. Many children joined them and they all started playing. They played till it got dark.**

Std I level text

**This is a big monkey. He lives on a tree. He likes to jump. He also likes bananas.**

Letters

r o k  
d i  
f y s  
b n

Words

moon like  
ant  
sun hot  
baby dark  
net  
bus gold

**Table 6: Trends over time Reading in Std V and Std VIII. By school type. 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2022**

Year	% Children in Std V who can read Std II level text			% Children in Std VIII who can read Std II level text		
	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*
2012	52.1	68.8	55.4	84.4		85.9
2014	43.4	51.2	44.5	70.5	Data insufficient	72.5
2016	16.7	52.6	25.3	63.1	Data insufficient	68.1
2018	22.1	64.7	37.0	64.1	Data insufficient	70.1
2022	30.5	55.6	37.8	69.6	Data insufficient	73.3

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## Arithmetic

ASER learning assessments are conducted in the household. Children in the age group 5-16 are assessed. Assessments are conducted in 19 languages across the country. The type of school in which children are enrolled (government or private) is also recorded.

**Table 7: % Children by grade and arithmetic level. All children. 2022**

Std	Not even 1-9	Recognise number		Subtract	Divide	Total
		1-9	11-99			
I	19.9	34.1	42.3	3.2	0.4	100
II	5.9	14.6	59.4	18.5	1.5	100
III	1.0	7.9	55.2	29.1	6.7	100
IV	0.7	3.4	43.1	40.1	12.6	100
V	1.4	1.7	34.3	39.7	22.9	100
VI	1.4	2.6	25.2	39.4	31.4	100
VII	2.2	0.9	19.6	34.5	42.8	100
VIII	0.5	0.7	19.4	32.5	46.9	100

The arithmetic tool is a progressive tool. Each row shows the variation in children's arithmetic levels within a given grade. For example, among children in Std III, 1% cannot even recognise 1-9, 7.9% can recognise numbers up to 9 but cannot recognise numbers up to 99 or higher, 55.2% can recognise numbers up to 99 but cannot do subtraction, 29.1% can do subtraction but cannot do division, and 6.7% can do division. For each grade, the total of these exclusive categories is 100%.

## Arithmetic tool

Number recognition 1-9		Number recognition 11-99		Subtraction		Division
2	7	76	58	74 - 57	63 - 27	8 ) 993
5	3	48	99	47 - 29	84 - 35	6 ) 758
9	8	34	61	41 - 15	32 - 17	7 ) 865
4	1	46	25	31 - 18	68 - 49	4 ) 658
		86	62			

Ask the child to recognize any 5 numbers. At least 4 must be correct.  
 Ask the child to recognize any 5 numbers. At least 4 must be correct.  
 Ask the child to do any 2 subtraction problems. Both must be correct.  
 Ask the child to do any 1 division problem. It must be correct.

**Table 8: Trends over time Arithmetic in Std III. By school type. 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2022**

Year	% Children in Std III who can do at least subtraction			In most states, children are expected to do 2-digit by 2-digit subtraction with borrowing by Std II. Table 8 shows the proportion of children in Std III who can do subtraction. This figure is a proxy for "grade level" arithmetic for Std III. Data for children enrolled in government schools and private schools is shown separately.
	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*	
2012	47.9	70.1	52.6	
2014	34.0	47.3	37.1	
2016	22.2	53.2	31.6	
2018	23.5	51.7	33.5	
2022	29.4	48.1	35.8	

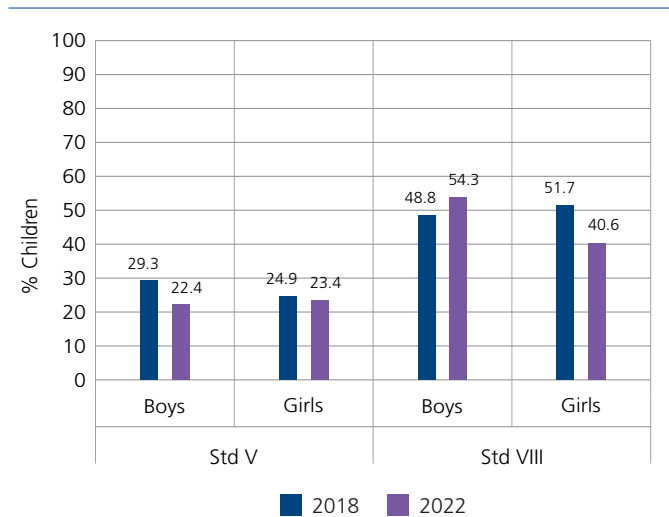
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**Table 9: Trends over time Arithmetic in Std V and Std VIII. By school type. 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2022**

Year	% Children in Std V who can do division			% Children in Std VIII who can do division		
	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*
2012	43.1	61.4	46.7	79.5	Data insufficient	81.1
2014	35.6	36.9	35.8	59.7	Data insufficient	59.5
2016	11.7	41.2	18.7	52.5	Data insufficient	55.5
2018	22.1	36.4	27.1	42.6	Data insufficient	49.3
2022	19.5	31.0	22.9	40.2	Data insufficient	45.9

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**Chart 4: Trends over time % Children who can do division. By grade and sex. 2018 and 2022**



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## Reading and comprehension in English

ASER assessments are conducted in the household. Children in the age group 5-16 are assessed. The type of school in which children are enrolled (government or private) is also recorded.

**Table 10: % Children by grade and reading level in English. All children. 2022**

Std	Not even capital letters	Capital letters	Small letters	Simple words	Easy sentences	Total
I	23.9	19.8	37.8	16.6	1.9	100
II	9.8	13.1	36.4	28.9	11.8	100
III	3.3	11.4	26.6	40.0	18.7	100
IV	2.6	5.8	19.0	37.7	34.9	100
V	3.6	3.4	13.0	32.2	47.9	100
VI	3.2	1.6	7.9	27.2	60.1	100
VII	1.8	2.8	5.8	20.1	69.6	100
VIII	0.6	1.5	3.3	18.2	76.4	100

Each row shows the variation in children's reading levels in English within a given grade. For example, among children in Std III, 3.3% cannot even read capital letters, 11.4% can read capital letters but not small letters or more, 26.6% can read small letters but not words or more, 40% can read words but not sentences, and 18.7% can read sentences. For each grade, the total of these exclusive categories is 100%.

**Table 11: Of children who can read English at different levels, % who can comprehend. 2022**

Std	Of those who can read English words but not sentences, % who can tell their meanings	Of those who can read English sentences, % who can tell their meanings
I	40.6	
II	45.1	
III	51.5	64.3
IV	60.5	75.9
V	62.9	77.8
VI	57.5	85.8
VII		89.8
VIII		87.8

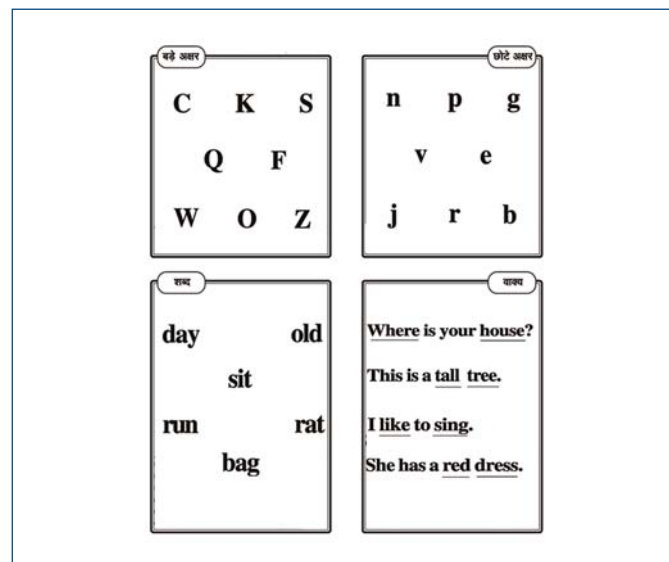
## Paid tuition classes

**Table 13: % Children who take paid tuition classes. By grade and school type. 2022**

Std	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*
I	14.8	44.3	23.8
II	15.3	46.5	27.0
III	23.0	48.8	33.2
IV	17.7	45.3	26.9
V	24.9	42.8	30.9
VI	17.5	35.4	23.1
VII	17.1	35.3	23.1
VIII	18.5	31.7	21.8
All	18.5	42.7	26.6

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## English tool

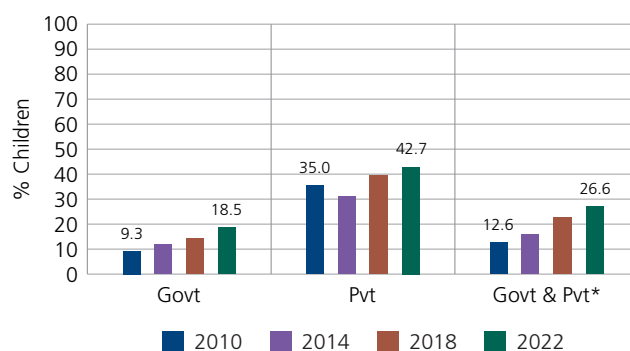


**Table 12: Trends over time English reading in Std V and VIII. By school type. 2012, 2014, 2016, 2022**

Year	% Children in Std V who can read English sentences			% Children in Std VIII who can read English sentences		
	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*
2012	58.0	75.2	61.3	88.3		89.0
2014	51.2	59.3	52.3	77.9	Data insufficient	78.8
2016	23.7	63.9	33.2	72.0	Data insufficient	75.9
2022	40.7	65.0	47.8	70.2	Data insufficient	76.0

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**Chart 5: Trends over time % Children in Std I-VIII who take paid tuition classes. By school type. 2010, 2014, 2018, 2022**



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## School observations

In each sampled village, the largest government school with primary sections is visited on the day of the survey. Information about schools in this report is based on these visits.

**Table 14: Trends over time**  
**Number of schools visited. 2010, 2014, 2018, 2022**

	2010	2014	2018	2022
Primary schools*	152	91	58	90
Upper primary schools*	107	98	101	148
Total schools visited	259	189	159	238

**Table 15: Trends over time**  
**Student and teacher attendance on the day of visit.**  
**2010, 2014, 2018, 2022**

Primary schools	2010	2014	2018	2022
% Enrolled children present (Average)	82.8	83.7	76.8	76.5
% Teachers present (Average)	86.1	84.7	68.2	78.9
Upper primary schools	2010	2014	2018	2022
% Enrolled children present (Average)	82.0	85.0	78.3	75.9
% Teachers present (Average)	84.2	82.3	72.7	75.4

**Table 16: Trends over time**  
**Multigrade classes. 2010, 2014, 2018, 2022**

Primary schools	2010	2014	2018	2022
% Schools where Std II children were observed sitting with any other Std	35.4	48.3	51.9	44.1
% Schools where Std IV children were observed sitting with any other Std	28.6	40.0	43.1	49.4
Upper primary schools	2010	2014	2018	2022
% Schools where Std II children were observed sitting with any other Std	23.7	30.5	29.6	24.5
% Schools where Std IV children were observed sitting with any other Std	23.9	22.2	18.7	20.5

**Table 17: Trends over time**  
**% Schools with total enrollment of 60 or less.**  
**2010, 2014, 2018, 2022**

	2010	2014	2018	2022
Primary schools	52.1	62.1	71.4	81.0
Upper primary schools	7.1	15.2	35.5	40.9

## School facilities

**Table 18: Trends over time**  
**% Schools with selected facilities. 2010, 2014, 2018, 2022**

% Schools with		2010	2014	2018	2022
Mid-day meal	Mid-day meal served in school on day of visit	47.1	57.5	36.2	51.3
	Kitchen/shed for cooking mid-day meal	64.0	57.4	57.4	57.1
Drinking water	No facility for drinking water	36.9	40.1	35.9	24.4
	Facility but no drinking water available	9.9	6.4	19.5	13.7
	Drinking water available	53.2	53.5	44.7	62.0
	Total	100	100	100	100
Toilet	No toilet facility	20.8	30.8	12.0	13.0
	Facility but toilet not useable	53.9	34.1	38.0	26.9
	Toilet useable	25.3	35.1	50.0	60.1
	Total	100	100	100	100
Girls' toilet	No separate provision for girls' toilet	60.4	51.6	42.3	35.6
	Separate provision but locked	11.3	10.1	16.8	10.2
	Separate provision, unlocked but not useable	16.2	13.8	12.8	10.7
	Separate provision, unlocked and useable	12.2	24.5	28.2	43.6
	Total	100	100	100	100
Library	No library	87.0	75.0	76.0	78.0
	Library but no books being used by children on day of visit	6.7	16.9	19.6	16.1
	Library books being used by children on day of visit	6.3	8.2	4.4	5.9
	Total	100	100	100	100
Electricity	Electricity connection			62.8	79.3
	Of schools with electricity connection, % schools with electricity available on day of visit			46.2	68.6
Computer	No computer available for children to use	85.7	89.8	92.3	86.3
	Computer available but not being used by children on day of visit	6.4	7.0	6.4	9.8
	Computer being used by children on day of visit	8.0	3.2	1.3	3.9
	Total	100	100	100	100

\*Primary schools offer Std I-IV/V; Upper primary schools offer Std I-VI/VII/VIII.



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## Other school indicators

In each sampled village, the largest government school with primary sections is visited on the day of the survey. Information about schools in this report is based on these visits.

**Table 19: Trends over time  
Physical education. 2018 and 2022**

% Schools with		Primary schools*		Upper primary schools*	
		2018	2022	2018	2022
Weekly time allotted for physical education for every class			23.3		34.0
Physical education teacher	Separate teacher	7.6	7.1	21.1	22.3
	Any other teacher	5.7	19.1	15.8	11.5
	No teacher	86.8	73.8	63.2	66.2
	Total	100	100	100	100
Playground in the school		52.6	73.3	55.5	78.2
Sports equipment available		15.5	50.6	36.6	60.3



**Table 20: Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN) activities. 2022**

% Schools which	Received a directive from govt to implement FLN activities with Std I-III	Have at least one teacher trained on FLN
Primary schools	38.9	61.4
Upper primary schools	34.5	62.8

**Table 21: Anganwadi and pre-primary class in schools. 2022**

% Schools which	Have an Anganwadi in campus	Have a separate pre-primary class	Received separate funds for pre-primary	Have a separate teacher for pre-primary
Primary schools	18.1	31.8	9.1	13.8
Upper primary schools	14.5	44.5	18.4	25.4

**Table 22: Distribution of language and math textbooks. 2022**

% Schools where textbooks distributed to	All grades	Some grades	No grades/ don't know	Total
Primary schools	87.6	10.1	2.3	100
Upper primary schools	89.9	6.1	4.1	100

**Table 23: Distribution of uniforms. 2022**

% Schools where uniforms distributed to	All grades	Some grades	No grades/ don't know	Total	If no, then % schools where funds given
Primary schools	80.7	6.8	12.5	100	
Upper primary schools	69.6	10.8	19.6	100	

**Table 24: Annual Composite Grant. 2022**

	Financial year	% Schools which received grant	Out of these, % schools which used the entire amount
All schools**	Full financial year: April 2021-March 2022	71.4	93.8
	Half financial year: April 2022-date of survey	38.5	73.6



\*Primary schools offer Std I-IV/V; Upper primary schools offer Std I-VI/VII/VIII.

\*\*All schools include primary schools and upper primary schools.