

# Pre-primary and comprehensive school education 2011

## Comprehensive schools had 541,900 pupils in 2011

According to Statistics Finland, comprehensive schools had 541,900 pupils in 2011. The number of pupils in comprehensive school fell by 0.8 per cent from the year before. Forty-nine per cent of the pupils in comprehensive school were girls and 51 per cent were boys. The number of pre-primary education pupils was 58,800, of whom 12,600 were in pre-primary education in schools and 46,200 in day care.

### Pupils in comprehensive school by region in 2011

Region of school	Active comprehensive schools	Pupils total	Boys	Girls
<b>Whole country, total</b>	<b>2 870</b>	<b>541 931</b>	<b>277 896</b>	<b>264 035</b>
<b>Mainland Finland, total</b>	<b>2 847</b>	<b>539 091</b>	<b>276 418</b>	<b>262 673</b>
Uusimaa	612	152 400	77 795	74 605
Varsinais-Suomi	242	45 096	23 308	21 788
Satakunta	144	22 098	11 501	10 597
Kanta-Häme	102	18 246	9 298	8 948
Pirkanmaa	222	48 375	24 745	23 630
Päijät-Häme	93	19 623	9 903	9 720
Kymenlaakso	106	17 245	8 795	8 450
South Karelia	63	12 096	6 117	5 979
Etelä-Savo	108	14 267	7 338	6 929
Pohjois-Savo	133	24 359	12 517	11 842
North Karelia	88	15 740	8 077	7 663
Central Finland	152	27 459	13 957	13 502
South Ostrobothnia	171	21 236	10 989	10 247
Ostrobothnia	147	18 845	9 752	9 093
Central Ostrobothnia	60	7 752	3 938	3 814
North Ostrobothnia	235	49 057	25 504	23 553
Kainuu	45	7 637	3 842	3 795
Lapland	124	17 560	9 042	8 518
<b>Åland, total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2 840</b>	<b>1 478</b>	<b>1 362</b>
Åland	23	2 840	1 478	1 362

There were 2,870 active comprehensive schools in autumn 2011, which was 82 schools fewer than in the year before. Municipalities ran 97 per cent of the comprehensive schools.

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Region of school	Schools	Pupils, pre-primary education	Pupils, grades 1-6	Pupils, grades 7-9	Pupils, additional education (10th grade)	Pupils total	Pupils, grade 1	Leaving certificates
<b>Whole country, total</b>	<b>2 870</b>	<b>12 639</b>	<b>347 245</b>	<b>180 715</b>	<b>1 332</b>	<b>541 931</b>	<b>59 076</b>	<b>63 435</b>
<b>Mainland Finland, total</b>	<b>2 847</b>	<b>12 637</b>	<b>345 405</b>	<b>179 722</b>	<b>1 327</b>	<b>539 091</b>	<b>58 755</b>	<b>63 087</b>
Uusimaa	612	2 376	99 156	50 237	631	152 400	17 104	17 463
Varsinais-Suomi	242	579	29 101	15 342	74	45 096	4 896	5 326
Satakunta	144	514	13 954	7 599	31	22 098	2 373	2 738
Kanta-Häme	102	463	11 668	6 095	20	18 246	1 971	2 112
Pirkanmaa	222	1 614	30 886	15 709	166	48 375	5 459	5 484
Päijät-Häme	93	371	12 591	6 630	31	19 623	2 150	2 336
Kymenlaakso	106	259	10 970	5 978	38	17 245	1 823	2 171
South Karelia	63	98	7 667	4 331	0	12 096	1 230	1 490
Etelä-Savo	108	420	8 833	4 999	15	14 267	1 417	1 777
Pohjois-Savo	133	573	15 478	8 250	58	24 359	2 607	2 895
North Karelia	88	515	9 826	5 392	7	15 740	1 545	1 915
Central Finland	152	548	17 615	9 274	22	27 459	3 029	3 220
South Ostrobothnia	171	857	13 450	6 912	17	21 236	2 275	2 336
Ostrobothnia	147	665	11 926	6 236	18	18 845	1 985	2 183
Central Ostrobothnia	60	174	5 019	2 556	3	7 752	826	981
North Ostrobothnia	235	2 077	31 398	15 405	177	49 057	5 513	5 473
Kainuu	45	164	4 784	2 689	0	7 637	739	1 054
Lapland	124	370	11 083	6 088	19	17 560	1 813	2 133
<b>Åland, total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1 840</b>	<b>993</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2 840</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>348</b>
Åland	23	2	1 840	993	5	2 840	321	348

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