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FOREWORD

I am very glad to bring out this publication of "Educational Statistics 1981", before the planners, administrators and researchers in the field of education as well as the general public.

This publication presents some statistical information on educational institutions, enrolment of pupils, teachers in schools, examination results, educational budget, literacy and the like. The tables given in this publication were collected and processed by the Statistical Wing of this Department.

I trust this volume will be of use to all concerned as a reference book.

Suggestions for improvement are solicited.

Trivandrum,
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INTRODUCTION

This publication gives an overall picture of a basic nature, on statistics of schools, pupils enrolled, teachers, expenditure, etc. under the Directorate.

Institutions

At the start of the school year 1979-80, there were 1680 high schools, 2739 upper primary schools and 6970 lower primary schools in the State. Besides these 11389 schools, there were 8 Anglo-Indian schools, 92 basic training schools and 13 schools for the handicapped. During 1979-80, Government had sanctioned 321 schools (new and upgraded ones)—33 departmental schools and 288 private. In 1980-81, till November 1980, 155 Government lower primary schools and 172 Government upper primary schools have been upgraded by Government with certain conditions regarding accommodation and etc. Institution-wise, on the average, one high school serves 15,000 population, one U.P.S. 9,200 and one L.P.S. 3,600.

Enrolment

1980-81 enrolment in Standards I to X is 55.95 lakhs. Girls constitute 48.3%. Lower primary sections (Standards I to IV) have 25.93 lakhs pupils, upper primary (Standards V to VII) 16.91 lakhs and Standards VIII to X 13.11 lakh pupils. Nearly 3 lakh pupils appeared as regular candidates, for S.S.L.C. Examination of March 1980 and 42.6% came out successful. About 22% of the estimated population of Kerala are studying in the regular schools under the Directorate.

Teachers

During the academic year 1979-80, there were 1.76 lakhs teachers as against 1.74 lakhs in 1978-79. The average number of pupils per teacher (all categories) for 1979-80 works out to 32. In general, 52% of the teachers are women, 53.2% for the primary stage and 48.8% for the secondary stage.

Expenditure

Compared to many other States, education sector takes up, a sizeable share of the State's budget expenditure. The expenditure on primary education amounted to 60.5%.

Wastage

Wastage is a serious drawback in the system of education. An analysis of the numbers of pupils of the first standard in 1970-71, reaching the tenth standard in 1979-80 shows that for every 1000 pupils in Standard I, only 379 pupils reached Standard X and 148 pupils passed out the S. S. L. C. Examination in March 1980. The pattern varies for the subsequent batches owing to the wholesale promotion policy adopted by the Department in Standard I and the promotion limits set for the annual examinations in the other Standards.

The following statistical tables give the details on the institutions, pupils, teachers etc.

SECTION I

TABLE No. 1

Educational Statistics (1980-81) at a glance

I	Population of Kerala—1980—Estimate	253.84 Lakhs
II	Literates (Percentage) 1971 Census—All Males Females	60.42 66.62 54.31
III	Educational Institutions (1979-80 Provisional)	
	(a) High Schools	1680
	(b) U.P. Schools	2739
	(c) L. P. Schools	6970
	(d) Training Schools	92
	Total	<u>11481</u>
IV	Number of students on roll (as on 6th working day 1980-81)	
	(a) Secondary Section	1310671
	(b) Upper Primary Section	1690965
	(c) Lower Primary Section	2593030
	Total	<u>5594666</u>
V	Number of teachers (as on 15th July 1978)	
	(a) H.S. Section	41281
	(b) Training Section	465
	(c) U.P. Section	57584
	(d) L. P. Section	74915
	Total	<u>174245</u>
VI	Educational Budget (1980-81) B.E.	17112.90 Lakhs
VII	Per capita Educational Expenditure, 1980-81 (Rs.)	67.41 B.E.
VIII	Expenditure per pupil 1980-81 (Rs.)	
	Primary	242.19
	Secondary	369.36
IX	No of Deputy Directors (Education)	11
X	Number of District Educational Officers	29
XI	Number of Assistant Educational Officers	148
11	3490 MC.	

SECTION II—SCHOOLS

TABLE No. 2.1

Distribution of Schools in Kerala—1979-80 (Provisional) Revenue District-wise

Revenue District	High schools			U. P. Schools			L. P. Schools			All Schools		
	Govt.	Pvt.	Total	Govt.	Pvt.	Total	Govt.	Pvt.	Total	Govt.	Pvt.	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
Trivandrum	81	85	166	89	108	197	347	190	537	517	383	900
Quilon	68	136	204	80	198	278	412	294	704	560	628	1188
Alleppey	42	155	197	96	130	226	288	350	638	426	635	1061
Kottayam	35	141	176	63	136	199	204	300	504	302	577	879
Idukki	25	40	65	41	43	84	89	113	202	155	196	351
Ernakulam	53	151	204	81	115	196	226	284	510	360	550	910
Trichur	58	119	177	55	179	234	138	418	556	251	716	967
Palghat	44	60	104	58	160	218	193	355	548	295	575	870
Malappuram	61	46	107	101	195	296	351	466	817	513	707	1220
Kozhikode	55	74	129	91	243	334	264	584	848	410	901	1311
Cannanore	75	76	151	138	339	477	334	770	1104	547	1185	1732
Kerala	597	1083	1680	893	1846	2739	2846	4124	6970	4336	7053	11389

TABLE No. 2.2

Distribution of High Schools in Kerala, 1979-80 (Provisional)
Educational District-wise

<i>Educational District</i>		<i>Number of High Schools</i>			
		<i>Government</i>	<i>Private Aided</i>	<i>Private Unaided</i>	<i>Total</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Neyyatinkara	18	31	1	50
2.	Trivandrum	31	27	6	64
3.	Attingal	32	19	1	52
	Trivandrum	81	77	8	166
4.	Quilon	28	40	3	71
5.	Kottarakkara	24	47	1	72
6.	Pathanamthitta	16	44	1	61
	Quilon	68	131	5	204
7.	Alleppey	17	56	..	73
8.	Mavelikkara	17	52	..	64
9.	Thiruvalla	8	46	1	55
	Alleppey	42	154	1	197
10.	Kottayam	13	55	2	70
11.	Palai	15	48	3	66
12.	Kanjirappally	7	32	1	40
	Kottayam	35	135	6	176
13.	Idukki	25	36	4	65
	Idukki	25	36	4	65
14.	Ernakulam	24	50	2	76
15.	Muvattupuzha	11	34	2	47
16.	Alwaye	18	51	12	81
	Ernakulam	53	135	16	204
17.	Irinjalakuda	17	41	2	60
18.	Trichur	14	42	4	60
19.	Chowpati	27	28	2	57
	Trichur	58	111	8	177

TABLE No. 2.2 (*Contd.*)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
20.	Palghat	28	35	4	67
21.	Ottappalam	16	21	..	37
	Palghat	44	56	4	104
22.	Tirur	23	21	..	44
23.	Malappuram	38	25	..	63
	Malappuram	61	46	..	107
24.	Kozhikode	36	38	2	76
25.	Badagara	19	32	2	53
	Kozhikode	55	70	4	129
26.	Tellicherry	17	23	..	40
27.	Cannanore	23	26	..	49
28.	Kasaragode	35	26	1	62
	Cannanore	75	75	1	151
	Grand Total	597	1026	57	11680

TABLE No. 2.3

**Distribution of Upper Primary Schools in Kerala 1979-80 --
Educational District-wise (Provisional)**

Sl. No.	<i>Educational District</i>	<i>Number of Upper Primary Schools</i>			
		<i>Government</i>	<i>Private Aided</i>	<i>Private Unaided</i>	<i>Total</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Neyyattinkara	26	29	1	56
2.	Trivandrum	33	18	3	54
3.	Attingal	30	56	1	87
	Trivandrum	89	103	5	197

TABLE NO. 2.3 (Contd.)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
4.	Quilon	26	63	..	89
5.	Kottarakkara	27	80	..	107
6.	Pathananthitta	27	53	2	82
	Quilon	80	196	2	278
7.	Alleppey	41	50	..	91
8.	Mavelikura	28	43	..	71
9.	Thiruvalla	27	35	2	64
	Alleppey	96	128	2	226
10.	Kottayan	32	35	..	67
11.	Palai	23	52	1	76
12.	Kanjirapally	8	48	..	56
	Kottayam	63	135	1	199
13.	Idukki	41	43	..	84
	Idukki	41	43	..	84
14.	Ernakulam	16	48	..	64
15.	Muvattipuzha	29	22	..	51
16.	Alwaye	36	40	5	81
	Ernakulam	81	110	5	196
17.	Irinjalakuda	20	54	2	76
18.	Trichur	11	41	1	53
19.	Chowghat	24	81	..	105
	Trichur	55	176	3	234
20.	Palghat	40	90	2	132
21.	Ottappaam	18	68	..	86
	Palghat	58	158	2	218
22.	Malappiram	56	105	2	163
23.	Tirur	45	88	..	133
	Nalappuram	101	193	2	296
24.	Kozhikode	61	105	4	170
25.	Badragan	30	134	..	164
	Kozhikode	91	239	4	334

TABLE No. 2.3 (Contd.)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
26.	Cannanore	32	138	..	170
27.	Tellicherry	26	116	..	142
28.	Kasaragode	80	85	..	165
	Cannanore		138	339	477
	Kerala		893	1820	26
					2739

TABLE No. 2.4

**Distribution of Lower Primary Schools in Kerala 1979-80
Educational District-wise (Provisional)**

Sl. No.	Educational District	Number of Lower Primary Schools			
		Government	Private Aided	Private unaided	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Neyyattinkara	84	99	2	185
2.	Trivandrum	97	24	6	127
3.	Attingal	166	59	..	225
	Trivandrum		347	182	537
4.	Quilon	104	98	2	204
5.	Kottarakkara	206	93	3	302
6.	Pathanamthitta	102	97	1	200
	Quilon		412	288	700
7.	Alleppey	109	99	2	210
8.	Mavelikara	118	104	4	226
9.	Thiruvalla	61	137	4	202
	Alleppey		288	340	628
10.	Kottayam	62	123	6	191
11.	Palai	91	104	..	195
12.	Kanjirapally	51	65	2	118
	Kottayam		204	292	8
					504

TABLE No. 2.4 (*Contd.*)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
13. Idukki		89	109	4	202
	Idukki	89	109	4	202
14. Ernakulam		44	126	..	170
15. Muvattupuzha		57	57	2	116
16. Alwaye		125	95	4	224
	Ernakulam	226	278	6	510
17. Iringalakudi		44	125	1	170
18. Trichur		34	107	..	141
19. Chowghat		60	185	..	245
	Trichur	138	417	1	556
20. Palghat		145	159	4	308
21. Ottapalam		48	192	..	240
	Palghat	193	351	4	548
22. Malappuram		209	250	..	459
23. Tirur		142	215	1	358
	Malappuram	351	465	1	817
24. Kozhikode		168	190	1	359
25. Bludagaram		96	393	..	489
	Kozhikode	264	583	1	848
26. Cannanore		83	332	..	415
27. Tellicherry		71	290	5	366
28. Kasaragode		180	142	1	323
	Cannanore	334	764	6	1104
	Nirala	2846	4069	55	6970

TABLE No. 2.5
Sections/Schools sanctioned by Government during 1979-80

<i>District</i>	<i>Department</i>			<i>Aided</i>			<i>Unaided (recognised)</i>		
	<i>LPS</i>	<i>UPS</i>	<i>HS</i>	<i>LPS</i>	<i>UPS</i>	<i>HS</i>	<i>LPS</i>	<i>UPS</i>	<i>HS</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Trivandrum	..	1	..	4	5	10	1	1	2
Quilon	..	1	..	6	10	9	1	..	..
Alleppey	..	..	2	5	1	5	..	..	..
Kottayam	..	1	2	2	5	8	..	1	..
Idukki	1	2	2	18	17	11	..	..	..
Ernakulam	..	..	3	2	5	5	..	..	1
Trichur	..	1	1	4	5	6	2	1	1
Palghat	..	..	2	7	5	3	1	1	..
Malappuram	..	..	1	19	20	12	1	..	3
Kozhikode	..	3	..	7	13	8	..	..	..
Cannanore	1	4	6	10	12	10	..	1	..
Total	2	13	19	84	98	87	6	5	7

TABLE No. 2.6
**Revenue District-wise number of Government Schools Upgraded
during 1980-81 (Till November 1980)**

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Revenue district</i>	<i>No. of Government schools upgraded</i>	
		<i>UPS</i>	<i>LPS</i>
(1)		(2)	(3)
1. Trivandrum		13	23
2. Quilon		23	17
3. Alleppey		15	9
4. Kottayam		14	14
5. Idukki		10	8
6. Ernakulam		18	21
7. Trichur		10	4
8. Palghat		4	2
9. Malappuram		8	5
10. Kozhikode		9	4
11. Wynad		12	16
12. Cannanore		36	32
Kerala		172	155

TABLE No. 2.7

Basic Training Schools—1980-81

<i>Sl.No.</i>	<i>Revenue district</i>	<i>Government</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Total</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1.	Trivandrum	3	4	7
2.	Quilon	2	9	11
3.	Alleppey	4	12	16
4.	Kottayam	3	6	9
5.	Ernakulam	3	9	12
6.	Trichur	2	7	9
7.	Idukki*	1	4	5*
8.	Palghat	3	4	7
9.	Malappuram	2	3	5
10.	Kozhikode	3	2	5
11.	Cannanore	4	2	6
Total		30	62	92

* Schools meant for Idukki

TABLE No. 2.8

Anglo Indian Schools—1980-81

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Educational district</i>	<i>Number of schools</i>		
		<i>UPS</i>	<i>High school</i>	<i>Total</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1.	Quilon	..	2	2
2.	Ernakulam	1	1	2
3.	Kozhikode	..	1	1
4.	Cannanore	..	2	2
Total		1	6	7

Note: There is one Anglo Indian Training School at Cannanore.

TABLE No. 2.9

Number of High Schools over the years 1960-61 to 1979-80

<i>Year</i>	<i>Government schools</i>	<i>Private schools</i>	<i>Total</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1960-61	244	651	895
1961-62	276	653	929
1962-63	312	703	1015
1963-64	315	705	1020
1964-65	345	801	1146
1965-66	345	806	1151
1966-67	391	884	1275
1967-68	394	888	1282
1968-69	440	941	1381
1969-70	441	941	1382
1970-71	442	942	1384
1971-72	446	917	1393
1972-73	449	951	1400
1973-74	452	952	1404
1974-75	559	953	1512
1975-76	566	955	1521
1976-77	590	1076	1666
1977-78	594	1081	1675
1978-79	597	1083	1680
1979-80	597	1083	1680)*

*Provisional figure

TABLE No. 2.10

Number of U. P. Schools over the years 1960-61 to 1979-80

<i>Year</i>	<i>Government Schools</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>Total</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1960-61	530	1402	1932
1961-62	576	1409	1985
1962-63	711	1574	2205
1963-64	705	1580	2285
1964-65	758	1670	2426
1965-66	761	1686	2417
1966-67	778	1697	2475
1967-68	782	1697	2479

TABLE No. 2.10 (*Contd.*)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1968-69	797	1737	2534
1969-70	808	1735	2543
1970-71	811	1733	2544
1971-72	811	1740	2551
1972-73	810	1737	2547
1973-74	809	1739	2548
1974-75	868	1732	2600
1975-76	880	1726	2606
1976-77	883	1835	2718
1977-78	888	1830	2718
1978-79	893	1846	2739
1979-80	893	1846	2739*

* Provisional figure.

TABLE No. 2.11

**Number of Lower Primary Schools over the years 1960-61
to 1979-80**

<i>Year</i>	<i>Government schools</i>	<i>Private schools</i>	<i>Total</i>
1960-61	2719	3987	6705
1961-62	2835	3910	6745
1962-63	2985	3919	6904
1963-64	2928	3991	6919
1964-65	2998	4032	6930
1965-66	2904	4050	6954
1966-67	2861	4072	6933
1967-68	2864	4067	6931
1968-69	2805	4111	6916

TABLE NO. 2.11 (Contd.)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1969-70	2800	4088	66888
1970-71	2823	4063	66886
1971-72	2823	4063	66886
1972-73	2804	4083	66887
1973-74	2926	4097	77023
1974-75	2893	4072	66965
1975-76	2910	4065	66975
1976-77	2883	4109	66992
1977-78	2849	4120	66969
1978-79	2846	4124	66970
1979-80	2846	4124	66970*

* Provisional figure.

TABLE NO. 2.12
Schools for the Handicapped 1980-81

Sl. No.	Name of school	Type of management
1	School for Blind, Deaf and Dumb, Trivandrum	Government
2	School for the Blind, Olassa, Kottayam	"
3	School for Blind, Deaf and Dumb, Kunnamkulam	"
4	School for Deaf and Mute, Ottappalam	"
5	School for Blind, Kasaragode	"
6	School for Blind, Manakada, Pallippuram, Malappuram	Aided
7	School for the Deaf and Blind, Assissi Mount, Neerampara, Thalayolaparambu, Kottayam	"
8	School for Deaf and Dumb, Thiruvalla	"
9	Light to the Blind, Sreenivasapuram P.O., Varkala	"
10	School for the Blind, Alwaye	Unaided recognised
11	School for the Deaf Children, Valakom, Kottarakara	"
12	Calicut school for the Handicapped, Calicut	"
13	Asha Bhavan Deaf and Dumb School, Padavarath, Ollur	"

SECTION III—ENROLMENT STATISTICS

TABLE No. 3.1

**Distribution of Pupils in Kerala—Standard-wise Boys/Girls
(Provisional) (1980-81)**

<i>Standard</i>	<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>	<i>Total</i>
I	322530	308503	631033
II	339961	321524	661485
III	332194	313369	645563
IV	337596	317353	654949
Total L. P. Section	1332281	1260749	2593030
V	313826	287786	601612
VI	288060	263560	551620
VII	280492	257241	537733
Total U. P. Section	882378	808587	1690965
VIII	259590	233748	493338
IX	241890	225502	467392
X	176185	173756	349941
Total H. S. Section	677665	633006	1310671
Grand Total	2892324	2702342	5594666

TABLE No. 3.2

**Number of Pupils standard-wise in the Revenue Districts on the 6th Working day of
1980-81 (Provisional)**

District	I		II		III		IV		V		VI	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
1. Trivandrum	29767	28417	31554	29883	31533	30010	31502	29802	29288	27406	26848	25954
2. Quilon	31249	30205	33817	32111	34723	32909	35624	33721	34395	32827	33652	31189
3. Alleppey	25491	24821	27359	26358	28224	26511	28572	27376	27698	25493	27566	25888
4. Kottayam	19523	18938	20739	19800	21199	20741	21763	21030	21081	20220	20641	19630
5. Idukki	10892	10399	11924	11255	11562	10646	12176	11052	10455	9488	10055	8929
6. Ernakulam	28027	27474	30342	28559	30933	29485	32192	30582	31695	29609	30041	28499
7. Trichur	32242	30781	33203	31186	32978	31027	34458	32192	33155	30721	30830	28433
8. Palghat	28311	27381	28508	26819	26291	24453	26560	23862	23079	19871	19942	17031
9. Malappuram	37448	35209	38165	36458	36176	34017	36422	34816	31437	27903	25812	23064
10. Kozhikode	39173	37078	41296	39052	38197	36317	38467	36269	35998	32492	32198	28789
11. Cannanore	40407	37800	43144	40043	40378	37253	39860	36651	35545	31756	30475	26154
Grand Total	322530	308503	339961	321524	332194	313369	337596	317353	313826	287786	288060	263560

TABLE No. 3.2—(Concl'd.)

District	VII		VIII		IX		X		Total		
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Total
Trivandrum	25858	24466	24957	23328	24104	22726	17977	18555	273388	260547	533935
Quilon	34111	31928	33250	30631	32632	30961	23875	23952	327328	310434	637762
Alleppey	29658	26654	29111	26189	28672	26834	21523	20814	273874	256938	530812
Kottayam	20845	20445	19812	20318	19022	20380	14482	16382	199207	198094	397201
Idukki	9294	8781	8037	8105	7137	7546	4783	5398	96315	91599	187914
Ernakulam	30478	29436	29096	27523	26843	26380	19643	20477	289290	278024	567314
Trichur	30416	28132	28050	26222	25355	25059	18201	20048	298888	283801	582689
Palghat	18163	15137	16773	13112	15226	11922	10953	9217	213801	188805	402611
Malappuram	22474	20395	18842	14616	16126	12352	10848	8546	273750	247376	521126
Kozhikode	30098	26939	26541	22658	23769	21159	17270	15580	322917	296333	619250
Cannanore	29097	24928	25121	21046	23004	19973	16630	14787	323661	290391	614052
Grand Total	280492	257241	259590	233748	241890	225502	176185	173756	2892324	2702342	5594666

TABLE No. 3.3

Annual increase of Enrolment in Schools 1971-72 to 1980-81

<i>Year</i>	<i>Total No. of students (in lakhs)</i>	<i>Annual increase/ decrease (Lakhs)</i>	<i>No. of students in Std. I (Lakhs)</i>	<i>Increase/Decrease in Standard I (Lakhs)</i>
1971-72	49.79	+1.81	8.48	..
1972-73	51.56	+1.76	6.86**	-1.62
1973-74	52.70	+1.14	6.46	-0.40
1974-75	53.59	+0.89	6.59	+0.13
1975-76	52.85	-0.74	6.54	-0.05
1976-77	53.54	+0.69	6.76	+0.22
1977-78	54.94	+1.40	6.94	+0.18
1978-79	55.38	+0.44	6.55	-0.39
1979-80	55.93	+0.55	6.54	-0.01
1980-81 (*)	55.95	+0.02	6.31	-0.23

* Provisional

** Wholesale promotion in Std. I starts.

TABLE No. 3.4

Enrolment in Schools (Stage-wise)

<i>Level of Education</i>	<i>Strength in lakhs</i>							<i>Increase/Decrease (in lakhs)</i>			
	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
L. P. Section	26.71	26.08	26.50	26.44	26.48	25.93	-0.63	+0.42	-0.06	+0.04	-0.55
U. P. Section	17.06	17.42	17.55	16.96	16.68	16.91	+0.36	+0.13	-0.55	-0.28	+0.23
H. S. Section	9.07	10.03	10.88	11.97	12.65	13.11	+0.96	+0.85	+1.09	+0.68	+0.46
Total	52.84	53.53	54.93	55.37	55.81	55.95	+0.69	+1.40	+0.44	+0.44	+0.14

TABLE No. 3.5

**Standard-wise variation in enrolment of pupils in Schools 1979-80
and 1980-81**

<i>Standard</i>	<i>Enrolment</i>		<i>Variation</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
	<i>1979-80</i>	<i>1980-81</i>		
I	654737	631013	-23704	-3.62
II	674163	661485	-12678	-1.88
III	670633	645563	-25070	-3.73
IV	648336	654949	+6613	+1.01
Sub total	2647869	2593030	-54839	-2.07
V	580585	601612	+21027	+3.62
VI	545737	551620	+15883	+1.07
VII	542081	537733	-4348	-0.80
Sub total	1668403	1690965	+22562	+1.35
VIII	503545	493338	-10207	-2.02
IX	457858	467392	+9534	+2.08
X	303604	349941	+46337	+15.26
Sub total	1265007	1310671	+45664	+3.60
Grand total	5581279	5594666	+13387	+0.23

TABLE No. 3.6

**Revenue District-wise variation in Enrolment in standard I in
1979-80 and 1980-81**

<i>District</i>	<i>Number of students</i>		<i>Variation</i>	
	<i>1979-80</i>	<i>1980-81</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
1. Trivandrum	58367	58184	-183	-0.31
2. Quilon	64039	61434	-2585	-4.03
3. Alappuzhy	50500	50312	-188	-0.37

TABLE No. 3.6 (Contd.)

District	Number of Students			Variation P Percentage
	1979-80	1980-81	Actuals	
4. Kottayam	40936	38461	-2475	-6.04
5. Idukki	21694	21291	-403	-1.85
6. Ernakulam	57008	55501	-1507	-2.64
7. Trichur	65906	63028	-2883	-4.37
8. Palghat	60152	55692	-4460	-7.41
9. Malappuram	73338	72657	-681	-0.92
10. Kozhikode	76282	76251	-31	-0.04
11. Cannanore	86515	78207	-8308	-9.59
Grand total	654737	631033	-23704	-3.62

TABLE No. 3.7

Revenue District-wise enrolment in L. P. section during 1979-80 and 1980-81

District	No. of students			Variation P Percentage
	1979-80	1980-81	Actuals	
Trivandrum	245948	242468	-3480	-1.41
Quilon	276693	264359	-12334	-4.45
Alleppey	217885	214712	-3173	-1.45
Kottayam	171957	163733	+8224	+4.78
Idukki	89666	89906	+240	+0.26
Ernakulam	245705	237594	-8111	-3.30
Trichur	267308	258067	-9241	-3.45
Palghat	223006	212185	-10821	-4.85
Malappuram	290180	288711	-1469	-0.50
Kozhikode	294011	305759	+11748	+3.99
Cannanore	325510	315536	-9974	-3.03
Total	2647869	2593030	-54839	-2.07

TABLE No. 3.8

**Revenue District-wise variation in total enrolment
during 1979-80 & 1980-81**

District	Number of students		Variation	
	1979-80	1980-81	Actuals	Percentage
1. Trivandrum	533061	533935	+874	+0.16
2. Quilon	648481	637762	-10719	-1.65
3. Alleppey	536151	530812	-53389	-0.99
4. Kottayam	409842	397201	-12641	-3.08
5. Idukki	182498	187914	+5416	+2.96
6. Ernakulam	570748	567314	-3434	-0.60
7. Thrissur	585128	582689	-2439	-0.41
8. Palnat	406871	402611	-4260	-1.04
9. Malappuram	505933	521126	+15193	+3.00
10. Kozhikode	578896	619250	+40354	+6.97
11. Cannanore	623670	614052	-9618	-1.54
Grand Total	5581279	5594666	+13387	+0.23

TABLE No. 3.9

**Enrolment ratio of pupils in the Age-group 6-11, 11-14 and 14-16 for the years 1970-71, 1973-74,
1975-76, 1977-78 and 1980-81**

Year		*Estimated child population in the age group in '00s			Enrolment on standards			Enrolment ratio for age group		
		6-11	11-14	14-16	I-V	VI-VIII	IX-X	6-11	11-14	14-16
1970-71	T	27912	15903	14886	3321108	1062397	416027	118.98	66.80	27.94
	B	14079	7948	7350	1753444	575082	223118	124.54	72.35	30.35
	G	13833	7955	7536	1567664	487315	192909	113.33	61.26	25.59
1973-74	T	29345	16423	15666	3479588	1213896	577093	118.57	73.91	36.84
	B	14872	8266	7818	1822005	654023	309074	122.51	79.12	39.53
	G	14473	8157	7848	1657583	559873	268019	114.53	68.63	34.15
1975-76	T	30253	16754	16161	3376613	1407796	500948	111.61	84.02	30.99
	B	15375	8469	8113	1760884	750581	263118	114.52	88.62	32.43
	G	14878	8285	8048	1615729	657215	237830	108.59	79.32	29.55
1977-78	T	31016	17414	16666	3241785	1605177	646796	104.51	92.17	38.80
	B	15841	8828	8383	1685514	851667	339130	106.40	96.47	87.76
	G	15175	8586	8283	1556271	753510	307666	102.55	87.76	37.14
1980-81	T	32118	18371	17401	3194642	1582691	827333	99.47	86.15	46.97
	B	16515	9349	8776	1646107	828142	418075	99.67	88.58	47.64
	G	15603	9022	8625	1548535	754549	399258	99.25	83.63	46.29

TABLE No. 3.10

Progress of enrolment in the different stages of school education

Year	No. of students in primary stage		No. of students in secondary stage		Total	
	No.	Index of variation	No.	Index of variation	No.	Index of variation
1956-57	249257	100.00	216714	100.00	2709271	100.00
1957-58	259475	104.10	218988	101.05	2813703	103.58
1958-59	281709	113.02	219607	101.33	3036626	112.08
1959-60	278466	111.72	347826	160.50	3132522	115.62
1960-61	293948	117.93	330893	152.69	3270301	120.71
1961-62	304138	122.02	416364	192.13	3457752	122.63
1962-63	313153	125.63	490564	226.36	3622067	133.60
1963-64	326367	130.93	554819	256.01	3818436	140.94
1964-65	342475	137.40	585336	270.10	4010101	148.01
1965-66	355203	142.53	615143	283.85	4167836	153.84
1966-67	363869	147.99	639959	295.30	4328638	159.77
1967-68	38484	151.85	666773	307.67	4451637	164.31
1968-69	311280	156.98	702884	324.11	4615204	170.35
1969-70	38933	160.05	709209	327.29	4698653	173.43
1970-71	41488	163.48	724724	334.41	4799532	177.15
1971-72	419104	168.14	744616	343.61	4935670	182.18
1972-73	437539	175.54	780886	360.33	5156275	190.32
1973-74	440476	176.71	865861	399.54	5270577	194.54
1974-75	442327	177.46	936042	431.92	5359289	197.81
1975-76	437741	175.62	907896	418.93	5285357	195.08
1976-77	415006	171.66	1003665	463.85	5353681	197.61
1977-78	40552	176.94	1088166	503.24	5493758	202.76
1978-79	434079	174.29	1197403	554.62	5538132	204.42
1979-80	431622	173.12	1265007	582.94	5581279	206.02
1980-81	438395	171.80	1310671	606.48	5594666	206.46

TABLE No. 3.11

**District-wise percentage of distribution of Boys and Girls:
in Schools 1980-81**

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Revenue District</i>	<i>Boys</i>		<i>Girls</i>		<i>Total No.</i>
		<i>No.</i>	<i>Percentage</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Percentage</i>	
1.	Trivandrum	273388	51.20	260547	48.80	5333935
2.	Quilon	327328	51.32	310434	48.68	6337762
3.	Alleppey	273874	51.59	256938	48.41	5330812
4.	Kottayam	199107	50.12	198094	49.88	397201
5.	Idukki	96315	51.25	91599	48.75	187914
6.	Ernakulam	289290	50.99	278024	49.01	5667314
7.	Trichur	298888	51.29	283801	48.71	582689
8.	Palghat	213806	53.10	188805	46.90	402611
9.	Malappuram	273750	52.53	247376	47.47	5621125
10.	Kozhikode	322917	52.14	896333	47.86	619250
11.	Cannanore	323661	52.70	290391	47.30	614052
Kerala		2892324	51.69	2702342	48.31	5594666

TABLE No. 3.12

Number of students in Basic Training Schools in 1961-62 to 1978-79

<i>Year</i>	<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>	<i>Total</i>
1961-62	3830	3205	7035
1962-63	4404	3999	8403
1963-64	4910	5818	10728
1964-65	5200	7557	12757
1965-66	5222	8630	13852
1966-67	5288	9238	14526
1967-68	4623	8865	13488
1968-69	3523	7064	10587
1969-70	2660	4255	6915
1970-71	1747	2459	4206
1971-72	1239	907	2146
1972-73	N.A.	N.A.	1720
1973-74	N.A.	N.A.	1720
1974-75	No selection		
1975-76			
1976-77			
1977-78	812	1508	2320
1978-79	1560	3520	5080

TABLE No. 3.13
Standard-wise strength of Pupils in Schools from 1956-57 to 1980-81

<i>Year</i>	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	Total
1956-57	551896	486442	408499	353853	300667	155805	128581	106814	86184	72804	57726	2709901
1957-58	590900	476135	419731	361797	292380	191707	148312	113753	86678	64833	67477	2813703
1958-59	615523	516559	431936	391549	331063	211830	174081	144478	99156	75692	44759	3036626
1959-60	581589	539850	462207	416190	361035	235489	188336	141929	103075	76619	26203	3132522
1960-61	595276	539204	479044	443081	375160	271733	235910	153555	103359	73979		3270301
1961-62	645965	540824	476884	445576	350548	300085	281506	227340	114572	74452		3457752
1962-63	657318	568098	500733	457987	373065	309082	265219	239158	170449	80957		3622066
1963-64	674731	592633	529657	474205	289433	327287	275671	249676	191879	113264		3818436
1964-65	745857	613256	561136	502727	388734	334006	279049	247889	204535	132912		4010101
1965-66	756337	669189	574931	520725	405669	334823	291019	248127	210760	156256		4167836
1966-67	785417	681129	618557	540723	423588	346351	292914	263290	218345	158324		4328638
1967-68	783297	698002	637756	561978	440757	360095	308979	274137	226905	165731		4452637
1968-69	797279	695577	650906	583019	482668	376510	316861	290085	240489	171810		4615204
1969-70	791867	706260	657269	613653	496219	399276	324819	298112	251397	159781		4698653
1970-71	800470	715421	668931	623723	512563	414988	338712	308697	259480	156547		4799532

1971-72	841163	718133	675615	636691	528180	431544	359698	323160	263925	157561	4935670
1972-73	686205	962373	697088	643900	558797	455602	371424	347847	276923	156116	5156275
1973-74	646431	725336	879316	667761	560774	494388	430740	288768	354068	223025	5270577
1974-75	659372	677513	704627	826702	584777	507604	462652	368533	229089	338420	5359289
1975-76	634149	670164	650727	605777	705706	528198	472650	406948	321036	179912	5285357
1976-77	676467	660494	633493	637635	626719	623244	491964	409685	355017	238963	5353681
1977-78	694140	690345	637053	628553	591694	581964	581843	441370	376073	270723	5493758
1978-79	655365	703332	658317	626988	579636	554015	563076	510122	401511	285770	5538132
1979-80	654737	674163	670633	648336	580585	545737	542081	503545	457858	303604	5581279
1980-81	631033	661485	645563	654949	601612	551620	537733	493338	467392	349941	5594666

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Note: Data for 1956-57 to 1971-72 are based on Administration Report.

(2) Data for 1970-71 to 1980-81 are based on sixth working day enrolment statistics.

SECTION IV

TABLE No. 4.1

Results of S.S.L.C Examination 1962 to 1980

<i>Year</i>	<i>Percentage of Passes</i>
1962 March	36.7
1963 ,,	48.4
1964 ,,	47.0
1965 ,,	41.3
1966 ,,	37.8
1967 ,,	40.0
1968 ,,	38.4
1969 ,,	40.9
1970 ,,	37.9
1971 April	36.8
1972 ,,	37.0
1973 ,,	29.3
1974 ,,	29.1
1975 ,,	29.5
1976 ,,	35.0
1977 ,,	40.7
1978 ,,	42.3
1979 ,,	43.1
1980 March	42.2

TABLE No. 4.2

Analysis of S.S.L.C. Examination March 1980 - District-wise Rank List

Rank No.	Educational Distric	Percentage of Pass			Total
		Government School	Private School	Private Unaided	
1.	Palai	42.16	61.88	100	57.65
2.	Muvattupuzha	49.18	56.79	100	56.08
3.	Kottayam	38.89	58.92	98.09	54.47
4.	Kasaragode	49.71	58.68	100	53.57
5.	Idukki	35.78	58.48	100	49.78
6.	Kanjirappally	30.21	54.84	..	54.84
7.	Cannanore	42.41	54.58	..	49.19
8.	Trichur	32.91	48.66	99.20	48.89
9.	Alwaye	37.26	50.44	95.99	48.77
10.	Irinjalakuda	36.16	51.86	100	47.28
11.	Tellicherry	44.56	43.64	..	43.95
12.	Thiruvalla	44.38	42.82	100	43.56
13.	Ernakulam	35.04	46.54	100	43.10
14.	Wynad	32.88	55.90	..	39.97
15.	Trivandrum	37.14	39.60	97.28	39.67
16.	Pathanamthitta	33.88	27.43	..	37.82
17.	Vleppey	25.66	43.18	..	37.80
18.	Ottappalam	29.11	42.74	..	37.02
19.	Chavakkad	24.42	49.70	100	35.54
20.	Kozhikode	24.32	41.29	100	34.49
21.	Malappuram	29.56	39.83	83.18	33.33
22.	Palghat	32.74	29.75	80.99	31.51
23.	Mavelikkara	28.76	31.68	..	30.98
24.	Badagara	27.33	33.12	100	30.85
25.	Kottarakkara	27.59	31.53	100	30.25
26.	Quilon	24.80	32.63	100	29.87
27.	Tirur	21.67	36.60	..	28.10
28.	Attingal	25.35	25.10	..	25.26
29.	Neyyattinkara	26.90	22.04	100	24.18

TABLE No. 4.3

**Percentage of pass in S.S.L.C. Examination conducted in March 1921
(Sex-wise and Educational District-wise)**

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Educational District</i>	<i>Percentage</i>	
		<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>
1.	Kasaragode	54.00	52.94
2.	Cannanore	51.46	46.79
3.	Tellicherry	43.92	43.98
4.	Badagara	33.59	27.57
5.	Wynad	39.18	40.78
6.	Kozhikode	30.93	36.45
7.	Malappuram	34.74	31.46
8.	Tirur	28.48	27.53
9.	Ottappalam	35.60	38.56
10.	Palghat	28.05	36.18
11.	Chavakkad	30.24	41.40
12.	Trichur	39.83	50.59
13.	Irinjalakuda	42.19	51.78
14.	Ernakulam	37.05	48.45
15.	Alwaye	45.03	53.83
16.	Muvattupuzha	55.38	56.58
17.	Idukki	47.76	51.52
18.	Palai	52.85	60.87
19.	Kottayam	50.58	57.97
20.	Kanjirappally	48.19	50.86
21.	Thiruvalla	43.33	43.72
22.	Alleppey	36.85	38.91
23.	Mavelikara	28.95	33.22
24.	Pathanamthitta	39.36	36.51
25.	Quilon	26.29	33.77
26.	Kottarakara	29.20	32.74
27.	Attingal	23.01	27.55
28.	Trivandrum	36.28	43.21
29.	Neyyattinkara	21.05	27.70

SECTION V

TABLE No. 5.1

Comparative Distribution of Teachers, School-wise

(Figures in thousands)

School	1977-78			1978-79			1979-80 (Quick estimate)		
	Govt.	Put.	Total	Govt.	Put.	Total	Govt.	Put.	Total
Hligh and Traiing Schools	24.3	39.1	63.4	25.8	42.3	68.1	27.3	43.9	71.2
U. P. Schools	17.6	31.2	48.8	18.4	33.7	52.1	18.1	32.9	51.0
L. P. Schools	23.0	32.0	55.0	23.2	30.8	54.0	22.8	30.7	53.5
All Schools	64.9	102.3	167.2	67.4	106.8	174.2	68.2	107.5	175.7

TABLE No. 5.2

**Teachers in Kerala 1979-80 - District-wise & Management-wise
(Provisional)**

District	Government	Private	Total
1. Erivadrum	9621	6799	16420
2. Quiloi	9162	11637	20799
3. Alleppey	6113	10936	17049
4. Kottaram	4267	8893	13160
5. Idukki	2381	3189	5570
6. Ernakulan	6235	11252	17487
7. Trichur	5706	13172	18878
8. Palghat	4487	7723	12210
9. Malappuram	6935	8645	15580
10. Kozhikode	6042	11922	17964
11. Cannanore	7283	13357	20640
Total	68232	107525	175757

TABLE No. 5.3

Teachers in Kerala (1978-79) Section-wise and Management-wise

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Section</i>	<i>Government</i>	<i>Aided</i>	<i>Unaided</i>	<i>Total</i>
1	H.S. Section	15123	25440	718	41281
2	Training Section	193	272	..	465
3	U.P. Section	20046	37033	305	57584
4	L. P. Section	32074	42221	620	74915
	Total	67436	104966	1843	174245

TABLE No. 5.4

Teachers in Kerala (1978-79) (School-wise and Sex-wise)

	<i>Section</i>	<i>Men</i>	<i>Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
I	High Schools:			
	H. S. Section	21074	20207	41281
	U. P. Section	10258	13084	23342
	L. P. Section	900	1493	2393
	Total	32232	34784	67016
II	U. P. Schools:			
	U. P. Section	17364	16552	33916
	L. P. Section	8162	10056	18218
	Total	25526	26608	52134
III	L. P. Schools:			
	L. P. Section	25166	28816	53982
	Total	25166	28816	53982
IV	Training Schools:			
	Training Section	282	183	465
	U. P. Section	140	186	326
	L. P. Section	84	238	322
	Total	506	607	1113
	Grand Total	89430	90815	174245

TABLE No. 5.5

Specialist Teachers in Kerala As on 1-6-1979

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>District</i>	<i>Physical Instructors</i>	<i>Craft</i>	<i>Music</i>	<i>Sewing</i>	<i>Drawing</i>	<i>Others</i>	<i>Total</i>
1	Trivandrum	373	205	369	525	318	30	1820
2	Quilon	461	217	335	701	384	45	2143
3	Alleppey	334	202	279	429	314	129	1687
4	Idukki	91	34	27	70	40	..	262
5	Kottayam	211	127	147	437	223	34	1279
6	Ernakulam	382	158	260	360	204	39	1403
7	Trichur	354	258	233	273	228	111	1457
8	Palghat	170	74	77	107	122	40	590
9	Malappuram	154	104	40	90	115	83	576
10	Calicut	239	202	65	165	189	71	981
11	Cannanore	230	259	90	242	218	39	1078
Total		3099	1840	1912	2399	2355	621	13226

TABLE No. 5.6

Teachers in Kerala over the years (Section-wise —1961-62 to 1978-79)

<i>Year</i>	<i>H.S. and Training Section</i>	<i>U. P. Section</i>	<i>L. P. Section</i>	<i>Total</i>
1961-62	15901	35084	63996	114981
1962-63	19679	32739	63540	115958
1963-64	19929	35081	62131	117141
1964-65	21192	36244	63862	121298
1965-66	22496	37756	64570	124822
1966-67	24334	38886	66028	129248
1967-68	25036	40452	67424	132912
1968-69	25692	41696	68054	135442
1969-70	26392	43065	68813	138270
1970-71	28471	44140	69694	142305
1971-72	29170	44731	72233	146434
1972-73	30723	45495	74550	150768
1973-74	31912	47392	74278	153582
1974-75	33335	49173	76275	158783
1975-76	34846	51657	75882	162385
1976-77	36352	52369	75487	164218
1977-78	37405	53322	76474	167201
1978-79	41746	57584	74915	174245

SECTION VI

TABLE No. 6.1

Estimates of Expenditure on School Education 1979-80 & 1980-81

(Rs. in lakhs)

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Item of expenditure</i>	1979-80 (R.E)	1980-81 (B.E)
I	(a) Government primary school	2755.31	46465.43
	(b) Private primary school	6511.50	57177.00
	Total	9266.81	103833.43
II	(a) Government secondary schools	1481.71	18133.10
	(b) Private secondary schools	2466.15	26088.20
	Total	3947.86	44211.30
III	Special education;		
	(a) Sanskrit	22.48	233.72
	(b) Other languages	74.11	800.25
	(c) Adult education	76.07	811.09
	Total	172.66	1835.06
IV	(a) Direction and administration	229.92	2566.65
	(b) Inspection	194.85	2088.66
	Total	415.77	4655.31
V	(a) Research	16.38	115.41
	(b) Training	37.54	441.73
	Total	53.92	557.14
VI	Scholarship	56.38	661.43
VII	Minimum needs programme	913.75	9777.48
VIII	(a) Development of physical education	7.00	113.50
	(b) Youth welfare & youth festival	2.25	2.50
IX	Others	533.17	5665.75
	Grand Total	15369.57	171112.90

R. E.—Revenue Estimate

B.E.—Budget Estimate.

TABLE No. 6.2

Cost per Pupil in Primary and Secondary Stages of Education

Year	Primary			Secondary		
	Expenditure	Enrolment	Cost per pupil	Expenditure	Enrolment	Cost per pupil
1965-66	17569970.82	3552693	48.29	55522550.34	615143	90.25
1966-67	1981293.25	3688679	54.16	66339798.17	639959	103.66
1967-68	24350783.93	3784026	65.10	86709001.60	666773	130.04
1968-69	26532977.36	3912820	72.97	98130339.36	702384	139.71
1969-70	3263600.42	3989363	82.37	116386869.90	709290	164.08
1970-71	35016597.78	4074803	85.90	127721009.08	724724	176.23
1971-72	37520201.75	4191533	90.06	140505914.86	744646	188.68
1972-73	3974230.00	4261922	92.85	146640748.00	758022	193.45
1973-74	451850793.59	4295650	105.65	172157754.15	8.31 lakhs	195.41
1974-75	60852189.99	4309856	139.87	282221988.38	9.16 "	308.10
1975-76	7284460.78	4202720	173.18	319837190.91	9.5. "	336.67
1976-77	79288277.00	4171783	191.59	333782314.00	1021800	326.66
1977-78	80196162.00	4278242	188.76	346604653.00	1071026	323.61

TABLE NO. 6.3

Budgeted Expenditure (Revenue Account) on Education—(Education and other Departments) 1978-79

States	Total Budgeted Expenditure (Revenue)	Per Capita Budgeted Expenditure (in Rs.)	Percentage of Expenditure on Education to Total Budget (Revenue)
1 Andhra Pradesh	202.13	40.6	27.2
2 Assam	64.19	34.0	25.7
3 Bihar	168.34	25.6	31.2
4 Gujarat	158.75	50.0	27.6
5 Haryana	58.30	48.8	21.0
6 Himachal Pradesh	32.59	80.0	23.7
7 Jammu & Kashmir	30.70	53.9	15.5
8 Karnataka	164.40	47.9	25.1
9 Kerala	184.25	75.5	38.9
10 Madhya Pradesh	161.98	31.8	24.2
11 Maharashtra	282.27	48.0	21.4
12 Manipur	9.88	71.6	17.6
13 Meghalaya	7.18	57.2	16.9
14 Nagaland	8.45	125.9	14.2
15 Orissa	94.81	36.4	23.8
16 Punjab	101.81	65.6	27.0
17 Rajasthan	122.02	38.3	24.2
18 Sikkim	2.31	94.0	10.1
19 Tamil Nadu	206.67	44.8	28.4
20 Tripura	12.78	64.3	21.6
21 Uttar Pradesh	308.36	30.2	26.3
22 West Bengal	205.25	38.3	24.8
India (States and Union Territories)	2683.17	41.5	25.6

Source: A Handbook of Educational and Allied Statistics—Ministry of Education & Culture, Government of India.

SECTION VII

TABLE No. 7.1

**Area and Population and Density of Kerala 1971
(District-wise)**

District	Area in Sq. km.	Population (in lakhs)			Density per Sq. km.
		Person	Male	Female	
Trivandrum	2192.0	21.29	13.95	11.04	1003
Quilon	4623.0	24.13	12.06	12.07	522
Alleppey	1884.0	21.26	10.48	10.78	1126
Kottayam	6389.0	20.85	10.55	10.30	326
Ernakulam	3271.0	23.83	12.02	11.81	729
Trichur	3032.0	21.29	10.23	11.06	702
Palghat	4400.0	16.80	8.19	8.66	383
Malappuram	3638.0	18.56	9.09	9.47	510
Kozhikode	3729.0	21.06	10.58	10.48	565
Canmanore	5706.0	23.65	11.72	11.93	415
State	38864.0	213.47	105.87	107.60	549

TABLE No. 7.2

District-wise percentage of literacy

District	Percentage of literates	
	1961	1971
Trivandrum	45.30	62.23
Quilon	50.49	63.41
Alleppey	56.90	70.25
Kottayam	56.56	67.59
Ernakulam	50.58	65.25
Trichur	48.16	61.58
Palghat	33.69	46.50
Malappuram	34.29	47.74
Kozhikode	44.88	57.59
Canmanore	41.29	54.69
Kerala	46.85	60.42

TABLE NO. 7.3

Literacy in Indian States

Sl. No.	State	Percentage of literacy	
		1961	1971
1	Andhra Pradesh	21.2	24.56
2	Assam	27.4	29.81
3	Bihar	18.4	19.79
4	Gujarat	30.5	35.72
5	Haryana	..	26.69
6	Himachal Pradesh	..	31.32
7	Jammu & Kashmir	11.0	18.30
8	Kerala	48.8	60.42
9	Madhya Pradesh	17.1	22.12
10	Maharashtra	29.8	39.08
11	Mysore	26.4	31.54
12	Nagaland	..	27.33
13	Orissa	21.7	26.12
14	Punjab	24.2	33.39
15	Rajasthan	15.2	18.79
16	Tamil Nadu	31.4	39.39
17	Uttar Pradesh	17.6	21.64
18	West Bengal	29.3	33.05
	India	24.2	29.32

Source:—Census Records

Note:—The States of Haryana, Himachal Pradesh and Nagaland were formed only after 1961.

Kerala has the distinction of having the highest percentage of literacy among the States in India.

SECTION VIII

TABLE No. 8.1

Wastage in School Education 1970-71 to 1979-80 Batch (Total)

Year	Standard	Enrolment	<i>Index of pupils retained</i>	<i>Cumulative percentage of wastage</i>
1970-71	I	800470	1000	..
1971-72	II	718133	897	11.3
1972-73	III	697088	871	12.9
1973-74	IV	667761	834	16.6
1974-75	V	584777	730	27.0
1975-76	VI	528198	660	34.0
1976-77	VII	491964	614	38.6
1977-78	VIII	441370	555	44.9
1978-79	IX	401511	502	49.8
1979-80	X	303604	379	62.1
S.S.L.C. Examination in March 1980	No. appeared	298786	373	62.7
	No. passed	118601	148	85.2

TABLE No. 8.2

Wastage in School Education 1970-71 to 1979-80 Batch (Boys)

Year	Standard	Enrolment	<i>Index of pupils retained</i>	<i>Cumulative % of wastage</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1970-71	I	420693	1000	..
1971-72	II	383534	912	8.8
1972-73	III	365207	868	13.2
1973-74	IV	349315	830	17.0
1974-75	V	309754	736	26.4
1975-76	VI	280352	666	33.4
1976-77	VII	260717	620	38.0
1977-78	VIII	234628	558	44.2
1978-79	IX	209507	498	50.2
1979-80	X	154240	367	63.3
S.S.L.C. Examination March 1980	No. appeared	151521	360	64.0
	No. passed	56496	134	86.6

TABLE No. 8.3

Wastage in School Education 1970-71 to 1979-80 Batch (Girls)

<i>Year</i>	<i>Standard</i>	<i>Enrolment</i>	<i>Index of pupils retained</i>	<i>Cumulative percentage of wastage</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1970-71	I	379777	1000	..
1971-72	II	334603	881	11.9
1972-73	III	331881	874	12.6
1973-74	IV	318446	839	16.1
1974-75	V	275023	724	27.6
1975-76	VI	247846	653	34.7
1976-77	VII	231247	609	39.1
1977-78	VIII	206742	544	45.6
1978-79	IX	192004	506	49.4
1979-80	X	149364	393	60.7
S.S.L.C. Examination	No. appeared	147265	388	61.2
March 1980	No. Passed	62105	164	83.6

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