

SRI LANKA

1.	Total Population 2009	20,303,477
2.	Rural Population (as a % of total population), 2011	85.69
3.	Economically Active in Agriculture (as a % of population aged 15-64), 2011	42.18
4.	Female Adult Literacy Rates (15 and over) as a % in 2008	89
5.	Male Adult Literacy Rates (15 and over) as a % in 2008	92
6.	Female Net Enrolment Ratio (NER) and Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER)- Primary Education as a % for School year ending 2008	99 / 102
7.	Male Net Enrolment Ratio (NER) and Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER)- Primary Education as a % for School year ending 2008	99 / 101
8.	Primary Dropouts, All Grades for School year ending in 2007 (%)	2
9.	Primary School Age Population 2008	1,608,000
10.	Out-of-School Primary-Aged Children for School year ending 2008	8,000
11.	Out-of-School Primary-Aged Children for School year ending 2008 % Female	16
12.	Female Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER) - Secondary Education as a % for School year ending 2008	N/A
13.	Male Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER) - Secondary Education as a % for School year ending 2008	N/A
14.	Female Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER) - Tertiary Education as a % for School year ending 2009	N/A
15.	Male Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER) - Tertiary Education as a % for School year ending 2009	N/A
16.	15-24 Age Group Population	3,329,000
17.	15-24 Age Group Population not in Tertiary Education or Employed as a %	53.7
18.	Total Public Expenditure on Education as a % of GNP 2008	N/A
19.	Total Primary School Teachers needed by 2015	58,974
20.	Total Recruitment of Primary School teachers to reach UPE by 2015	75,437
21.	Total Additional Primary School Teachers Required by 2015	-9,140
22.	Mobile cellular subscriptions per 100 inhabitants 2010	83.22
23.	Fixed Broadband Internet subscribers per 100 inhabitants 2010	1.09
24.	Mobile Broadband Internet subscribers per 100 inhabitants 2010	9.55
25.	Households with Internet Access 2010	5.89
26.	Households with a Computer 2010	12.28

Ministry of Education	<p><u>Vision:</u> To reach excellence in global society through competent citizens who share the Sri Lankan identity.</p> <p><u>Mission:</u> Develop competent citizens keeping with the global trends through innovative and modern approaches to education leading to efficiency, equity and high quality in performance ensuring stakeholder satisfaction.</p>
Ministry of Higher Education	<p><u>Vision:</u> "To be the most cost effective education hub in Asia.</p> <p><u>Mission:</u> To delight Students, the Industry, Staff and other Focal Stake Holders of the Higher Education System of Sri Lanka through Formulating, Implementing and Delivering results in Effective and Efficient manner through Participatory Approach to produce the best Human Capital, Researchers, Entrepreneurs and Innovative Solutions to make Sri Lanka "The Wonder of Asia".</p>
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Skills Development	<p><u>Vision:</u> Globally Employable Empowered Youth</p> <p><u>Mission</u> "Making available of effective policy environment and institutional framework enabling the youth to acquire necessary skills, knowledge and attitudes to become productive citizens"</p>
Open Universities/Colleges/Schools	<p>The Open University of Sri Lanka (OUSL)</p> <p>Open School, NIE (Sri Lanka)</p>
Quality Assurance Agencies	<p>Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission (TVEC)</p> <p>Quality Assurance & Accreditation Council</p>
Policies/Plans/Frameworks/Acts	<p>Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission corporate plan 2010-2014</p> <p>New vision for education 2010: progress and proposed programmes – 2011 (2010)</p> <p>National Policy Framework on Higher Education and Technical & Vocational Education – Summary of policy recommendations (June 2010)</p> <p>Reorienting TVET Policy towards Education for Sustainable Development (2009)</p> <p>Technical Education Development Project (TEDP) (2008)</p> <p>Education for economic development and prosperity (2007)</p> <p>National policy on information and technology in school education (NAPITSE) (2005)</p> <p>Education for All National Action Plan: Sri Lanka (2004)</p> <p>eSri Lanka</p>
Ministry of Agriculture	Vision

	<p>Strong Foods, spices and allied crop sector for national prosperity.</p> <p>Mission Significant contribute to achieve national prosperity by formulating and implementing policies and legislation, providing guidance and coordination of the stakeholders in a timely and professional manner for efficient and effective performance of the food, spices and allied crop sector.</p>
Ministry of Healthcare & Nutrition	<p>Vision: A healthier nation that contributes to its economic, social, mental and spiritual development.</p> <p>Mission: To contribute to social and economic development of Sri Lanka by achieving the highest attainable health status through promotive, preventive, curative and rehabilitative services of high quality made available and accessible to people of Sri Lanka.</p>
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