

2024 Fact Sheet



on Women and Men in the Philippines

EDUCATION



Indicator	Women	Men	Ref. period	Source		
* Functional Literacy Rate (%) for 10-64 Years Old	92.9	90.2	2019	FLEMMS, PSA		
* Basic Literacy Rate (%) for 10 Years and Over	97.1	95.9				
* Completion Rate (as of January 2024)				EBEIS, DEPED		
Elementary (Grade 1 to Grade 6)	99.8	99.3				
Secondary (Grade 7 to Grade 12)	84.8	81.4				
* School Leaver Rate (as of January 2024)						
Elementary (Grade 1 to Grade 6)	0.03	0.11	S.Y. 2022-2023			
Secondary (Grade 7 to Grade 12)	2.7	3.3				
* Net Enrollment Rate (as of January 2024)						
Elementary (Grade 1 to Grade 6)	88.5	86.9				
Secondary (Grade 7 to Grade 12)	87.3	81.1				
Distribution of the Population 6 Years Old and Over by Highest Educational Attainment (%) a/			2021	LFS, PSA b/		
No Grade Completed	4.1	4.4				
Elementary Undergraduate	18.7	22.5				
Elementary Graduate	10.3	10.9				
Junior High School Undergraduate	14.6	15.9				
Junior High School Completed	20.7	19.7				
Senior High School Undergraduate	2.3	2.1				
Senior High School Completed	2.5	2.5				
Post Secondary Undergraduate	0.7	0.7				
Post Secondary Graduate	2.7	2.8				
College Undergraduate	9.0	7.9				
College Graduate	14.5	10.5				







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* Most Common Field of Study Enrolled in Tertiary Education b/ (as of January 30, 2023) c/	Business Administration and Related	Business Administration and Related	Academic Year . (A.Y.) 2021-2022	
* Enrolment in Tertiary Education b/ (as of January 30, 2023) c/	2,572,137	1,871,080		
STEAM d/	871,026	931,336		
Non-STEAM/Others	1,701,111	939,744		
* Tertiary Education Graduates, by Top 5 Discipline (as of January 30, 2023) c/	HEMIS, CHED			
Business Administration and Related Studies	53,355	33,263	AY 2020-2021	
Education Science and Teacher Training	52,615	19,224		
Engineering and Tech	17,036	33,719		
IT-Related Disciplines	12,437	19,294		
Medical and Allied	17,383	7,493		
* Most Commonly Enrolled Program among Sectors of Technical Vocational Education and Training (TVET) (as of February 17, 2024)	Tourism (Hotel and Restaurant)	Agriculture Forestry and Fishery	2023	TESDA e/
* Number of Certified Persons of TVET (as of February 17, 2024)	459,923	512,409		
* Number of TVET graduates (as of February 17, 2024)	751,592	677,132		

Notes:

- * indicator(s) is/are part of the updated Philippine Core GAD Indicators. More information on the Updated Philippine Core GAD is accessible through this link https://psa.gov.ph/psa-board-4
- a/ Highest Education Attainment categories were based on the Republic Act 10533 "Enhanced Basic Education Act of 2013" known as K 12 Program of Department of Education.
- b/ These estimates were based on the average monthly estimates from January to December 2021 Labor Force Survey.
- c/Based on the submissions of Higher Education Institutions, as compiled by Office of Planning, Research, and Knowledge Management.
- d/ STEAM -Science, Technology, Engineering, Agri/fisheries, Mathematics.
- e/Data compiled on TESDA Information Communication Technology Office.

Data Source:

EBEIS - Enhanced Basic Education Information System FLEMMS - Functional Literacy, Education, and Mass Media Survey HEMIS - Higher Education Management Information System LFS - Labor Force Survey

Data Agency:

CHED - Commission on Higher Education
DepEd - Department of Education
PSA - Philippine Statistics Authority
TESDA - Technical Education and Skills Development Authority



