

Education

17.1 Population aged 7 years and older attending educational institutions by type of institution and province, 1999 (thousands)

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Educational institution	Eastern Cape	Free State	Gauteng	KwaZulu- Natal	Mpuma- langa	Northern Cape	Northern Province	North West	Western Cape	Total
School	2 432	873	1 683	2 818	974	222	2 141	1 035	929	13 106
University	30	18	109	46	12	3*	25	17	33	293
Tednikon	24	12	71	45	14	3*	14	16	23	222
College	25	17	68	55	15	4*	19	16	20	240
Adult basic education and training	8*	5*	6*	3*	4*	1*	9*	5*	2*	45
Other adult education classes	2*	4*	6*	4*	5*	0*	4*	3*	5*	34
Other than any of the above	8*	1*	3*	10*	3*	1*	3*	2*	4*	35
None	3 089	1 508	4 894	4 581	1 490	520	2 130	1 934	2 576	22 721
Total	5 631	2 441	6 854	7 573	2 517	757	4 345	3 036	3 595	36 750

Source: Stats SA, *October household survey 1999* (Release P0317)

* Sample size too small for reliable estimates

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17.2 Level of education completed by population aged 20 years and older, by population group and gender, 1999 (thousands)

	Gr 0-3	Gr 4-7	Gr 8-9	Gr 10-12	NTC I	NTC II	NTC III	Diploma/ Gr 11 or lower	Diploma/ Gr 12 or lower	Degree/ Higher
African										
Male	550	1 941	1 334	2 775	9*	6*	16	49	222	145
Female	592	2 189	1 471	2 881	8*	5*	12	72	314	125
Coloured										
Male	53	239	202	350	2*	3*	6*	11	30	21
Female	50	298	257	349	1*	-	-	13	47	15
Indian										
Male	1*	25	47	184	-	1*	4*	1*	24	25
Female	11	48	63	163	-	-	-	3*	21	23
White										
Male	1*	20	92	805	5*	12	52	41	160	305
Female	4*	31	129	982	2*	1*	4*	44	211	222
Total										
Male	606	2 227	1 675	4 114	16	22	78	104	439	497
Female	658	2 565	1 920	4 375	11	6*	17	133	594	385

Source: Stats SA, *October household survey 1999* (Release P0317)

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- No respondents

The totals include other and unspecified levels of education and population group.

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17.3 Population aged 20 years and older able to read and/or write in at least one language, by type of area and gender, 1999 (thousands)

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	Male	Female	Total
Urban			
Number of people who can read at least one language	6 604	6 824	13 438
Number of people who can write at least one language	6 576	6 776	13 361
Non-urban			
Number of people who can read at least one language	3 314	3 828	7 143
Number of people who can write at least one language	3 280	3 796	7 077
South Africa			
Number of people who can read at least one language	9 918	10 652	20 581
Number of people who can write at least one language	9 856	10 572	20 438

Source: Stats SA, *October household survey 1999* (Release P3017)

