

The number of pupils in the several educational institutions in 1896-97 were as follows:—

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS, QUEBEC, 1896-97.

INSTITUTIONS.	Boys.	Girls.	Roman Catholics.	Protestants.	Total.	Average Attendance of Pupils.
<i>Roman Catholic Schools.</i>						
Elementary . . . . .	83,782	85,938	169,061	704	169,765	119,924
Model schools . . . . .	29,899	34,958	64,648	209	64,857	53,420
Academies . . . . .	13,238	12,404	25,244	398	25,642	21,931
Classical colleges . . . . .	5,399	.....	5,399	.....	5,399	5,000
Normal and annexed schools . . . . .	370	244	612	2	614	526
Laval University . . . . .	281	.....	281	.....	281	†
Schools for the deaf and dumb and the blind . . . . .	*	*	454	.....	454	†
Total . . . . .	132,969	133,589	265,699	1,313	267,012	200,801
<i>Protestant Schools.</i>						
Elementary . . . . .	14,421	13,747	2,411	25,757	28,168	19,952
Model schools . . . . .	2,010	1,922	228	3,704	3,932	3,031
Academies . . . . .	2,619	2,345	338	4,626	4,964	4,074
Colleges affiliated with universities . . . . .	54	45	.....	99	99	85
Bishop's College and McGill University . . . . .	1,130	303	.....	1,233	1,233	†
Deaf and dumb school . . . . .	*	*	.....	61	61	†
Normal schools . . . . .	249	449	42	656	698	498
Total . . . . .	20,483	18,811	3,019	36,136	39,155	27,640
School of arts and manufactures . . . . .	1,038	.....	.....	.....	1,038	730
Agricultural and dairy schools . . . . .	166	190	.....	.....	356	290
Grand total . . . . .	154,512	152,668	268,718	37,449	307,280	231,196

\* Sex not given. † Not given.