

1.—Enrolment in Educational Institutions, by Provinces, School Year, 1939-40—conc.

Type of School	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Canada ⁷
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Provincially Controlled Schools—					
Ordinary and technical day schools....	134,411	205,243	163,892	120,459	2,110,055 ⁵
Evening schools.....	1,749	1,419	1,638	29,374	91,642
Correspondence schools.....	2,810	8,688	4,115	3,195	22,953
Special schools ¹	556	157	211	96	5,096
Normal schools.....	189	891	517	309	6,596
Privately Controlled Schools—					
Ordinary day schools.....	4,632	2,037	3,739	4,911	88,397
Business training schools.....	1,858	973	1,562	1,955	19,356
Dominion Indian schools.....	2,340	2,428	1,931	4,067	18,396⁶
Universities and Colleges—					
Preparatory courses.....	365	692	245	Nil	19,803
Courses of university standard.....	3,433	4,558	2,492	3,656	49,356
Other courses at university ²	1,526	2,392	30	907	53,477
Totals.....	153,869	229,478	180,422	163,929	2,485,127
Populations, 1941 ⁴	723,000	888,000	788,000	809,000	11,420,000 ⁷

¹ Schools for the blind, deaf, or mentally defective. These are boarding schools and many of the pupils are from provinces other than the one in which they are at school. ² Included with "Universities and Colleges—Preparatory courses". ³ Includes also those in the departmental summer schools for teachers in Ontario and British Columbia, not held at universities or colleges. ⁴ Preliminary figures. ⁵ Includes 295 in ordinary day schools for Yukon and the Northwest Territories. ⁶ Includes 466 in Dominion Indian schools for Yukon and the Northwest Territories. ⁷ Includes 15,000 estimated population for Yukon and the Northwest Territories.

Subsection 1.—Provincially Controlled Schools

Enrolment.—An outline of the provincial systems of school administration is given at pp. 960-962 of the 1937 Year Book. Enrolment in provincially controlled schools along with enrolment in privately controlled schools, Dominion schools, and universities and colleges is given in Table 1. A table at p. 963 of the 1937 Year Book includes the record of annual enrolment by provinces from 1911 to 1935, together with the record of average daily attendance as shown in Table 2. The record of average daily attendance is the more comparable one, as between provinces, and probably the more significant for most purposes. Both figures have been practically at a standstill, or declining, in all provinces for several years because of the annually decreasing number of younger children entering the schools.

2.—Average Daily Attendance in Provincially Controlled Schools, by Provinces, 1926-40

NOTE.—Figures for years prior to 1911 will be found at pp. 839-840 of the 1932 Year Book, and those from 1911 to 1925 at p. 963 of the 1937 edition.

Year	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Total
1926.....	11,823	80,446	58,731	448,252	512,175	106,809	152,430	108,881	85,293	1,564,840
1927.....	11,777	81,426	61,070	452,757	528,485	106,793	157,392	112,401	88,306	1,600,407
1928.....	12,123	82,591	62,205	461,228	535,691	114,270	157,207	116,245	91,760	1,633,320
1929.....	12,144	84,275	63,312	468,537	533,334	116,766	161,658	120,229	94,410	1,704,665
1930.....	12,201	85,080	65,726	478,682	592,265	117,037	169,893	129,371	96,196	1,746,451
1931.....	12,721	87,418	70,856	502,890	597,164	120,703	176,716	134,112	99,375	1,801,955
1932.....	13,119	89,513	71,423	518,921	606,867	122,843	176,916	136,711	103,510	1,839,823
1933.....	13,810	93,866	72,204	525,215	614,357	121,190	175,002	137,558	104,978	1,858,180
1934.....	13,399	93,294	72,109	542,355	611,000 ¹	120,314	175,457	139,155	103,408	1,870,491 ¹
1935.....	13,496	90,565	70,757	539,441	609,269	117,379	175,323	136,202	104,824	1,857,256
1936.....	13,140	92,279	71,132	539,675	601,758	115,671	164,104	132,725	101,873	1,832,357
1937.....	13,313	92,713	72,691	541,681	605,778	117,244	165,465	133,109	104,044	1,846,038
1938.....	13,498	93,231	73,041	549,398	607,851	116,650	173,205	135,163	106,515	1,868,552
1939.....	13,439	93,291	73,248	560,021 ²	605,501	115,655 ²	163,356	138,392	107,660	1,870,563 ²
1940.....	13,598	93,359	73,046	555,835	607,693	114,800	163,580	139,886	108,826	1,870,623

¹ Approximate.² Revised since the publication of the 1941 Year Book.