

School Information

Table 5. Number of Schools¹ by District-Region, 2012-13 to 2016-17

District-Region	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
NLES-Labrador	22	22	22	22	22
NLES-Western	71	69	68	68	65
NLES-Central**	79	79	79	79	79
NLES-Eastern	91	89	88	88	88
Conseil scolaire francophone	5	5	5	5	5
Total	268	264	262	262	259

*300160 Bayview Primary in Nipper's Harbour has remained closed since 2013-14 school year due to zero student enrolment.

*300256 H.L. Strong Academy, Little Bay Islands has remained closed since 2016-17 school year due to zero student enrolment.

There is no decision to officially close these schools in the future.

Consequently, these schools are included in the number of schools for the Central Region.

Table 6. Urban and Rural² Enrolment and Schools, by District-Region, 2016-17

District-Region	Urban				Rural				Total Schools	Total Enrolment
	Schools	% Schools	Enrolment	% Enrolment	Schools	% Schools	Enrolment	% Enrolment		
NLES-Labrador	6	27.3	2,579	71.0	16	72.7	1,053	29.0	22	3,632
NLES-Western	13	20.0	4,566	38.8	52	80.0	7,210	61.2	65	11,776
NLES-Central	17	21.5	6,831	44.4	62	78.5	8,541	55.6	79	15,372
NLES-Eastern	58	65.9	28,823	81.9	30	34.1	6,360	18.1	88	35,183
Conseil scolaire francophone	3	60.0	237	65.8	2	40.0	123	34.2	5	360
Total	97	37.5	43,036	64.9	162	62.5	23,287	35.1	259	66,323

¹ The regions have been redefined and updated for 2012-13 and onwards to reflect the changes in the regions as of September 2016 for comparative purposes. All English school districts previously known as Labrador School District, Western School District, Nova Central School District and Eastern School District merged to form the Newfoundland and Labrador English School District in September 2014.

² Urban includes cities, towns and metropolitan areas with a population of 5,000 or more. Rural includes all others.

Table 7. Number and Percentage of Schools by School Size and Median Size by District-Region, 2016-17

District-Region	Schools by School Size												Median School Size	
	<50		50-99		100-199		200-299		300-399		400 or More			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
NLES-Labrador	8	36.4	5	22.7	2	9.1	1	4.5	2	9.1	4	18.2	22	71
NLES-Western	13	20.0	10	15.4	20	30.8	12	18.5	3	4.6	7	10.8	65	151
NLES-Central	13	16.5	13	16.5	19	24.1	18	22.8	8	10.1	8	10.1	79	163
NLES-Eastern	3	3.4	6	6.8	11	12.5	15	17.0	11	12.5	42	47.7	88	369
Conseil scolaire francophone	3	60.0	1	20.0	1	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	46
Total	40	15.4	35	13.5	53	20.5	46	17.8	24	9.3	61	23.6	259	202

Table 8. Average Class Size by District-Region and Grade Level for Grades K-9, 2016-17

District-Region	K-3	4-6	7-9	K-9
NLES-Labrador	17.6	18.5	20.2	18.6
NLES-Western	16.1	17.1	19.5	17.6
NLES-Central	16.3	19.1	19.3	18.2
NLES-Eastern	19.1	21.6	23.4	21.0
Conseil scolaire francophone	11.6	11.8	9.1	11.6
Total	17.9	20.0	21.5	19.7