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FRENCH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE ENROLMENT STATISTICS

2012-2013 TO 2016-2017



NATIONAL FRENCH-SECOND-LANGUAGE ENROLMENT BY PROVINCE, GRADE AND PROGRAM

Source: Provincial and Territorial Ministries of Education

| Province/ Territory | Year | % FSL ¹ | % French Immersion ² | % Core French ³ | Total in FSL Programs | Total in French Immersion | Total in Core French | Total Eligible Students |
|----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Alberta | 2016-2017 | 30 | 6.9 | 23 | 191,880 | 44,540 | 147,340 | 639,389 |
| | 2015-2016 | 29.3 | 6.8 | 22.6 | 183,966 | 42,438 | 141,528 | 627,173 |
| | 2014-2015 | 30.4 | 6.7 | 23.7 | 186,409 | 41,225 | 145,184 | 613,122 |
| | 2013-2014 | 30.6 | 6.6 | 24.0 | 187,512 | 40,476 | 147,036 | 613,122 |
| | 2012-2013 | 32.3 | 6.7 | 25.6 | 184,600 | 38,245 | 146,355 | 571,051 |
| British Columbia | 2016-2017 | 40.9 | 9.6 | 31.3 | 226,271 | 53,196 | 173,075 | 551,935 |
| | 2015-2016 | 41.2 | 9.6 | 31.6 | 225,548 | 52,535 | 173,013 | 547,844 |
| | 2014-2015 | 41.2 | 9.2 | 32.0 | 225,678 | 50,307 | 175,371 | 547,382 |
| | 2013-2014 | 40.7 | 9.0 | 31.8 | 224,822 | 49,451 | 175,371 | 552,313 |
| | 2012-2013 | 40.5 | 8.5 | 31.9 | 226,651 | 47,849 | 178,802 | 559,788 |
| Manitoba | 2016-2017 | 45.7 | 13.6 | 32.2 | 82,154 | 24,381 | 57,773 | 179,659 |
| | 2015-2016 | 46 | 13.2 | 32.6 | 81,559 | 23,547 | 58,012 | 177,678 |
| | 2014-2015 | 45.7 | 12.9 | 32.9 | 80,729 | 22,725 | 58,004 | 176,543 |
| | 2013-2014 | 46.0 | 12.6 | 33.5 | 81,025 | 22,106 | 58,919 | 175,968 |
| | 2012-2013 | 46.5 | 12.0 | 34.5 | 81,976 | 21,214 | 60,762 | 176,337 |
| New Brunswick | 2016-2017 | 85.8 | 29 | 56.7 | 59,147 | 20,019 | 39,128 | 68,922 |
| | 2015-2016 | 85.8 | 28.5 | 57.7 | 60,061 | 19,710 | 40,351 | 69,972 |
| | 2014-2015 | 86.4 | 27.2 | 59.1 | 60,449 | 19,064 | 41,385 | 69,972 |
| | 2013-2014 | 85.3 | 26.1 | 59.2 | 60,526 | 18,498 | 42,028 | 70,935 |
| | 2012-2013 | 84.9 | 25.2 | 59.7 | 61,065 | 18,111 | 42,954 | 71,955 |
| Newfoundland & Labrador | 2016-2017 | 61.6 | 15.9 | 45.2 | 40,674 | 10,540 | 29,864 | 65,963 |
| | 2015-2016 | 60.6 | 15.3 | 45.3 | 40,289 | 10,186 | 30,103 | 66,455 |
| | 2014-2015 | 61.4 | 15.2 | 46.2 | 41,129 | 10,190 | 30,939 | 66,935 |
| | 2013-2014 | 58.9 | 14.4 | 44.5 | 39,514 | 9,681 | 29,833 | 67,080 |
| | 2012-2013 | 58.6 | 13.6 | 45.0 | 39,405 | 9,118 | 30,287 | 67,256 |
| Nova Scotia | 2016-2017 | 63.8 | 16.6 | 47.2 | 58,397 | 15,180 | 43,217 | 91,548 |
| | 2015-2016 | 46.2 | 13.3 | 32.9 | 59,175 | 15,016 | 44,159 | 112,686 |
| | 2014-2015 | 52.7 | 13.4 | 39.3 | 60,111 | 15,248 | 44,863 | 114,143 |
| | 2013-2014 ⁴ | | | | | | | |
| | 2012-2013 | 52.8 | 13.0 | 38.2 | 62,393 | 15,310 | 47,083 | 118,212 |
| Northwest Territories | 2016-2017 | 31.3 | 10.8 | 20.5 | 2,580 | 889 | 1,691 | 8,228 |
| | 2015-2016 | 31.1 | 10.2 | 20.9 | 2,538 | 833 | 1,705 | 8,153 |
| | 2014-2015 | 31.0 | 9.7 | 21.3 | 2,512 | 783 | 1,729 | 8,102 |
| | 2013-2014 | 31.2 | 9.1 | 22.1 | 2,494 | 726 | 1,768 | 7,984 |
| | 2012-2013 | 30.6 | 8.5 | 22.1 | 2,506 | 698 | 1,808 | 8,179 |

1 Includes all French immersion and core French programs.

2 Includes Early, Middle and Late French immersion programs.

3 Includes Regular, Extended, and Expanded core French, intensive French, Post-intensive French, and Enriched French programs.

4 NS 2013-2014 data not available.

| Province/ Territory | Year | % FSL ¹ | % French Immersion ² | % Core French ³ | Total in FSL Programs | Total in French Immersion | Total in Core French | Total Eligible Students |
|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Nunavut ⁵ | 2016-2017 | 1.8 | | 1.8 | 158 | | 158 | 8,946 |
| | 2015-2016 | 1.7 | | 1.7 | 147 | | 147 | 8,611 |
| | 2014-2015 | 2.1 | | 2.1 | 125 | | 125 | 8,550 |
| | 2013-2014 | 2.1 | | 2.1 | 103 | | 103 | 8,150 |
| | 2012-2013 | 1.4 | | 1.4 | 133 | | 133 | 9,648 |
| Ontario | 2016-2017 | 51.9 | 12 | 39.8 | 985,970 | 229,062 | 756,908 | 1,900,995 |
| | 2015-2016 | 51.8 | 11.3 | 40.6 | 979,269 | 212,714 | 766,555 | 1,889,940 |
| | 2014-2015 | 51.4 | 10.5 | 40.9 | 978,091 | 200,258 | 777,833 | 1,901,399 |
| | 2013-2014 | 51.1 | 9.8 | 41.6 | 984,628 | 187,741 | 796,887 | 1,914,844 |
| | 2012-2013 | 50.3 | 9.1 | 41.3 | 972,208 | 174,895 | 797,313 | 1,932,498 |
| | Prince Edward Island | 2016-2017 | 60.6 | 25.8 | 34.7 | 11,599 | 4,948 | 6,651 |
| 2015-2016 | | 59.55 | 25.5 | 34.0 | 11,220 | 4,806 | 6,414 | 18,842 |
| 2014-2015 | | 58.6 | 24.4 | 34.1 | 11,194 | 4,672 | 6,522 | 19,113 |
| 2013-2014 | | 57.7 | 23.2 | 34.5 | 11,139 | 4,482 | 6,657 | 19,317 |
| 2012-2013 | | 54.0 | 22.5 | 33.8 | 11,018 | 4,391 | 6,627 | 19,577 |
| Quebec ⁶ | | 2016-2017 | | | | | | |
| | 2015-2016 | 100.0 | 32.0 | 68.0 | 97,277 | 31,098 | 66,179 | 97,277 |
| | 2014-2015 | 100.0 | 31.8 | 68.2 | 97,997 | 31,177 | 66,820 | 97,997 |
| | 2013-2014 | 100.0 | 31.7 | 68.3 | 99,450.0 | 31,560 | 67,890 | 99,450 |
| | 2012-2013 | 100.0 | 36.5 | 64.4 | 100,812 | 36,489 | 64,323 | 99,850 |
| | Saskatchewan ⁷ | 2016-2017 | 27.3 | 8.1 | 19.2 | 48,679 | 14,550 | 34,129 |
| 2015-2016 | | 28.7 | 7.9 | 20.8 | 50,210 | 13,868 | 36,423 | 174,698 |
| 2014-2015 | | 28.8 | 7.6 | 21.2 | 49,430 | 13,007 | 36,423 | 171,678 |
| 2013-2014 | | 27.5 | 7.4 | 20.1 | 45,885 | 12,319 | 33,566 | 167,026 |
| 2012-2013 | | 28.3 | 6.9 | 21.5 | 47,338 | 11,518 | 35,820 | 166,982 |
| Yukon | | 2016-2017 | 49.1 | 14.4 | 34.8 | 2,461 | 719 | 1,742 |
| | 2015-2016 | 46.7 | 14 | 32.6 | 2,288 | 689 | 1,599 | 4,896 |
| | 2014-2015 | 52.2 | 13.5 | 38.7 | 2,464 | 638 | 1,826 | 4,722 |
| | 2013-2014 | 50.4 | 13.1 | 37.4 | 2,396 | 621 | 1,775 | 4,752 |
| | 2012-2013 | 54.1 | 12.8 | 41.3 | 2,571 | 609 | 1,962 | 4,749 |
| | Canada | 2016-2017 ⁸ | 46 | 11.3 | 34.3 | 1,709,970 | 418,024 | 1,275,093 |
| 2015-2016 | | 47.1 | 11.3 | 35.9 | 1,794,315 | 428,304 | 1,366,092 | 3,806,318 |
| 2014-2015 | | 47.3 | 10.8 | 36.5 | 1,796,318 | 409,294 | 1,387,024 | 3,799,658 |
| 2013-2014 ⁹ | | 47 | 10.2 | 35 | 1,739,494 | 377,661 | 1,293,943 | 3,700,941 |
| 2012-2013 | | 47.1 | 9.9 | 37.2 | 1,790,106 | 377,838 | 1,412,267 | 3,801,333 |

5 French immersion not offered in NU.

6 Quebec data for 2016-2017 was not available

7 SK Ministry revised statistics for the 2007-2008 to 2012-2013 school years.

8 Canada data for this year does not include Quebec data

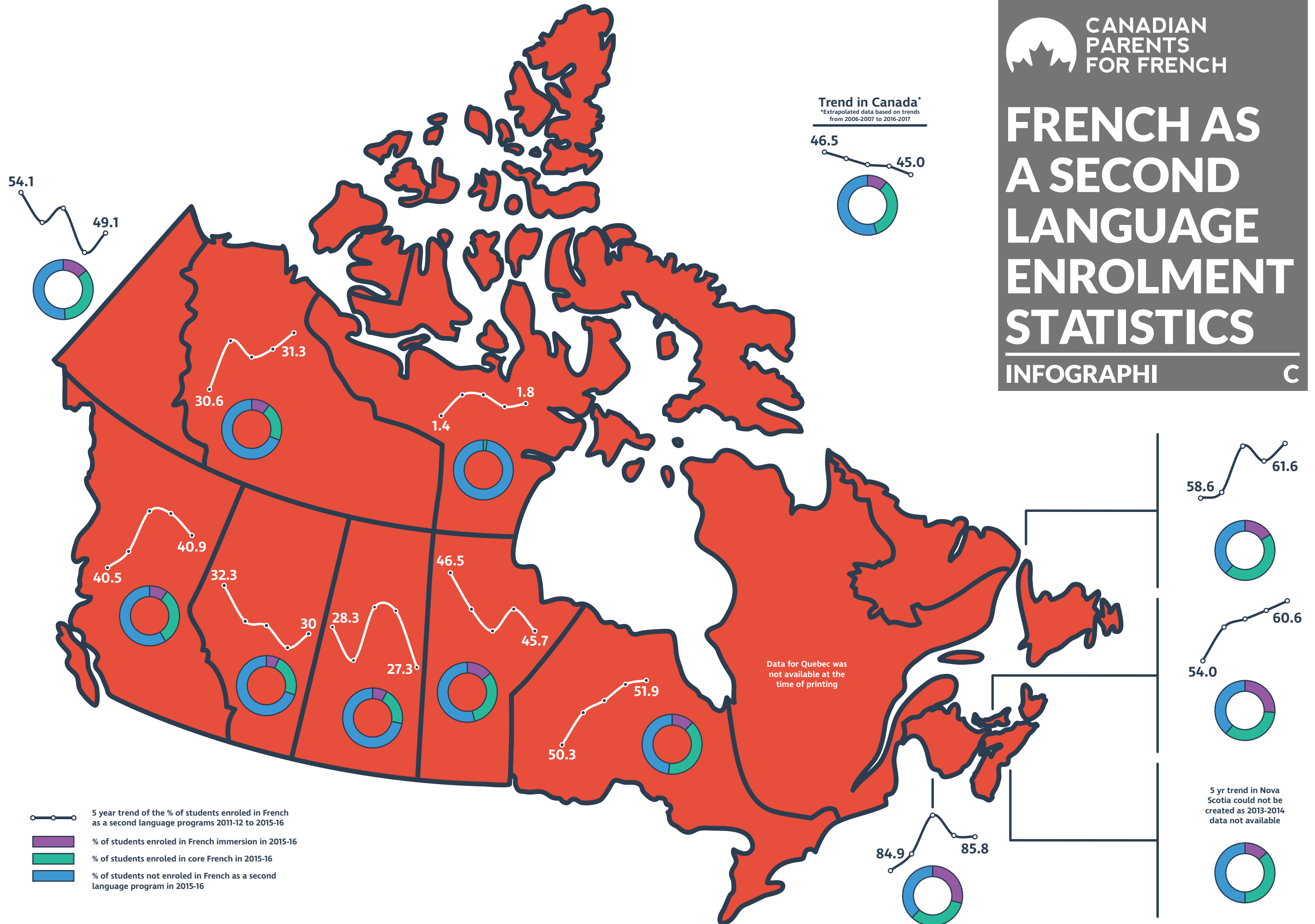
9 Canada data for this year does not include Nova Scotia data



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2016-2017 FRENCH IMMERSION BY PROVINCE/TERRITORY AND GRADE¹

Source: Provincial and Territorial Ministries of Education

| GRADE | AB | BC | MB | NB | NL | NS | NT | NU ² | ON | PE | QC ³ | SK | YK | CANADA ⁴ |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----|-----------------|---------|-------|-----------------|--------|-----|---------------------|
| JK & SK | 4,696 | 4,772 | 2,584 | 2,584 | 836 | 1,277 | 105 | | 32,428 | 406 | | 1,671 | 83 | 48,858 |
| 1 | 5,062 | 4,937 | 2,663 | 2,663 | 783 | 1,057 | 101 | | 26,234 | 414 | | 1,817 | 70 | 43,138 |
| 2 | 4,724 | 4,739 | 2,613 | 2,227 | 784 | 974 | 101 | | 24,080 | 373 | | 1,601 | 67 | 42,283 |
| 3 | 4,494 | 4,482 | 2,449 | 1,985 | 710 | 972 | 82 | | 21,560 | 343 | | 1,543 | 60 | 38,680 |
| 4 | 4,030 | 4,148 | 2,259 | 1,804 | 584 | 885 | 77 | | 22,289 | 327 | | 1,341 | 55 | 37,799 |
| 5 | 3,511 | 4,011 | 2,022 | 2,424 | 593 | 891 | 69 | | 20,654 | 335 | | 1,179 | 53 | 35,742 |
| 6 | 3,223 | 4,946 | 1,816 | 2,270 | 571 | 853 | 83 | | 18,666 | 264 | | 1,127 | 64 | 33,883 |
| 7 | 3,239 | 4,810 | 1,707 | 2,226 | 1,102 | 1,914 | 57 | | 17,308 | 582 | | 949 | 57 | 33,951 |
| 8 | 3,125 | 4,047 | 1,533 | 2,030 | 1,011 | 2,016 | 75 | | 15,566 | 525 | | 888 | 47 | 30,863 |
| 9 | 2,763 | 3,574 | 1,358 | 1,918 | 1,059 | 1,499 | 53 | | 9,650 | 418 | | 703 | 55 | 23,050 |
| 10 | 2,134 | 3,202 | 1,266 | 1,642 | 930 | 1,035 | 33 | | 8,673 | 364 | | 624 | 29 | 19,932 |
| 11 | 1,800 | 2,911 | 1,050 | 1,493 | 783 | 955 | 28 | | 6,563 | 323 | | 555 | 45 | 16,506 |
| 12 | 1,739 | 2,615 | 1,061 | 794 | 794 | 852 | 25 | | 5,391 | 274 | | 552 | 34 | 13,337 |
| OTHER⁵ | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 44,540 | 53,196 | 24,381 | 20,019 | 10,540 | 15,180 | 889 | 0 | 229,062 | 4,948 | | 14,550 | 719 | 418,024 |

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|---------|-------|-------|-----------|--------|--|---------|-------|-----------|
| TOTAL ENROLMENT | 704,890 | 557,626 | 185,389 | 97,842 | 66,323 | 117,830 | 8,423 | 9,024 | 2,006,701 | 20,284 | | 179,707 | 5,370 | 3,959,409 |
| FSL AS % OF TOTAL ENROLMENT | 6.3 | 9.5 | 13.2 | 20.5 | 15.8 | 12.9 | 10.6 | 0 | 11.4 | 24.4 | | 8.1 | 13.4 | 10.6 |
| ELIGIBLE ENROLMENT | 639,389 | 551,935 | 179,659 | 68,922 | 65,963 | 91,548 | 8,228 | 8,946 | 1,900,995 | 19,140 | | 178,061 | 5,008 | 3,717,794 |
| FSL AS % OF ELIGIBLE ENROLMENT | 6.9 | 9.6 | 13.6 | 29 | 15.9 | 16.9 | 10.8 | 0 | 12 | 25.8 | | 8.1 | 14.4 | 11.2 |

- 1 Includes Early, Middle and Late French immersion.
- 2 French immersion not offered in Nunavut.
- 3 French immersion stats for 2016-2017 were not available.
- 4 Canada data for 2016-2017 does not include Quebec data
- 5 Students enrolled in ungraded classes.

2016-2017 CORE FRENCH BY PROVINCE/TERRITORY AND GRADE¹

Source: Provincial and Territorial Ministries of Education

| GRADE | AB | BC | MB | NB ² | NL | NS | NT | NU | ON | PE | QC ³ | SK | YK | CANADA ⁴ |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|--------|-----------------|--------|--------|-------|-----|---------|-------|-----------------|--------|-------|---------------------|
| JK & SK | 514 | 589 | 941 | | 147 | | 70 | | 6,141 | | | | 54 | 8,456 |
| 1 | 1,780 | 630 | 3,084 | | 230 | | 184 | | 27,436 | | | 2,563 | 47 | 35,954 |
| 2 | 2,085 | 611 | 3,286 | 1,231 | 249 | | 184 | | 28,749 | | | 2,722 | 80 | 39,197 |
| 3 | 2,640 | 678 | 3,865 | 3,094 | 389 | 16 | 164 | | 30,395 | | | 2,849 | 61 | 44,151 |
| 4 | 30,627 | 7,305 | 8,446 | 3,204 | 4,018 | 7326 | 211 | 41 | 109,830 | 1,188 | | 4,177 | 275 | 176,648 |
| 5 | 30,329 | 32,873 | 8,885 | 2,552 | 4,245 | 6938 | 211 | 25 | 108,699 | 1,161 | | 4,366 | 277 | 200,561 |
| 6 | 28,691 | 31,644 | 8,819 | 2,774 | 4,265 | 7121 | 162 | 28 | 109,683 | 1,156 | | 4,859 | 244 | 199,446 |
| 7 | 17,871 | 31,200 | 7,765 | 2,919 | 3,737 | 6363 | 183 | 12 | 111,452 | 936 | | 5,262 | 255 | 187,955 |
| 8 | 12,446 | 29,012 | 7,783 | 2,956 | 3,864 | 7420 | 139 | 12 | 112,861 | 1,047 | | 4,774 | 215 | 182,529 |
| 9 | 10,665 | 14,827 | 2,223 | 2,936 | 3,872 | 6689 | 103 | 3 | 68,369 | 971 | | 1,114 | 103 | 111,875 |
| 10 | 4,660 | 11,653 | 1,478 | 552 | 2,235 | 761 | 37 | 22 | 21,247 | 136 | | 806 | 65 | 43,652 |
| 11 | 2,924 | 8,836 | 731 | 327 | 1,535 | 374 | 21 | 3 | 13,640 | 31 | | 391 | 61 | 28,874 |
| 12 | 2,108 | 3,153 | 467 | | 1,078 | 209 | 22 | 12 | 8,406 | 25 | | 246 | 5 | 15,731 |
| OTHER⁵ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 64 |
| TOTAL | 147,340 | 173,075 | 57,773 | 22,545 | 29,864 | 43,217 | 1,691 | 158 | 756,908 | 6,651 | | 34,129 | 1,742 | 1,275,093 |

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|---------|-------|-------|-----------|--------|--|---------|-------|-----------|
| TOTAL ENROLMENT | 704,890 | 557,626 | 185,389 | 97,842 | 66,323 | 117,830 | 8,423 | 9,024 | 2,006,701 | 20,284 | | 179,707 | 5,370 | 3,959,409 |
| FSL AS % OF TOTAL ENROLMENT | 20.9 | 31 | 31.2 | 23 | 45 | 36.67 | 20.1 | 1.8 | 37.7 | 32.8 | | 19 | 32.4 | 32.2 |
| ELIGIBLE ENROLMENT | 639,389 | 551,935 | 179,659 | 68,922 | 65,963 | 91,548 | 8,228 | 8,946 | 1,900,995 | 19,140 | | 178,061 | 5,008 | 3,717,794 |
| FSL AS % OF ELIGIBLE ENROLMENT | 23 | 31.3 | 32.2 | 32.7 | 45.2 | 47.2 | 20.6 | 1.8 | 39.8 | 34.7 | | 19.2 | 34.8 | 34.2 |

- 1 Includes Intensive & Post-intensive French, Extended French, Expanded French.
- 2 The core French program is no longer offered in New Brunswick. Students who would have been in the intensive French program (grades 3-5) and the Post-intensive French program (grades 6-12).
- 3 Core French stats for 2016-2017 were not available.
- 4 Canada data for 2016-2017 does not include Quebec data
- 5 Students enrolled in ungraded classes.

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