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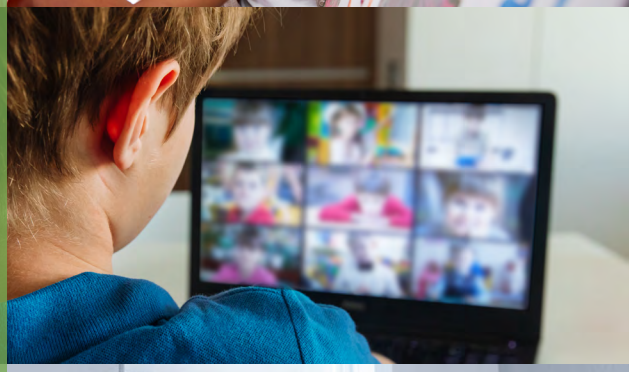
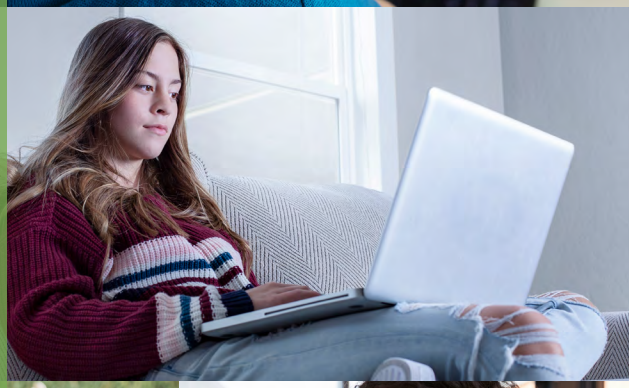



NATIONAL FRENCH-SECOND-LANGUAGE ENROLMENT BY PROVINCE, GRADE AND PROGRAM

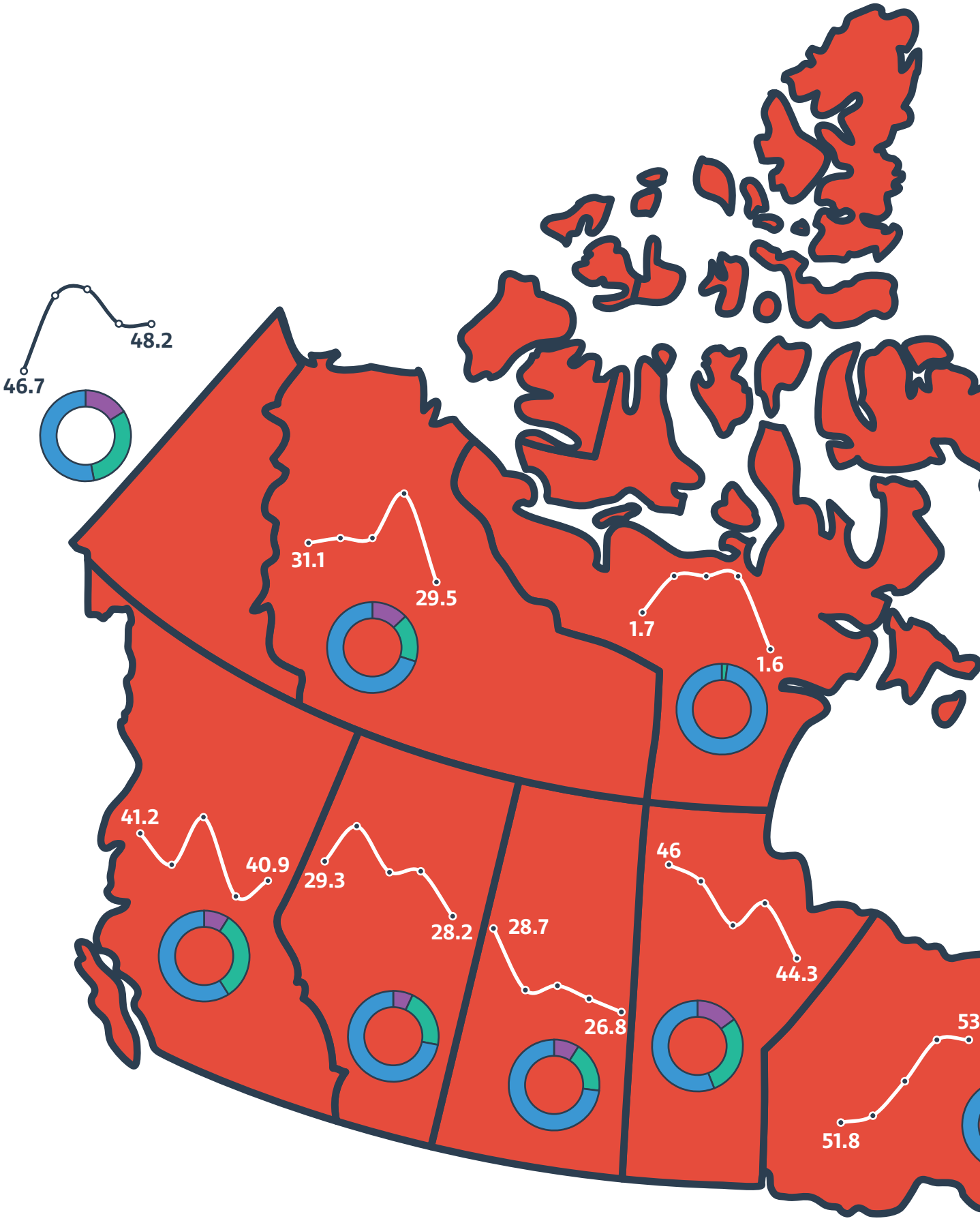
Source: Provincial and Territorial Ministries of Education

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[4]	2019-2020	28.2	6.7	21.5	190,107	44,982	145,125	674,382
	2018-2019	29.1	7.0	22.2	192,370	45,945	146,425	660,982
	2017-2018	29.1	6.9	22.2	190,013	45,244	144,769	652,438
	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
British Columbia	2019-2020	40.9	9	32	234,157	51,190	182,967	571,868
	2018-2019	40.8	9.0	31.8	230,416	50,669	179,747	564,985
	2017-2018	41.3	9.6	31.7	230,134	53,478	176,656	563,244
	2016-2017	41.0	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
Manitoba	2019-2020	44.3	14.8	29.5	81,474	27,246	54,228	184,099
	2018-2019	45.3	14.4	30.9	82,795	26,301	56,494	182,964
	2017-2018	44.9	13.9	30.9	81,210	25,170	56,040	181,210
	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
New Brunswick[5]	2019-2020	86.9	36.4	50.5	60,508	25,367	35,141	69,607
	2018-2019	86.9	36.8	50.1	59,755	25,315	34,440	68,756
	2017-2018	86.7	33.1	53.6	59,653	22,749	36,904	68,797
	2016-2017	85.8	29	56.7	59,147	19,710	22,545	68,922
	2015-2016	87	28.5	57.7	60,061	19,664	23,356	69,049
Newfoundland & Labrador	2019-2020	60.5	16.7	43.8	38,327	10,591	27,736	63,368
	2018-2019	60.9	16.3	44.7	39,002	10,428	28,601	63,994
	2017-2018	65.7	16	49.7	42,768	10,436	32,332	65,051
	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
Nova Scotia	2019-2020	51.6	13.5	38.1	60,535	15,859	44,676	117,381
	2018-2019	52.3	13.5	38.8	59,858	15,471	44,387	114,463
	2017-2018	52.3	13.7	38.6	59,181	15,539	43,642	113,100
	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
Northwest Territories	2019-2020	29.5	12.7	16.8	2,495	1,073	1,422	8,463
	2018-2019	33.1	12.9	20.1	2,713	1,062	1,651	8,202
	2017-2018	31.3	11.8	21.9	2,692	941	1,751	8,001
	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

1 Includes all French immersion, core French, intensive French, regular, extended & expanded 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 Data were obtained from Statistics Canada. Table 37-10-0009-01 Number of students in official languages programs, public elementary and secondary schools, by program type, grade and sex.
5 Total in core French for New Brunswick includes students in the intensive and post-intensive French and French learning experiences programs.

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[6]	2019-2020	1.6		1.6	165		165	10,621
	2018-2019	1.8		1.8	166		166	9,261
	2017-2018	1.8		1.9	172		172	8,993
	2016-2017	1.8		1.8	158		158	8,946
	2015-2016	1.7		1.7	147		147	8,611
Ontario	2019-2020	53	13	40	1,029,524	252,700	776,824	1,942,519
	2018-2019	53	12.8	40.2	1,021,917	246,164	775,753	1,929,458
	2017-2018	52.4	12.4	40	1,002,157	237,179	764,978	1,911,738
	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
Prince Edward Island	2019-2020	59	26.8	34	11,524	5,271	6,679	19,690
	2018-2019	60.8	26.6	34.3	11,787	5,149	6,638	19,378
	2017-2018	60.1	26.4	34.5	11,740	5,078	6,651	20,523
	2016-2017	59.7	25.8	34.7	11,435	4,948	6,487	20,284
	2015-2016	59.55	25.5	34.0	11,220	4,806	6,414	18,842
Quebec[7]	2019-2020							
	2018-2019							
	2017-2018							
	2016-2017							
	2015-2016	100.0	32.0	68.0	97,277	31,098	66,179	97,277
Saskatchewan	2019-2020	26.8	9.1	17.6	49,251	16,808	32,443	184,108
	2018-2019	27.1	8.8	18.3	49,390	16,074	33,316	182,025
	2017-2018	27.4	8.5	19	49,543	15,313	34,230	180,510
	2016-2017	27.3	8.1	19.2	48,679	14,550	34,129	178,061
	2015-2016	28.7	7.9	20.8	50,210	13,868	36,423	174,698
Yukon	2019-2020	48.2	15.5	31.1	2,552	849	1,703	5,480
	2018-2019	48.2	15.3	32.9	2,559	812	1,747	5,310
	2017-2018	49.3	15.4	34	2,458	765	1,693	4,983
	2016-2017	49.1	14.4	34.8	2,461	719	1742	5,008
	2015-2016	46.7	14	32.6	2,288	689	1,599	4,896
Canada[8]	2019-2020	45.7	11.7	34.0	1,760,619	451,936	1,309,109	3,851,586
	2018-2019	46.0	11.6	34.4	1,753,234	443,390	1,309,227	3,809,778
	2017-2018	45.9	11.4	34.4	1,732,250	431,892	1,299,681	3,777,315
	2016-2017	46	11.3	34.7	1,709,970	418,024	1,291,676	3,717,794
	2015-2016	47.1	11.3	35.9	1,794,315	428,304	1,366,092	3,806,318

6 French immersion not offered in NU.
7 Quebec data for 2016-2017, 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 not available.
8 Canada total does not include QC data for 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2018-2019 and 2019-2020.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5 year trend of the % of students enrolled in French as a second language programs 2015-16 to 2019-20
% of students enrolled in French immersion in 2019-20
% of students enrolled in core French in 2019-20
% of students not enrolled in French as a second language program in 2019-20

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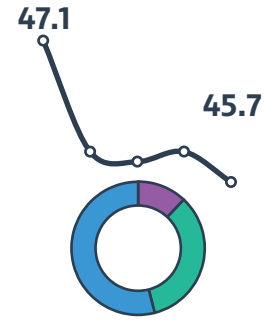

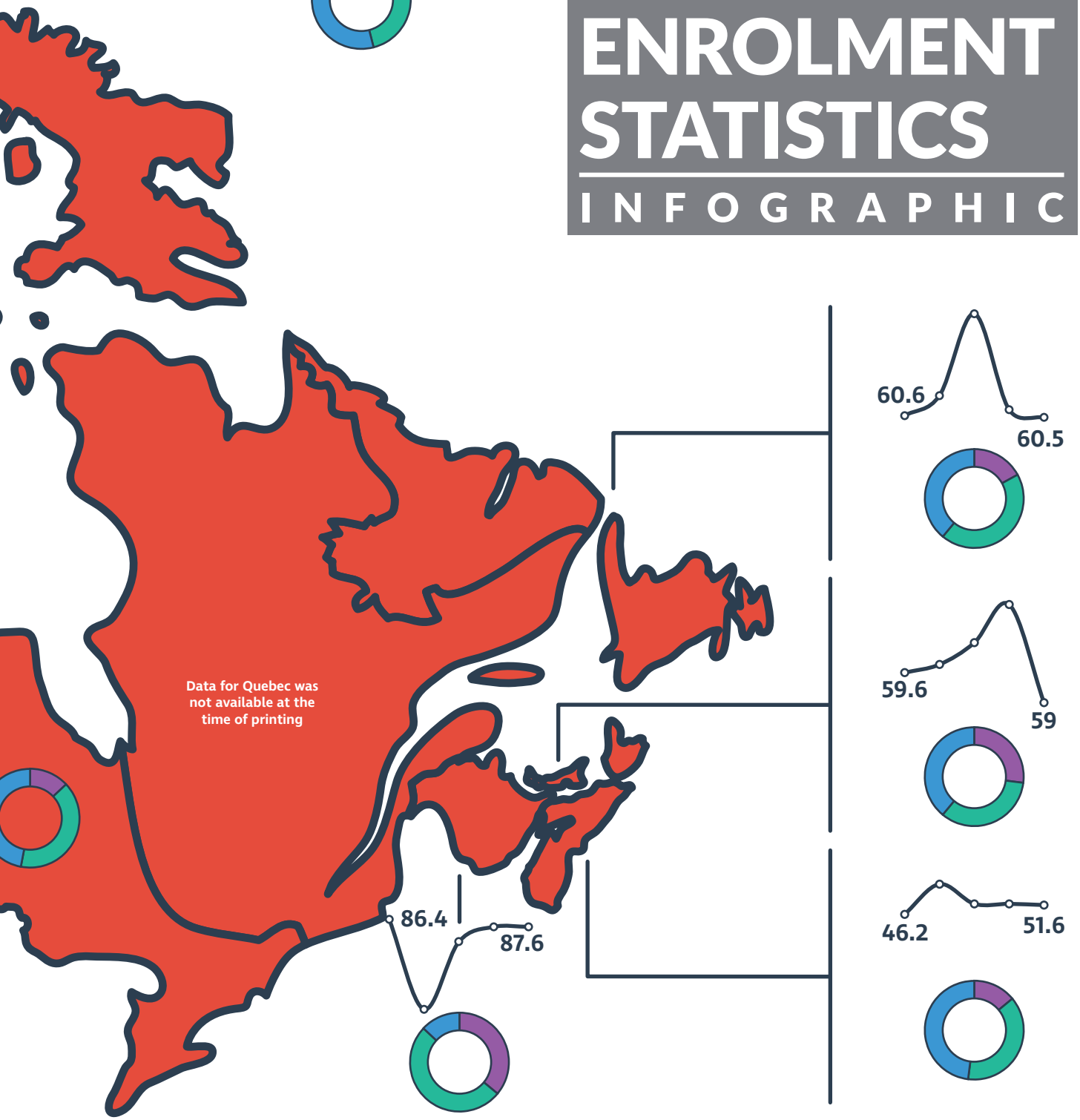

2019-2020 FRENCH IMMERSION BY PROVINCE/TERRITORY AND GRADE[1]

Source: Provincial and Territorial Ministries of Education

GRADE	AB[2]	BC	MB	NB	NL	NS	NT	NU[3]	ON	PE	QC[4]	SK	YK	CANADA[5]
JK & SK	4,737	4,556	2,842	0	901	1359	236		33,309	426		2,020	90	50,476
1	4,761	4,623	3,048	2,184	822	1193	111		25,650	404		1,912	75	44,783
2	4,644	4,473	2,902	2,036	753	1141	104		25,211	339		1,870	78	43,551
3	4,131	4,327	2,572	1,776	706	1074	96		22,918	340		1,622	82	39,644
4	3,954	4,295	2,426	2,147	608	970	83		24,196	364		1,555	60	40,658
5	3,822	4,218	2,325	2,064	658	932	79		23,555	365		1,399	58	39,475
6	3,549	3,901	2,221	2,693	637	977	68		21,678	339		1,365	80	37,508
7	3,687	3,553	2,028	2,574	1,152	1763	78		20,186	541		1,218	65	36,845
8	3,216	4,434	1,774	2,366	1,059	1687	71		18,564	538		1,065	72	34,846
9	2,754	3,646	1,467	2,134	980	1520	55		12,070	448		829	59	25,962
10	2,175	3,328	1,340	1,916	822	1150	31		11,278	476		700	49	23,265
11	1,950	2,999	1,179	1,853	779	1199	31		8,318	399		679	36	19,422
12	1,611	2,829	1,122	1,624	714	894	30		5,767	292		574	45	15,502
OTHER[6]		8												8
TOTAL	44,982	51,190	27,246	25,367	10,591	15,859	1,073		252,700	5,271		16,808	849	451,936
TOTAL ENROLMENT	683,280	575,986	190,114	98,965	63,722	123,239	8,699	10,726	2,056,058	21,208		186,067	5,605	4,023,669
FSL AS % OF TOTAL ENROLMENT	6.6	8.9	14.3	25.6	16.6	12.9	12.3		12.3	24.9		9.0	15.1	11.2
ELIGIBLE ENROLMENT	674,382	571,868	184,099	69,607	63,368	117,381	8,463	10,621	1,942,519	19,690		184,108	5,480	3,851,586
FSL AS % OF ELIGIBLE ENROLMENT	6.7	9.0	14.8	36.4	16.7	13.5	12.7		13.0	26.8		9.1	15.5	11.7

1 Includes Early, Middle and Late French immersion.
2 Data were obtained from Statistics Canada. Table 37-10-0009-01 Number of students in official languages programs, public elementary and secondary schools, by program type, grade and sex
3 French immersion not offered in Nunavut.
4 2019-2020 data not available.
5 Quebec data not included.
6 Students enrolled in ungraded classes.

2019-2020 CORE FRENCH BY PROVINCE/TERRITORY AND GRADE[1]

Source: Provincial and Territorial Ministries of Education

GRADE	AB[2]	BC	MB	NB[3]	NL	NS	NT	NU	ON	PE	QC[4]	SK	YK	CANADA[5]
JK & SK	300	462	1,220	0	0	0	42	0	5,515	0		0	32	7,571
1	1,203	436	2,961	0	0	0	162	0	26,976	0		2,372	56	34,166
2	1,614	521	3,048	0	0	0	125	0	28,990	0		2,610	61	36,969
3	2,121	509	3,538	1,009	0	0	181	0	30,348	0		2,756	97	40,559
4	28,140	7,502	7,686	3,074	4,282	7400	184	62	109,595	1,076		3,805	245	173,051
5	30,672	35,844	8,882	3,197	4,415	7604	199	54	112,650	1,156		4,420	247	209,340
6	30,411	34,655	8,645	2,666	4,578	7685	103	25	115,840	1,256		4,872	264	211,000
7	18,651	34,567	7,378	2,783	3,912	6,579	138	9	117,066	995		4,811	277	197,166
8	12,072	30,323	7,030	2,838	3,950	6,381	118	9	116,232	962		4,427	182	184,524
9	10,317	14,739	1,751	2,919	3,939	6,682	109	2	70,673	974		991	101	113,197
10	4,365	11,149	1,167	2,953	1,642	1,292	39	2	20,540	67		785	72	44,073
11	3,138	8,541	573	387	708	679	15	0	13,409	155		373	45	28,023
12	2,121	3,625	349	262	310	374	7	2	8,990	38		221	24	16,323
OTHER[6]		94												94
TOTAL	145,125	182,967	54,228	22,088	27,736	44,676	1,422	165	776,824	6,679		32,443	1,703	1,296,056
TOTAL ENROLMENT	683,280	575,986	190,114	98,965	63,722	123,239	8,699	10,726	2,056,058	21,208		186,067	5,605	4,023,669
FSL AS % OF TOTAL ENROLMENT	21.2	31.8	28.5	22.3	43.5	36.3	16.3	1.5	37.8	31.5		17.4	31	32.2
ELIGIBLE ENROLMENT	674,382	571,868	184,099	69,607	63,368	117,381	8,463	10,621	1,942,519	19,690		184,108	5,480	3,851,586
FSL AS % OF ELIGIBLE ENROLMENT	21.5	32	29.5	31.7	43.8	38.1	16.8	1.6	40	34		17.6	31.1	33.6

1 Includes Intensive & Post-Intensive French, Extended French, Expanded French.
2 Data were obtained from Statistics Canada. Table 37-10-0009-01 Number of students in official languages programs, public elementary and secondary schools, by program type, grade and sex
3 The core French program is no longer offered in New Brunswick. Students who would have been in core French are now in the intensive French program (grades 3-5) and the Post-intensive French program (grades 6-12).
4 2019-2020 data not available.
5 Quebec data not included.
6 Students enrolled in ungraded classes.

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