

Definice počtu dětí v předškolním vzdělávání, která se používá v Monitoru 2016

The Monitor presents two main indicators on participation rates in ECEC:

The ET 2020 Benchmark on participation of children from the age of 4. EU MS agreed that this participation should reach an EU average of 95% by 2020. The data for the BM are collected by ESTAT under the UOE data collection [Online data code: edu_uoe_enra10], on the basis of data from national statistical offices. The benchmark calculates the share of the population aged 4 to the age when the compulsory primary education starts who is participating in early education. It can cover ISCED 0.1, 0.2 and even ISCED 1 as long as it is before the starting age of compulsory education. Thus, all children attending ECEC according to the ISCED 0 (ISCED 0.1 and ISCED 0.2) definition are included in the count (plus ISCED 1 if they still do not have the age for compulsory primary education). At the age of four, in practice the most likely scenario is that children are (or are not!) enrolled in ISCED 0.2 (or pre-primary education, if you wish). The best is to reference to the ISCED 2011 manual, at <http://www.uis.unesco.org/Education/DOcuments/isced-2011-en.pdf> page 26-29. At the denominator there are simple population data (census, for the corresponding age group).

The Barcelona objective indicator on participation on participation in formal childcare of children aged below 3 – again ESTAT data based on input data from national statistical offices. The Barcelona objective indicator is collected under the Survey on Income and Living Conditions [Online data code: ilc_caindformal]. This one sums the participation in formal childcare by age group as long as it is below 3, and runs the proportion on the basis of the entire population for each age group. Here, the EU committed to reach a participation rate of 33%. For a complete translation of the ISCED levels in the CZ educational systems, they can also consult the Eurydice's 'Structure of the European Education Systems 2016/2017', at

https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/fpfis/mwikis/eurydice/images/9/9d/Structure_of_education_systems_2016_17.pdf

