According to the ASER 2014 findings, on any given day:

- **Teachers are not present**
  - Government Primary School: 12%
  - Private Primary School: 8%

- **Graduate Teachers**
  - Government Primary School: 33%
  - Private Primary School: 39%

- **Professional Qualification**
  - Government Primary School: 38%
  - Private Primary School: 49%

Source: ASER 2014
Currently, Pakistan is spending less than 2% of its Gross Domestic Product (GDP) on Education.

Pakistan spends around 7 times more on the military than on primary education.

Sustainable Development

According to the UNDP 2013 report on progress on MDGs, Pakistan is on track in promoting sustainable development (MDG 7) with four out of seven indicators:

- Protecting areas for wildlife conservation (11.6% against the target of 12%).
- Reducing sulphur content in high speed diesel.
- Improving GDP per unit energy (measure of energy efficiency).
- Improving access to safe drinking water (89% against the target of 93%).
- Currently 72% of the populations have access to this facility against a target of 90%.
- Made progress on increasing forest cover (5.2% against the target 6%).
Right to Education

OUT OF SCHOOL CHILDREN
% of Out of School Children by Province/region (5-16 years)

- National: 22%
- Balochistan: 34%
- Sindh: 29%
- FATA: 22%
- Khyber Pakhtunkhwa: 17%
- Gilgit-Baltistan: 16%
- Punjab: 15%
- Azad Jammu & Kashmir: 7%
- ICT-Islamabad: 0%

Source: ASER 2014

LEARNING LEVELS (Class 5)

- 42% Can Read Sentences in English
- 46% Can Read Story in Urdu/Sindhi/Pashto
- 40% Can Do 2-Digit Division in Arithmetic

ASER shows more than 50% of grade 5 children in rural Pakistan are unable to meet grade 2 level competencies.

Source: ASER 2014
Early Childhood Education

OUT OF SCHOOL CHILDREN
% of Out of School Children by Province/region (3-5 years)

National  61
Balochistan  72
FATA  64
Sindh  63
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa  62
Gilgit-Baltistan  60
Azad Jammu & Kashmir  50
Punjab  45
ICT-Islamabad  24

Source: ASER 2014

Technical & Vocational Education

1,647 Institutes
315,000 Enrolled
950,000 Demand for Enrollment

Source: NAVTTC
School Facilities

MISSING FACILITIES
Government primary schools

- Useable water: 43%
- Boundary wall: 39%
- Useable toilets: 49%
- Play Ground: 68%
- Libraries: 91%

Source: ASER 2014
Gender Equality

Progress Towards MDG Goal 3 at National Level (%)

- GPI primary education: MDG Target 1.00, Status 0.80
- GPI secondary education: MDG Target 0.94, Status 0.80
- GPI Youth literacy: MDG Target 1.00, Status 0.63

Source: Pakistan MDG Report 2013

Literacy Rate by Gender

- Boys: 71%, Girls: 48%

Net Enrollment Rate (Primary) by Gender

- Boys: 64%, Girls: 72%

Source: PSLM 2012-13

Learning Levels by Gender (National Rural)

- Boys: 49% can read at least words in English, 45% can read at least sentences in Urdu/Sindhi/Pashto, 38% can do at least subtraction in Arithmetic
- Girls: 42% can read at least words in English, 39% can read at least sentences in Urdu/Sindhi/Pashto, 38% can do at least subtraction in Arithmetic

Source: ASER 2014