

# Education & VET in Portugal

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# Private schools & VET in PT

(students)

grades	2003	2013
K	48,41%	46,16%
1 - 9	10,65%	12,22%
10 - 12	17,83%	20,94%
<b>K - 12</b>	<b>17,35%</b>	<b>19,34%</b>

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## (regulatory issues)

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### Recent developments

- Nov 2013 – new statute for private schools
- Jan 2014 – new statute for VET education
- On going: regulation of the new statutes

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## (SWOT)

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Drivers for change in the private sector:

- Curricular & organizational autonomy
- Informed school choice
- International cooperation

Challenges:

- Diversity of educational projects & added value
- Choice for all & equity in choice
- “Demographic winter”
- Future political cycles

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## (Europe)

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- Sharing common values
- “Cooperating in educating”
- Gaining scale for R&D
- Promoting peace & prosperity for all

Private education & VET in Europe  
- **diversity for cohesion** -