

## Annex 1. Out-of-school Rates for World, Sub-Saharan Africa, and Selected Countries, by Age Group for Level, Sex, and Wealth Quintile

| OUT-OF-SCHOOL CHILDREN OF PRIMARY AGE            |                        |        |      |      |                  |                  |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------|------|------|------------------|------------------|
| Region/Country                                   | Out-of-school rate (%) |        |      |      |                  |                  |
|                                                  | Total                  | Female | Male | GPIA | Poorest quintile | Richest quintile |
| World                                            | 11                     | 11     | 10   | 1.10 | 23               | 3                |
| Sub-Saharan Africa                               | 22                     | 23     | 22   | 1.05 | 41               | 6                |
| Ethiopia (DHS 2016)                              | 32                     | 32     | 32   | 1.00 | 47               | 15               |
| Ghana (MICS 2017-2018)                           | 7                      | 6      | 7    | 0.86 | 16               | 1                |
| Kenya (DHS 2014)                                 | 12                     | 11     | 13   | 0.85 | 28               | 4                |
| Liberia (DHS 2013)                               | 57                     | 57     | 58   | 0.98 | 75               | 35               |
| Nigeria (DHS 2018)                               | 28                     | 29     | 27   | 1.07 | 64               | 3                |
| Sierra Leone (MICS 2017)                         | 17                     | 15     | 20   | 0.75 | 34               | 6                |
| South Sudan (MICS 2010)                          | 72                     | 75     | 70   | 1.07 | 86               | 44               |
| Uganda (DHS 2016)                                | 13                     | 13     | 13   | 1.00 | 21               | 7                |
| OUT-OF-SCHOOL ADOLESCENTS OF LOWER SECONDARY AGE |                        |        |      |      |                  |                  |
| Region/Country                                   | Out-of-school rate (%) |        |      |      |                  |                  |
|                                                  | Total                  | Female | Male | GPIA | Poorest quintile | Richest quintile |
| World                                            | 14                     | 14     | 13   | 1.08 | 28               | 7                |
| Sub-Saharan Africa                               | 28                     | 29     | 26   | 1.16 | 47               | 13               |
| Ethiopia (DHS 2016)                              | 26                     | 25     | 27   | 0.93 | 43               | 14               |
| Ghana (MICS 2017-2018)                           | 7                      | 6      | 8    | 0.75 | 15               | 3                |
| Kenya (DHS 2014)                                 | 4                      | 4      | 3    | 1.33 | 10               | 2                |
| Liberia (DHS 2013)                               | 20                     | 19     | 21   | 0.90 | 38               | 10               |
| Nigeria (DHS 2018)                               | 27                     | 29     | 25   | 1.16 | 68               | 5                |
| Sierra Leone (MICS 2017)                         | 19                     | 18     | 20   | 0.90 | 39               | 7                |
| South Sudan (MICS 2010)                          | 64                     | 68     | 60   | 1.13 | 85               | 34               |
| Uganda (DHS 2016)                                | 27                     | 28     | 26   | 1.08 | 32               | 30               |
| OUT-OF-SCHOOL YOUTH OF UPPER SECONDARY AGE       |                        |        |      |      |                  |                  |
| Region/Country                                   | Out-of-school rate (%) |        |      |      |                  |                  |
|                                                  | Total                  | Female | Male | GPIA | Poorest quintile | Richest quintile |
| World                                            | 29                     | 30     | 27   | 1.11 | 50               | 15               |
| Sub-Saharan Africa                               | 44                     | 48     | 39   | 1.23 | 65               | 26               |
| Ethiopia (DHS 2016)                              | 49                     | 53     | 44   | 1.20 | 64               | 37               |
| Ghana (MICS 2017-2018)                           | 25                     | 29     | 21   | 1.38 | 31               | 20               |
| Kenya (DHS 2014)                                 | 20                     | 24     | 17   | 1.41 | 26               | 26               |
| Liberia (DHS 2013)                               | 28                     | 35     | 20   | 1.75 | 49               | 14               |
| Nigeria (DHS 2018)                               | 33                     | 34     | 31   | 1.10 | 75               | 6                |
| Sierra Leone (MICS 2017)                         | 36                     | 40     | 31   | 1.29 | 66               | 15               |
| South Sudan (MICS 2010)                          | 60                     | 68     | 51   | 1.33 | 82               | 38               |
| Uganda (DHS 2016)                                | 65                     | 72     | 56   | 1.29 | 77               | 60               |

Notes: All estimates from household survey estimates, not administrative sources.

\*WIDE database (black font); see [https://www.education-inequalities.org/indicators/eduout\\_prim#ageGroup=%22eduout\\_](https://www.education-inequalities.org/indicators/eduout_prim#ageGroup=%22eduout_)

\*UNICEF dashboard (blue font); data from latest Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS) and Multiple Indicator Cluster Surveys (MICS). <https://data.unicef.org/topic/education/covid-19/>

\*GPIA = gender parity index (adjusted); (female/male out-of-school rate).