

areas and were unable to combine the individual educational blocks that need to be integrated. 12.8% of the schools had major problems with setting up and implementing an internal evaluation system.

Preparing to Implement School Educational Programmes

As of September 1, 2007, all kindergartens have been subject to the requirement to adhere to the 'Framework Educational Programme for Preschool Education', which was introduced as part of Measure No. 32 405/2004-22 from the Minister of Education, Youth and Sports, of January 3, 2005 and in effect since March 1, 2005. The inspectorate focused on the collection of information on the creation and preparation of school educational programmes of schools, the utilization of the available development projects focused on support guidelines for preparing academic staff and the utilization of the results of such development projects when designing these school educational programmes.

All of the kindergartens have prepared their own school educational programme and they have completed the practical testing of the implemented projects. In general, the school educational programmes prepared by the schools conform to the framework educational programme – however, the quality of the individual parts of the programme vary from school to school. See Chart 1 for the results of this evaluation that was completed on the basis of the guidelines set forth in the framework educational programme.