

Evaluation of Material Conditions in Secondary Education

The CSI also concentrated on the equipment of secondary schools with regard to safe and healthy conditions for educating students. Furthermore, the CSI monitored the level and availability of equipment and teaching aids relating to the support of reading literacy.

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Selected indicators of safe environment in secondary schools

Monitored rooms and OHS indicators	Frequency of compliance with regulations concerning safe conditions in education (%)		
	2008/2009	2009/2010	Trend
Classrooms	95.2	100.0	+
Gymnasiums	88.2	90.3	+
Playgrounds and other spaces for games	100.0	90.0	-
School canteens	100.0	100.0	0
Gardens	83.3	100.0	+
Sanitary rooms and cloakrooms	90.5	95.0	+
Furniture	81.0	80.0	-
Lighting	85.7	94.3	+
Floor surface	71.4	89.2	+
PT equipment	94.1	100.0	+

Areas of secondary education requiring improvement can be assumed on the basis of data included in the table above. Founders of SSs should pay attention to improving the conditions of school playgrounds and furnishing schools with suitable furniture. On the other hand gymnasiums have been substantially improved.

School libraries were at a good level in 87 % of SSs, of which 99.5 % had access to the internet. A range of secondary schools had their own multimedia centres and access to international libraries through the internet.

Evaluation of Economic Conditions in Secondary Schools

Financial Prerequisites in Secondary Schools

Results of analyses and year-on-year comparisons of selected economic indicators show moderate improvement in financial prerequisites in 2009 if they are compared with those in 2008. The secondary schools visited displayed stagnation of the indicator concerning the further education of teachers when funds are recalculated per student. Such stagnation was also affected by a possibility for teachers to participate in free training courses aimed at the reform of school-leaving examinations and the offer of courses subsidised within EU projects.

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Evaluation of economic conditions in secondary schools visited

Monitored indicator	2008	2009	Trend
Non-investment expenditure (NIE) per child (CZK)	65,185	67,380	+
Proportion of the state budgeted allocated to NIE (%)	72.2	72.8	+
Further education of teachers per child (CZK)	990	953	-
Average salary of teachers (CZK)	22,921	23,665	+
Average share of sliding salary components (%)	24.7	26.8	+