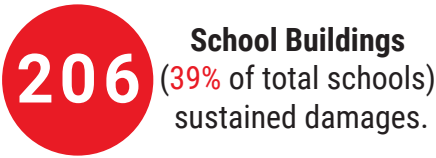


EDUCATION UNDER ATTACK

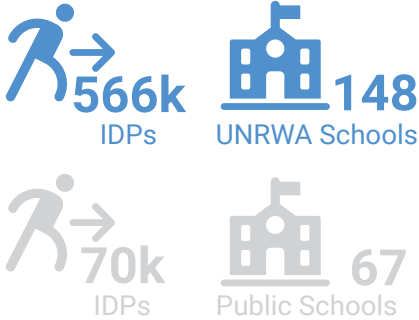
In the Gaza Strip

As of 21 October 2023

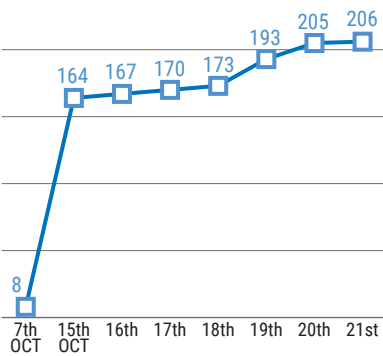
Today marks the fifteenth day with no access to education and a safe place for more than **625,000** students and 22,564 teachers in the Gaza Strip.



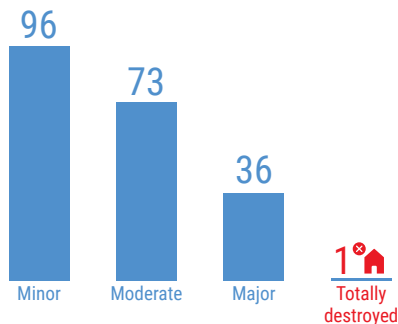
IDPs (inside educational facilities)



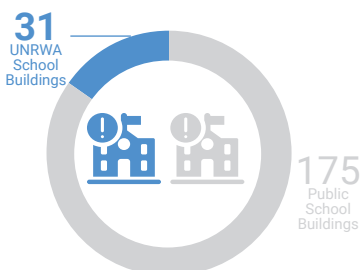
TREND (affected school buildings/cumulative)



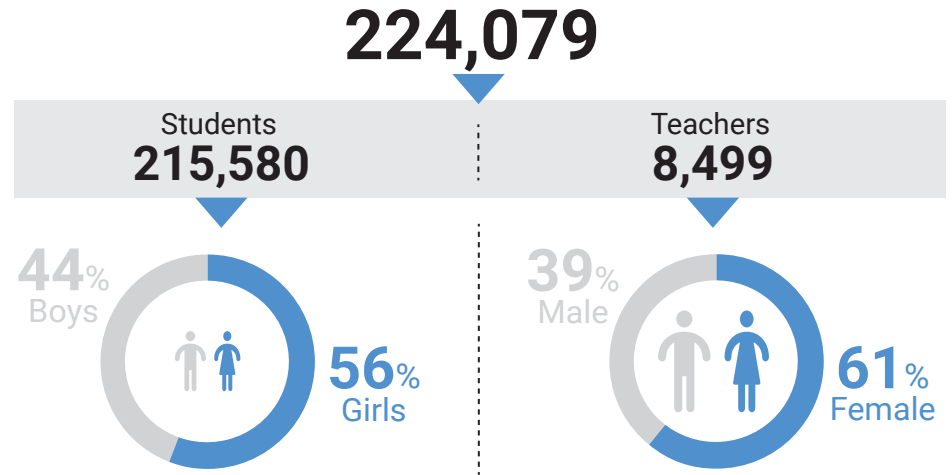
SEVERITY OF DAMAGE



TYPE OF DAMAGED SCHOOL



AFFECTED STUDENTS AND TEACHERS (by the damaged schools)



CASUALTIES (children <18, not only school-aged children, casualties are based on MoH)

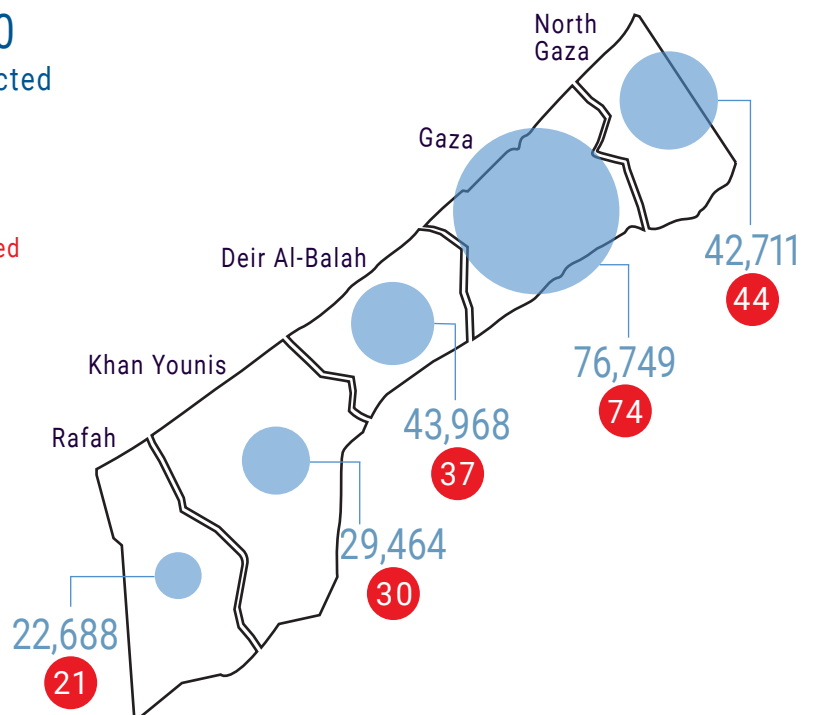


230 students and 61 teachers attending PA schools were killed. These are confirmed by MoE reports, but the number is likely higher. 12 IDPs were killed and nearly 180 were injured while sheltering at UNRWA schools.

GOVERNORATES

215,580
Total Affected Students

206
Total Affected Buildings



* The data sources: Cluster partners, UNOCHA and UNRWA.
 * The information presented in this report is based on initial data and has not yet been verified by the Education Cluster (EC) due to the security situation.
 * The EC has activated the Education Cluster Assessment Team (ECAT) and put it on standby for deployment to verify damages as soon as the situation allows.
 * The building of the Directorate of Education in Rafah Governorate sustained minor damage, one Rehabilitation Centre for Visually Impaired sustained minor damages, UNRWA Gaza Training College sustained severe damages, and one University building sustained severe damages (all not counted in this report).
 * Private schools and all KGs are not included in this report.