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# SCHOOL NEED ASSESSMENT- Final Selection Report

# Introduction

This report is provided to further illustrate the selection of 13 schools out of the 21 schools which have been visited in the south of Lebanon. The assessment intended to cover three districts which are: Marjeyoun, Bent Jbel and Hasbaya.

In Hasbaya, it has been confirmed that very few number of Syrian students has been enrolled in only one or two schools. Therefore, the field visits has been concentrated in the two other districts; Marjeyoun and Bent Jbel.

* In Marjeyoun: 10 schools
* In Bent Jbel: 10 schools
* In Hasbaya: 1 schools

The 21 schools were visited by the project assessment experts & the education officers for this current project. The selection was not an easy choice since all the schools were similar at certain points and distinguished at other. Furthermore 13 top rated schools were under detailed study.

The selection process of the schools was based on the following criteria:

* The urgent needs
* A number of more than 20 Syrian students enrolled in the school
* Schools which have number of students enrolled higher than the maximum capacity
* The geographical location of the schools
* Wiliness of the directors to cooperate

# Current Status & Needs Analysis[[1]](#footnote-1)

**1. School: Complementaire Nationale de Khiam**

 **District:** Marjeyoun

* 81 Syrian students registered / 238 Lebanese
* An average of 14 students in class
* Have Recreational Activities (sport, music, drawing)
* Problems of availability of stationeries and books for Syrian students
* Critical problem of the language - differences in level - lack of self confidence
* No problems of drinking or washing water indicated
* Syrians are facing a real problem concerning the transportation of their kids to and from school. (30.000 to 50.000L.L per kid per month).
* Percentage of Syrian students: 25%

**2. School: Complementaire Nationale de Klayaa**

 **District:** Marjeyoun

* 20 Syrian students registered / 67 Lebanese
* An average of 5-16 students in class
* Have Recreational Activities (sport, music, drawing)
* Need blackboards, pin boards, rulers…
* Critical problem of the language
* No problems of drinking or washing water indicated
* Syrians are facing a real problem concerning the transportation of their kids to and from school. (30.000 to 50.000L.L per kid per month)
* Percentage of Syrian students: 23%

**3. Complementaire Nationale Blat**

 **District:** Marjeyoun

* 22 Syrian students registered / 94 Lebanese
* An average of 14 students in class
* Have recreational activities (sport, music, drawing)
* The classroom materials rotate from class to class
* Stationeries available for all students (from war 2006, UNICEF+NRC)
* Need for LCD to apply new techniques
* No problems of drinking or washing water indicated
* Percentage of Syrian students: 19%

**4. Complementaire Nationale Ebel El Saki**

 **District:** Marjeyoun

* 23 Syrian students registered / 82 Lebanese
* An average of 14 students in class
* Have recreational activities (sport, drawing, computer)
* Shortage of textbooks
* Stationeries available for all students (from war 2006, UNICEF+NRC)
* Newly rehabilitated
* No problems of drinking or washing water indicated
* Percentage of Syrian students: 22%

**5. Complementaire Nationale Marjayoun**

 **District:** Marjeyoun

* 37 Syrian students registered / 11 Lebanese
* An average of 10 students in class
* Have recreational activities (sport, drawing, music)
* Textbooks available for Lebanese students only
* No small tables and chairs for nurseries
* No problems of drinking or washing water indicated
* Syrians are facing a real problem concerning the transportation of their kids to and from school. (30.000 to 50.000L.L per kid per month)

**6. Primaire Nationale de Kfarkela**

 **District:** Marjeyoun

* 40 Syrian students registered / 120 Lebanese
* An average of 15 - 21 students in class
* Have recreational activities (drawing, sport – but shortage of equipments i.e. balls, mattresses)
* Textbooks available for all students but stationeries for the Lebanese only
* Needs for new filters for drinking water, availability of washing water
* Lots of nursery kids don’t come to school because the parents cant afford transportation and can't send them walking
* Percentage of Syrian students: 25%

**7. Complementaire Nationale de Taybe**

 **District:** Marjeyoun

* 50 Syrian students registered / 275 Lebanese
* An average of 20 students in class
* Have recreational activities (drawing, sport – but shortage of equipments i.e. balls, mattresses)
* Textbooks available for all students but stationeries for the Lebanese only
* Needs for chairs, tables, recorders and toilets for nurseries
* Drinking and washing water is not available when the central water is cut in the village
* Percentage of Syrian students: 15%

**8. Ecole primaire nationale de Kherbet Selem**

 **District:** Bent Jbel

* 38 Syrian students registered / 66 Lebanese
* An average of 13 students in class
* Have recreational activity only sport
* Textbooks and stationeries are not available for all students
* Needs for fuel and stoves
* Needs for drinking and washing water
* Percentage of Syrian students: 37%

**9. Ecole complementaire nationale de Borj Kalaway**

 **District:** Bent Jbel

* 25 Syrian students registered / 225 Lebanese
* An average of 23 students in class
* Have recreational activities sport and computer
* Syrians need school costume and stationeries
* Needs for toilets for nursery, computers, sport equipments.
* No problems of drinking or washing water indicated
* Percentage of Syrian students: 10%

**10. Ecole complementaire national de Kabrikha**

 **District:** Bent Jbel

* 59 Syrian students registered / 227 Lebanese
* An average of 19 students in class
* Have recreational activities only sport but no enough equipment. No music-No drawing because no equipments.)
* Recently rehabilitated (financed from the Spain embassy)
* Syrians need stationeries
* Need for drinking water (filters), washing water is available
* Syrian students come by Moto or walking
* Percentage of Syrian students: 21%

**11. complementaire national de Hariss**

 **District:** Bent Jbel

* 46 Syrian students registered / 400 Lebanese
* An average of 20 students in class
* Have recreational activities only drawing with no prof. specialist
* Needs for rehabilitation of toilettes and stoves
* Textbooks and stationeries are available for all students
* Need for drinking water and washing water
* Percentage of Syrian students: 19%

**12. Ecole nationale mixte de Yatter**

 **District:** Bent Jbel

* 28 Syrian students registered / 127 Lebanese
* An average of 15 students in class
* There are no recreational activities
* Needs for computers, laboratory
* Textbooks and stationeries are available for all students
* No problems of drinking or washing water indicated
* Percentage of Syrian students: 18%

**13. Ecole national de Chakra**

 **District:** Bent Jbel

* 73 Syrian students registered / 637 Lebanese
* An average of 20 students in class
* Recreational activity is one trip per year
* Needs for fuel generator, didactic materials, laboratory materials, computers
* Textbooks and stationeries are available for all students
* Need for drinking water and washing water
* Percentage of Syrian students: 10%

# General notes:

1. Most schools are in need for fuel for the winter
2. The language is the major problem in relation to the educational need assessment
3. The math and the science are taught in foreign language (English or French).
4. The timing of schools is from 8.00 until 13.50 (except the nursery until 13.00)
5. Directors expressed the availability of the schools for recreational activities or remedial classes after 2.00 pm or during the weekend.
6. Have sufficient number of teachers & they can provide the extra classes in the foreign language.
7. The foreign language in the majority of schools were English
8. The payment for the transportation of the students was a major problem in all selected schools
9. It has been confirmed the necessitate of having a team of specialists consisting of a speech therapist, a psychologist and a psychomotor in each schools
10. Total number of teachers (full and part time): 330 teachers
11. Total number of students is 3111 students
* Lebanese: 2569 students
* Syrians: 542 students
* Total percentage of the Syrian students in the targeted schools: 17%
1. No further registration is accepted in all schools (law from the MoE to stop the registration for all students in 10.10.2012). [↑](#footnote-ref-1)