



EDUCATION UNDER ATTACK

In the Gaza Strip

As of 31 October 2023

More than **625,000** students and **22,564** teachers in the Gaza Strip have been affected by the attacks on education for 25 days with no access to education and a safe place.

246

School Buildings

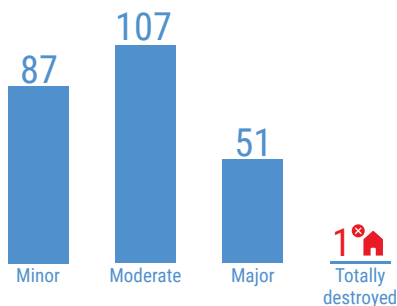
(51% of total buildings)
sustained damages.

IDPs (inside educational facilities)

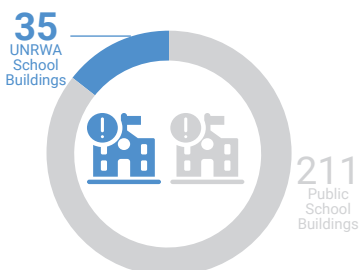


78% of total schools buildings are either being used as IDPs shelters (almost four times their capacity) and/or sustained damage. This will constitute an additional burden to ensure the continuity of education when security condition allows, as they need rehabilitation, and cleaning works and many will continue to serve as IDPs centers for families who have lost their homes.

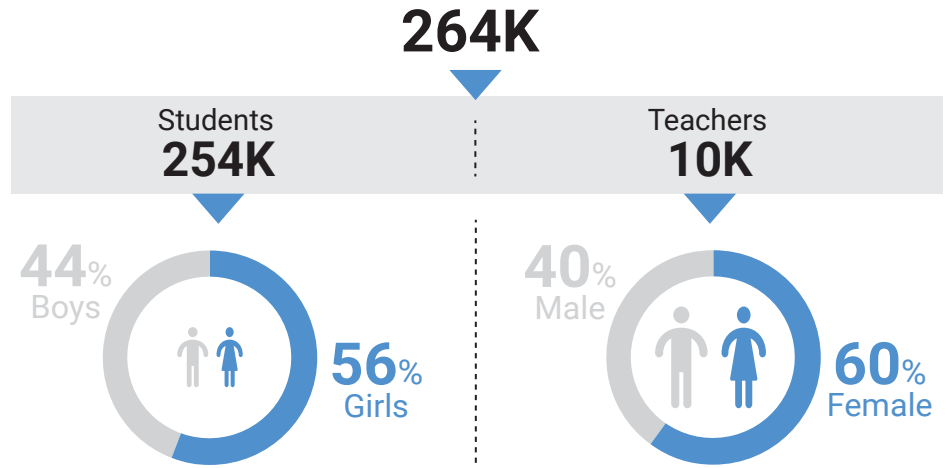
SEVERITY OF DAMAGE



TYPE OF DAMAGED SCHOOL



AFFECTED STUDENTS AND TEACHERS (by the damaged schools)



CASUALTIES (based on MoH)

3,650 children killed which more than



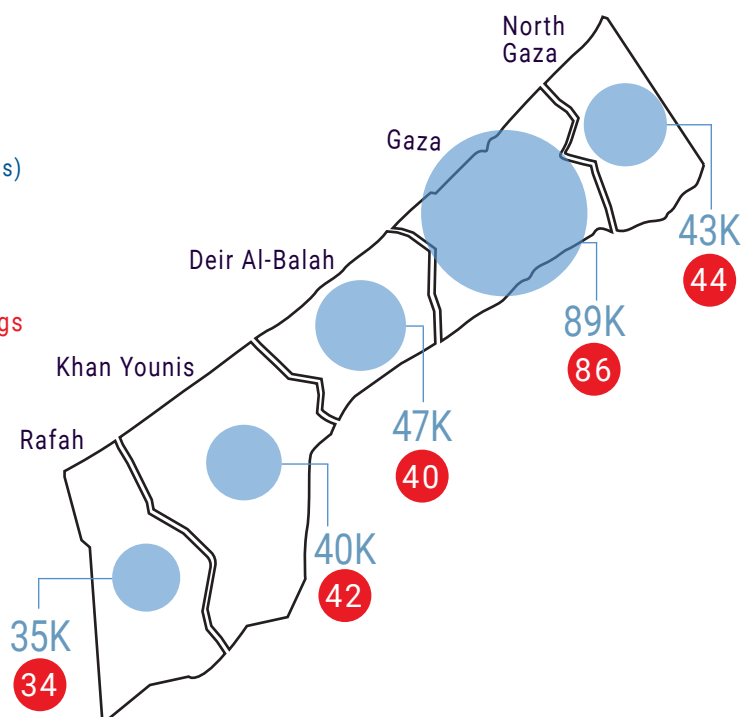
GOVERNORATES

254K

Affected
Students (by
damaged schools)

246

Total Affected
School 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 Assessment Team (ECAT) due to the security situation.

* 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 kindergartens are not included in this report.