Homework 1

```
library(psych)
library(lme4)
library(knitr)
library(kableExtra)
library(qqplotr)
library(plyr)
library(tidyverse)
```

Question 1

Read in the HSB.csv file and save it in a dataframe called HSB_Data, excluding the variables, pracad and disclim. Verify you have done this correctly by printing the first several lines of the dataframe.

```
data_path <- "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/emoriebeck/homeworks/master/homework1/HSB.csv"
HSB <- read.csv(url(data_path), stringsAsFactors = F) %>%
  tbl_df() %>%
  select(-pracad, -disclim)

# print first few rows
head(HSB)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 9
##   School minority female   ses mathach  size sector himnty meanses
##    <int>    <int>  <int> <dbl>   <dbl> <int>  <int>  <int>   <dbl>
## 1   1224        0      1 -1.53    5.88   842      0      0   -0.43
## 2   1224        0      1 -0.59   19.71   842      0      0   -0.43
## 3   1224        0      0 -0.53   20.35   842      0      0   -0.43
## 4   1224        0      0 -0.67    8.78   842      0      0   -0.43
## 5   1224        0      0 -0.16   17.90   842      0      0   -0.43
## 6   1224        0      0  0.02    4.58   842      0      0   -0.43
```

Question 2

Produce basic descriptive information for just these two variables: mathach and ses, using a single command.

```
describe(HSB %>% select(mathach, ses))
```

```
##         vars    n  mean   sd median trimmed  mad   min   max range  skew
## mathach    1 7185 12.75 6.88  13.13   12.92 8.12 -2.83 24.99 27.82 -0.18
## ses        2 7185  0.00 0.78   0.00    0.02 0.85 -3.76  2.69  6.45 -0.23
##         kurtosis   se
## mathach    -0.92 0.08
## ses        -0.38 0.01
```

Question 3

What is the overall correlation between mathach and ses?

```r
with(HSB, cor(mathach, ses))
```

```
## [1] 0.3607626
```

Question 4

Produce a cross-classification table for female and minority. Make sure that the rows and columns of the table have appropriate labels (not just numbers).

```r
HSB %>%
  mutate(female = mapvalues(female, 0:1, c("male", "female")),
         minority = mapvalues(minority, 0:1, c("non-minority", "minority"))) %>%
  group_by(female, minority) %>%
  summarize(n = n()) %>%
  spread(key = female, value = n) %>%
  kable(., "latex", booktabs = T) %>%
  kable_styling(latex_options = c("striped","repeat_header"), full_width = F)
```

minority	female	male
minority	1065	909
non-minority	2730	2481

Question 5

Are the two variables in Question 4 independent of each other?

```r
chi <- chisq.test(HSB$minority, HSB$female)
```

Yes, a χ^2 test of independence suggests that minority status and gender are independent, $\chi^2(1) = 1.34$, $p < 0.25$.

Question 6

Produce a histogram for ses. Include a blue vertical line indicating the mean, a red vertical line indicating the median, and the normal density curve (in green). Make sure the axes are appropriately labeled. Do the data seem to be normally distributed?

```r
tmp <- HSB %>%
  mutate(sdses = sd(ses, na.rm = T), medses = median(ses, na.rm = T),
         gmeanses = mean(ses, na.rm = T))
tmp2 <- tmp %>%
  gather(key = measure, value = value, gmeanses, medses)
tmp %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = ses)) +
  geom_histogram(aes(y = ..density..), binwidth = 0.25, color = "black",
                 fill = "lightgray") +
  stat_function(fun = dnorm, size = 1.25, color = "darkgreen",
                args = list(mean = HSB$gmeanses, sd = HSB$sdses)) +
  geom_vline(data = tmp2, aes(xintercept = value, color = measure)) +
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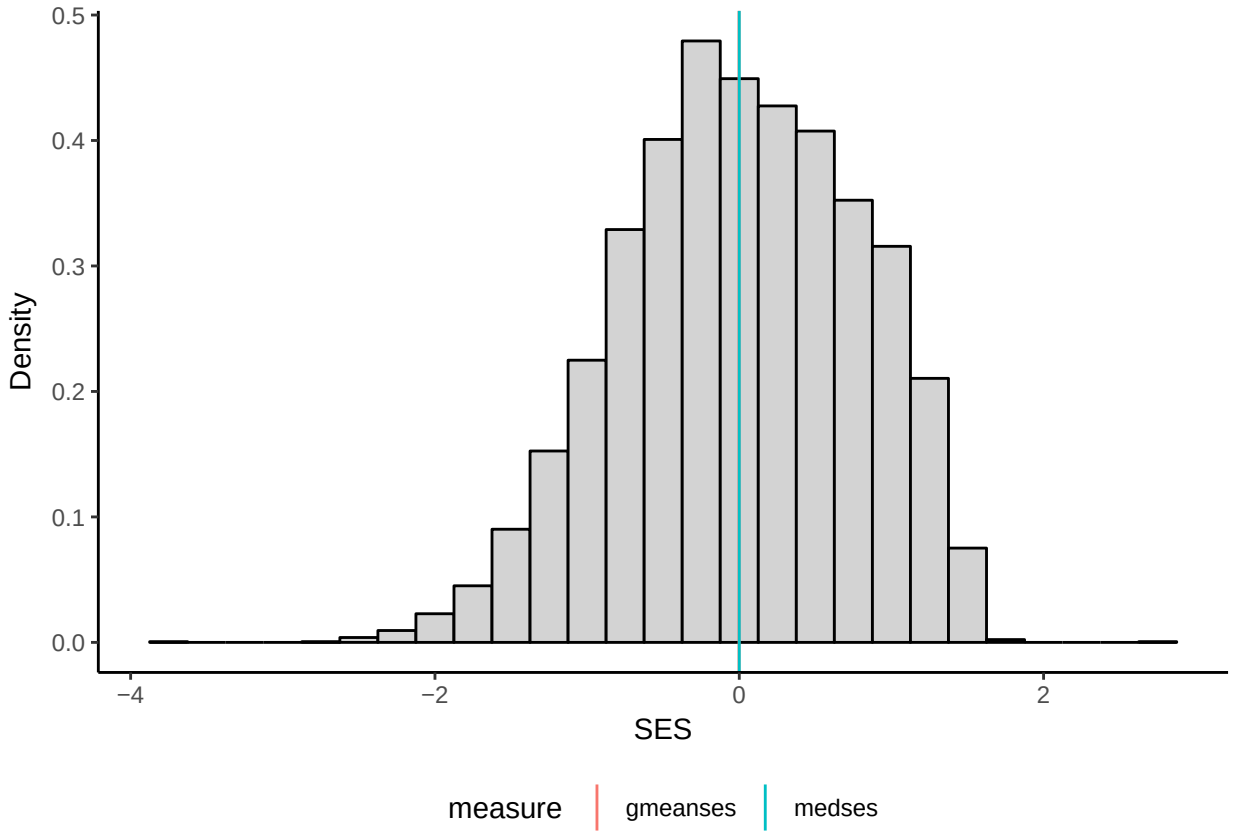
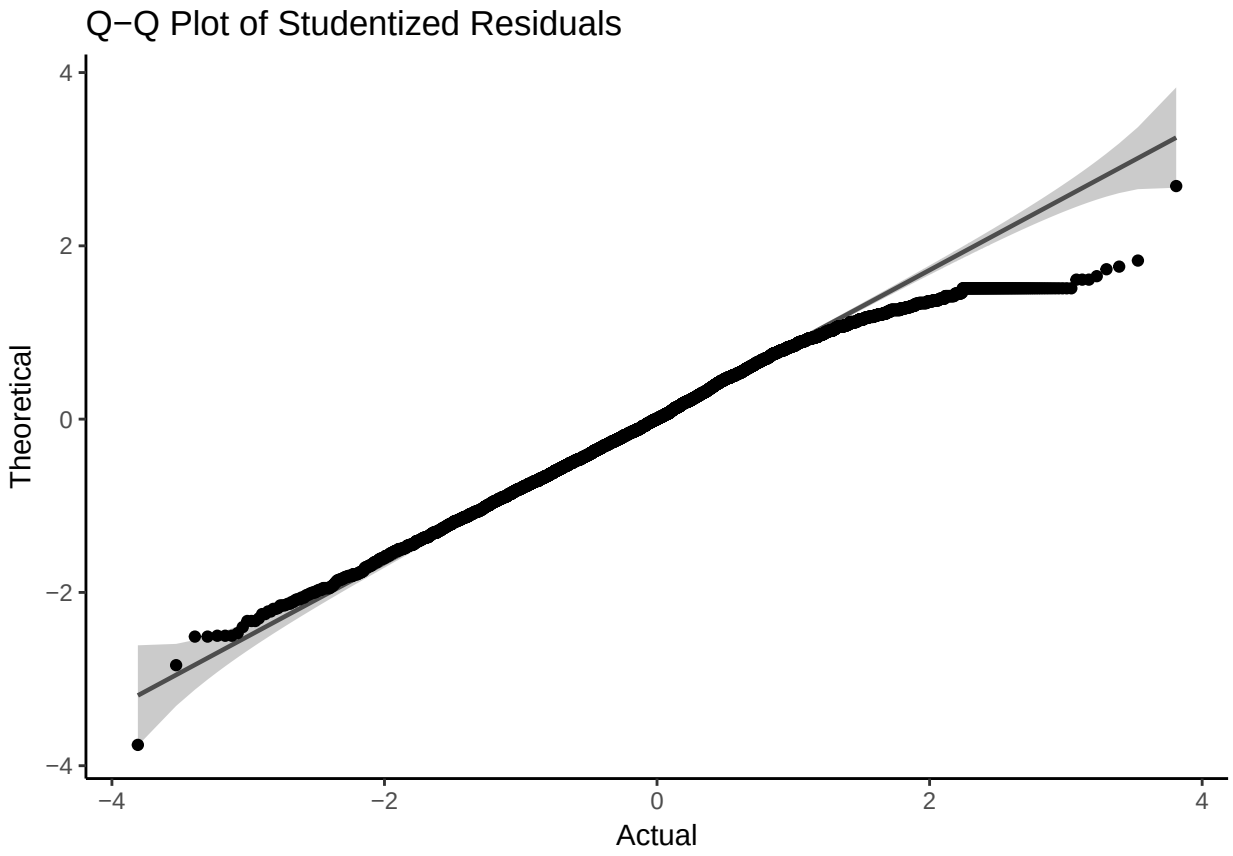
  labs(x = "SES", y = "Density") +
  theme_classic() +
  theme(legend.position = "bottom")
```



Question 7

Produce a Q-Q plot for ses. Does this change your opinion regarding normality?

```
HSB %>%
  ggplot(aes(sample=ses)) +
  stat_qq_band() +
  stat_qq_line() +
  stat_qq_point() +
  labs(x = "Actual", y = "Theoretical",
       title = "Q-Q Plot of Studentized Residuals") +
  theme_classic()
```



Question 8

Produce a scatterplot of meanses (y axis) versus size (x axis). Make sure the axes are appropriately labeled. Add the best-fitting linear regression line as well as a loess (nonlinear) fit line. Color the plot symbols so that public schools are red and Catholic schools are blue. What does this figure tell you?

```
HSB %>%
  mutate(sector = mapvalues(sector, 0:1, c("Public", "Catholic"))) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = size, y = meanses, color = sector)) +
  scale_color_manual(values = c("blue", "red")) +
  geom_point(aes(color = sector), alpha = .5, size = .5) +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = F) +
  geom_smooth(method = "loess", se = F) +
  labs(x = "School Size", y = "Mean SES", color = "Sector") +
  theme_classic() +
  theme(axis.text = element_text(face = "bold"),
        axis.title = element_text(face = "bold", size = rel(1.2)),
        legend.text = element_text(face = "bold"),
        legend.title = element_text(face = "bold"),
        legend.position = "bottom")
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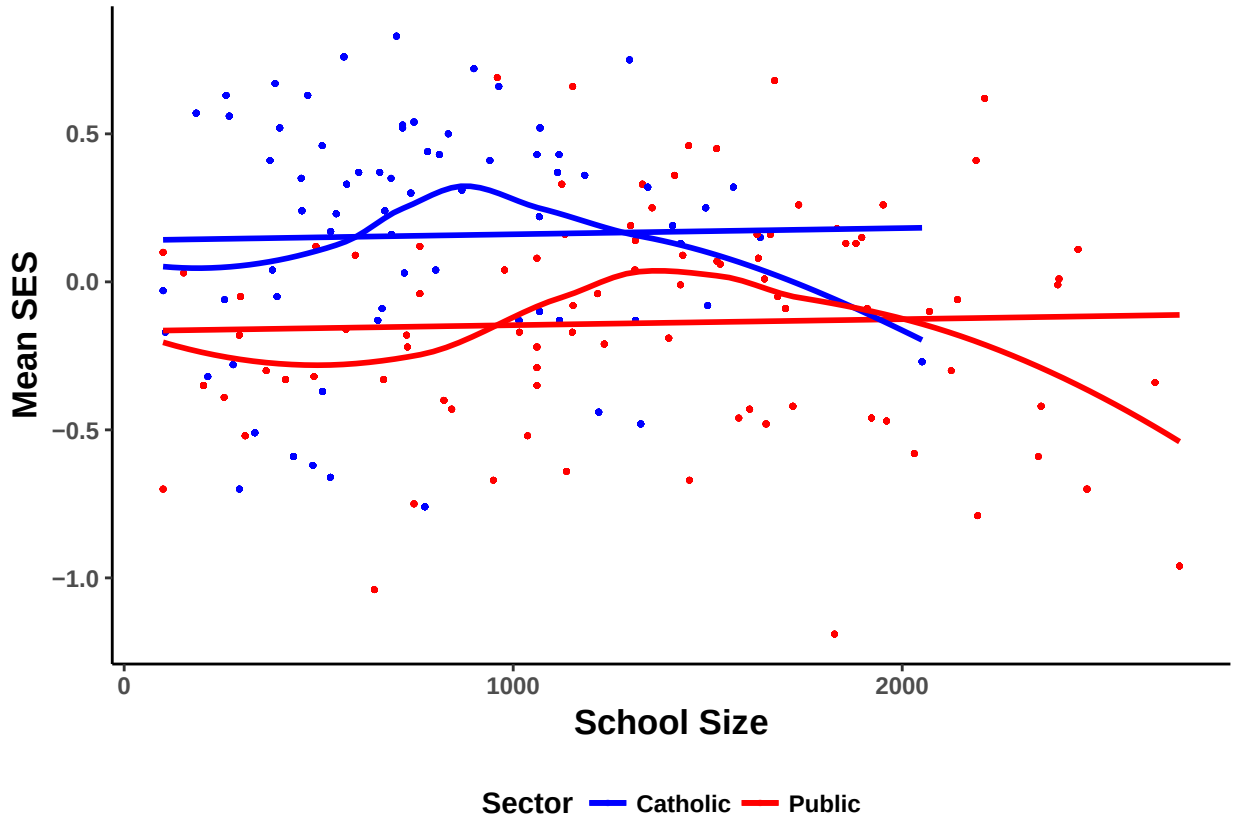
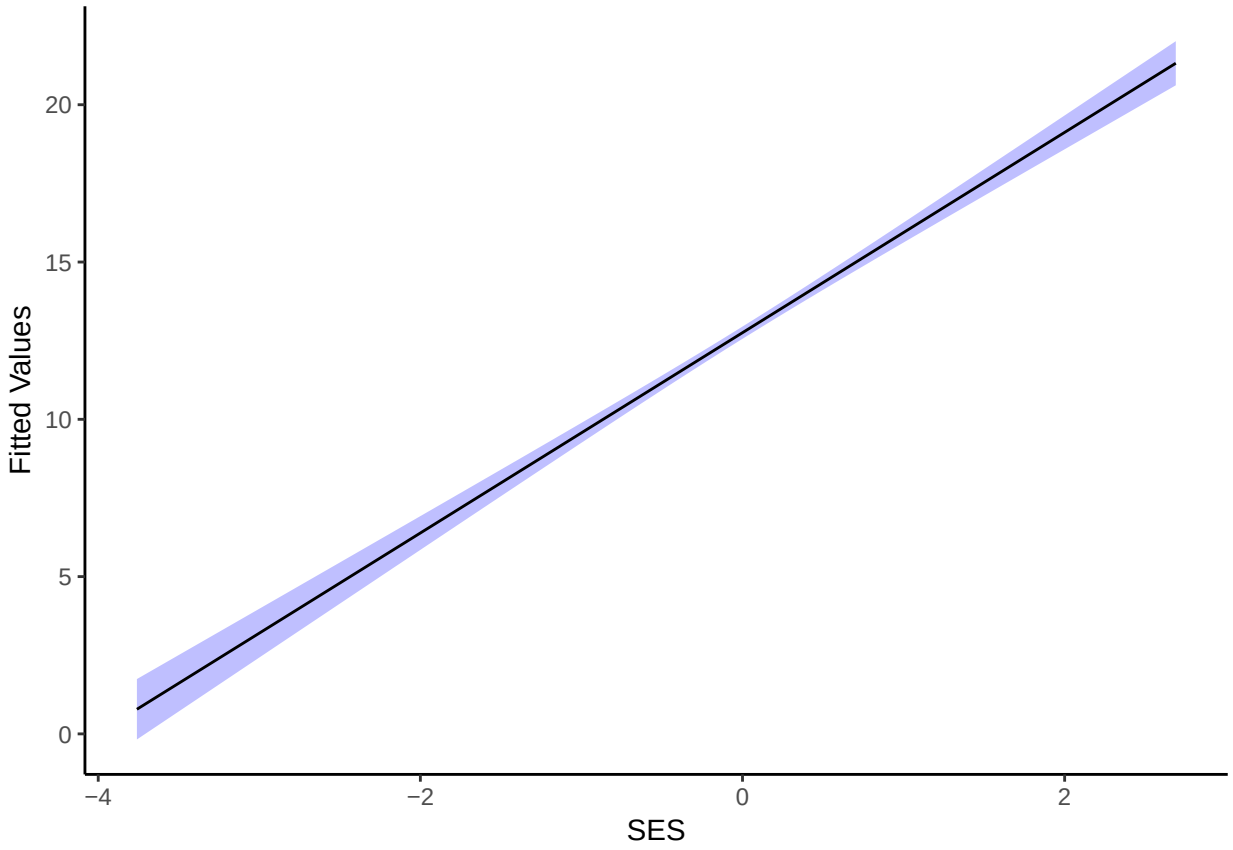


Question 9

Plot the best-fitting line relating mathach to ses and include the 99% confidence interval around the line.

```
m <- lm(mathach ~ ses, data = HSB)

cbind(HSB, predict(m, interval = "conf", level = .99)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = ses, y = fit)) +
  geom_ribbon(aes(ymin = lwr, ymax = upr), alpha = .25, fill = "blue") +
  geom_line() +
  labs(x = "SES", y = "Fitted Values") +
  theme_classic()
```

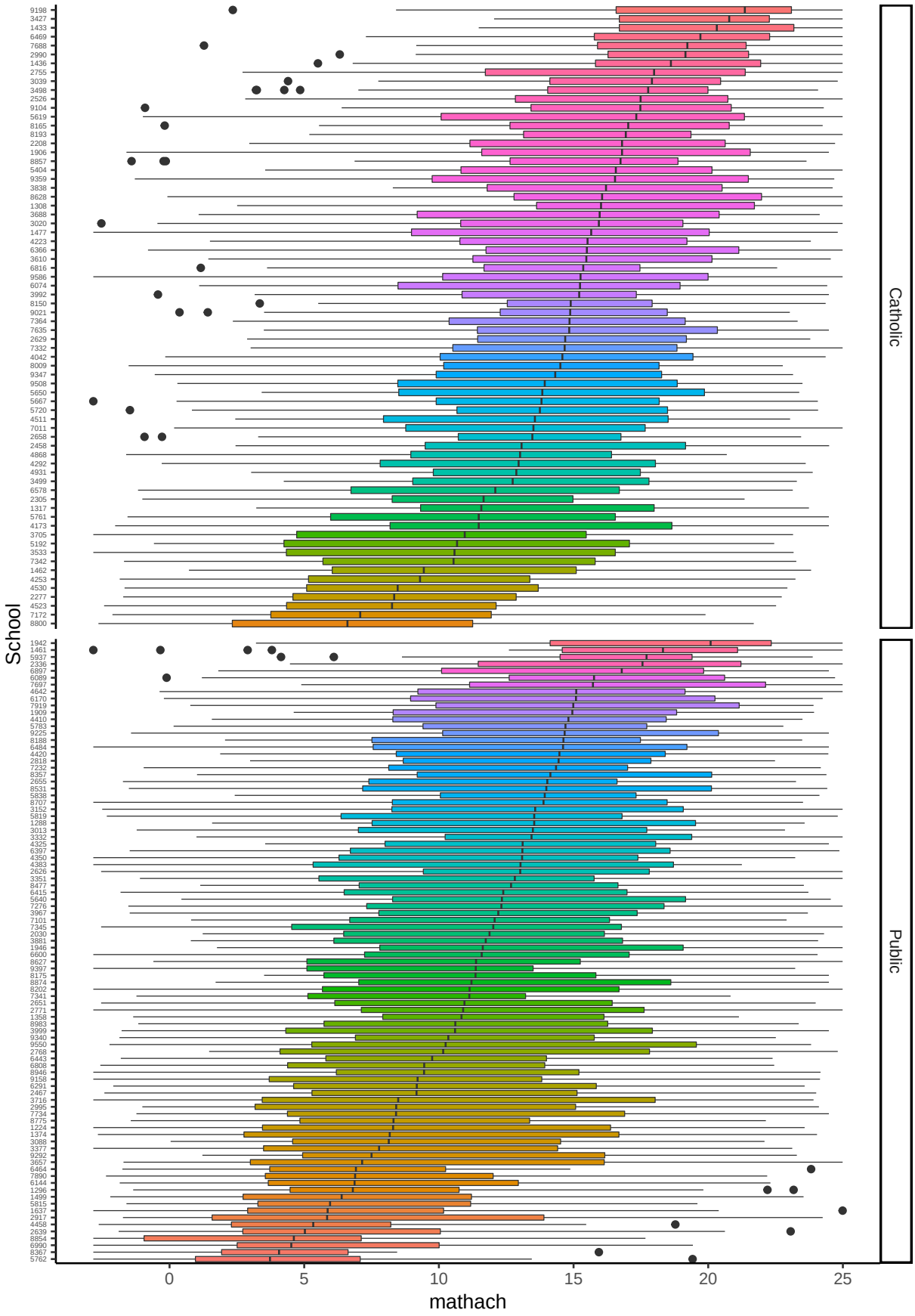


Question 10

Produce a two-panel plot. In the upper panel, show the boxplots of mathach separately for each public school. In the lower panel, show the boxplots of mathach separately for each Catholic school.

```
orders <- HSB %>%
  group_by(School) %>%
  summarize(median = median(mathach, na.rm = T)) %>%
  arrange(median)

HSB %>%
  mutate(sector = mapvalues(sector, 0:1, c("Public", "Catholic")),
         School = factor(School, levels = orders$School)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = School, y = mathach, fill = School)) +
  geom_boxplot(size = .25) +
  coord_flip() +
  facet_grid(sector~., scales = "free_y") +
  theme_classic() +
  theme(legend.position = "none",
        axis.text.y = element_text(size = rel(.5)))
```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Catholic
Public
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