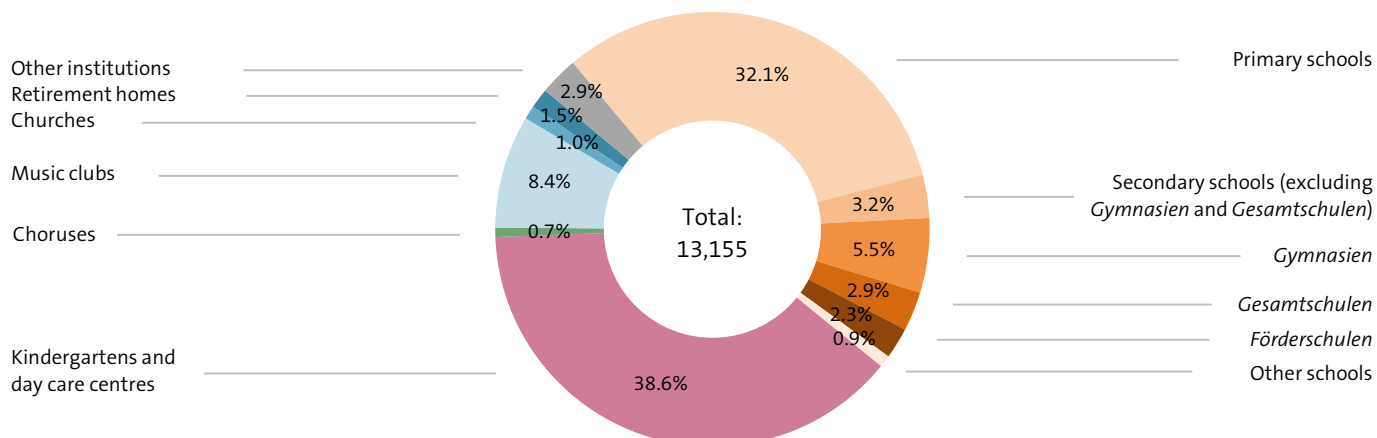


» Partnerships of public music schools with primary and secondary schools and other institutions
Percentage of partnerships by partner (2021)¹


Type of partner	2011	2013	2015	2017	2019	2021 ¹	Percentage of cooperating music schools among total music schools (2021) ²	2011	2013	2015	2017	2019	2021 ¹	Number of enrolments in cooperations 2021 ¹
	Number of cooperating music schools							Number of cooperating partners						
Primary schools	774	783	711	743	731	722	77.4	4,054	4,347	3,769	4,332	4,551	4,220	207,863
<i>Hauptschulen</i> ³	259	209	305	293	297	276	29.6	478	314	567	498	507	422	11,664
<i>Realschulen</i> ³	310	304	305	293	297	276	29.6	493	486	567	498	507	422	11,664
<i>Gymnasien</i>	502	500	387	418	407	416	44.6	1,069	973	707	796	743	730	24,560
<i>Gesamtschulen</i>	151	172	202	233	216	218	23.4	371	263	354	416	410	384	14,476
<i>Förderschulen</i>	214	227	215	233	220	218	23.4	308	308	333	328	302	305	5,766
Other schools	70	67	97	93	85	82	8.8	106	112	203	175	122	118	2,814
Kindergartens and day care centres	731	721	568	605	603	614	65.8	5,379	5,567	4,425	4,865	4,992	5,073	98,207
Choruses	209	190	63	61	49	40	4.3	538	482	130	114	98	91	1,442
Music clubs	435	411	248	268	258	256	27.4	1,793	1,693	1,030	1,038	1,053	1,106	13,357
Churches	252	215	89	96	85	65	7.0	606	538	207	221	167	134	1,201
Retirement homes	-	-	104	121	119	120	12.9	-	-	163	204	236	195	2,531
Other institutions	229	245	186	217	210	219	23.5	626	732	339	425	383	377	6,148

Note: The data is based on an annual full survey of the Association of German Music Schools (VdM) among its member schools; most recently these were 933 public music schools. Owing to a change of methodology in data collection, figures from 2014 on cannot be directly compared with those from previous years. Also, some extent of imprecision in the data of earlier years has to be considered. Figures from 2014 are based on a full calendar year (1 January to 31 December of the preceding year).

¹ The impact of the COVID-19 pandemic is captured for the first time in the VdM annual report 2021: The data reflect number of enrolments of the preceding calendar year 2020, cf. note.

² Measured against the total number of VdM music schools on 1 January 2022 (933 member schools).

³ From 2014 on the categories of *Hauptschulen* and *Realschulen* were combined under the heading *weiterführende Schulen* (secondary schools).

Source: Compiled and calculated by the German Music Information Centre from VdM-Jahresbericht 2021, ed. Association of German Music Schools (VdM), 2022, and various issues of Statistisches Jahrbuch der Musikschulen in Deutschland, published annually by the VdM.