

In Quebec, 1,166,705 individuals aged 15–64, or 23% of the labour force, have a diploma of secondary studies or the equivalent as the highest diploma completed. In addition, 21% of those aged 15–64 have no diploma at all.

**HIGHEST CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA OR DEGREE COMPLETED BY THE POPULATION AGED 15-64,
BY ADMINISTRATIVE REGION, QUEBEC 2006**

ADMINISTRATIVE REGION	HIGHT SCHOOL CERTIFICATE OR EQUIVALENT		APPRENTICESHIP OR OTHER TRADES CERTIFICATE OR DIPLOMA		NO CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA OR DEGREE	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Bas-Saint-Laurent	29,190	22	28,565	21	33,655	25
Saguenay–Lac-Saint-Jean	38,525	21	46,875	25	38,905	21
Quebec City	102,545	22	76,415	17	67,900	15
Mauricie	39,670	23	34,905	20	38,635	22
Estrie	44,895	22	38,320	19	46,890	23
Montreal	270,165	21	132,995	11	213,415	17
Outaouais	55,105	23	33,645	14	55,840	23
Abitibi-Témiscamingue	20,855	21	20,295	21	29,955	30
Côte-Nord	14,605	22	13,770	21	19,740	30
Nord-du-Québec	4,160	16	4,545	18	11,650	45
Gaspésie–Îles-de-la-Madeleine	13,330	21	12,155	19	20,440	32
Chaudière-Appalaches	60,155	22	55,795	21	60,205	22
Laval	60,105	24	37,625	15	44,940	18
Lanaudière	74,470	25	59,425	20	73,245	25
Laurentides	82,590	24	67,400	19	80,315	23
Montérégie	222,180	24	155,190	17	198,070	21
Centre-du-Québec	33,970	23	31,630	21	39,080	26
TOTAL QUEBEC	1,166,705	23	849,825	16	1,072,975	21

Source:

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