



# Hello!

You are watching English class for  
8th grade.



# Educational System in Panama

# Hygiene Guidelines



**Wash your Hands**

**Keep your Workspace  
Clean**





**“Remember, if you take  
care of yourself, you are  
safe and everyone  
around you will be *safe*”**

# Materials

- English notebook
- A pen or a pencil







**We are ready to learn!**  
**Let's go!**

# PREVIOUS CLASS REVIEW      A / AN PROFESIONS AND OCCUPATIONS



**A** nurse



**An** engineer



**A** farmer



## Goal of the day

We will be able to discuss about the different levels of education in the public and private sectors and compare the characteristics of public and private education.



# EDUCATIONAL LEVELS



# EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM IN PANAMA

# Panama Educational System Classification



**Official System**



**Particular System**

# Panama Educational System



**Basic Education**



**Secondary Education**



**Higher Education**

# Basic Education



Preschool

Primary School

Middle School



**Secondary  
Education**



**Academic**

**Technical/Vocational**

**Higher  
Education**



**University Superior**

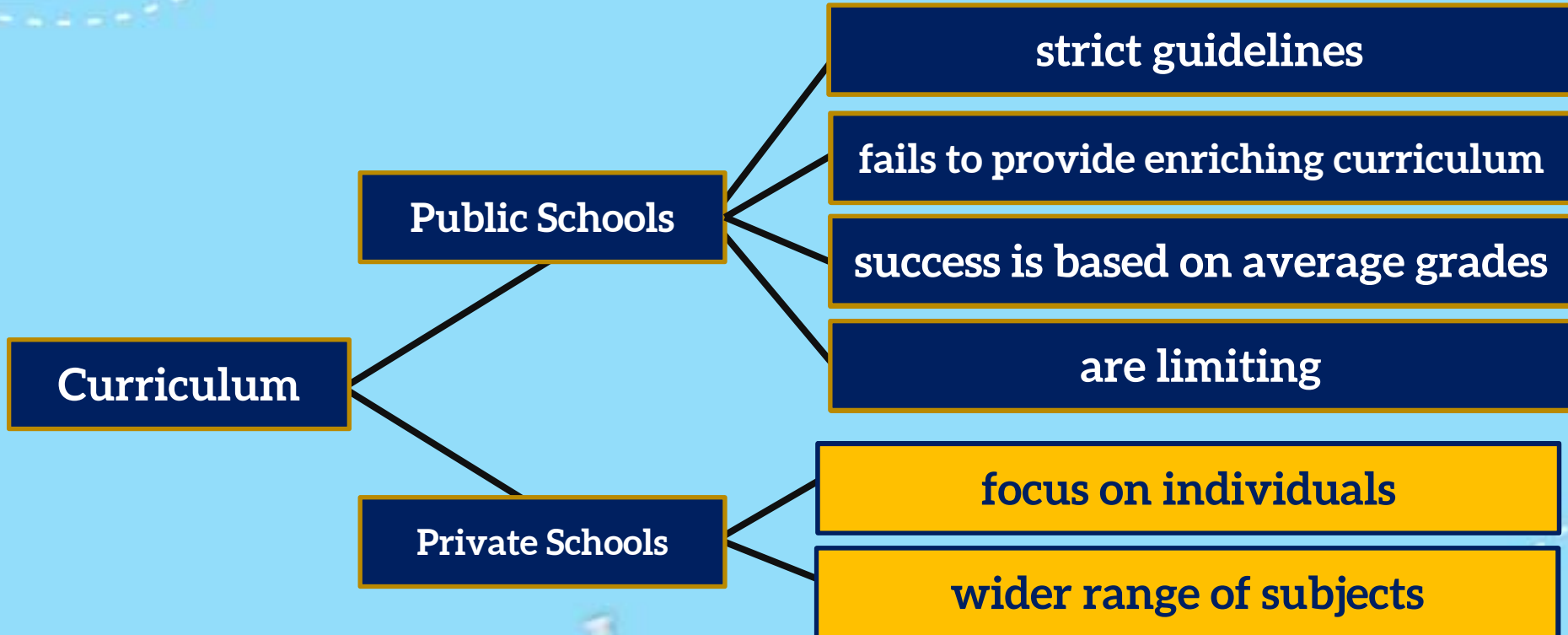
**Nonuniversity  
Superior**

# School Curriculum

Public school curriculum is governed by **strict state educational guidelines**. These guidelines are designed to help ensure that students get the basic education they need to do well in life. Our educational system **provides a more enriching curriculum** to offer the same opportunities to all of the students in public schools. On the other hand, private school curriculum is not governed by strict state educational guidelines. They have more room to address a **wider range of subjects**, to their students' great benefit. More specifically, here are some key differences between public and private school curriculums:

1. The **success of public schools is based on average grades**, test scores, and graduation rates.
2. Private school curriculum **focuses on each individual** student and what subjects they need to succeed in their academic life.

Focus on individuals- strict guidelines – fails to provide enriching curriculum - wider range of subjects – success is based on average grades – are limiting



# How many / How much





**Let's play a video**



# How much

## HOW MUCH ...? - (Price)

How much can be used when we want to know the PRICE of something.

Example: *How much does it cost to study in a private school?*



.....*does a computer cost?*

# How Many

## HOW MANY ...? - (Quantity)

How many is used when we want to know the QUANTITY of something. It is only used with plural countable nouns.

Example: *How many private schools are there in your community?*



.....*books are there?*



# Let's Recap

# Circle the correct option.

1. (How much, how many) students are there in my class?
2. ( How much, how many) does a laptop cost?
3. (How much, how many) does a prepaid card cost?
4. (How much, how many) minutes does the class last?
5. (How much, how many) teachers do you have?





Let's Practice

# How much or how many ?

Based on the pictures say how much or how many.

\$250



How much...?

10 pencils



How many...?

\$600



How much...?

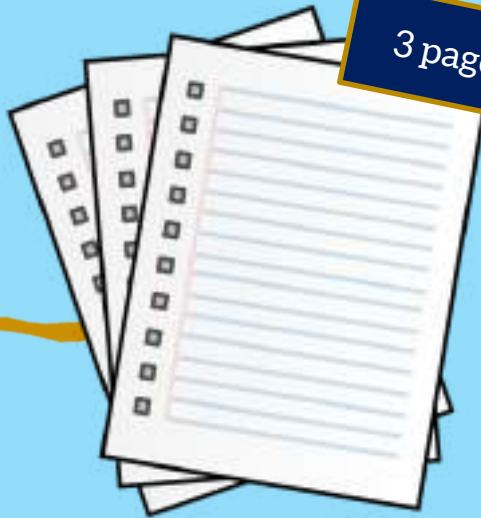
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Based on the pictures say how much or how many.



\$300

How much...?



3 pages

How many...?



5 students

How many...?



Let's Practice  
at home

# HOMework

Choose a public school in your district or community. Fill in the table in your guide with your answers to the following questions:

How much does it cost to enroll?

How much is the tuition?

How many levels do they offer in their curriculum?

How many subjects do they teach during covid19 pandemic?

How are students receiving instruction due to covid19?

# HOMEWORK

Questions	Official School Name:
1. Cost to enroll	
2. Tuition	
3. Educational levels	
4. Subjects taught	
5. Instructional strategies	



# GOOD JOB



# Thank you for watching!

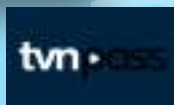
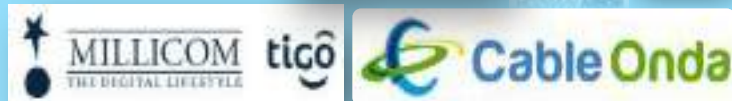


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