

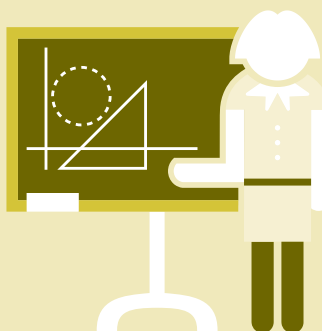
Figures from 2018 unless another year is specified



People in education,
in 2017/18, in thousands

- ① Compulsory education **944.7**
- ② Upper secondary level **365.3**
- ③ Advanced professional education and training **59.0**
- ④ Higher education institutions **247.9**

Teaching staff in 2017/18 and higher education staff, in thousands



- Compulsory education **98.1**
- Higher education institutions **93.1**
- Upper secondary level **34.6**
- Colleges of higher vocational education and training **6.4**

Diplomas, in thousands



Upper secondary level

- ① Vocational education and training **69.1**
- ② General education **42.0**

Tertiary level

- ③ Advanced professional education and training **26.8**
- Higher education institutions
- ④ Bachelor **31.7**
- ⑤ Master **18.8**
- ⑥ Doctorate **4.2**



CHF 38.1 bn

Educational public expenditure,
in 2017

5.7%

of the gross domestic product



CHF 22.6 bn

Expenditure on research and development,
in 2017, in Switzerland
/ Of which business enterprises **69%**

R&D personnel in the business enterprises **49 353**
(full-time equivalents)