

Task: Gender Inequality (Part 1)

Gender inequality is an important issue that affects our society. Use the World Bank Open Data website <http://data.worldbank.org> to explore female school enrolment in either primary or secondary school. Examine the graph and discuss the following questions.



Tip: Other topics you can investigate include the gender pay gap or the progress made in other indicators such as maternal mortality.

1. What do the statistics tell us about gender inequality? How has the percentage changed over time?

2. Where does this data come from?

3. Are the statistics reliable? How do you know?

4. Do you think everyone agrees with these figures?