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### CHILDREN OF QUEZON CITY: 2020

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A child is defined as an individual whose age is less than 18 years.

### Male children outnumbered females

Based on the 2020 Census of Population and Housing (CPH) results, Quezon City had a total population of 965,831 children. The total population comprises 498,301 or 51.6 percent males—slightly outnumbering 467,530 females or 48.4 percent—resulting in a sex ratio of 107 males for every 100 females.

Figure 1 illustrates the percentage of children by sex in Quezon City for 2020.

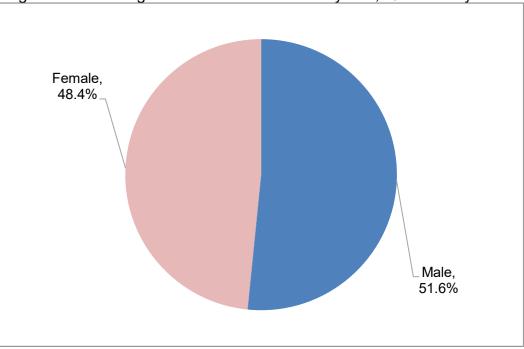


Figure 1. Percentage Distribution of Children by Sex, Quezon City: 2020



At the barangay level, Barangay Commonwealth registered the highest child population with 78,751 or 8.2 percent, followed by Batasan Hills, with 57,632 or 6.0 percent. Meanwhile, Barangay Bayanihan had the smallest child population with 144 or 0.01 percent.

### Five in every 1,000 boys and girls married before reaching the age of 18

In 2020, 4,564 children in the city married at a young age, which is 0.5 percent of that population, while 7,772 were common-law or in a live-in setup.

On the other hand, 241, or 0.2 percent of the population, have been divorced, separated, or annulled. Additionally, 57, or 0.01 percent, lost their wife or husband through death.

The remaining 70 accounted for children whose marital status was unknown.

Table '	Table 1. Number of Children by Sex and by Marital Status, Quezon City: 2020									
		Marital Status								
Sex	Total	Single	Married	Common- law/ Live-in	Widowed	Divorced/ Separated/ Annulled	Unknown			
Total	965,831	953,127	4,564	7,772	57	241	70			
Male	498,301	492,831	2,289	3,069	27	43	42			
Female	467,530	460,296	2,275	4,703	30	198	28			

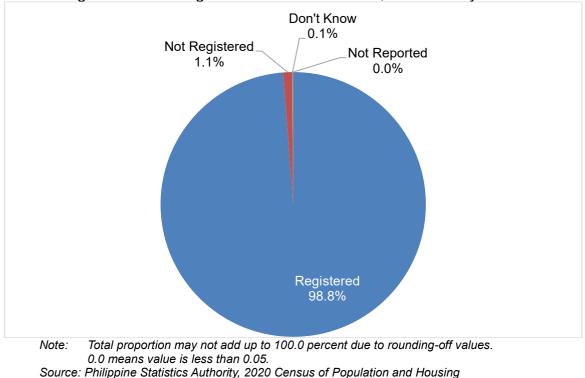
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Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

### Birth registration among children in the city is notably high

Quezon City had a positive birth registration count of 954,079 or 98.8 percent, but there were 10,647 or 1.1 percent unregistered births. On the other hand, over 700 (0.8 percent) don't know if their births are registered while around 300 (0.4) people had no report.

Figure 2 depicts the distribution of children by birth registration in Quezon City for 2020.



### Figure 2. Percentage Distribution of Children, Quezon City: 2020

## Communicating using customary language records as severe functional difficulty among children

There are six core indicators of functional difficulty among children five to 17 years old, namely: (a) seeing even if wearing eyeglasses; (b) hearing even if using a hearing aid; (c) walking or climbing steps; (d) remembering or concentrating; (e) self-caring; and (f) communicating using his/her usual customary language.

Based on the 2020 CPH, communicating using his/her usual customary language recorded the highest severity among the six indicators. With a total case of 662 or 0.1 percent, followed by self-caring, with 393 cases or 0.1 percent. Next is walking or climbing steps with 271 cases or 0.04 percent and remembering or concentrating with 270 cases or 0.04 percent. Meanwhile, seeing even if wearing eyeglasses record 202 cases or 0.03 percent. On the other hand, the lowest functional difficulty among children records 195 cases or 0.03 percent go to hearing even if using a hearing aid.

### Basic literacy rate slightly higher among female children

In Quezon City, 674,707 children (95.2%) aged five to 17 years old can read and write simple messages. Among the male children, basic literacy rate was 95.2 percent while a slightly higher rate of 95.3 was observed among female population.

### Majority of Children Aged 5 to 17 Attained Grade-Level Education

In 2020, 638,271 (94.6%) of children aged five to 17 completed and had reached or completed a grade level. However, 31,411 children had not completed any grade, while data for others were not reported.

Half the number of children aged five (27,423, or 50.8%) in Quezon City had reached or completed early childhood education. Among those aged 6 to 11, 86.9 percent had reached or completed elementary education under the K to 12 Curriculum. Meanwhile, three in every four children aged 12 to 15 (203,139 or 73.7%) had reached or completed junior high school.

On the other hand, about two in every five (39,627 or 42.2%) children aged 16 to 17 have reached or completed senior high school (SHS).

and by Age Grou	and by Age Group, Quezon City: 2020								
Highest Grade/Year Completed	Total	5	6-11	12-15	16-17				
Total	674,707	53,943	323,754	203,139	93,871				
No Grade Completed	31,411	25,507	5,034	655	215				
Preschool	12	-	-	9	3				
Kindergarten	61,778	27,423	34,015	295	45				
Special Needs Education/Second-Chance Education - Elementary	840	-	262	401	177				
K to 12 Program									
Grade 1 to 6	337,289	-	281,193	51,604	4,492				
Junior High School	197,909	-	-	149,705	48,204				
Senior High School	39,627	-	-	-	39,627				
Special Needs Education/Second-Chance Education - High School	189	-	-	68	121				
Post-Secondary	51	-	-	-	51				
Short-Cycle Tertiary	54	-	-	-	54				
College Undergraduate	522	-	-	-	522				
Not Reported	5,025	1,013	3,250	402	360				

Table 2. Children Population 5 to 17 Years Old by Highest Grade Completedand by Age Group, Quezon City: 2020

Note: "-" means zero

### Almost 140,000 children are OFWs

The number of children aged who work overseas was recorded at 1,398 individuals, representing 0.14 percent of the children's population ages 15 to 17 years in the city. The total includes 685 or 49.0 percent in males and 713 or 51.0 percent in females.

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	Table 3. Number of Children by		y. 2020
	Sex	No.	%
Total		965,831	100.0
Male		498,301	51.6
Female		467,530	48.4
Source: F	Philippine Statistics Authority 2020 Census	of Population and Hous	sina

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Table 3. Number	or Children	by Sex,	Quezon	City: 2020

Table 4. Number of Children by Sex and by Barangay, and Sex Ratio,
Quezon City: 2020

City/	Both Sexes Sex					Sex	
Barangay	Total	%	Male	%	Female	%	Ratio
Quezon City	965,831	100.0	498,301	100.0	467,530	100.0	107
Alicia	1,764	0.2	898	0.2	866	0.2	104
Amihan	850	0.1	450	0.1	400	0.1	113
Apolonio Samson	11,045	1.1	5,632	1.1	5,413	1.2	104
Aurora	1,112	0.1	569	0.1	543	0.1	105
Baesa	19,754	2.0	10,305	2.1	9,449	2.0	109
Bagbag	22,166	2.3	11,570	2.3	10,596	2.3	109
Bagumbuhay	1,712	0.2	872	0.2	840	0.2	104
Bagong Lipunan Ng Crame	3,211	0.3	1,658	0.3	1,553	0.3	107
Bagong Pag-asa	9,117	0.9	4,639	0.9	4,478	1.0	104
Bagong Silangan	40,262	4.2	20,959	4.2	19,303	4.1	109
Bagumbayan	5,016	0.5	2,604	0.5	2,412	0.5	108
Bahay Toro	17,864	1.8	9,175	1.8	8,689	1.9	106
Balingasa	6,048	0.6	3,077	0.6	2,971	0.6	104
Bayanihan	144	0.0	82	0.0	62	0.0	132
Blue Ridge A	364	0.0	187	0.0	177	0.0	106
Blue Ridge B	189	0.0	116	0.0	73	0.0	159
Botocan	2,492	0.3	1,313	0.3	1,179	0.3	111
Bungad	1,819	0.2	920	0.2	899	0.2	102
Camp Aguinaldo	1,239	0.1	646	0.1	593	0.1	109
Central	5,654	0.6	2,879	0.6	2,775	0.6	104
Claro	924	0.1	472	0.1	452	0.1	104
Commonwealth	78,751	8.2	40,737	8.2	38,014	8.1	107
New Era	4,853	0.5	2,509	0.5	2,344	0.5	107
Kristong Hari	1,397	0.1	705	0.1	692	0.1	102
Culiat	21,773	2.3	11,357	2.3	10,416	2.2	109
Damar	176	0.0	89	0.0	87	0.0	102
Damayan	1,875	0.2	985	0.2	890	0.2	111
Damayang Lagi	6,502	0.7	3,287	0.7	3,215	0.7	102
Del Monte	3,027	0.3	1,589	0.3	1,438	0.3	111
Dioquino Zobel	575	0.1	295	0.1	280	0.1	105
Doña Imelda	3,783	0.4	1,976	0.4	1,807	0.4	109
Doña Josefa	522	0.1	253	0.1	269	0.1	94
Don Manuel	520	0.1	264	0.1	256	0.1	103
Duyan-duyan	820	0.1	424	0.1	396	0.1	107
E. Rodriguez	4,965	0.5	2,578	0.5	2,387	0.5	108
East Kamias	1,642	0.2	852	0.2	790	0.2	108

City/	Both Sexes			Se	ex		Se
Barangay	Total	%	Male	%	Female	%	Rati
Escopa I	699	0.1	360	0.1	339	0.1	100
Escopa II	589	0.1	283	0.1	306	0.1	92
Escopa III	3,052	0.3	1,611	0.3	1,441	0.3	112
Escopa IV	666	0.1	344	0.1	322	0.1	107
Fairview	19,728	2.0	10,094	2.0	9,634	2.1	105
N.S. Amoranto	1,456	0.2	714	0.1	742	0.2	96
Gulod	22,899	2.4	11,870	2.4	11,029	2.4	108
Horseshoe	771	0.1	399	0.1	372	0.1	107
Immaculate Concepcion	2,092	0.2	1,106	0.2	986	0.2	112
Kaligayahan	19,187	2.0	9,926	2.0	9,261	2.0	107
Kalusugan	1,817	0.2	898	0.2	919	0.2	98
Kamuning	3,239	0.3	1,658	0.3	1,581	0.3	105
Katipunan	2,593	0.3	1,339	0.3	1,254	0.3	107
Kaunlaran	2,959	0.3	1,503	0.3	1,456	0.3	103
Krus Na Ligas	6,716	0.7	3,414	0.7	3,302	0.7	103
Laging Handa	818	0.1	394	0.1	424	0.1	93
Libis	1,295	0.1	678	0.1	617	0.1	110
Lourdes	806	0.1	413	0.1	393	0.1	105
Loyola Heights	5,884	0.6	3,067	0.6	2,817	0.6	109
Maharlika	931	0.1	460	0.1	471	0.1	98
Malaya	664	0.1	359	0.1	305	0.1	118
Manresa	6,085	0.6	3,166	0.6	2,919	0.6	108
Mangga	270	0.0	122	0.0	148	0.0	82
Mariana	2,447	0.3	1,239	0.3	1,208	0.3	103
Mariblo	981	0.1	497	0.1	484	0.1	103
Marilag	2,618	0.3	1,330	0.3	1,288	0.3	103
Masagana	939	0.1	453	0.1	486	0.1	93
Masambong	2,617	0.3	1,342	0.3	1,275	0.3	10
Santo Domingo	3,715	0.4	1,908	0.4	1,807	0.4	106
Matandang Balara	22,636	2.3	11,601	2.3	11,035	2.4	105
Milagrosa	1,664	0.2	840	0.2	824	0.2	102
Nagkaisang Nayon	17,981	1.9	9,246	1.9	8,735	1.9	100
Nayong Kanluran	664	0.1	321	0.1	343	0.1	94
Novaliches Proper	5,412	0.6	2,779	0.6	2,633	0.6	106
Obrero	2,950	0.3	1,533	0.3	1,417	0.3	108
Old Capitol Site	371	0.0	191	0.0	180	0.0	100
Paang Bundok	1,368	0.0	700	0.0	668	0.0	10
Pag-ibig Sa Nayon	1,855	0.1	899	0.2	956	0.2	94
Paligsahan	797	0.2	423	0.2	374	0.2	113
Paltok	5,420	0.6	2,718	0.6	2,702	0.6	10
Pansol	12,569	1.3	6,536	1.3	6,033	1.3	108
Paraiso	921	0.1	495	0.1	426	0.1	116
Pasong Putik Proper	14,215	1.5	7,291	1.5	6,924	1.5	10
Pasong Tamo	38,164	4.0	19,822	4.0	0,924 18,342	3.9	108
Pasong lano Phil-Am	364	4.0 0.0	19,822	4.0 0.0	10,342	0.0	100
Pinyahan	504 6,727	0.0	3,437	0.0	3,290	0.0	104

City/	Both Sexes		Sex				Sex
Barangay	Total	%	Male	%	Female	%	Rati
Pinagkaisahan	1,029	0.1	536	0.1	493	0.1	109
Project 6	3,268	0.3	1,650	0.3	1,618	0.3	102
Quirino 2-A	1,215	0.1	627	0.1	588	0.1	107
Quirino 2-B	874	0.1	465	0.1	409	0.1	114
Quirino 2-C	883	0.1	496	0.1	387	0.1	128
Quirino 3-A	214	0.0	122	0.0	92	0.0	133
Ramon Magsaysay	4,329	0.4	2,163	0.4	2,166	0.5	100
Roxas	3,118	0.3	1,527	0.3	1,591	0.3	96
Sacred Heart	1,604	0.2	823	0.2	781	0.2	105
Saint Ignatius	373	0.0	189	0.0	184	0.0	103
Saint Peter	880	0.1	448	0.1	432	0.1	104
Salvacion	1,720	0.2	928	0.2	792	0.2	117
San Agustin	8,571	0.9	4,442	0.9	4,129	0.9	108
San Antonio	7,059	0.7	3,587	0.7	3,472	0.7	103
San Bartolome	15,951	1.7	8,159	1.6	7,792	1.7	105
San Isidro	1,936	0.2	1,034	0.2	902	0.2	115
San Isidro Labrador	1,596	0.2	808	0.2	788	0.2	103
San Jose	1,788	0.2	910	0.2	878	0.2	104
San Martin De Porres	3,144	0.3	1,625	0.3	1,519	0.3	107
San Roque	5,299	0.5	2,605	0.5	2,694	0.6	97
San Vicente	2,336	0.2	1,211	0.2	1,125	0.2	108
Santa Cruz	1,073	0.1	588	0.1	485	0.1	121
Santa Lucia	10,387	1.1	5,446	1.1	4,941	1.1	110
Santa Monica	18,451	1.9	9,591	1.9	8,860	1.9	108
Santa Teresita	2,552	0.3	1,279	0.3	1,273	0.3	100
Santo Cristo	7,025	0.7	3,623	0.7	3,402	0.7	106
Santo Niño	1,961	0.2	1,016	0.2	945	0.2	108
Santol	1,865	0.2	990	0.2	875	0.2	113
Sauyo	25,855	2.7	13,323	2.7	12,532	2.7	106
Sienna	387	0.0	191	0.0	196	0.0	97
Sikatuna Village	1,313	0.1	670	0.1	643	0.1	104
Silangan	1,161	0.1	609	0.1	552	0.1	110
Socorro	5,062	0.5	2,549	0.5	2,513	0.5	101
South Triangle	3,339	0.3	1,770	0.4	1,569	0.3	113
Tagumpay	804	0.1	411	0.1	393	0.1	105
Talayan	1,399	0.1	754	0.2	645	0.1	117
Talipapa	11,823	1.2	6,072	1.2	5,751	1.2	106
Tandang Sora	25,440	2.6	13,213	2.7	12,227	2.6	108
Tatalon	20,297	2.1	10,478	2.1	9,819	2.1	107
Teachers Village East	408	0.0	192	0.0	216	0.0	89
Teachers Village West	672	0.1	363	0.1	309	0.1	117
U.P. Campus	17,252	1.8	8,929	1.8	8,323	1.8	107
U.P. Village	578	0.1	275	0.1	303	0.1	91
Ugong Norte	1,808	0.2	898	0.2	910	0.2	99
Unang Sigaw	2,592	0.3	1,360	0.3	1,232	0.3	110
Valencia	2,677	0.3	1,400	0.3	1,277	0.3	110

City/	Both Se	Both Sexes		Sex			
Barangay	Total	%	Male	%	Female	%	Ratio
Vasra	2,437	0.3	1,259	0.3	1,178	0.3	107
Veterans Village	3,002	0.3	1,520	0.3	1,482	0.3	103
Villa Maria Clara	628	0.1	309	0.1	319	0.1	97
West Kamias	965	0.1	499	0.1	466	0.1	107
West Triangle	412	0.0	204	0.0	208	0.0	98
White Plains	502	0.1	255	0.1	247	0.1	103
Balong Bato	2,320	0.2	1,145	0.2	1,175	0.3	97
Capri	5,220	0.5	2,618	0.5	2,602	0.6	101
Sangandaan	6,021	0.6	3,105	0.6	2,916	0.6	106
Payatas	56,439	5.8	29,250	5.9	27,189	5.8	108
Batasan Hills	57,632	6.0	29,625	6.0	28,007	6.0	106
Holy Spirit	39,093	4.0	20,230	4.1	18,863	4.0	107
Greater Lagro	6,014	0.6	3,084	0.6	2,930	0.6	105
North Fairview	15,240	1.6	7,961	1.6	7,279	1.6	109

Note: 0.0 means value is less than 0.05 percent.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

### Table 5. Number and Percentage Distribution of Children by Functional DifficultyDomain and Severity, Quezon City: 2020

Functional Difficulty Domain/Severity	Number	%
Functional Difficulty in Seeing even if wearing eyeglasses		
Total	674,707	100.0
Without Functional Difficulty	665,171	98.6
With Mild Functional Difficulty	5,178	0.8
With Moderate Functional Difficulty	592	0.1
With Severe Functional Difficulty	202	0.0
Not Reported	3,564	0.5
Functional Difficulty in Hearing even if using a hearing aid		
Total	674,707	100.0
Without Functional Difficulty	669,973	99.3
With Mild Functional Difficulty	802	0.1
With Moderate Functional Difficulty	172	0.0
With Severe Functional Difficulty	195	0.0
Not Reported	3,565	0.5
Functional Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps		
Total	674,707	100
Without Functional Difficulty	669,914	99.3
With Mild Functional Difficulty	722	0.1
With Moderate Functional Difficulty	232	0.0
With Severe Functional Difficulty	271	0.0
Not Reported	3,568	0.5
Functional Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating		
Total	674,707	100.0
Without Functional Difficulty	669,472	99.2
With Mild Functional Difficulty	1,018	0.2

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Functional Difficulty Domain/Severity	Number	%
With Moderate Functional Difficulty	378	0.1
With Severe Functional Difficulty	270	0.0
Not Reported	3,569	0.5
Functional Difficulty in Self-Caring (such as washing all over or dressing)		
Total	674,707	100.0
Without Functional Difficulty	669,364	99.2
With Mild Functional Difficulty	958	0.1
With Moderate Functional Difficulty	423	0.1
With Severe Functional Difficulty	393	0.1
Not Reported	3,569	0.5
Functional Difficulty in Communicating using his/her usual (customary) language		
Total	674,707	100.0
Without Functional Difficulty	668,667	99.1
With Mild Functional Difficulty	1,108	0.2
With Moderate Functional Difficulty	692	0.1
With Severe Functional Difficulty	662	0.1
Not Reported	3,578	0.5

Note: 0.0 means value is less than 0.05 percent.

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

#### Table 6. Number of Children by Sex and by Literacy, Quezon City: 2020

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Sex	Total	Liter	ate	Illiterate		
Sex	TOLAI	No.	%		%	
Total	674,707	642,511	95.2	32,196	4.8	
Male	348,330	331,570	95.2	16,760	4.8	
Female	326,377	310,941	95.3	15,436	4.7	

Source: Philippine Statistics Authority, 2020 Census of Population and Housing

Table 7. Number of Overseas Working Children Aged 15 Years and Over				
by Sex, Quezon City: 2020				

Sex	No. of Children Aged 15 Years and Over	Overseas Worker	
		No.	%
Total	139,873	1,398	1.0
Male	71,051	685	1.0
Female	68,822	713	1.0