263 million children and youth out of school globally

- 61 million lower secondary school age (12-14)
- 60 million upper secondary school age (15-17)
- 142 million
61.9 M OUT-OF-SCHOOL CHILDREN AND YOUTH LIVE IN CONFLICT AREAS

WESTERN ASIA

NINE OUT OF TEN OF THE
9.4 M OUT-OF-SCHOOL CHILDREN AND YOUTH LIVE IN CONFLICT AREAS

SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA

ONE OUT OF THREE OF THE
93.2 M OUT-OF-SCHOOL CHILDREN AND YOUTH LIVE IN CONFLICT AREAS

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More than half of out-of-school children and youth live in
Southern Asia and Sub-Saharan Africa

- **Southern Asia**
  - Total: 100.8 M
  - Out of school
  - Age group 6–11: 11.4 M
  - Age group 15–17: 68.7 M

- **Sub-Saharan Africa**
  - Total: 93.3 M
  - Out of school
  - Age group 6–11: 34.2 M
  - Age group 12–14: 24.3 M
  - Age group 15–17: 34.8 M

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Girls are the FIRST to be excluded from EDUCATION.

25 M children will NEVER START SCHOOL.

25 M includes
- Girls: 15 Million
- Boys: 10 Million

In Sub-Saharan Africa, 18.6 M girls are not in school. 9 M of whom will never start compared to 6 M boys.

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