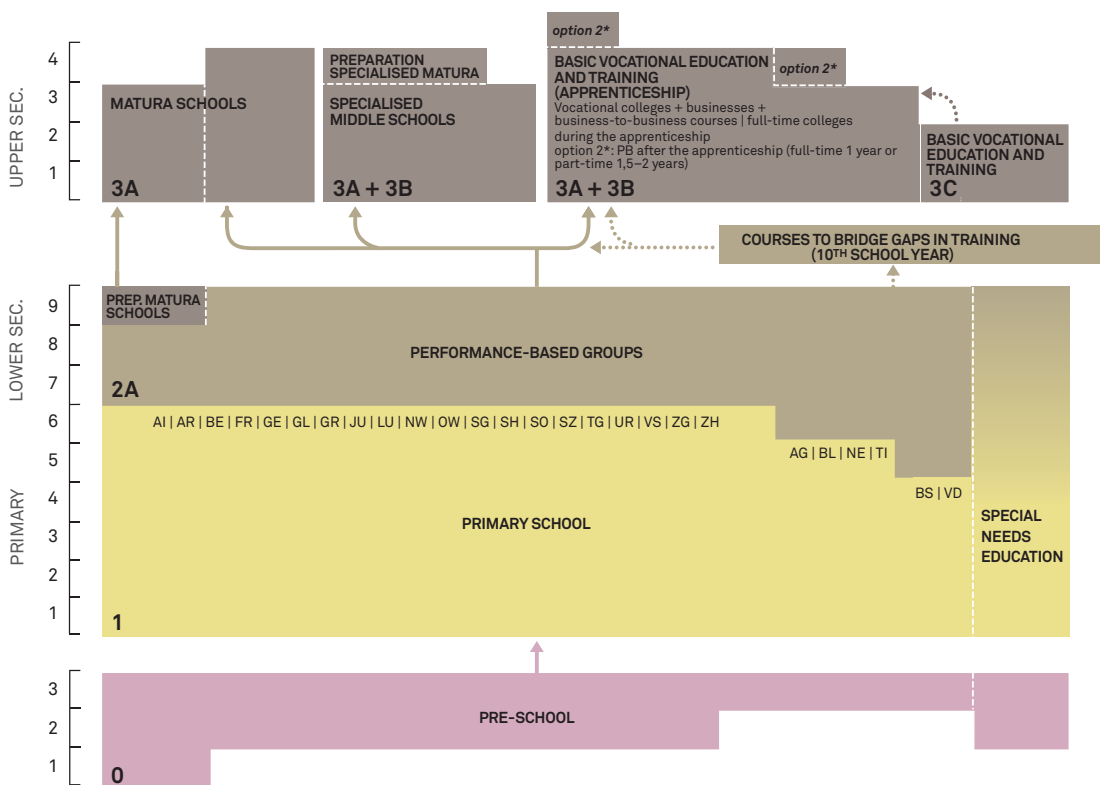
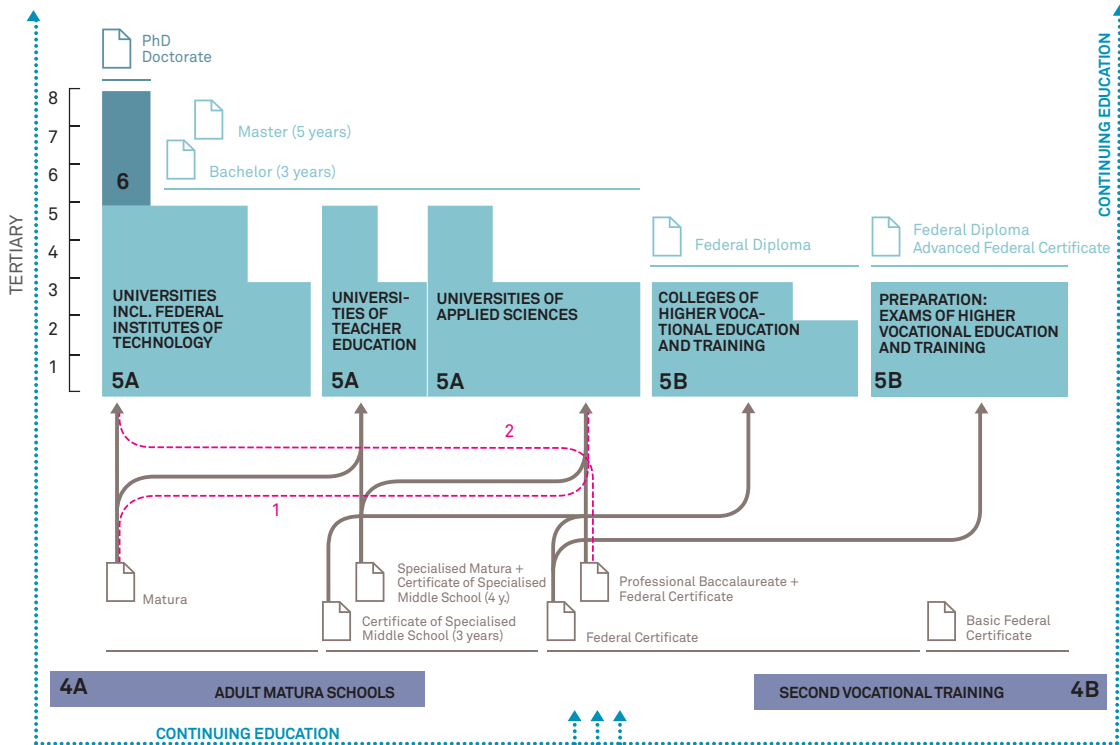


THE SWISS EDUCATION SYSTEM



Compulsory schooling
The diagram shows the present structure of the education system. The cantons aim at harmonising the structure of compulsory schooling. www.edk.ch > HarmoS

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ISCED

The diagram contains a link to the ISCED (International Standard Classification of Education www.uis.unesco.org). The ISCED assigns an internationally defined code (ISCED 0 to ISCED 6) to each educational level. This ensures international comparability of educational levels.

- ISCED 6
- ISCED 5A + 5B
- ISCED 4A + 4B
- ISCED 3A-C
- ISCED 2A
- ISCED 1
- ISCED 0

Degree

Transition: 1 Matura → Universities of applied sciences (practical training)
2 Professional Baccalaureate → Universities (additional qualifications)

3
2
1
Number of years