

# PRE-TERTIARY PSYCHOLOGY EDUCATION

## ON-LINE SURVEY OF EFPA MEMBERS



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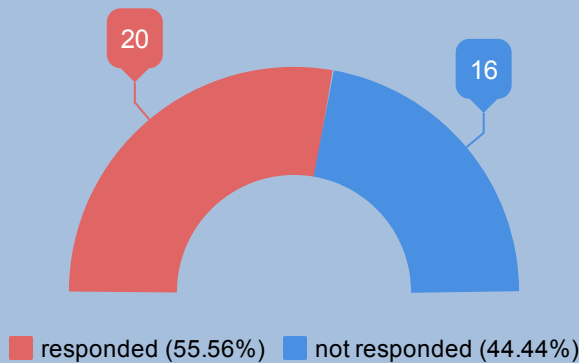
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### PARTICIPANTS

36 EFPA national member associations (MAs) were invited to respond to a questionnaire on pre-tertiary psychology education (PTPE) in their countries.



**18** AVAILABILITY OF PTPE  
pre-tertiary psychology courses are available in eighteen countries

**0** COMPULSORY SUBJECT  
none of the responding countries offer psychology as a compulsory subject

**6** PSYCHOLOGY TEACHERS ASSOCIATIONS  
psychology teachers' associations or committees are established in six countries

**56%** RESPONSE RATE  
just over a half of EFPA member associations responded, 28 responses were received from **20 EFPA member countries**



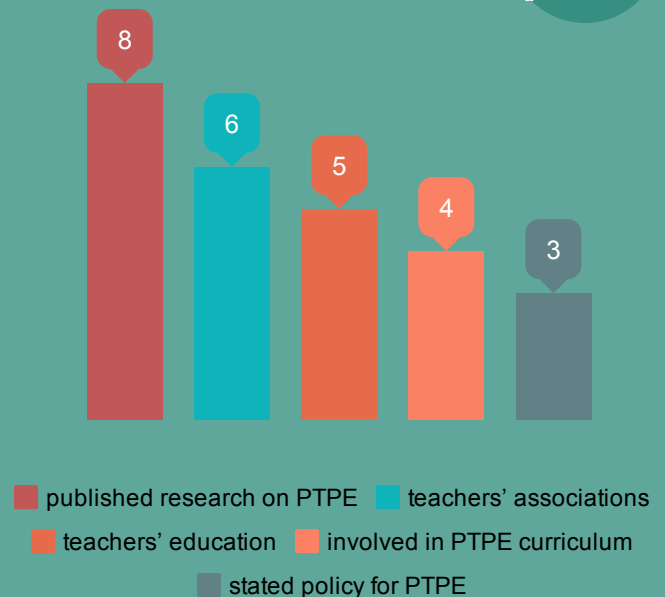
### PSYCHOLOGY IN SCHOOLS

**Availability** of psychology as a school subject is very variable: it is taught in 18 of the 20 European countries which responded, but is **compulsory** in none.

**Exams** at the level normally required for entry to university (Abitur, Matura, A-level etc) are available for psychology in half of the responding countries where psychology is taught ( $n = 9$ ).

National associations have formal and informal links with psychology teachers in schools.

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS' ACTIVITIES IN PTPE



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