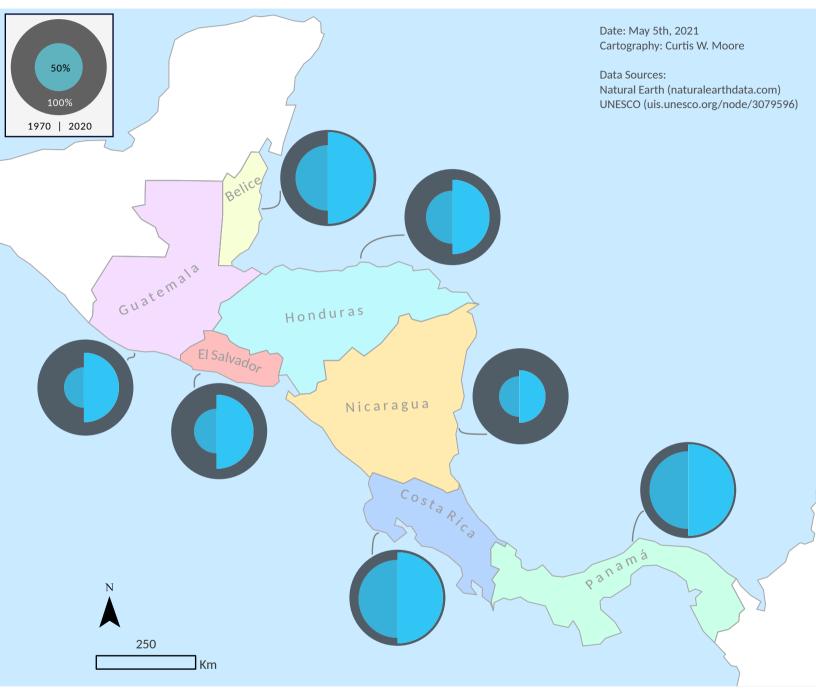
CHILDREN COMPLETING PRIMARY SCHOOL IN CENTRAL AMERICA

(mean percent, 1970-1995 vs. 1995-2020)



Comparison of the average percentage of enrolled children completing primary school in the years from 1970 to 1995 (left semicircle) with 1995 to 2020 (right semicircle).

From UNESCO Institute for Statistics Data Definition:

"Percentage of a cohort of students enrolled in the first grade of a given level or cycle of education in a given school year who are expected to reach a given grade, regardless of repetition.

Rates approaching 100% indicate a high level of retention and low incidence of dropout. The distinction between survival rate with and without repetition is necessary to compare the extent of wastage due to dropout and repetition. Survival rate to the last grade of primary education is of particular interest for monitoring universal primary education, a central objective for Education for All and the Millennium Development Goals."