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Digitalize Independent Schools: Trends, Challenges and Solutions



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Who we are

- ✓ **School & Learning Management SaaS**
- ✓ **600+ Educational Institutions @ 35 Countries**
- ✓ **~500K Active Users**
- ✓ **Microsoft Partner – Education Specialist**
- ✓ **HQ in Kavala, Greece**
- ✓ **30 Employees**
- ✓ **Venture Backed**



Education Specialist





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Trends: Technology & Education



1970

2022





1970

2022





1990

2022



1970



2022



School & Classroom structures are now disrupted by technology

1970s



2022





Students are technology addicted

Class Management is highly demanding

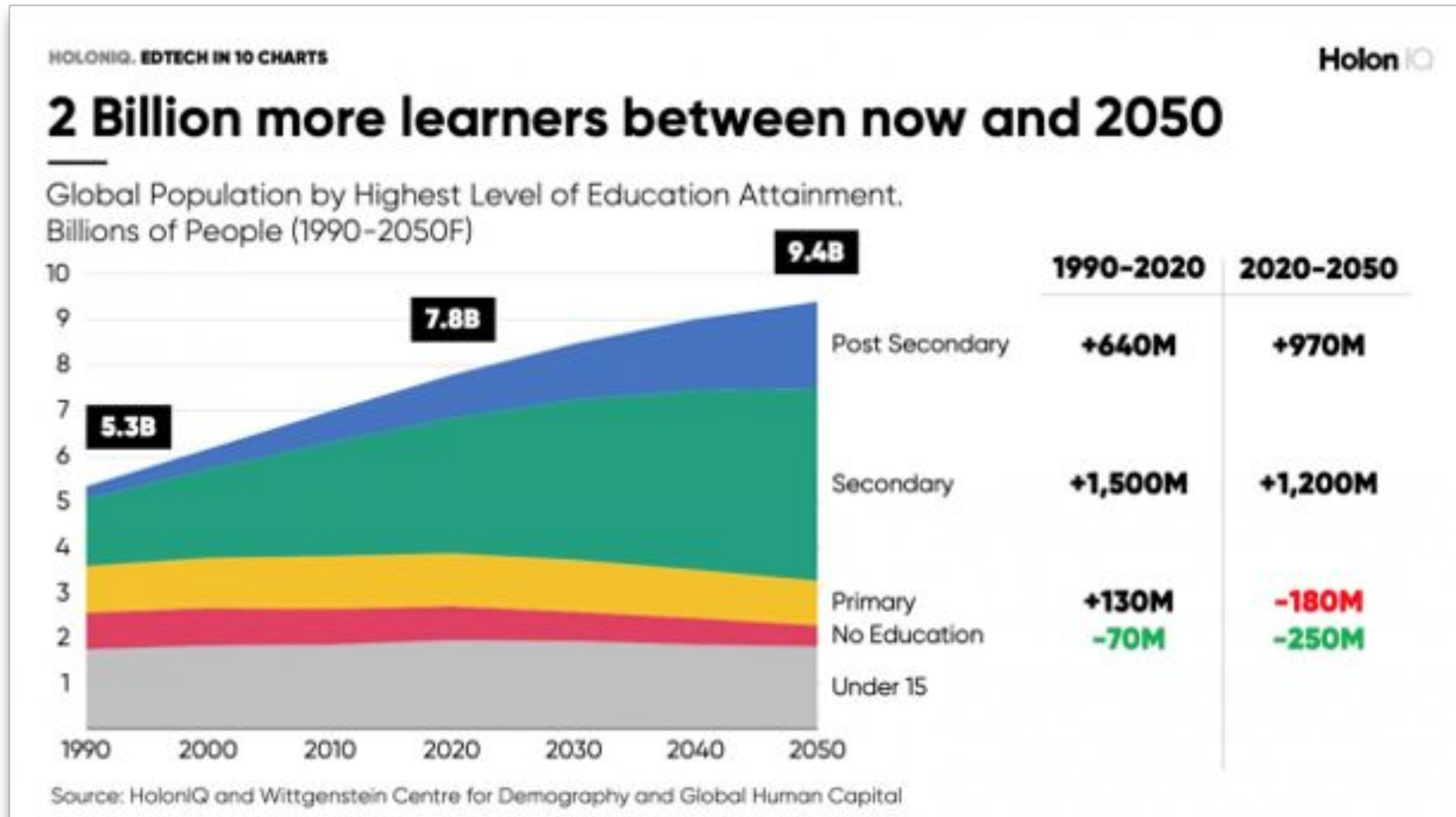




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Trends: Education numbers

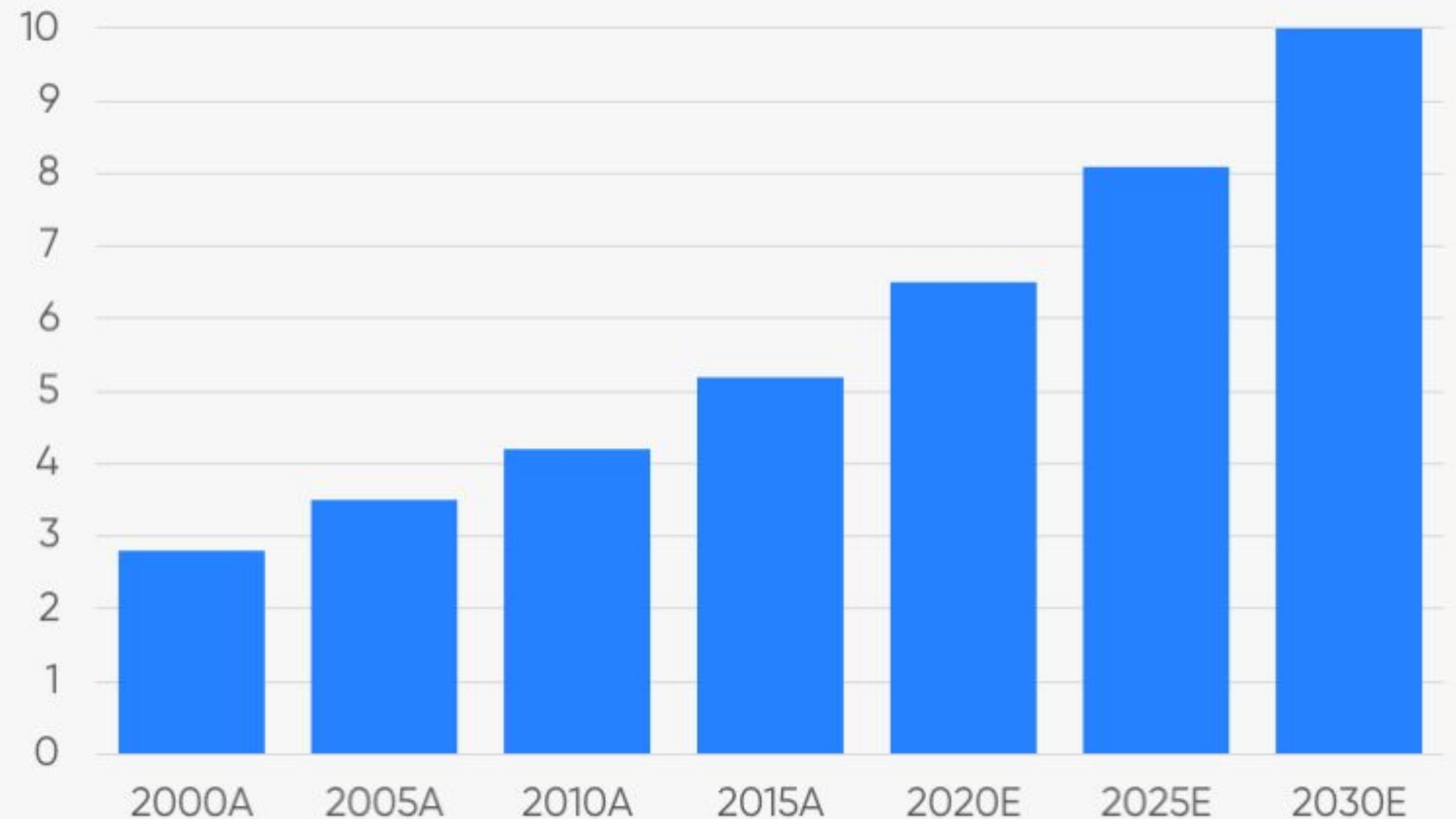
Growing Student Population



Education will grow to a \$10 Trillion industry in 2030.

- ✓ Growth Rate: 4.5%
- ✓ over 6% of Gross World Product (GDP)

**Global Education and Training Expenditure
(Trillion USD)**



Source: HolonIQ and various underlying estimates from Goldman Sachs, GSV, IBIS Capital, Citi

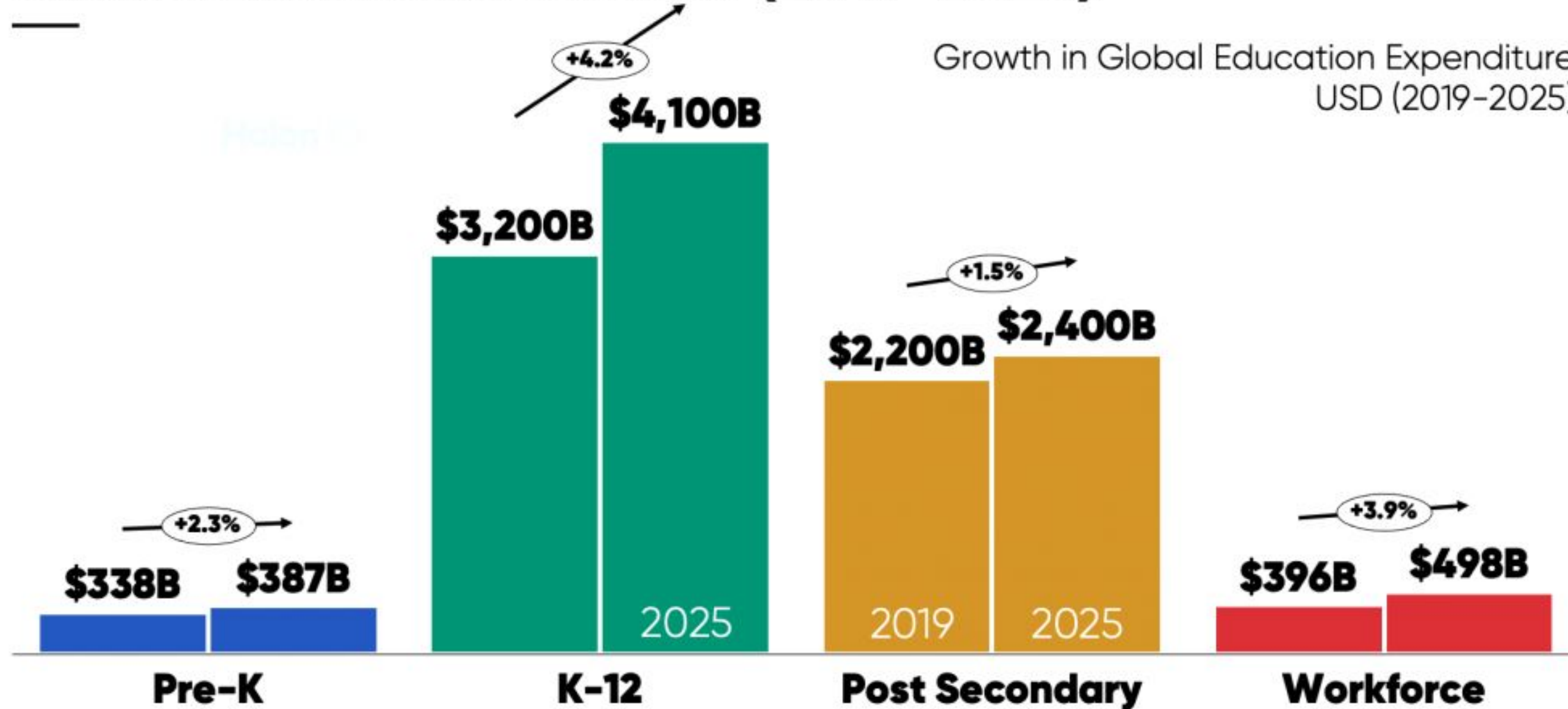
K12 Education grows fast

HOLONIQ. GLOBAL EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY

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Global Education Growth (2019-2025)

Growth in Global Education Expenditure
USD (2019-2025)

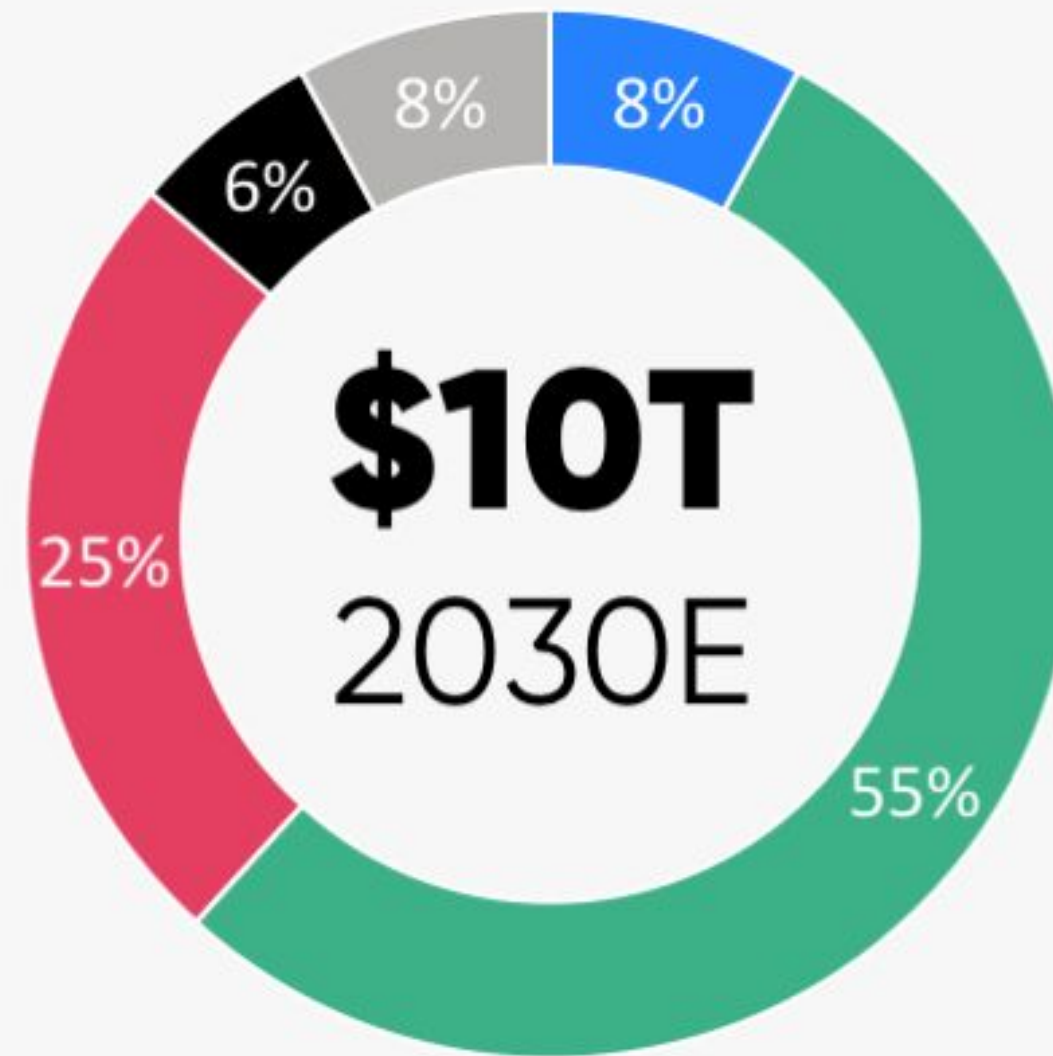


Source: HolonIQ, February 2021

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K12 Education rapid growth to over 5T USD by 2030

2030E Global Education and Training Expenditure (Trillion USD)

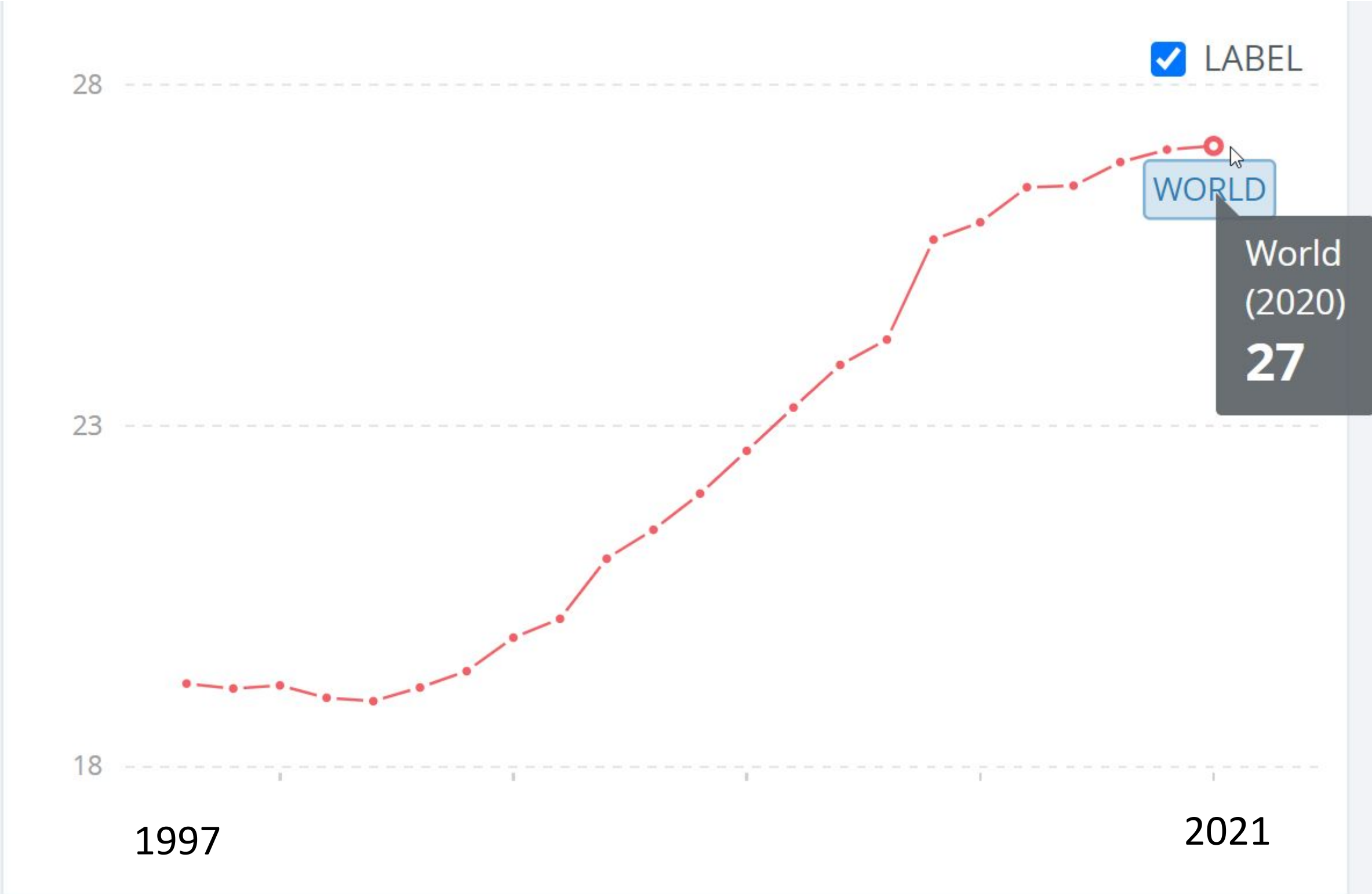


■ Pre K ■ K-12 ■ Post Secondary ■ Corporate ■ Lifelong Learning

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Private over 25% of the total K12 Market

Source : World bank





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Trends: Investment in EdTech

Education is still not digitalized enough

HOLONIQ. EDTECH IN 10 CHARTS

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Less than 4% Digital Spend in Education & Training

Global Digital Spend in Education as a proportion of Total Global Education and Training Expenditure in USD.



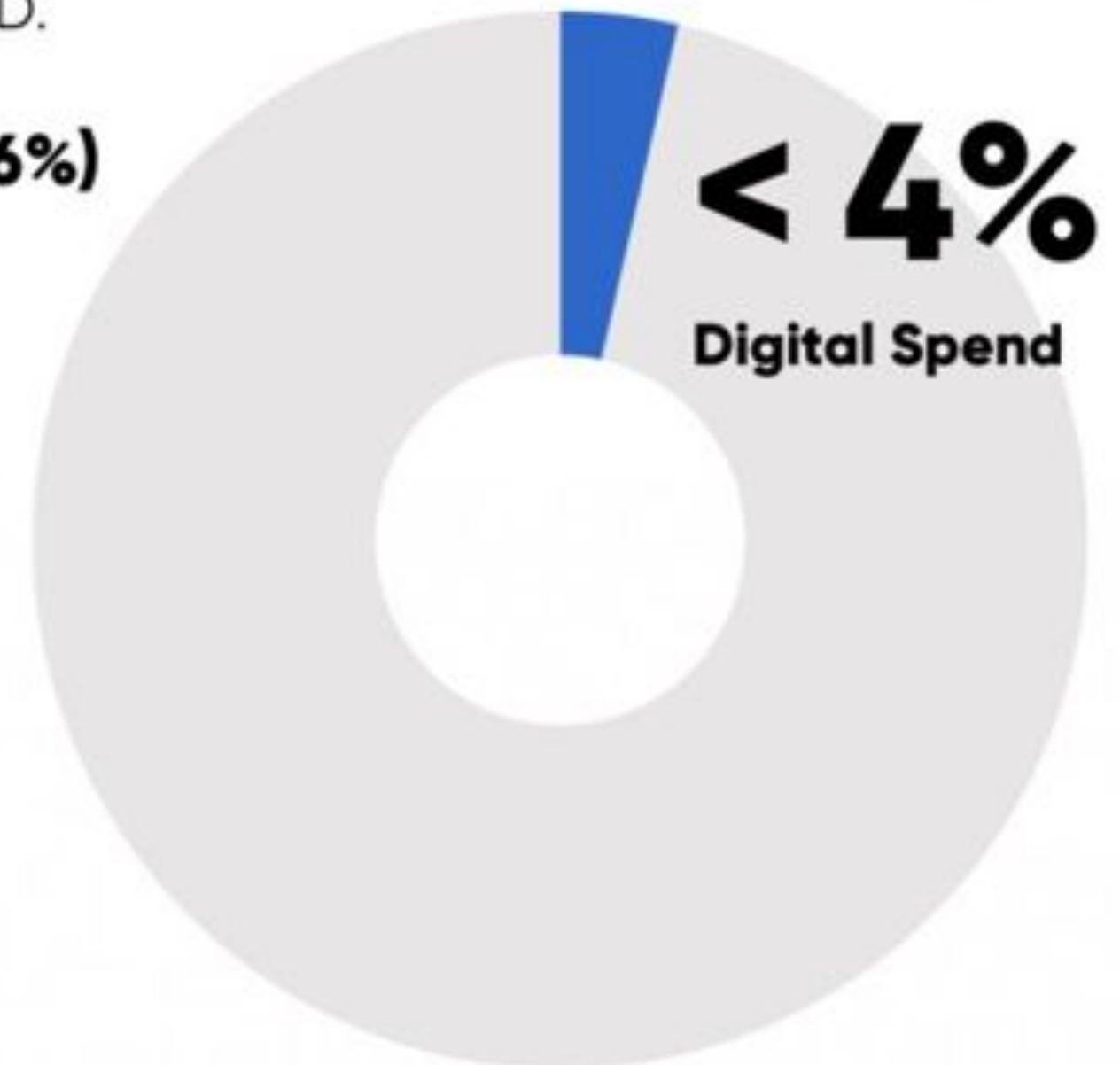
\$227B Education Technology Spend (3.6%)

Hardware, Software and
Technology Enabled Services



\$6.2T Non-Digital Spend (96.4%)

Labor, Physical Equipment,
Analogue Content, Real Estate &
Building Works, Utilities etc



Source: HolonIQ, January 2021



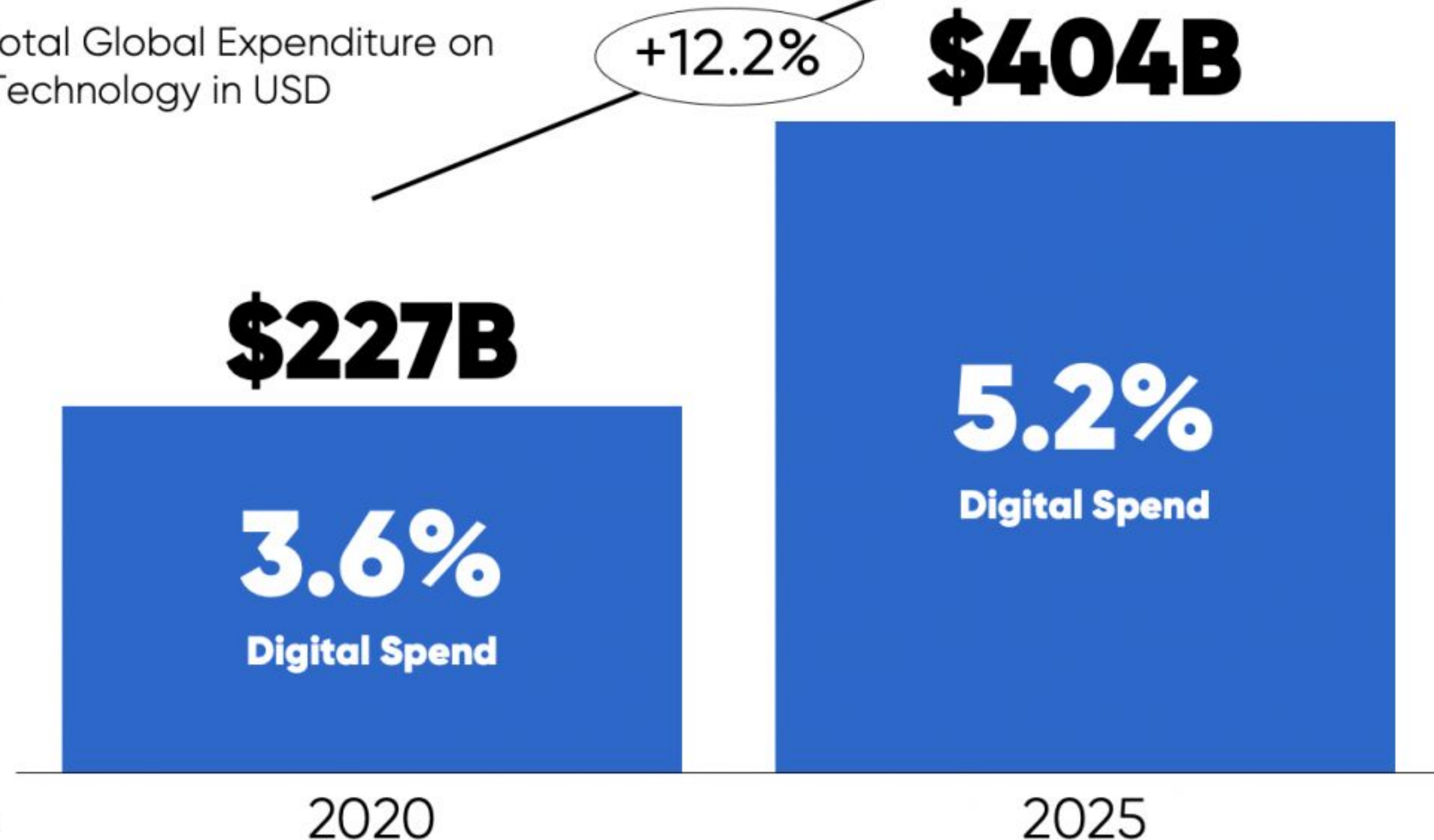
Investment on Digitalization still small but it grows

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EdTech spend will nearly double in the next 5 years

Growth in Total Global Expenditure on Education Technology in USD



Source: HolonIQ



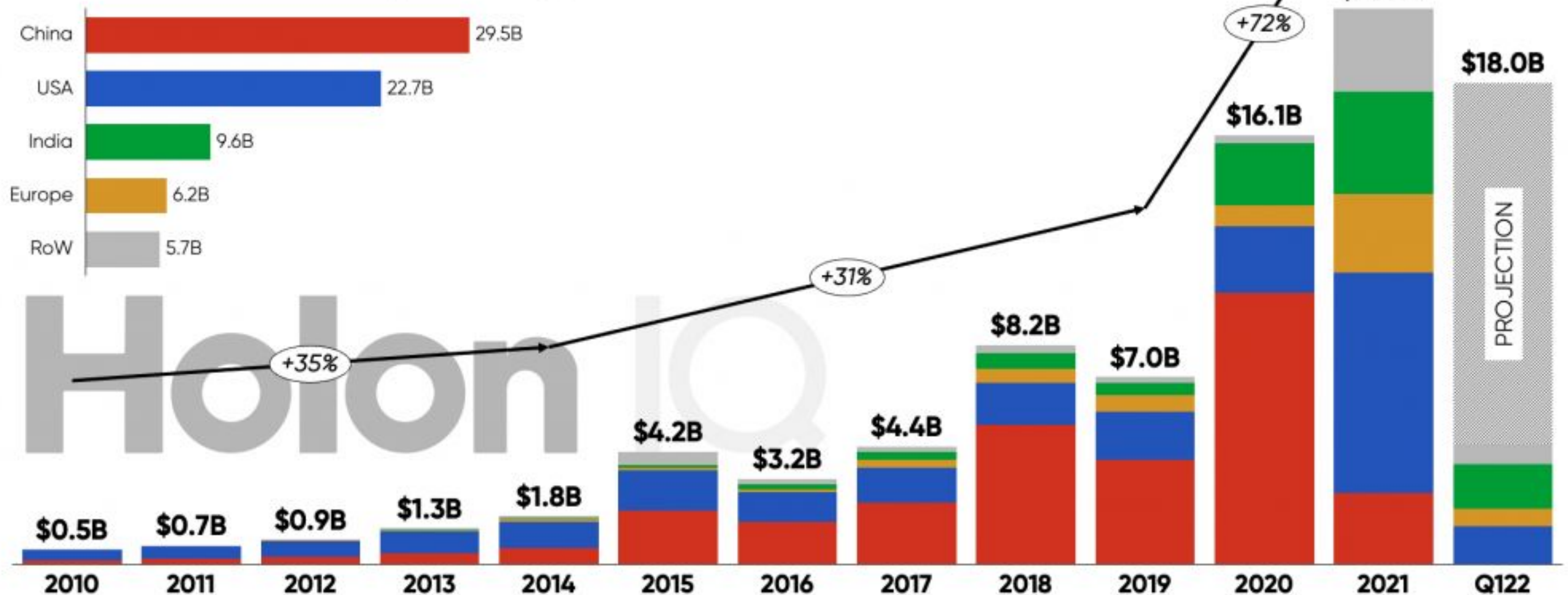
Investment on EdTech grows fast!

HOLONIQ. GLOBAL IMPACT INTELLIGENCE

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\$4.5B of EdTech Venture Funding for Q1 2022 (1 Jan–30 March).
'Straight line' momentum would deliver around \$18B for the full year.

Global Education Venture Capital Funding, 2010–Q1 2022 in USD Billions



Source: HolonIQ, 1 April 2022. All numbers rounded and may not sum exactly due to rounding. Excludes PE transactions. All years calculated at historic FX.

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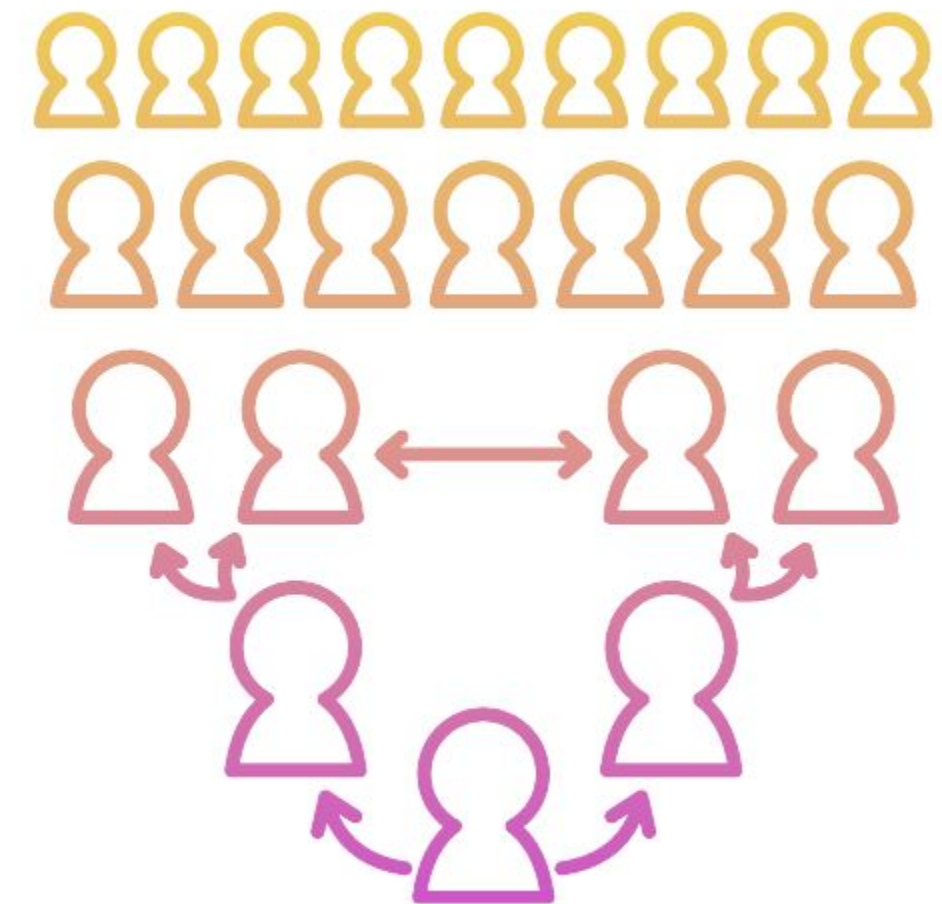


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Challenges

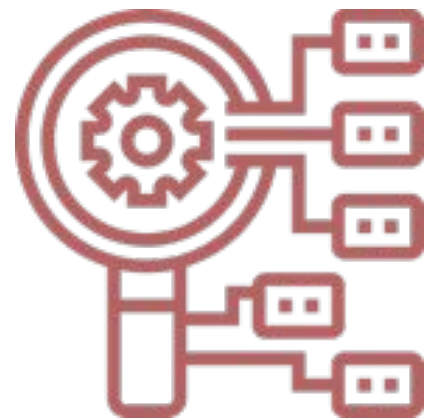
- ✓ Information Flow & Communication
- ✓ Attendance, Security & Access
- ✓ Admission & Registration
- ✓ Medical & SEN
- ✓ Timetabling, Scheduling & Meetings
- ✓ Content , Media & Teaching Facilitation
- ✓ Behavior – Performance – Results
- ✓ Teacher & Students, Parents Data Management
- ✓ Payments, Billing & Accounting
- ✓ Infrastructure & Service Management

**Managing a school =
Managing a small
city**





Top 3 ICT Challenges for Schools



**Complex
Operational Process**



**Lack of IT Personnel
& Budget**



**Too Many Systems / DBs
Islands of technology**



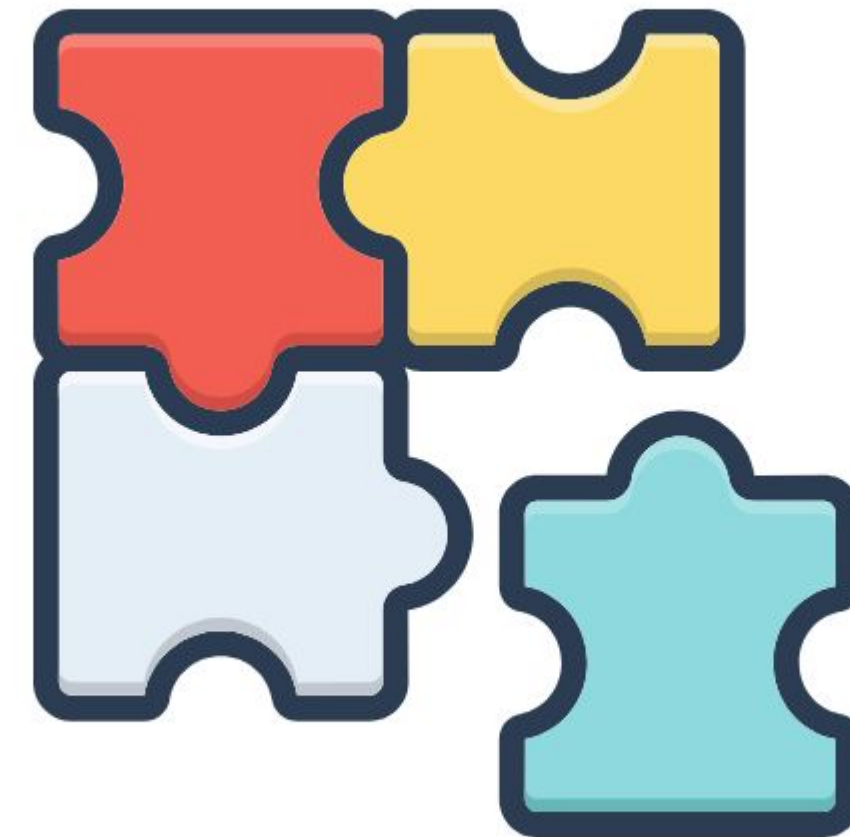
K12 Education – Complexity Increases for ICT

- ✓ **Hybrid Learning (Classroom-Online) in the post-COVID era**
- ✓ **Higher engagement of parents (aka Viber moms!)**
- ✓ **Parents - All processes to go online**
- ✓ **Manage & Monitor communication overload**
- ✓ **Teachers overloaded by technology & processes**
- ✓ **Complex & personalized curricula (i.e. STEM)**
- ✓ **Outcome Based & Other complex assessment approaches**
- ✓ **Students are technology savvy**
- ✓ **Social issues: bullying, inclusion, public health, data protection etc.**



Curriculum Management

- **Personalized Curricula**
- **International Baccalaureate**
- **Dual Curricula**
- **STEM**
- **Extracurricular Activities**



Financial Management – Online Payments

- **Cash flow issues due to COVID and Energy Crisis**
- **Communication with parents**
- **Switch to online payments – Payment Gateways**
- **New forms of payment (e-wallets, Apple Pay, Google Pay)**
- **Automation – Recurring payments**
- **Tax Compliance (i.e. MyData)**



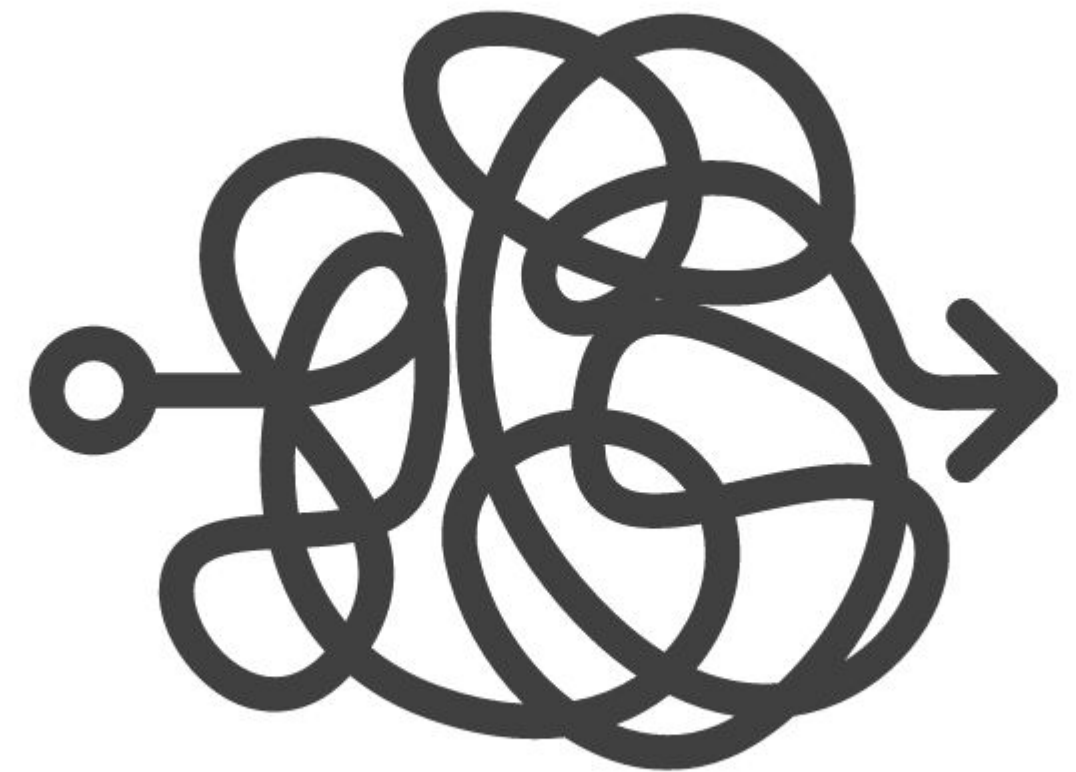
Multiple Integrations

- **ALL schools need integration with O365 or G Suite**
- **Distance Learning**
- **Asynchronous Learning**
- **Content – Antiplagiarism etc.**
- **Device Management**



Fragmented IT Landscape

- Islands of information vs. end-to-end
- On premise vs. Cloud-based
- Different systems that don't sync
- Inefficient data management
- Inefficient use of resources





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Solutions

Do we need
more EdTech
solutions?



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2021 Global Learning Landscape

Holon IQ



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Elements of a good school ICT solution

- ✓ **Lowers Operational Cost (i.e. salaries and admin overhead)**
- ✓ **Provides a Holistic (end to end) approach**
- ✓ **Perceived as a user friendly by all users**
- ✓ **Flexible to meet ever changing requirements**
- ✓ **Adaptable to meet your school needs**
- ✓ **Well integrated with multiple existing platforms**
- ✓ **Serves all user types (students, teachers, parents, candidates, graduates , employees, administrators)**
- ✓ **Well Supported**



What exists for School Management

- ✓ **SIS – SMS**
- ✓ **ERP**
- ✓ **CRM**
- ✓ **LMS**
- ✓ **Custom Solution**
- ✓ **Excel and manual alternatives**
- ✓ **Combination of all above**



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A few words about Classter

Classter All-in-One School Management System

We offer an:

End-to-End SaaS Cloud solution
for **the whole school eco system**
at minimum possible cost and set up time

This is an **All-in-One platform**:

- ✓ Adaptive Learning solution (LMS)
- ✓ School Management system (SMS)
- ✓ Student Information Management System (SIS)
- ✓ School Communication Gateway
- ✓ School CRM & School ERP



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Modules



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Awards and Customers Recognition

