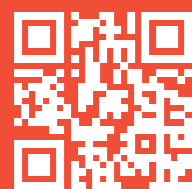




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The WeWorld Index measures the inclusion level of children, adolescents and women, based on 17 DIMENSIONS referring to 34 Indicators (two per dimension), related to the Four Building Blocks for the implementation of women's and children's rights: health, education, economy and society.

Every year, the countries that the WeWorld Index accounts for are divided into 5 groups, according to the degree of inclusion/exclusion of women and children:

- 1) **Good inclusion,**
- 2) **Sufficient Inclusion,**
- 3) **Insufficient Inclusion, and**
- 4) **Severe Exclusion and Very Severe Exclusion.**

WEWORLD INDEX RANKING

Kuwait ranks 91 globally in the 2021 WeWorld index ranking and falls within the group of countries with “Insufficient Inclusion” of women and children.

Kuwait’s ranking dropped significantly compared to the year 2015 edition of the index sliding 43 places in the global ranking (48th globally in 2015).



Individuals Using Internet

Top Five Countries		
1	Bahrain	99.70
2	Qatar	99.65
3	Kuwait	99.54
4	United Arab Emirates	99.15
5	Iceland	99.01

Kuwait is among the top five countries in the “Individuals using Internet” sub-indicator of the composite index, ranking 3 among 169 countries.

% of Women in National Parliaments (seats)

Bottom Five Countries		
168	Kuwait	1.50
169	Micronesia	0.00
169	Papua New Guinea	0.00
169	Vanuatu	0.00
169	Yemen	0.00

On the other hand, Kuwait is among the bottom five countries in the “Percentage of women in national parliaments (seats)” sub-indicator, ranking 168 among 169 countries.



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