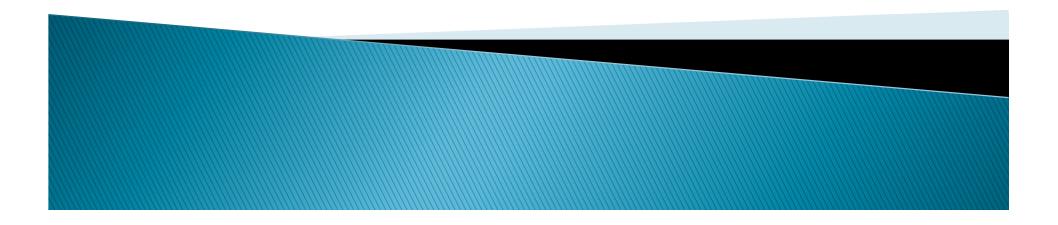
# Vocational education in Croatia



#### **Education system**

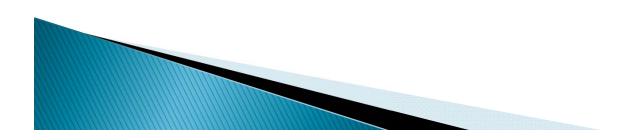
- Pre-primary school
- Primary school
- General secondary education or vocational education
- Higher education



#### Education before primary school

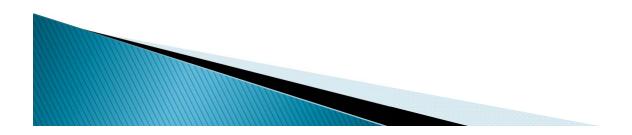
Kindergarten (before 6th year)

Mala škola" 6th year, or one year before the primary school



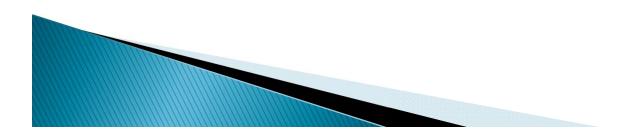
### Primary school

- Compulsory (7th-14th year)
- Lower primary school (1st-4th grade)
- Higher primary school (5th-8th grade)



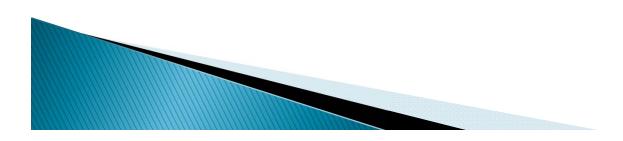
## Secondary schools

- Non-compulsory education (15–18 years)
- General secondary schools(1st-4th grade)
- Vocational schools(1st-3rd/4th grade)



#### Types of vocational schools

- 3 or 4 year programmes
- Technical (4 years)
- Vocational (3 years)
- Industrial (3 years)



#### **Tertiary education**

- Non-compulsory
- Professional (3 years)
- University (5–6 years)

