

Table 2. Differences in anthropometric parameters between age groups in boys and girls

	p for trend for the comparison between age groups		Pairwise comparisons between age groups					
	Boys	Girls	2-3 vs. 3-4 years		3-4 vs. 4-5 years		4-5 vs. 5-6 years	
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Body mass index	0.567	0.352	0.994	0.861	0.980	0.609	0.781	1.000
Waist circumference	<0.001	<0.001	0.600	0.232	<0.001	<0.001	0.934	0.038
Waist-to-height ratio	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.137	0.018	<0.001	0.001	0.247
Body fat %	0.893	0.039	1.000	0.964	1.000	0.109	0.971	0.985

p <0.05 for statistical significant difference.