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CHILDREN CHARACTERISTICS

2014 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

Supporting documentation on code lists, subject definitions, data accuracy, and statistical testing can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Data and Documentation section.

Sample size and data quality measures (including coverage rates, allocation rates, and response rates) can be found on the American Community Survey website in the Methodology section.

Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties.

Subject	Westchester County, New York				
	Total		In married-couple family household		In male householder, no wife present, family household
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate
Children under 18 years in households	220,311	+/-675	161,818	+/-4,649	14,282
AGE					
Under 6 years	30.4%	+/-0.8	30.0%	+/-1.3	41.9%
6 to 11 years	34.2%	+/-1.1	35.7%	+/-1.4	29.1%
12 to 17 years	35.4%	+/-1.2	34.3%	+/-1.6	28.9%
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN					
One race	93.8%	+/-1.2	94.1%	+/-1.3	98.3%
White	61.9%	+/-1.6	70.1%	+/-1.7	55.7%
Black or African American	13.8%	+/-0.9	7.7%	+/-1.3	17.5%
American Indian and Alaska Native	0.8%	+/-0.5	0.7%	+/-0.6	1.0%
Asian	5.5%	+/-0.5	6.4%	+/-0.8	4.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	+/-0.1	0.0%	+/-0.1	0.0%
Some other race	11.8%	+/-1.7	9.2%	+/-1.7	19.5%
Two or more races	6.2%	+/-1.2	5.9%	+/-1.3	1.7%
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	30.1%	+/-0.1	25.2%	+/-1.9	46.2%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	47.5%	+/-0.3	57.4%	+/-1.5	32.4%
RELATIONSHIP TO HOUSEHOLDER					
Own child (biological, step or adopted)	91.9%	+/-1.3	95.0%	+/-1.2	87.0%
Grandchild	5.2%	+/-1.2	3.7%	+/-1.2	4.7%
Other relatives	2.0%	+/-0.6	1.1%	+/-0.5	6.9%
Foster child or other unrelated child	0.8%	+/-0.3	0.3%	+/-0.2	1.4%
NATIVITY					
Native	94.6%	+/-0.9	94.4%	+/-1.1	94.6%
Foreign born	5.4%	+/-0.9	5.6%	+/-1.1	5.4%
PRESENCE OF OTHER ADULTS					
Unmarried partner of householder present	5.2%	+/-1.3	(X)	(X)	42.9%

Subject	Westchester County, New York				
	Total		In married-couple family household		In male householder, no wife present, family household
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate
DISABILITY STATUS					
Civilian children under 18 years in households	220,311	+/-675	161,818	+/-4,649	14,282
With any disability	2.4%	+/-0.5	2.2%	+/-0.6	N
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT					
Children 3 to 17 years in households	189,190	+/-1,889	139,360	+/-4,264	11,869
Enrolled in school	177,226	+/-2,049	132,882	+/-4,287	10,395
Public	81.7%	+/-1.6	79.3%	+/-1.9	90.0%
Private	18.3%	+/-1.6	20.7%	+/-1.9	10.0%
Not enrolled in school	11,964	+/-1,867	6,478	+/-1,221	1,474
MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2014 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS) FOR FAMILIES WITH OWN CHILDREN					
Median income (dollars)	115,752	+/-6,359	152,777	+/-6,264	46,102
Children under 18 years in households	220,311	+/-675	161,818	+/-4,649	14,282
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS					
Children living in households with Supplemental Security Income (SSI), cash public assistance income, or Food Stamp/SNAP benefits	14.2%	+/-1.7	6.4%	+/-1.4	26.6%
POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS					
Children in households for whom poverty status is determined	219,322	+/-761	161,592	+/-4,653	14,076
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level	12.8%	+/-1.8	6.8%	+/-1.7	19.4%
Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level	87.2%	+/-1.8	93.2%	+/-1.7	80.6%
HOUSING TENURE					
Children under 18 years in occupied housing units	220,311	+/-675	161,818	+/-4,649	14,282
In owner-occupied housing units	60.6%	+/-1.6	73.4%	+/-2.2	34.6%
In renter-occupied housing units	39.4%	+/-1.6	26.6%	+/-2.2	65.4%

Subject	Westchester County, New York		
	In male householder, no wife present, family household	In female householder, no husband present, family household	
		Estimate	Margin of Error
Children under 18 years in households	+/-2,757	43,484	+/-4,338
AGE			
Under 6 years	+/-8.5	28.5%	+/-3.5
6 to 11 years	+/-6.0	30.4%	+/-3.5
12 to 17 years	+/-8.1	41.1%	+/-3.7
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN			
One race	+/-1.9	91.0%	+/-3.8
White	+/-13.1	33.2%	+/-5.4
Black or African American	+/-7.9	35.6%	+/-4.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	+/-1.3	1.0%	+/-1.0
Asian	+/-4.2	2.7%	+/-1.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	+/-1.0	0.0%	+/-0.3
Some other race	+/-11.0	18.5%	+/-5.4
Two or more races	+/-1.9	9.0%	+/-3.8
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	+/-9.8	42.7%	+/-5.4
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	+/-11.0	15.5%	+/-4.0
RELATIONSHIP TO HOUSEHOLDER			
Own child (biological, step or adopted)	+/-5.4	83.6%	+/-3.2
Grandchild	+/-3.4	11.2%	+/-3.0
Other relatives	+/-4.1	4.1%	+/-1.8
Foster child or other unrelated child	+/-1.6	1.1%	+/-0.8
NATIVITY			
Native	+/-3.5	96.0%	+/-1.7
Foreign born	+/-3.5	4.0%	+/-1.7
PRESENCE OF OTHER ADULTS			
Unmarried partner of householder present	+/-11.6	11.8%	+/-5.0
DISABILITY STATUS			
Civilian children under 18 years in households	+/-2,757	43,484	+/-4,338
With any disability	N	3.9%	+/-1.6
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			
Children 3 to 17 years in households	+/-2,464	37,234	+/-4,019
Enrolled in school	+/-2,411	33,465	+/-3,506
Public	+/-5.6	88.8%	+/-3.6
Private	+/-5.6	11.2%	+/-3.6
Not enrolled in school	+/-869	3,769	+/-1,320
MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS (IN 2014 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS) FOR FAMILIES WITH OWN CHILDREN			
Median income (dollars)	+/-16,011	36,828	+/-5,313
Children under 18 years in households	+/-2,757	43,484	+/-4,338
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS			
Children living in households with Supplemental Security Income (SSI), cash public assistance income, or Food Stamp/SNAP benefits	+/-12.5	39.3%	+/-5.4
POVERTY STATUS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS			
Children in households for whom poverty status is determined	+/-2,759	43,175	+/-4,293
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level	+/-10.6	32.7%	+/-5.6

Subject	Westchester County, New York		
	In male householder, no wife present, family household	In female householder, no husband present, family household	
	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level	+/-10.6	67.3%	+/-5.6
HOUSING TENURE			
Children under 18 years in occupied housing units	+/-2,757	43,484	+/-4,338
In owner-occupied housing units	+/-9.5	22.6%	+/-4.5
In renter-occupied housing units	+/-9.5	77.4%	+/-4.5

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Foreign born excludes people born outside the United States to a parent who is a U.S. citizen.

Excludes householders, spouses, and unmarried partners.

The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

Public assistance includes receipt of Supplemental Security Income (SSI), cash public assistance income, or Food Stamps.

While the 2014 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.