

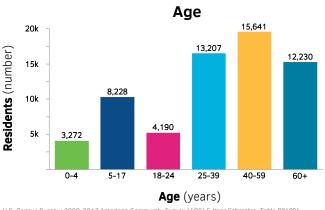
#### RAISING A CHILD IN...

## **ITE PLAINS**

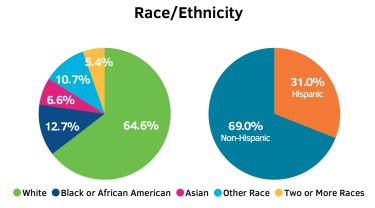
**DEMOGRAPHICS** 

**Total Population - 56,768** 

Children Under 18 - 11,500



U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 American Community Survey (ACS) 5-Year Estimates. Table B01001.



U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 ACS 5-Year Estimates, Table DP05, http://factfinder2.census.gov

#### **COMMUNITY**

#### **EDUCATION**

#### **ECONOMICS**

Walker's Paradise: Daily errands do not require a car.

### out of 100 SCORE

WalkScore® analyzes pedestrian friendliness and distance to amenities via walking routes: http://www.walkscore.com/NY/white-plains-ny as of 6/1/2014.

#### **Community Facilities**



#### Parks & Playgrounds

Includes state, county & local public parks and playgrounds



#### **Grocery Stores**

Includes delis, supermarkets, convenience stores, and pharmacies



#### **Fast Food Restaurants**

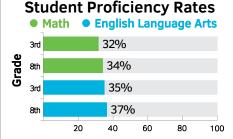
Includes McDonald's, Burger King, KFC, Taco Bell, and Wendy's locations

Parks: Yonkers Parks and Recreation and Westchester County Parks
Department, phone conversations. Grocery Stores: Westchester County
Department of Health, Availability and Affordability of Healthy Food in
Westchester, 2010, http://health.westchestergov.com/images/stories/pdfs/
foodstoresurveyreport.pdf. Fast Food Restaurants: (as of 5/1/2014):
www.mcdonalds.com, www.burgerking.com, www.kfc.com, www.tacobell.com,
and www wentys com

#### CREDITS

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#### Students Passing (percent at Levels 3-4)

New York State Education Department (NYSED): 2013 Grades 3-8 ELA & Math Results, http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/ela-math,

**15%** of students have limited English proficiency

**3%** of students were suspended

NYSED: 2013 Limited English-Proficient Students; 2012 Suspension Rate, Pre-K - Grade 12, http://reportcards.nysed.gov.

#### Do students graduate?

(from high school within 6 years)



#### Are they ready for college?

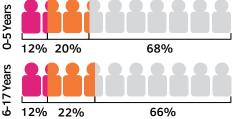


NYSED: 2013 Graduation Rate and Enrollment Outcomes by Student Subgroup, 2007 Total Cohort 6-Year Outcome; 2013 ELA & Math Aspirational Performance Measure, http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/ pressRelease/20140623/home.html

% of Children in Family Type		Median Income
73%	Married Couples	\$112,139
21%	Single Mother	\$29,773
4%	Single Father	\$22,688

U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 ACS 5-Year Estimates, Tables S0901 and B19126, http://factfinder2.census.gov.

#### Child Poverty by Age



Poor (<100% of poverty level)

Low-income (100 - 199% of poverty level)

U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 ACS 5-Year Estimates, Table B17024, http://factfinder2.census.gov.

#### For a family of 2 parents & 2 children:

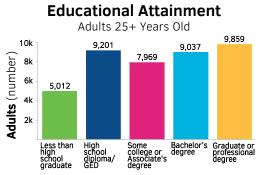
\$23,283 100% of poverty threshold \$46,566 200% of poverty threshold

Poverty Threshold: U.S. Census Bureau, 2012 Poverty Thresholds, http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/poverty/data/threshld/index.html.

**53%** of students get **free** or **reduced lunch**.

#### WHITE PLAINS

#### **ECONOMICS CONTINUED...**



U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 ACS 5-Year Estimates, Table S1501, http://factfinder2.census.gov.

#### **Monthly Housing Costs**

Renters \$1,361 (median)
Owners \$2,240 (median)

**5** out of **10** housing units are **rented**.

## **57%** of renter households experience **rent burden**.

Rent burden is defined as spending more than 30% of the household's income on rent.

U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 ACS Survey 5-Year Estimates, Housing Units Rented: Table B25003; Monthly Housing Expenses: Table S2503; Rent Burden: Table DP04, http://factfinder2.census.gov.

#### HOME & FAMILY

#### HEALTH & SAFETY

#### Place of Residence 1 Year Ago

Same house	87%
Different house in Westchester County	8%
United States (outside of Westchester County)	4%
Foreign Country	1%

U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 ACS 5-Year Estimates, Table B07003, http://factfinder2.census.gov.

### UNEMPLOYMENT RATE: 6 percent

U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 ACS 5-Year Estimates, Table DP03, http://factfinder2.census.gov

#### Language Spoken at Home Children 5-17 Years Old

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U.S. Census Bureau: 2008-2012 ACS 5-Year Estimates, Table B16007, http://factfinder2.census.gov

## 98 family and youth resource centers

Includes Inpatient, Outpatient, Crisis, Clinic, & Community-Based Services, Case Management, Family Support, Family Court Division, Dept. of Social Services and Youth/Recreation Programs, 2010; Youth Services funded by the Westchester County Youth Bureau, 2011. Westchester County GIS: Community Facilities, Family Service Resource Directory and Youth Bureaus, http://gisww.westchestergov.com/wcgis/Facility.htm.

#### Violent and Disruptive School Incidents

Incidence rate (per 1,000 students)	36.2
% of incidents that were violent	2.8
Bullying incidence rate (per 1,000 students)	1.7
Drug/alcohol possession rate (per 1,000 students)	1.3

NYSED: School Safety, 2011-2012 VADIR Reporting, http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/school\_safety/school\_safety\_data\_reporting.html

**23.1 INDEX CRIME** RATE per 1,000 residents

Includes murder, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny, and motor vehicle theft. NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services: Index Crimes Reported to Police, 2009-2013, http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/crimnet/ojsa/indexcrimes/Westchester.pdf. Rate= 1000 x number of index crimes + total population as given in U.S. Census Bureau, 2008-2012 ACS 5-Year Estimates, Table DPOS, http://factfinder2.census.gov.

## **8%** of infants were born underweight, and **26%** had delayed/no prenatal care.

Westchester County Department of Health: 2011 Annual Data Book, Vital Statistics Report, Table 3, Percentage of Infants with Low Birthweight, Less Than 37 Gestation Weeks, and Delayed or No Prenatal Care, 2009, http://health.westchestergov.com/images/stories/pdfs/databook\_vitalstats2011.pdf.

#### Real G.I.R.L.S Academy

GRACE INTELLIGENCE RESPECT LEADERSHIP SKILLS

Launched in 2013 with 26 girls, the Real G.I.R.L.S. Academy seeks to foster leadership, poise, social skills, and academic excellence among 5th and 6th grade girls. The Academy also encourages parents to be involved in their children's development.



The Real G.I.R.L.S. Academy is a collaboration between the White Plains Youth Bureau and the White Plains School District.

City of White Plains Youth Bureau, Real G.I.R.L.S. Academy, http://whiteplainsyouthbureau.org/programs\_c\_l.htm

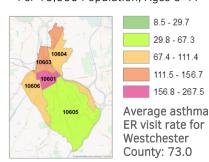
# 34% of children are obese or over-weight.

In Westchester, 26% of children are obese or overweight.

New York State Department of Health (NYS DOH): Student Weight, Percent Obese by School District, 2010-2012, http://health.data.ny.gov.

#### Asthma ER Visit Rate

Per 10,000 Population, Ages 0-17



NYS DOH: Asthma Emergency Department Visits Two Year Average, 2009-2011, Age 0-17, http://www.health.ny.gov/statistics/ny\_asthma/ed/zipcode/westchester.htm.