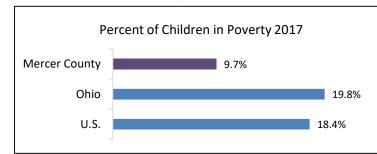
OHIO KIDS COUNT 2019 FACT SHEET

Mercer County





Demographics	Year	Mercer	Ohio
Total population (#)	2018	40,959	11,689,442
Child population (#)	2018	10,531	2,593,325
Race and ethnicity of child population			
White (%)	2018	96.1%	78.4%
Black (%)	2018	1.6%	18.3%
Asian (%)	2018	2.0%	2.9%
Hispanic (%)	2018	3.2%	6.3%
Region (Metro, Rural, Suburban, Appalachian)		Rural	
Economic Well-being	Year	Mercer	Ohio
Children living in poverty (%)	2017	9.7%	19.8%
Median income (\$)	2017	\$60,055	\$54,077
Unemployment rate (%)	2018	2.8%	4.6%
Children receiving SNAP/Food Stamps (%)	2018	13.6%	32.1%
Students economically disadvantaged (%)++	2017-2018	22.6%	50.3%
Education	Year	Mercer	Ohio
Children in publicly funded child care (%)	2018	1.9%	6.9%
See the back for school district information			
Health	Year	Mercer	Ohio
Children enrolled in Medicaid (%)†	2018	30.3%	53.8%
Teen births (rate per 1,000 females age 15-17)	2018	* * *	7.5
Low birth weight babies (% of all births)	2018	6.1%	8.5%
Infant mortality (rate per 1,000 births)	2017	*	7.2
Safety	Year	Mercer	Ohio
Child maltreatment (rate per 1,000 children)	2018	6.4	7.4
Felony adjudications (rate per 1,000 children)	2018	1.0	1.6
Children in foster care (rate per 1,000 children)	2018	10.4	10.5

++Some eligible districts can identify all or nearly all students as economically disadvantaged

⁺Based on county of residence, unlike 2016, but similar to previous years

***Rates based on fewer than 10 births are unstable and not reported

*Rates based on fewer than 10 cases are unstable and not reported

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Education	Enrollment	3rd Grade Reading - Proficient or Higher (%)	8th Grade Math - Proficient or Higher (%)	High School Graduation Rate (%)	Chronic Absenteeism (%)	Out of School Suspensions or Expulsions per 100 Students
Year	2017-2018	2017-2018	2017-2018	2016-2017	2017-2018	2017-2018
Ohio	1,664,346	61.2%	54.3%	84.1%	16.0%	12.1*
District Name						
Celina City	2,613	78.5%	76.2%	93.9%	9.3%	4.1
Coldwater Exempted Village	1,328	75.6%	93.9%	99.1%	3.1%	1.4
Fort Recovery Local	997	80.0%	68.5%	97.3%	0.8%	1
Marion Local	833	75.0%	98.0%	97.2%	1.3%	0.1
Parkway Local	1,008	86.6%	67.8%	94.0%	7.7%	0.8
St Henry Consolidated Local	980	91.2%	83.7%	98.7%	2.3%	0.6

*Based on the 608 school districts