

Shannon County

County Seat: Eminence

County
Composite
Rank

2013
87

2017
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Population: 8,258

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2011	2015	2011	2015		State Rate	County Rank
Economic Well-Being							
Children under 18 in poverty	858	762	45.4%	42.6%	↑	20.4%	115
Food insecurity for children*	630	540	31.2%	28.1%	↑	20.8%	108
Health							
Low birthweight infants ^{^+}	37	42	7.1%	9.5%	↓	8.0%	102
Preventable hospitalizations for all causes for children under 18* (per 1,000)	11	13	5.6	7	↓	7.6	69
Child asthma ER rates* (per 1,000)	7	9	3.6	4.9	↓	10.2	51
Family & Community							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	9	9	32.6	34.2	↓	25.0	67
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000) [^]	12	22	6.2	12	↓	4.5	112
Education							
Graduation rate	56	58	90.3%	98.3%	↑	90.2%	10
Achievement proficiency ^{^#}							
3rd grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	39	29	55.7%	56.9%		57.2%	
8th grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	33	30	55.9%	60%		57.6%	
4th grade Math (MAP)	37	26	61.7%	44.8%		49.2%	
Algebra I (End of Course exam)	54	55	65.1%	76.4%		62.2%	

[^]Outcome not included in County Composite Rank

* Data based on 2010/2014.

+ Data based on 5-year time spans; 2006-2010 and 2011-2015.

Achievement proficiency measures those that scored proficient or above on the MAP tests and Algebra I End of Course exam. Comparisons between 2011 and 2015 data should be treated with caution due to differences in testing standards; accordingly, no trend arrows are shown.

LEGEND: ↑ Better ↓ Worse → No Change

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Contextual Indicators

Demographics

Total population	2011	8,423
	2015	8,258
Child population under 18	2011	1,937
	2015	1,828
Children under 18 as % of total population	2011	23%
	2015	22.1%
Child population under 6	2011	616
	2015	537
Children under 6 as % of total population	2011	7.3%
	2015	6.5%
Minority child population under 18	2011	114
	2015	91
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2011	5.9%
	2015	5%
Minority child population under 6	2011	37
	2015	24
Minority child population under 6 as % of child population	2011	1.9%
	2015	1.3%
Children in single-parent families	2006-2010	24.1%
	2011-2015	26%
Children in married-parent families	2006-2010	75.1%
	2011-2015	73.4%

Economic Well-being

Children in poverty under 6	2006-2010	28.2%
	2011-2015	34.1%
Children in poverty, ages 6-17	2006-2010	45.4%
	2011-2015	42.6%
Housing cost-burdened households	2006-2010	26.8%
	2011-2015	24.7%
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2006-2010	52.9%
	2011-2015	46.6%
Children in families receiving SNAP	2011	52.7%
	2015	48.9%
Median income family household with children under 18	2006-2010	\$37,415
	2011-2015	\$47,438
Adult unemployment	2011	12.6%
	2015	8.1%
Child homelessness	2011	0%
	2015	0%

Education

Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2011	41.3
	2016	43.8
Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2011	-
	2016	25%
School attendance, grades K-12	2011	95.5%
	2015	95.4%

Family & Community

Teen unintentional injuries/homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2006-2010	66.1
	2011-2015	75.6
Single parent head-of-household with children under 18	2006-2010	9.4%
	2011-2015	10.9%
Juvenile law violation referrals (per 1,000)	2011	15.4
	2015	17.3
Annual high school dropout rate	2011	0%
	2015	0.4%
Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2011	0
	2015	1.6
Children living in high poverty areas	2006-2010	68.2%
	2011-2015	100%

Health

Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2006-2010	5.8
	2011-2015	11.3
Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2006-2010	69.5
	2011-2015	31.9
Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2006-2010	86.3
	2011-2015	15.7
Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2006-2010	0
	2011-2015	126.9
Unrestrained automobile fatalities for children under 18*	2006-2010	0%
	2011-2015	100%
Substance abuse hospitalizations ages 1-19 (per 100,000)	2005-2009	17.9
	2010-2014	28.6
Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2005-2009	53.7
	2010-2014	65.8
Uninsured children	2010	8.9%
	2014	10%
School attendance, grades 9-12	2011	95.8%
	2015	94.8%

*If no % is listed, no vehicle fatalities happened in the county during that period.