

Daviess County

County Composite Rank

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2019 **20**

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County Seat: Gallatin

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2013	2017	2013	2017		State Rate	County Rank
Economic Well-Being							
Children under 18 in poverty	654	473	31.1%	22.4%	↑	18.5%	58
Food insecurity for children ^b	470	400	21.2%	18.5%	↑	17.4%	38
Health							
Low birthweight infants ^{a,c}	31	37	5.2%	6.3%	↓	8.4%	12
Preventable hospitalizations for all causes for children under 18 (per 1,000) ^b	10	10	4.7	4.7	→	7.1	27
Child asthma ER rates (per 1,000) ^b	13	8	6.1	3.7	↑	8.0	45
Family & Community							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	9	5	33.3	16.6	↑	22.5	24
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000) ^a	9	7	4.2	3.2	↑	3.3	36
Education							
Graduation rate	79	90	95.2%	95.7%	↑	91.0%	25
Achievement proficiency ^{a,d}							
3rd grade English/Language Arts (MAP)		55		62.5%		62.2%	
8th grade English/Language Arts (MAP)		62		65.3%		60.4%	
4th grade Math (MAP)		41		43.6%		53.9%	

Trend: ↑ better ↓ worse → no change

^a Outcome not included in County Composite Rank.

^b Data based on 2012 and 2016.

^c Data based on 5-year time spans, 2008-2012 and 2013-2017.

^d Achievement proficiency measures those that scored proficient or above on the MAP tests. Achievement data from 2013 is not shown due to differences in testing standards and assessments used in 2017; accordingly, no trend arrows or county ranks are shown.

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Contextual Indicators

Demographics			Education		
Total population	2013	8,294	Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2013	0.0
	2017	8,361		2018	13.9
Child population under 18	2013	2,142	Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2013	—
	2017	2,158		2018	0.0%
Children under 18 as % of total population	2013	25.8%	School attendance, grades K-12	2013	95.4%
	2017	25.8%		2018	95.5%
Child population under 6	2013	650	Family & Community		
	2017	641	Teen unintentional injuries/homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2008-2012	69.7
Children under 6 as % of total population	2013	7.9%		2013-2017	36.0
	2017	7.7%	Single parent head-of-household with children under 18	2008-2012	5.8%
Minority child population under 18	2013	93		2013-2017	4.4%
	2017	102	Juvenile law violation referrals (per 1,000)	2013	25.3
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2013	4.3%		2017	12.5
	2017	4.7%	Annual high school dropout rate	2013	0.0%
Minority child population under 6	2013	32		2017	0.0%
	2017	28	Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2013	4.7
Minority child population under 6 as % of child population	2013	4.9%		2017	2.8
	2017	4.4%	Health		
Children in single-parent families	2008-2012	18.4%	Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2008-2012	5.1
	2013-2017	17.1%		2013-2017	5.1
Children in married-parent families	2008-2012	81.6%	Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2008-2012	36.3
	2013-2017	81.6%		2013-2017	75.3
Economic Well-being			Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2008-2012	32.9
Children in poverty under 6	2013	30.2%		2013-2017	68.6
	2017	25.3%	Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2008-2012	50.4
Children in poverty, ages 5-17	2013	28.8%		2013-2017	106.1
	2017	21.5%	Unrestrained automobile fatalities for children under 18 ^a	2008-2012	100.0%
Housing cost-burdened households	2008-2012	23.7%		2013-2017	%
	2013-2017	23.7%	Substance abuse hospitalizations ages 1-19 (per 100,000) ^b	2007-2011	0
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2008-2012	41.7%		2012-2016	0
	2013-2017	40.3%	Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2007-2011	60.6
Children in families receiving SNAP	2013	31.6%		2012-2016	81.6
	2017	29.0%	Uninsured children	2012	11.5%
Median income family household with children under 18	2008-2012	\$50,093		2016	10.9%
	2013-2017	\$63,229	School attendance, grades 9-12	2013	94.8%
Adult unemployment	2013	6.0%		2017	95.0%
	2017	3.3%			
Child homelessness	2013	0.0%			
	2017	0.0%			

^a If no % listed, no vehicle fatalities happened in the county during that period.

^b * Indicates unstable rate due to low count (< 20 cases); ** indicates very unstable rate due to very low count (< 5 cases).