

Bollinger County

County Seat: Marble Hill

County
Composite
Rank

2016
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Population: 12,281

Outcome Measures	Number		Rate		Trend	Rank	
	2014	2018	2014	2018		State Rate	County Rank
Economic Well-Being							
Children under 18 in poverty	770	549	28.5%	21.9%	↑	18.3%	55
Food insecurity for children ^b	690	570	24.1%	20.7%	↑	17.5%	84
Health							
Low birthweight infants ^{a,c}	43	47	6.3%	7.2%	↓	8.5%	31
Preventable hospitalizations for all causes for children under 18 (per 1,000) ^{b,c}	30	18	10.5	6.7	↑	7.1	65
Child asthma ER rates (per 1,000) ^b	9	10	3.1	3.7	↓	7.5	60
Family & Community							
Births to teens, ages 15-19 (per 1,000)	17	10	48.3	30.4	↑	21.6	73
Substantiated child abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000) ^a	14	28	5.0	10.9	↓	4.0	103
Education							
High school graduation	118	136	95.2%	95.8%	↑	91.3%	29
Achievement proficiency ^{a,d}							
3rd grade English/Language Arts (MAP)		61		43.6%		48.6%	
8th grade English/Language Arts (MAP)		70		50.7%		49.0%	
4th grade Math (MAP)		58		42.3%		45.8%	
Algebra I (End of Course exam)		45		36.9%		47.0%	

Trend: ↑ better ↓ worse → no change

^a Outcome not included in County Composite Rank.

^b Data based on 2013 and 2017.

^c Data based on 5-year time spans, 2009-2013 and 2014-2018.

^d Achievement proficiency measures those that scored proficient or above on the MAP tests and Algebra I End of Course exam. Achievement data from 2014 are not shown due to differences in testing standards and assessments used in 2018; accordingly, no trend arrows or county ranks are shown.

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Contextual Indicators

Demographics

Total population	2014	12,394
	2018	12,281
Child population under 18	2014	2,816
	2018	2,578
Children under 18 as % of total population	2014	22.4%
	2018	22.0%
Child population under 6	2014	896
	2018	720
Children under 6 as % of total population	2014	7.2%
	2018	5.9%
Minority child population under 18	2014	97
	2018	132
Minority child population under 18 as % of child population	2014	3.5%
	2018	5.1%
Minority child population under 6	2014	34
	2018	48
Minority child population under 6 as % of under 6 child population	2014	3.8%
	2018	6.7%
Children in single-parent families	2009-2013	23.9%
	2014-2018	21.1%
Children in married-parent families	2009-2013	75.8%
	2014-2018	78.9%

Economic Well-being

Children in poverty under 6	2014	34.8%
	2018	30.4%
Children in poverty, ages 5-17	2009-2013	27.3%
	2014-2018	19.7%
Housing cost-burdened households	2009-2013	27.8%
	2014-2018	20.9%
Family households with children under 18 at 185% of poverty level	2009-2013	33.9%
	2014-2018	33.9%
Children in families receiving SNAP	2014	43.5%
	2018	41.4%
Median income family household with children under 18	2009-2013	\$51,414
	2014-2018	\$62,344
Adult unemployment	2014	6.7%
	2018	3.6%
Child homelessness	2014	1.7%
	2018	2.8%

Education

Licensed child care capacity (per 1,000)	2014	67.7
	2019	42.7
Accredited child care capacity as % of licensed capacity	2014	—
	2019	0.0%
School attendance, grades K-12	2014	95.3%
	2018	94.9%

Family & Community

Teen unintentional deaths/homicides/suicides (per 100,000)	2009-2013	49.3
	2014-2018	51.9
Single parent head-of-household with children under 18	2009-2013	6.8%
	2014-2018	6.2%
Juvenile law violation referrals, ages 10-17 (per 1,000)	2014	32.4
	2018	13.0
Annual high school dropout rate	2014	0.0%
	2018	0.5%
Children entering/re-entering state custody (per 1,000)	2014	4.0
	2018	14.0

Health

Infant mortality (per 1,000)	2009-2013	5.8
	2014-2018	4.6
Child deaths ages 1-17 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	14.0
	2014-2018	22.2
Child deaths ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	0.0
	2014-2018	15.8
Child deaths ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	2009-2013	80.3
	2014-2018	40.1
Unrestrained automobile fatalities for children under 18 ^a	2009-2013	0.0%
	2014-2018	%
Substance abuse hospitalizations ages 1-19 (per 100,000) ^b	2008-2012	21.8**
	2013-2017	5.9**
Mental/behavioral hospitalizations (not substance abuse) ages 1-19 (per 10,000)	2008-2012	42.5
	2013-2017	40.3
Uninsured children	2013	9.2%
	2017	7.0%
School attendance, grades 9-12	2014	94.7%
	2018	93.8%

^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)