

Map the Meal Gap 2015:



Child Food Insecurity in Kentucky by County in 2013 ¹

County	Food insecurity rate (full	Population under 18	Child food insecurity	Estimated number food insecure children	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal	NOT income-eligible for
A 1 ·	population)	years old	rate	(rounded)	nutrition assistance ²	federal nutrition assistance ²
Adair	15.7%	4,090	22.4%	920	87%	13%
Allen	15.4%	4,877	22.6%	1,100	90%	10%
Anderson	13.2%	5,450	19.1%	1,040	68%	32%
Ballard -	14.2%	1,817	21.6%	390	71%	29%
Barren	16.4%	10,256	23.7%	2,430	83%	17%
Bath	17.8%	2,936	27.0%	790	94%	6%
Bell	22.6%	6,194	33.1%	2,050	97%	3%
Boone	11.8%	33,890	16.4%	5,550	52%	48%
Bourbon	15.9%	4,751	21.6%	1,030	78%	23%
Boyd	16.0%	10,521	23.5%	2,470	75%	25%
Boyle	17.1%	6,118	24.5%	1,500	81%	19%
Bracken	15.0%	2,095	22.5%	470	80%	20%
Breathitt	20.3%	3,003	31.4%	940	90%	10%
Breckinridge	15.0%	4,811	22.1%	1,060	97%	3%
Bullitt	12.3%	18,443	18.5%	3,410	68%	32%
Butler	16.6%	2,969	25.7%	760	87%	13%
Caldwell	15.7%	2,878	23.5%	680	65%	35%
Calloway	16.5%	6,731	19.4%	1,310	71%	29%
Campbell	13.9%	20,509	18.8%	3,850	64%	36%
Carlisle	13.6%	1,146	23.5%	270	83%	17%
Carroll	18.0%	2,756	29.5%	810	74%	26%
Carter	16.9%	6,336	25.7%	1,630	84%	16%
Casey	16.3%	3,764	25.7%	970	89%	11%
Christian	20.3%	21,028	24.1%	5,070	86%	14%
Clark	15.5%		21.0%	1,730	75%	25%
	22.1%	8,228			90%	10%
Clay		4,686	33.2%	1,560		
Clinton	17.2%	2,448	25.3%	620	100%	0%
Crittenden	15.3%	2,137	22.4%	480	100%	0%
Cumberland	18.2%	1,520	27.5%	420	93%	7%
Daviess	14.4%	23,726	20.5%	4,870	74%	26%
Edmonson	15.5%	2,588	20.3%	530	93%	7%
Elliott	19.6%	1,515	28.4%	430	93%	7%
Estill	18.0%	3,258	29.4%	960	93%	7%
Fayette	16.6%	63,542	18.5%	11,750	67%	33%
Fleming	16.7%	3,522	24.1%	850	89%	11%
Floyd	20.2%	8,735	30.2%	2,630	88%	12%
Franklin	16.0%	10,505	21.5%	2,250	75%	25%
Fulton	23.1%	1,374	26.3%	360	88%	12%
Gallatin	15.7%	2,340	25.2%	590	86%	15%
Garrard	15.0%	3,888	23.9%	930	79%	21%
Grant	14.5%	6,859	21.4%	1,470	73%	27%
Graves	15.4%	9,138	22.6%	2,070	78%	22%
Grayson	17.9%	6,179	27.8%	1,720	79%	21%
Green	16.0%	2,498	23.5%	590	88%	12%
Greenup	15.0%	8,217	22.3%	1,830	76%	25%
Hancock	13.1%	2,174	21.0%	460	69%	31%
Hardin	15.9%	27,392	21.3%	5,830	68%	32%
Harlan	23.4%	6,616	33.4%	2,210	87%	13%
Harrison	16.6%	4,439	24.3%	1,080	72%	28%
Hart	17.0%	4,559	25.4%	1,160	90%	10%
Henderson	15.9%	10,898	21.7%	2,370	75%	25%
Henry	15.1%	3,796	22.9%	870	74%	26%
Hickman	15.5%	1,007	23.9%	240	100%	0%
					74%	26%
Hopkins	15.8%	10,813	24.0%	2,590		
ackson	21.8%	3,097	33.6%	1,040	100%	0%
efferson	17.2%	172,034	19.6%	33,720	70%	30%
essamine	15.0%	12,517	21.8%	2,730	76%	24%
ohnson	17.6%	5,235	26.4%	1,380	93%	7%
Kenton	14.2%	39,941	19.7%	7,880	67%	33%
Knott	19.8%	3,508	28.6%	1,000	83%	17%
Knox	21.5%	7,694	32.4%	2,490	92%	8%
Larue	14.4%	3,277	22.9%	750	89%	11%

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Laurel	16.8%	14,294	25.0%	3,580	85%	16%
Lawrence	18.2%	3,667	26.5%	970	89%	12%
Lee	21.5%	1,474	34.3%	510	89%	11%
Leslie	20.9%	2,427	28.6%	690	88%	13%
Letcher	21.3%	5,353	31.2%	1,670	85%	15%
Lewis	19.1%	3,239	30.1%	980	87%	13%
Lincoln	18.1%	5,961	27.7%	1,650	90%	10%
Livingston	14.5%	1,953	21.5%	420	100%	0%
Logan	16.0%	6,506	23.5%	1,530	84%	17%
Lyon	15.0%	1,297	26.5%	340	82%	19%
McCracken	16.0%	14,591	20.9%	3,050	72%	28%
McCreary	21.8%	4,076	29.4%	1,200	87%	13%
McLean	14.9%	2,255	24.1%	540	88%	12%
Madison	16.6%	17,952	21.5%	3,870	71%	29%
Magoffin	21.8%	3,161	32.3%	1,020	91%	9%
Marion	15.0%	4,863	20.0%	970	79%	21%
Marshall	13.4%	6,444	20.2%	1,300	80%	21%
Martin	21.4%	2,733	34.1%	930	86%	14%
Mason	17.1%	4,231	23.7%	1,000	76%	24%
Meade	15.5%	7,707	23.0%	1,770	85%	16%
Menifee	19.4%	1,469	31.0%	460	95%	5%
Mercer	14.9%	4,958	21.8%	1,080	74%	26%
Metcalfe	15.7%	2,341	23.3%	550	99%	1%
Monroe	16.4%	2,419	25.3%	610	82%	19%
Montgomery	17.4%	6,461	25.4%	1,640	82%	18%
Morgan	19.4%	2,730	29.6%	810	88%	12%
Muhlenberg	16.2%	6,747	24.5%	1,650	83%	17%
Nelson	15.2%	11,270	22.6%	2,550	78%	22%
Nicholas	15.8%	1,673	22.0%	370	98%	3%
Ohio	14.2%	5,928	23.2%	1,380	89%	11%
Oldham	9.9%	16,593	14.3%	2,380	41%	60%
Owen	14.0%	2,597	20.3%	530	53%	47%
Owsley	21.3%	977	29.6%	290	94%	6%
Pendleton	14.5%	3,534	21.9%	770	80%	20%
Perry	19.9%	6,200	28.4%	1,760	84%	16%
Pike	18.3%	14,050	27.4%	3,850	83%	17%
Powell	19.7%	3,114	26.7%	830	80%	20%
Pulaski	17.1%	14,383	25.2%	3,630	79%	21%
Robertson	17.0%	494	26.2%	130	90%	11%
Rockcastle	16.4%	3,883	25.2%	980	92%	8%
Rowan	17.8%	4,795	25.3%	1,220	77%	23%
Russell	17.7%	3,980	25.7%	1,020	82%	19%
Scott	13.0%	12,698	18.3%	2,320	61%	39%
Shelby	12.8%	10,503	17.5%	1,840	69%	31%
Simpson	16.5%	4,374	21.6%	950	71%	29%
Spencer	11.1%	4,400	15.9%	700	60%	40%
Taylor	16.5%	5,493	25.3%	1,390	88%	12%
Todd	15.9%	3,412	21.2%	720	83%	17%
Trigg	15.4%	3,246	22.4%	730	93%	7%
Trimble	14.3%	2,172	20.6%	450	59%	41%
Union	17.1%	3,393	23.2%	790	85%	15%
Warren	16.3%	26,136	20.2%	5,280	73%	27%
Washington	13.8%	2,756	19.9%	550	85%	15%
Wayne	18.4%	4,606	27.4%	1,260	90%	10%
Webster	14.3%	3,159	19.7%	620	71%	30%
Whitley	18.4%	8,603	27.1%	2,330	95%	5%
Wolfe	22.4%	1,758	35.4%	620	88%	12%
Woodford	12.4%	5,872	17.2%	1,010	62%	38%
State Total ³	16.4%	1,014,585	21.7%	221,780	75%	25%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap.

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³Data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state.



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Child Food Insecurity in Kentucky by Congressional District in 2013 1

Congressional District	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Child food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²
1	16.6%	23.3%	38,530	83%	17%
2	15.2%	21.3%	37,060	74%	26%
3	17.2%	18.7%	31,450	69%	31%
4	14.0%	19.9%	36,320	64%	36%
5	18.9%	27.7%	43,560	89%	11%
6	16.8%	20.8%	34,860	69%	31%

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