



# Map the Meal Gap 2018:

## Child Food Insecurity in Arizona by County in 2016<sup>1</sup>



County	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Population under 18 years old	Child food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>
Apache	25.5%	21,191	35.1%	7,430	93%	7%
Cochise	14.5%	28,574	23.3%	6,640	74%	26%
Coconino	19.1%	30,095	24.4%	7,350	74%	26%
Gila	17.5%	10,828	28.1%	3,040	80%	20%
Graham	15.5%	10,446	24.9%	2,600	77%	23%
Greenlee	13.1%	2,614	22.4%	590	71%	29%
La Paz	15.3%	3,512	26.6%	930	92%	8%
Maricopa	14.3%	1,023,921	21.1%	216,340	68%	32%
Mohave	17.8%	38,049	25.9%	9,870	80%	20%
Navajo	21.9%	30,207	30.7%	9,290	87%	13%
Pima	14.1%	219,290	22.1%	48,550	71%	29%
Pinal	13.9%	96,391	22.4%	21,620	74%	26%
Santa Cruz	8.3%	13,246	24.1%	3,190	80%	20%
Yavapai	15.5%	38,028	22.2%	8,440	72%	28%
Yuma	16.1%	53,226	31.6%	16,840	81%	20%
<b>State Total<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>14.9%</b>	<b>1,631,422</b>	<b>22.7%</b>	<b>370,960</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>32%</b>

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<sup>2</sup>Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2016. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.

<sup>3</sup>Data 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.



# Map the Meal Gap 2018:

## Child Food Insecurity in Arizona by Congressional District in 2016 <sup>1</sup>



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 <sup>2</sup>	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>
1	18.1%	27.1%	50,810	77%	23%
2	15.9%	23.9%	35,120	71%	29%
3	12.2%	24.7%	49,180	76%	24%
4	15.2%	22.3%	31,750	66%	34%
5	13.3%	18.2%	37,550	47%	53%
6	14.7%	20.7%	32,420	58%	42%
7	14.8%	25.6%	64,170	77%	23%
8	13.3%	18.8%	33,080	60%	40%
9	16.8%	22.3%	36,880	68%	32%

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