

ROSS COUNTY



County seat	Chillicothe
County type	Appalachian
Total population	78,249
Child population	17,435 (22.3%)
Child population by race	White (92.6%), Black (6.3%), Asian (0.7%), Latino (1.8%)

Economic Well-being	Year	Ross County	Ohio
Children living in poverty (nbr)	2011	4,736	619,354
Children living in poverty (percent)	2011	27.8%	23.9%
Median income	2011	\$43,118	\$45,803
Unemployment rate	2011	9.9%	8.6%
Children receiving SNAP/Food Assistance (percent)	2011	39.8%	28.4%
Children eligible for free and reduced lunch (percent)	2011	52.7%	45.3%
Education			
Children in publicly funded child care (nbr)	2011	765	189,727
4th grade math - proficient or higher (percent)	2010-2011	79.4%	78.1%
4th grade reading - proficient or higher (percent)	2010-2011	85.2%	83.8%
High school graduation rate (percent)	2009-2010	87.7%	84.3%
Health			
Children enrolled in publicly funded healthcare/Medicaid (percent)	2011	69.9%	52.7%
Births to teens age 15-17 (percent of all births)	2010	2.3%	2.7%
Low birth weight babies (percent of all births)	2010	10.1%	8.6%
Safety & Risky Behavior			
Felony adjudications (nbr)	2011	25	5,654
rate per thousand	2011	1.8	2.1
Child maltreatment (nbr)	2011	202	23,356
rate per thousand	2011	11.6	8.7
Children in foster care (nbr)	2011	205	22,304
rate per thousand	2011	11.8	8.3

KIDS COUNT Online

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www.datacenter.kidscount.org



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