

VAN WERT COUNTY



County seat	Van Wert
County type	Rural (non-Appalachian)
Total population	28,601
Child population	7,027 (24.6%)
Child population by race	White (96.1%), Black (3.2%), Asian (0.4%), Latino (4.4%)

Economic Well-being	Year	Van Wert County	Ohio
Children living in poverty (nbr)	2011	1,316	619,354
Children living in poverty (percent)	2011	16.5%	23.9%
Median income	2011	\$46,717	\$45,803
Unemployment rate	2011	9.2%	8.6%
Children receiving SNAP/Food Assistance (percent)	2011	21.2%	28.4%
Children eligible for free and reduced lunch (percent)	2011	42.0%	45.3%
Education			
Children in publicly funded child care (nbr)	2011	107	189,727
4th grade math - proficient or higher (percent)	2010-2011	81.1%	78.1%
4th grade reading - proficient or higher (percent)	2010-2011	88.6%	83.8%
High school graduation rate (percent)	2009-2010	92.6%	84.3%
Health			
Children enrolled in publicly funded healthcare/Medicaid (percent)	2011	49.5%	52.7%
Births to teens age 15-17 (percent of all births)	2010	2.8%	2.7%
Low birth weight babies (percent of all births)	2010	6.6%	8.6%
Safety & Risky Behavior			
Felony adjudications (nbr)	2011	17	5,654
rate per thousand	2011	1.1	2.1
Child maltreatment (nbr)	2011	80	23,356
rate per thousand	2011	11.4	8.7
Children in foster care (nbr)	2011	14	22,304
rate per thousand	2011	2.0	8.3

KIDS COUNT Online

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www.datacenter.kidscount.org



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