

Children in El Centro

Indicator	Year	El Centro	Imperial County	California	Data Source
Child Population (Ages 0-17)	2010-2014	12,478	50,993	9,212,288	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Dec. 2015).
Percentage of Households with Children	2010-2014	44.2%	47.6%	36.5%	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Dec. 2015).
Percentage of Children in Families with Married Couple Householders	2010-2014	LNE	65.0%	67.5%	Population Reference Bureau , analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey microdata files (Mar. 2016).
Percentage of Children in Families with Single Female Householders	2010-2014	LNE	24.3%	18.7%	Population Reference Bureau , analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey microdata files (Mar. 2016).
Percentage of Children in the Care of Grandparents	2010-2014	7.6%	6.6%	3.4%	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Dec. 2015).
Percentage of Children Living with Foreign-Born Parents	2012-2016	51.0%	52.3%	49.3%	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Jan. 2018).
Percentage of Children Living in Linguistically Isolated Households	2012-2016	14.2%	16.5%	10.8%	Population Reference Bureau , analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey microdata files (Feb. 2018).
Percentage of Children Living in Crowded Households	2010-2014	LNE	25.2%	28.1%	Population Reference Bureau , analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey microdata files (Mar. 2016).
Median Income for Families with Children	2012-2016	\$42,524 <i>(Annual Income)</i>	\$46,788 <i>(Annual Income)</i>	\$66,485 <i>(Annual Income)</i>	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Jan. 2018).
Percentage of Children Living in Low-Income Working Families	2012-2016	29.9%	28.2%	25.9%	Population Reference Bureau , analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey microdata files (Feb. 2018).
Percentage of Children Living Below the Federal Poverty Threshold	2012-2016	31.5%	31.6%	21.9%	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Jan. 2018).
Percentage of Children Living Below 50% of the Federal Poverty Threshold	2012-2016	12.0%	13.7%	9.1%	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Jan. 2018)

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Percentage of Children without Secure Parental Employment	2010-2014	44.6%	44.2%	34.3%	Population Reference Bureau , analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey microdata files (Mar. 2016).
Percentage of Children with Major Disabilities	2011-2015	5.8%	4.7%	3.1%	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Dec. 2016).
Percentage of Children with Health Insurance Coverage	2012-2016	92.6%	91.9%	94.6%	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Jan. 2018).
Percentage of Children/Youth Ages 0-21 with Medi-Cal or CHIP Coverage	2012-2016	52.5%	50.1%	38.6%	Population Reference Bureau , analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey microdata files (Feb. 2018).
Percentage of Children Ages 3-5 Not Enrolled in Preschool or Kindergarten	2010-2014	LNE	39.6%	38.7%	Population Reference Bureau , analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey microdata files (Mar. 2016).
Percentage of Teens Ages 16-19 Not in School and Not Working	2011-2015	8.9%	10.2%	7.7%	U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (Dec. 2016).

Definitions for LNE, N/A, N/R, or S can be found in the footnote section of the indicator page.

More data on El Centro: <https://www.kidsdata.org/region/539/el-centro/summary>