

Scott County

2014-2015 Kentucky County Profile

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What are some basic facts about Scott County residents?

	County	KY	US
Total population	49,057	4,380,415	313,914,040
Median household income	\$60,553	\$42,610	\$53,046
Per capita income	\$27,003	\$23,210	\$28,051
Living in poverty	13.7%	18.6%	14.9%
Eligible for Medicaid	13.4%	18.8%	n/a
Without medical insurance	13.0%	16.9%	17.9%
Registered voters who voted in the 2012 general election	63.6%	59.7%	68.0%
Unemployment rate	6.9%	8.2%	8.1%
Access to Broadband Internet	100.0%	95.7%	98.8%

Are Scott County public high school graduates prepared for college and career?

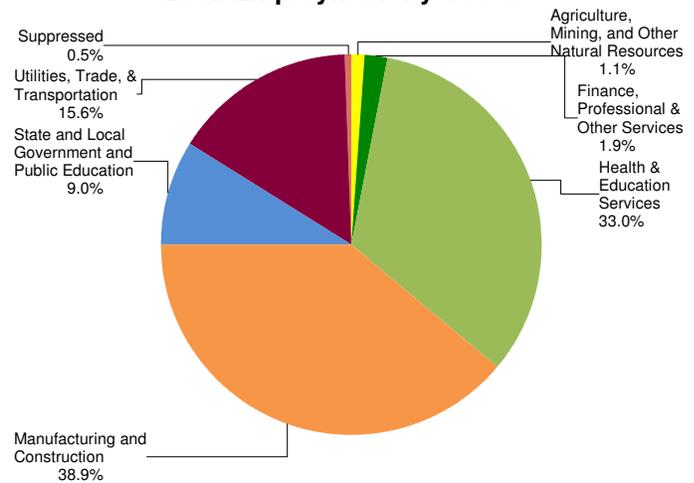
	County	KY
Average junior year ACT Composite score for 2013 graduates	20.7	19.4
Graduates ready for college-level coursework based on junior year ACT		
Mathematics	51.1%	41.6%
English	74.5%	55.7%
Reading	56.0%	44.7%
Science	34.0%	27.2%
Ready for college by graduation	61.6%	49.4%
Ready for career by graduation	11.4%	11.8%
Ready for college and/or career by graduation	62.2%	54.1%
Average GPA for 2013 graduates	2.90	2.88

What is the educational attainment of Scott County residents?

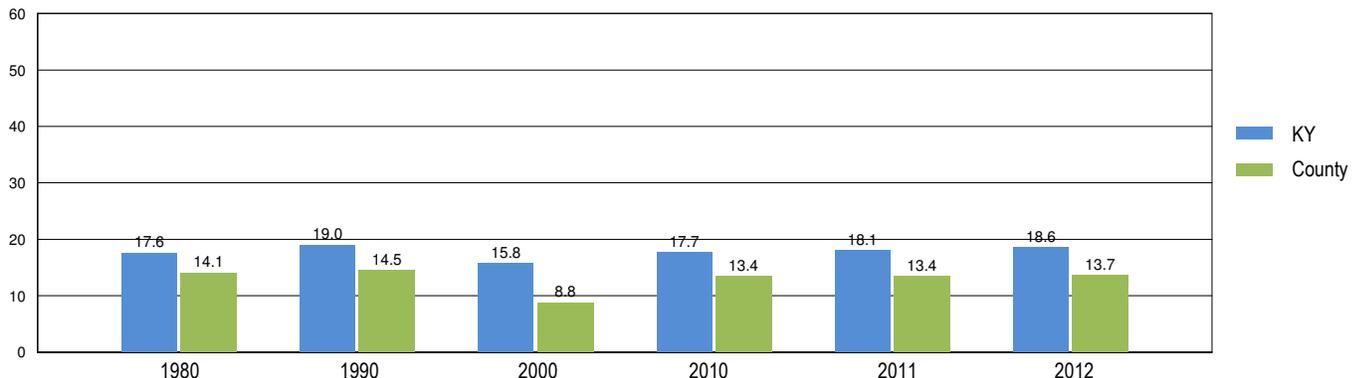
	County	KY	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	12.7%	17.6%	14.3%
High school diploma or equivalent	30.8%	34.0%	28.2%
Some college but no degree	23.3%	20.5%	21.3%
Associate degree	6.3%	6.9%	7.7%
Bachelor's degree	16.0%	12.5%	17.9%
Graduate or professional degree	10.9%	8.5%	10.6%

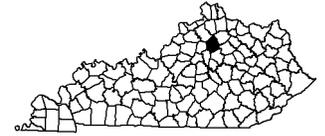
What industries provide employment in Scott County?

2012 Employment by Sector



Percentage of Scott County Population Living in Poverty, 1980-2012



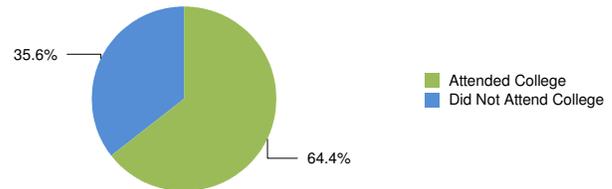


What is the education pipeline for Scott County?

	County	KY
Public K-12 enrollment in 2012-2013	8,367	652,317
Private K-12 enrollment in 2012-2013	697	70,078
Entering students ready for kindergarten in fall 2013	49.8%	49.0%
Special education population in 2012-2013	12.3%	13.2%
Students qualifying for free and reduced lunch in 2012-2013	41.1%	56.6%
Public high school graduates in 2010-2011	500	44,853
Public high school graduates entering postsecondary education in 2011-2012	322	27,014
In-state college going rate in 2011-2012	59.4%	55.4%
Out-of-state college going rate in 2011-2012	5.6%	5.4%
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments for 2011-2012	221	40,300
GEDs awarded in 2011-2012	86	9,826
Students earning a postsecondary certificate or diploma in 2011-2012	55	8,193
Students earning an associate degree in 2011-2012	96	9,187
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2011-2012	149	15,745
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) in 2011-2012	44	4,326
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2011-2012	92	7,480
National Career Readiness Certificates (NCRC) awarded in 2012-2013	36	13,745
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2007 cohort	55.1%	54.2%
Associate degree three-year graduation rate for 2010 cohort	18.5%	11.0%

What were the top college choices for Scott County public high school graduates?

Overall College Going Rates for 2011 Public High School Graduates



Top 10 Colleges and Universities Attended

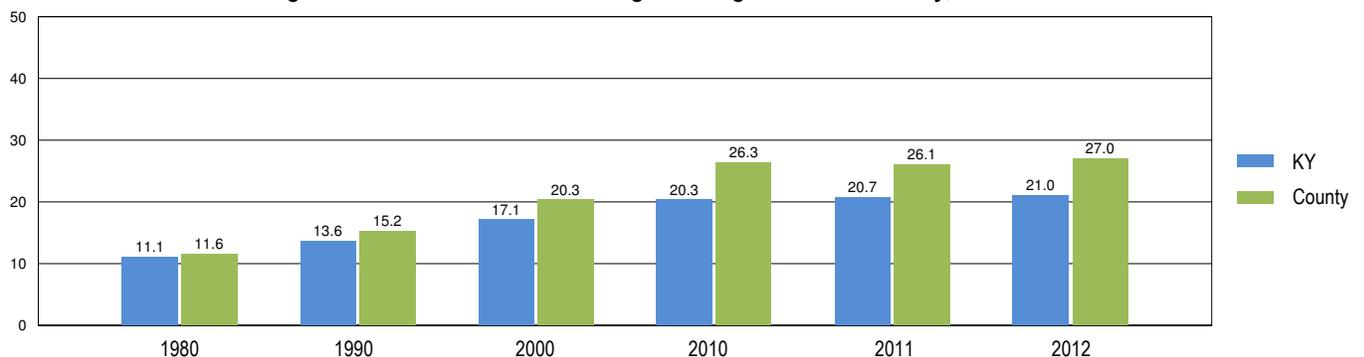
Number of Enrollments

Bluegrass Community & Technical College	129
University of Kentucky	43
Eastern Kentucky University	29
Georgetown College	19
Morehead State University	15
University of Louisville	12
Western Kentucky University	12
Centre College	6
Northern Kentucky University	6
Sullivan University	6
Other Institutions	54

How much financial aid did 2011 public high school graduates from Scott County receive in 2012?

	Average	Awards
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$1,096	441
State need-based grants	\$235	26
State non-need-based grants	\$1,289	171
Federal Pell grants	\$1,480	72
Federal need-based loans	\$1,151	74
Federal non-need-based loans	\$2,841	102
Institutional grants	\$2,110	73

Percentage of Adults with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher in Scott County, 1980-2012



Sources: US Census 2008-2012 American Community Survey, US Department of Education, Kentucky Department of Education, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, Kentucky State Board of Elections, US Census Small Area Health Insurance Estimates Program, Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Kentucky Adult Education, and the Council on Postsecondary Education. Complete descriptions of sources and methodologies may be found in the technical notes at the end of the County Profiles or through the Kentucky Center for Education & Workforce Statistics website at the address below: