Logan County

2015 Kentucky County Profile

The 2015 County Profile is produced by the Kentucky Center for Education & Workforce Statistics utilizing data from the Kentucky Longitudinal Data System (KLDS), which includes data from the Department of Education, Council on Postsecondary Education, Education Professional Standards Board, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, and the Kentucky Education and Workforce Development Cabinet. The report includes the most current data available for Kentucky counties, Area Development Districts (ADDs), and Workforce Investment Areas (WIAs) on demographics, employment, college readiness and educational attainment.

What are some basic facts about Logan County residents?

	County	KY	US
Total population	26,876	4,395,295	316,128,839
Median household income	$36,590	$43,036	$53,046
Per capita income	$19,143	$23,462	$28,155
Living in poverty	21.2%	18.8%	15.4%
Eligible for Medicaid	18.5%	18.9%	n/a
Without medical insurance	18.8%	16.2%	17.0%
Registered voters who voted in the 2012 general election	62.1%	59.7%	68.0%
Unemployment rate	7.1%	8.0%	7.4%
Access to Broadband Internet	98.9%	96.8%	98.6%

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

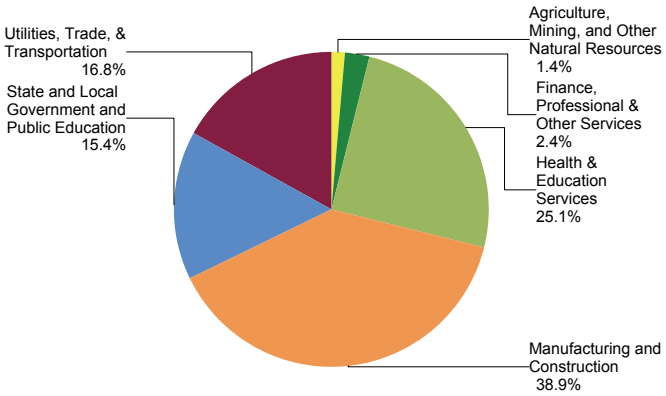
	County	KY
Ready for college and/or career by graduation	73.5%	62.8%
Ready for college by graduation	62.8%	56.2%
Ready for career by graduation	38.2%	17.8%
Average GPA for 2014 graduates	3.11	2.89
Average junior year ACT scores for 2014 graduates		
Composite	19.6	19.5
Mathematics	19.2	19.1
English	18.9	18.7
Reading	19.8	19.7
Science	19.9	19.7

What is the educational attainment of Logan County residents?

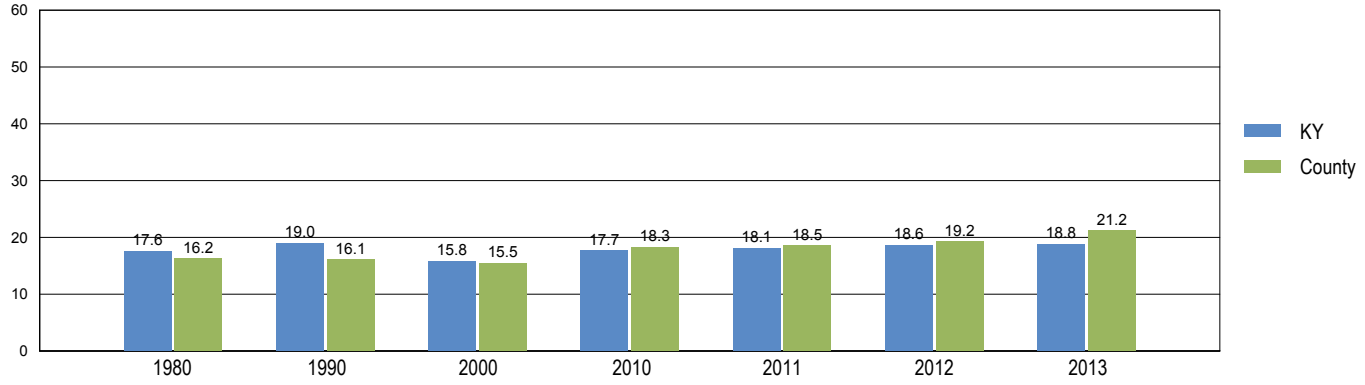
	County	KY	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	23.7%	17.0%	13.9%
High school diploma or equivalent	39.0%	33.9%	28.1%
Some college but no degree	18.0%	20.5%	21.2%
Associate degree	6.0%	7.1%	7.8%
Bachelor's degree	8.2%	12.8%	18.0%
Graduate or professional degree	5.1%	8.8%	10.8%

What industries provide employment in Logan County?

2013 Employment by Sector



Percentage of Logan County Population Living in Poverty, 1980-2013



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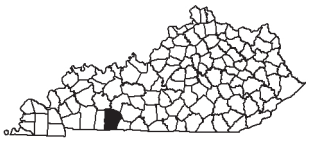
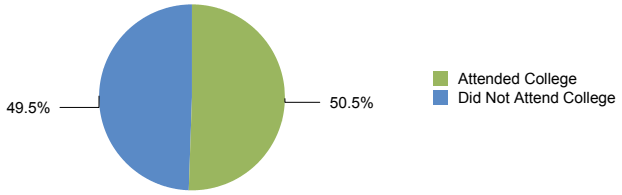


What is the education pipeline for Logan County?

	County	KY
Public K-12 enrollment in 2013-2014	4,448	654,455
Private K-12 enrollment in 2013-2014	200	69,258
Entering students ready for kindergarten in fall 2014	45.2%	50.0%
Special education population in 2013-2014	13.0%	13.2%
Students qualifying for free and reduced lunch in 2013-2014	57.0%	58.3%
Public high school graduates in 2011-2012	323	43,176
Public high school graduates entering postsecondary education in 2012-2013	163	26,413
In-state college going rate in 2012-2013	48.0%	56.2%
Out-of-state college going rate in 2012-2013	2.5%	5.5%
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments for 2012-2013	351	37,022
GEDs awarded in 2012-2013	70	7,746
Students earning a postsecondary certificate or diploma in 2012-2013	40	8,713
Students earning an associate degree in 2012-2013	55	9,089
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2012-2013	84	15,947
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) in 2012-2013	22	5,270
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2012-2013	25	7,673
National Career Readiness Certificates (NCRC) awarded in 2013-2014	167	17,613
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2007 cohort	51.8%	54.2%
Associate degree three-year graduation rate for 2010 cohort	11.3%	11.0%

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

Overall College Going Rates for 2012 Public High School Graduates

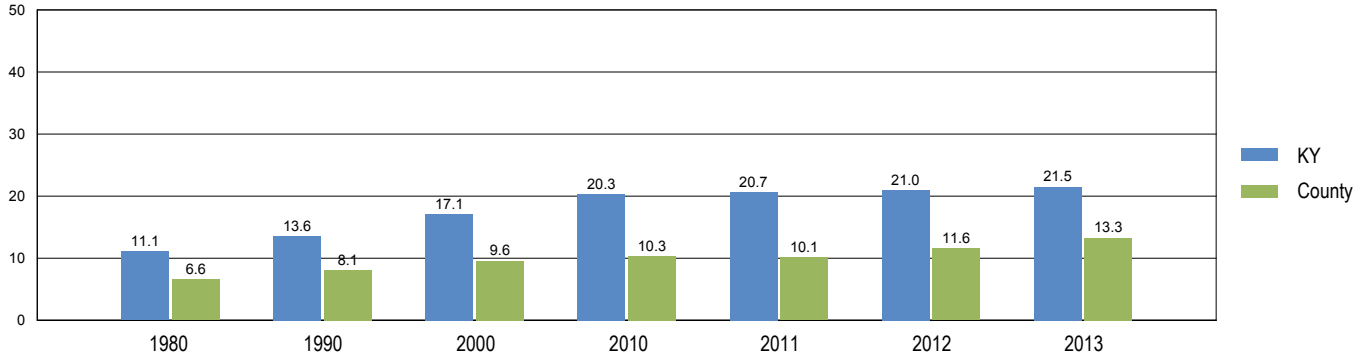


Top 10 Colleges and Universities Attended	Number of Enrollments
Western Kentucky University	76
Bowling Green Technical College	32
Murray State University	20
Campbellsville University	6
University of Kentucky	4
Hopkinsville Community College	3
Brescia University	2
Volunteer State Community College	2
Eastern Kentucky University	2
Midcontinent University	2
Other Institutions	17

How much financial aid did 2012 public high school graduates from Logan County receive in 2013?

	Average	Awards
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	$1,154	298
State need-based grants	$554	41
State non-need-based grants	$1,574	131
Federal Pell grants	$2,175	76
Federal need-based loans	$1,908	58
Federal non-need-based loans	$1,154	53
Institutional grants	$1,529	40

Percentage of Adults with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher in Logan County, 1980-2013



Sources: US Census 2009-2013 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:

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