

Marshall County

2015 Kentucky County Profile

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What are some basic facts about Marshall County residents?

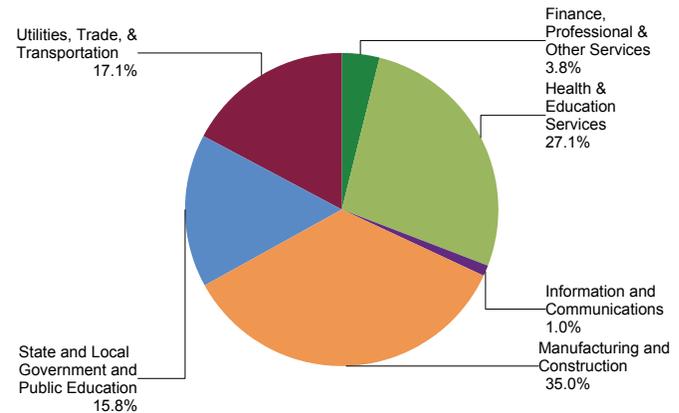
	County	KY	US
Total population	31,107	4,395,295	316,128,839
Median household income	\$43,907	\$43,036	\$53,046
Per capita income	\$22,381	\$23,462	\$28,155
Living in poverty	11.6%	18.8%	15.4%
Eligible for Medicaid	14.3%	18.9%	n/a
Without medical insurance	15.4%	16.2%	17.0%
Registered voters who voted in the 2012 general election	65.6%	59.7%	68.0%
Unemployment rate	8.2%	8.0%	7.4%
Access to Broadband Internet	100.0%	96.8%	98.6%

What is the educational attainment of Marshall County residents?

	County	KY	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	14.9%	17.0%	13.9%
High school diploma or equivalent	41.6%	33.9%	28.1%
Some college but no degree	21.6%	20.5%	21.2%
Associate degree	6.5%	7.1%	7.8%
Bachelor's degree	9.6%	12.8%	18.0%
Graduate or professional degree	5.8%	8.8%	10.8%

What industries provide employment in Marshall County?

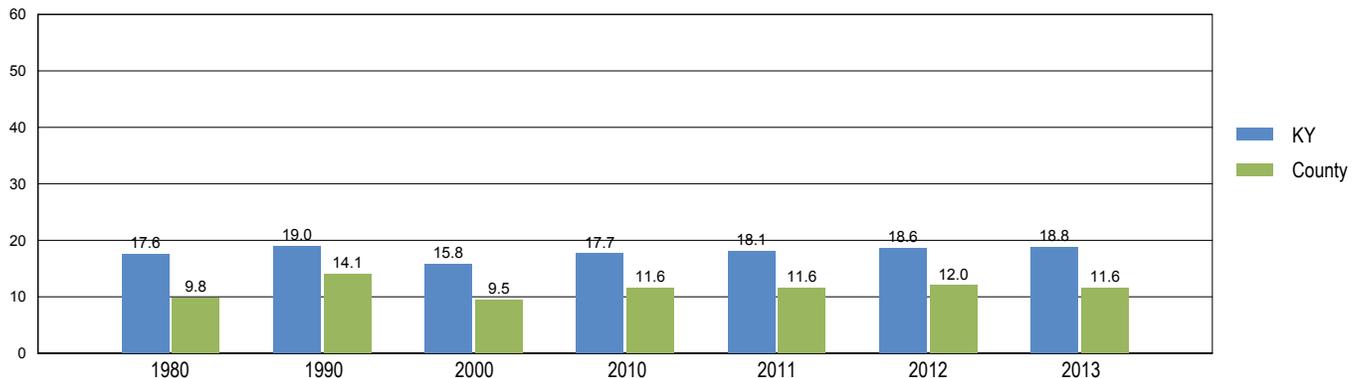
2013 Employment by Sector



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

	County	KY
Ready for college and/or career by graduation	70.2%	62.8%
Ready for college by graduation	59.3%	56.2%
Ready for career by graduation	34.4%	17.8%
Average GPA for 2014 graduates	2.85	2.89
Average junior year ACT scores for 2014 graduates		
Composite	19.8	19.5
Mathematics	19.3	19.1
English	19.7	18.7
Reading	20.1	19.7
Science	19.6	19.7

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



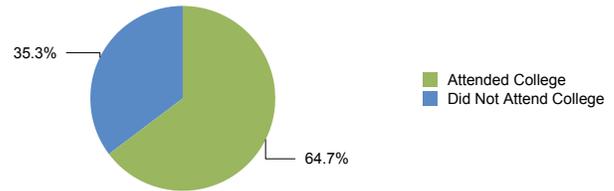


What is the education pipeline for Marshall County?

	County	KY
Public K-12 enrollment in 2013-2014	4,597	654,455
Private K-12 enrollment in 2013-2014	287	69,258
Entering students ready for kindergarten in fall 2014	59.8%	50.0%
Special education population in 2013-2014	10.8%	13.2%
Students qualifying for free and reduced lunch in 2013-2014	50.7%	58.3%
Public high school graduates in 2011-2012	312	43,176
Public high school graduates entering postsecondary education in 2012-2013	202	26,413
In-state college going rate in 2012-2013	62.2%	56.2%
Out-of-state college going rate in 2012-2013	3.5%	5.5%
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments for 2012-2013	201	37,022
GEDs awarded in 2012-2013	65	7,746
Students earning a postsecondary certificate or diploma in 2012-2013	128	8,713
Students earning an associate degree in 2012-2013	117	9,089
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2012-2013	105	15,947
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) in 2012-2013	38	5,270
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2012-2013	43	7,673
National Career Readiness Certificates (NCRC) awarded in 2013-2014	127	17,613
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2007 cohort	55.9%	54.2%
Associate degree three-year graduation rate for 2010 cohort	10.5%	11.0%

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

Overall College Going Rates for 2012 Public High School Graduates



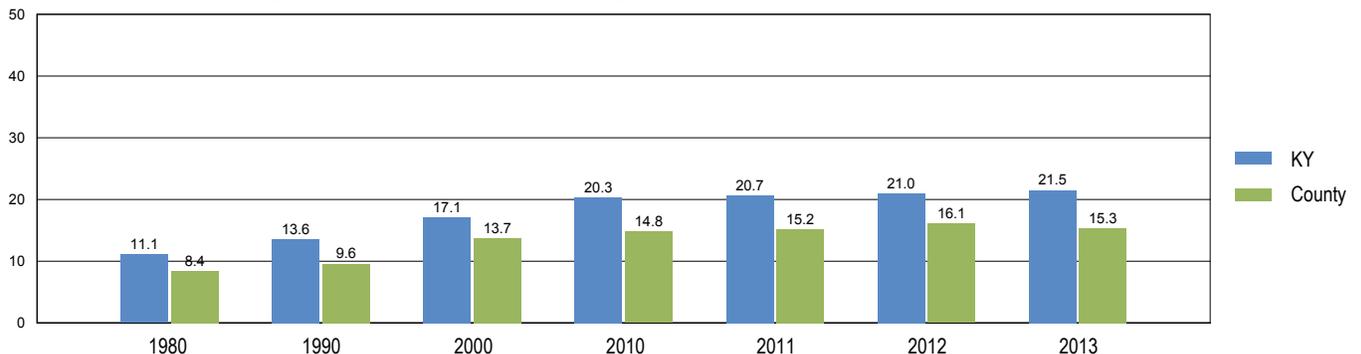
Top 10 Colleges and Universities Attended

Top 10 Colleges and Universities Attended	Number of Enrollments
West Ky Community & Technical College	117
Murray State University	67
University of Kentucky	13
Midcontinent University	4
University of Louisville	3
Brescia University	3
St. Catharine College	1
Harding University	1
Liberty University	1
Freed - Hardeman University	1
Other Institutions	12

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

	Average	Awards
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$1,096	294
State need-based grants	\$585	64
State non-need-based grants	\$1,263	169
Federal Pell grants	\$2,167	102
Federal need-based loans	\$646	36
Federal non-need-based loans	\$717	40
Institutional grants	\$1,281	44

Percentage of Adults with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher in Marshall 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:

