

# Martin County

## 2015 Kentucky County Profile

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### What are some basic facts about Martin County residents?

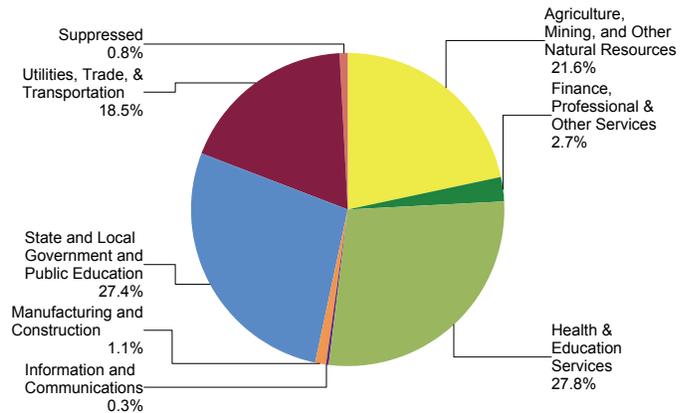
	County	KY	US
Total population	12,647	4,395,295	316,128,839
Median household income	\$26,261	\$43,036	\$53,046
Per capita income	\$15,525	\$23,462	\$28,155
Living in poverty	35.1%	18.8%	15.4%
Eligible for Medicaid	34.3%	18.9%	n/a
Without medical insurance	16.5%	16.2%	17.0%
Registered voters who voted in the 2012 general election	47.9%	59.7%	68.0%
Unemployment rate	9.9%	8.0%	7.4%
Access to Broadband Internet	67.4%	96.8%	98.6%

### What is the educational attainment of Martin County residents?

	County	KY	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	28.5%	17.0%	13.9%
High school diploma or equivalent	35.1%	33.9%	28.1%
Some college but no degree	21.3%	20.5%	21.2%
Associate degree	7.6%	7.1%	7.8%
Bachelor's degree	3.9%	12.8%	18.0%
Graduate or professional degree	3.6%	8.8%	10.8%

### What industries provide employment in Martin County?

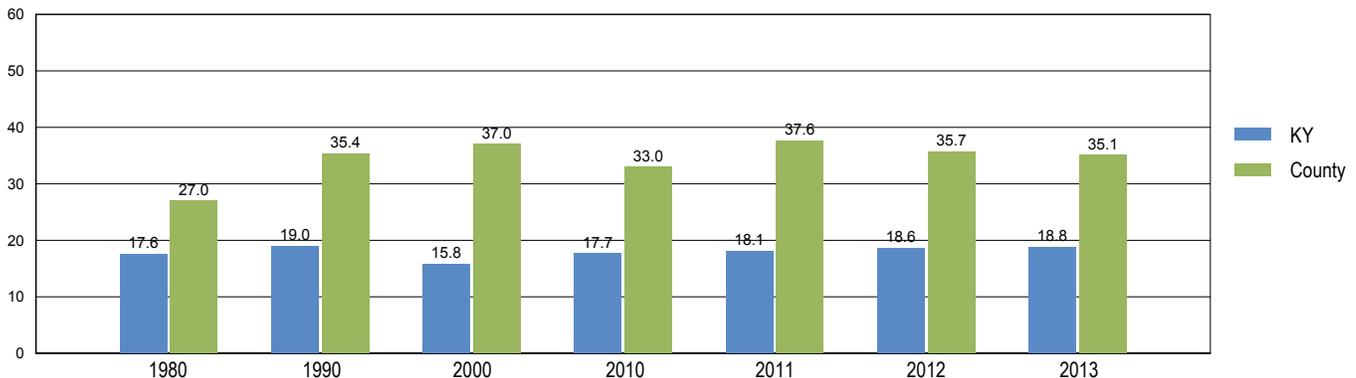
#### 2013 Employment by Sector



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

	County	KY
Ready for college and/or career by graduation	58.8%	62.8%
Ready for college by graduation	45.0%	56.2%
Ready for career by graduation	40.5%	17.8%
Average GPA for 2014 graduates	2.83	2.89
Average junior year ACT scores for 2014 graduates		
Composite	17.2	19.5
Mathematics	17.0	19.1
English	15.7	18.7
Reading	17.6	19.7
Science	18.1	19.7

### Percentage of Martin County Population Living in Poverty, 1980-2013



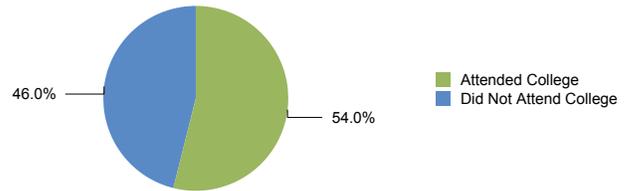


**What is the education pipeline for Martin County?**

	County	KY
Public K-12 enrollment in 2013-2014	2,032	654,455
Private K-12 enrollment in 2013-2014	57	69,258
Entering students ready for kindergarten in fall 2014	43.2%	50.0%
Special education population in 2013-2014	18.9%	13.2%
Students qualifying for free and reduced lunch in 2013-2014	71.7%	58.3%
Public high school graduates in 2011-2012	150	43,176
Public high school graduates entering postsecondary education in 2012-2013	81	26,413
In-state college going rate in 2012-2013	51.3%	56.2%
Out-of-state college going rate in 2012-2013	2.7%	5.5%
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments for 2012-2013	228	37,022
GEDs awarded in 2012-2013	23	7,746
Students earning a postsecondary certificate or diploma in 2012-2013	16	8,713
Students earning an associate degree in 2012-2013	23	9,089
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2012-2013	22	15,947
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) in 2012-2013	2	5,270
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2012-2013	13	7,673
National Career Readiness Certificates (NCRC) awarded in 2013-2014	112	17,613
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2007 cohort	47.1%	54.2%
Associate degree three-year graduation rate for 2010 cohort	3.4%	11.0%

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

**Overall College Going Rates for 2012 Public High School Graduates**



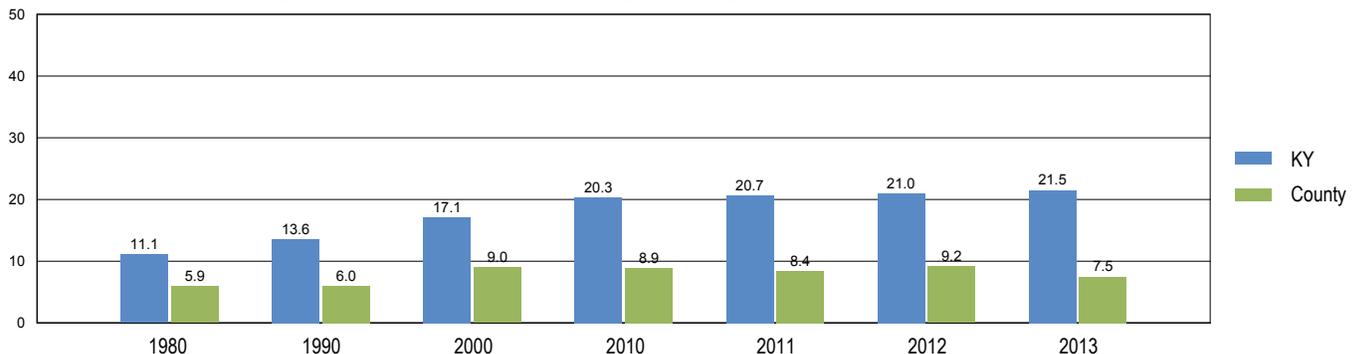
**Top 10 Colleges and Universities Attended**

Top 10 Colleges and Universities Attended	Number of Enrollments
Big Sandy Community & Technical College	45
Morehead State University	23
Pikeville College	5
University of Kentucky	4
Eastern Kentucky University	2
Southern West Virginia Comm & Tech College	2
Alice Lloyd College	2
Marshall University, Huntington	1
Everest University- Brando	1
Ashland Community & Technical College	1
Other Institutions	0

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

	Average	Awards
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$866	130
State need-based grants	\$823	27
State non-need-based grants	\$1,062	62
Federal Pell grants	\$2,906	52
Federal need-based loans	\$1,086	26
Federal non-need-based loans	\$1,084	22
Institutional grants	\$1,566	18

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

