

Gallatin County

2015 Kentucky County Profile

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What are some basic facts about Gallatin County residents?

	County	KY	US
Total population	8,474	4,395,295	316,128,839
Median household income	\$43,793	\$43,036	\$53,046
Per capita income	\$19,020	\$23,462	\$28,155
Living in poverty	20.7%	18.8%	15.4%
Eligible for Medicaid	21.4%	18.9%	n/a
Without medical insurance	19.1%	16.2%	17.0%
Registered voters who voted in the 2012 general election	52.2%	59.7%	68.0%
Unemployment rate	9.1%	8.0%	7.4%
Access to Broadband Internet	99.8%	96.8%	98.6%

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

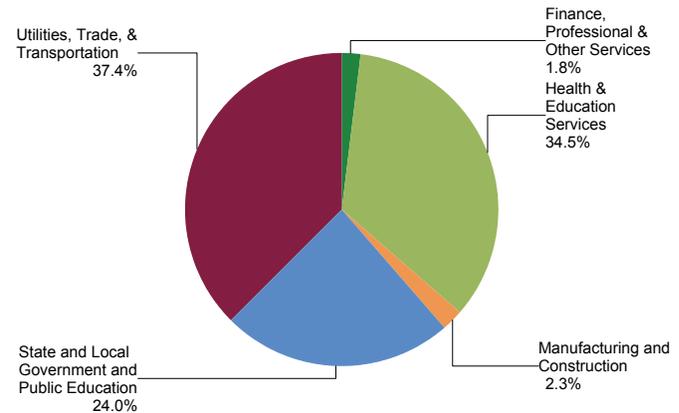
	County	KY
Ready for college and/or career by graduation	50.5%	62.8%
Ready for college by graduation	38.1%	56.2%
Ready for career by graduation	18.1%	17.8%
Average GPA for 2014 graduates	2.81	2.89
Average junior year ACT scores for 2014 graduates		
Composite	18.5	19.5
Mathematics	18.4	19.1
English	17.6	18.7
Reading	18.4	19.7
Science	19.2	19.7

What is the educational attainment of Gallatin County residents?

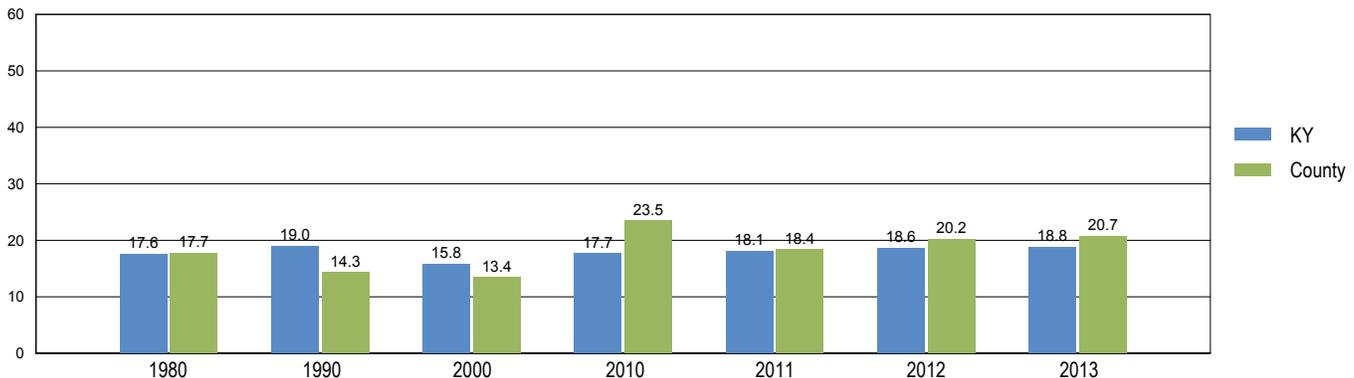
	County	KY	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	24.9%	17.0%	13.9%
High school diploma or equivalent	43.3%	33.9%	28.1%
Some college but no degree	17.7%	20.5%	21.2%
Associate degree	5.3%	7.1%	7.8%
Bachelor's degree	6.3%	12.8%	18.0%
Graduate or professional degree	2.5%	8.8%	10.8%

What industries provide employment in Gallatin County?

2013 Employment by Sector



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



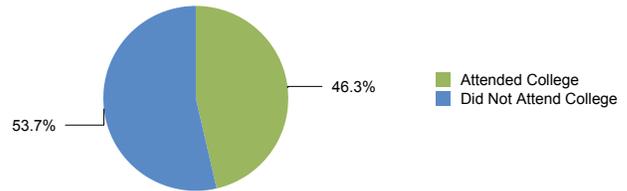


What is the education pipeline for Gallatin County?

	County	KY
Public K-12 enrollment in 2013-2014	1,619	654,455
Private K-12 enrollment in 2013-2014	21	69,258
Entering students ready for kindergarten in fall 2014	45.8%	50.0%
Special education population in 2013-2014	12.2%	13.2%
Students qualifying for free and reduced lunch in 2013-2014	67.8%	58.3%
Public high school graduates in 2011-2012	108	43,176
Public high school graduates entering postsecondary education in 2012-2013	50	26,413
In-state college going rate in 2012-2013	41.7%	56.2%
Out-of-state college going rate in 2012-2013	5.6%	5.5%
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments for 2012-2013	122	37,022
GEDs awarded in 2012-2013	25	7,746
Students earning a postsecondary certificate or diploma in 2012-2013	27	8,713
Students earning an associate degree in 2012-2013	15	9,089
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2012-2013	18	15,947
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) in 2012-2013	7	5,270
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2012-2013	3	7,673
National Career Readiness Certificates (NCRC) awarded in 2013-2014	32	17,613
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2007 cohort	60.9%	54.2%
Associate degree three-year graduation rate for 2010 cohort	n/a	11.0%

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

Overall College Going Rates for 2012 Public High School Graduates



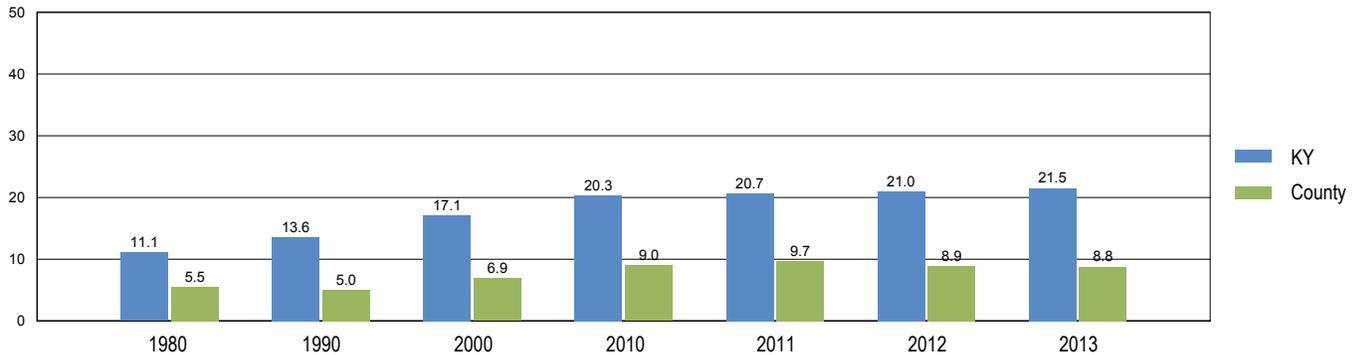
Top 10 Colleges and Universities Attended

College/University	Number of Enrollments
Gateway Community & Technical College	11
Northern Kentucky University	10
University of Kentucky	8
Jefferson Community & Technical College	6
Western Kentucky University	3
Thomas More College	2
Campbellsville University	1
Central Texas College-Traditional	1
Sullivan College Of Technology & Design	1
Cincinnati State Technical And Community College	1
Other Institutions	7

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

	Average	Awards
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$846	93
State need-based grants	\$755	16
State non-need-based grants	\$1,242	35
Federal Pell grants	\$1,959	23
Federal need-based loans	\$1,897	19
Federal non-need-based loans	\$1,463	18
Institutional grants	\$1,821	16

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

