A Picture of Households in

Central Kootenay

Total number of households: 25,810











33%

or 8,475 couples without children 21%

or 5,325 couples with children 8%

or 1,995 single parent families 5%

or 1,165 other family households 34%

or 8,850 single person households



Statement: The majority of households in the Regional District of Central Kootenay are single persons or non-family households.



Number of children in families in

Central Kootenay



Single Parent Households



Couple Households

| | 1 child | 2 children | 3+ children |
|---|------------|---------------|----------------|
| # | 1,605 | 670 | 225 |
| % | 64.1 | 26.7 | 9 |

| | 1 child | 2 children | 3+ children |
|---|------------|---------------|----------------|
| # | 2,345 | 2,445 | 910 |
| % | 41 | 43 | 16 |

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Statement: The majority of single parent households have one child, while the majority of couple households have two children.



Priority Issues or Challenges in

Central Kootenay

Provincial Benchmarks



Income

35% or 647



Child Care Challenges

25% or 458



Employment

24% or 441



Education

20% or 361



Housing Challenges

19% or 341

Top Priority Issues



Income

39% or 24



Employment

34% or 21



Transportation Challenges

24%



Child Care Challenges

20% or 12



Education

11% or 7

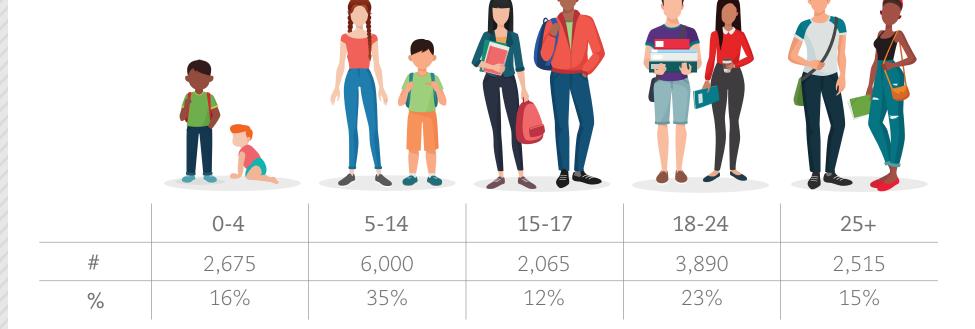


Statement: Income is the top challenge in Regional District of Central Kootenay.



Ages of children in families in

Central Kootenay





Statement: The majority of children in Central Kootenay are between the ages of 5 and 14 years old.

