

A Picture of Households in Cowichan Valley

Total number of households: 33,155



34%

or
11,190
couples
without children



22%

or
7,270
couples
with children



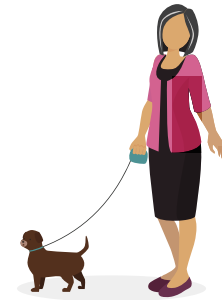
8%

or
2,670
single
parent families



7%

or
2,320
other
family households



29%

or
9,705
single person
households

Statement: The majority of households in the Cowichan Valley Regional District are couples without children

Number of children in families in Cowichan Valley



Single Parent Households

	1 child	2 children	3+ children
#	2,190	1,100	405
%	59.3	29.8	11



Couple Households

	1 child	2 children	3+ children
#	3,390	3,435	1,420
%	41	42	17

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

Priority Issues or Challenges in Cowichan Valley

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 18



Employment
26%
or 12



Education
20%
or 9



Health
15%
or 7



Transportation Challenges
13%
or 6

Statement: Income is the top challenge in Cowichan Valley Regional District.

Ages of children in families in Cowichan Valley



	0-4	5-14	15-17	18-24	25+
#	3,770	8,565	3,145	5,810	3,430
%	15%	35%	13%	24%	14%

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