

# Boone County, Kentucky

## Quick Facts Guide



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# BOONE COUNTY DATA



## **GEOGRAPHY**

256 sq. miles of area (164,120 acres);  
 246 sq. miles of land area (157,440 acres);  
 33 miles of interstate highways;  
 40 miles bound by the Ohio River;  
 14 miles wide and 24 miles tall.

## **POPULATION**

Boone County is currently growing at a pace of 8 people per day or 3,000 people per year.

### **Boone County population trends & projections:**

1800 = 1,534*	1960 = 21,940*
1810 = 3,608*	1970 = 32,812*
1820 = 6,542*	1980 = 45,842*
1830 = 9,595*	1990 = 57,589*
1840 = 10,034*	1995 = 70,017**
1850 = 11,185*	2000 = 85,991*
1860 = 11,196*	2005 = 106,272**
1870 = 10,696*	2007 = 112,459**
1880 = 11,996*	2008 = 115,231**
1890 = 12,246*	2009 = 118,576**
1900 = 11,170*	<b>2010 = 121,080***</b>
1910 = 9,420*	2015 = 137,072***
1920 = 9,572*	2020 = 153,545***
1930 = 9,595*	2025 = 170,000***
1940 = 10,820*	2030 = 186,373***
1950 = 13,015*	

\*U.S. Census

\*\*U.S. Census estimate

\*\*\*Kentucky State Data Center projection

<b>Trends by municipality</b>	<b><u>1990</u></b>	<b><u>2000</u></b>	<b><u>2009</u></b>
Unincorporated Boone County	35,930	57,097	83,366
City of Florence	18,624	23,551	28,381
City of Union	1,001	2,893	3,710
City of Walton	2,034	2,450	3,119
TOTAL	57,589	85,991	118,576

## DEMOGRAPHIC

Age distribution	2009	2020
0-4 years	9,701	10,783
5-14 years	17,691	21,864
15-24 years	14,647	19,181
25-44 years	35,747	46,992
45-64 years	23,606	41,728
65-84 years	10,127	16,002
85+ years	1,343	1,463

**Median age (2009)** = 35.2 years

Race	2000	2009	2020	2030
White	81,597	107,075	141,051	162,068
African-Amer.	1,357	3,338	6,910	10,880
Asian	1,153	2,759	6,192	9,811
Hispanic	1,702	3,945	7,637	11,811
Amer. Indian	202	594	717	1,049

(some overlap due to people of multiple races)

### Place of birth (2009):

United States = 112,277  
Kentucky = 67,705  
Other state = 44,572  
Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born  
abroad to American parent(s) = 496  
Foreign born = 5,803

### Migration (2008 vs 2009):

Population 1 year or older = 116,916  
Same house = 98,530  
Different house in U.S. = 17,814  
    Within Boone County = 6,852  
    Different county = 10,962  
    Within KY = 6,491  
    Different state = 4,471  
Abroad = 572

## ECONOMIC

**Per Capita income (2009)** = \$27,127

**Median Household Income (2009)** =  
\$68,369

**Poverty rate (2009)** = 6.4%

**Unemployment rate (2009):** 8.7%

## HOUSEHOLD

Households by type	2000	2009
Total households	31,258	41,683
Married couple families	19,241	25,621
Single parent households	4,194	7,989
Average household size	2.73	2.82
Average family size	3.17	3.31

### Marital status, age 15 yrs or older (2009):

Never married = 21,619  
Married (and not separated) = 54,066  
Married and separated = 2,014  
Divorced = 9,565  
Widowed = 3,920

### Owner/Renter Occupied (2009):

Owner occupied units = 32,721  
-average owner household size = 2.94  
Renter-occupied units = 8,692  
-average renter household size = 2.39

### Households & (Average Household Size)

1990 - 20,127 (2.85)  
2000 - 31,258 (2.73)  
**2009 - 41,683 (2.82)**  
2010 - 45,302 (2.68) estimate  
2020 - 59,075 (2.66) projection  
2030 - 70,573 (2.66) projection

## SOCIAL

Education enrollment	2000	2009
Nursery/pre-school	2,043	2,748
Kindergarten	1,269	1,673
Elem/Middle (grades 1-8)	11,327	13,568
High school	4,929	6,822
College/Grad school	3,592	7,301

### Education attainment for population 25 years and older (2009):

Less than 9th grade = 2,757  
9th-12th grade, no diploma = 4,453  
High school/equivalent = 24,735  
Some college, no degree = 15,833  
Associate's degree = 6,082  
Bachelor's degree = 15,271  
Graduate or professional degree = 7,379

Percent high school or higher = 90.6%  
Percent bachelor's or higher = 29.6%

# KENTUCKY COMPARISONS



## POPULATION & GEOGRAPHY

	Pop (2009)	Pop change (2000-2009)	Land area	Pop. per sq. mi. (2008)
<b>Boone</b>	118,576	+37.9%	246 sq. mi.	482
Campbell	88,423	-0.2%	152 sq. mi.	573
Christian	80,938	+12.0%	721 sq. mi.	112
Daviess	95,394	+4.2%	462 sq. mi.	206
Fayette	296,545	+13.8%	285 sq. mi.	1,041
Hardin	99,770	+5.9%	628 sq. mi.	159
Jefferson	721,594	+4.0%	385 sq. mi.	1,874
Kenton	158,729	+4.8%	162 sq. mi.	980
Madison	83,258	+17.5%	441 sq. mi.	189
Warren	108,669	+17.5%	545 sq. mi.	199
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	<b>4,314,113</b>	<b>+7.0%</b>	<b>39,728 sq. mi.</b>	<b>109</b>

## POPULATION

### Most populous KY counties (2009):

1. Jefferson - 721,594
2. Fayette - 296,545
3. Kenton - 158,729
- 4. Boone - 118,576**
5. Warren - 108,669
6. Hardin - 99,770
7. Daviess - 95,394
8. Campbell - 88,423
9. Madison - 83,258
10. Christian - 80,938

### Most populous KY cities (2009):

1. Louisville - 566,503
2. Lexington - 296,545
3. Bowling Green - 56,598
4. Owensboro - 55,745
5. Covington - 43,082
6. Richmond - 33,459
7. Hopkinsville - 32,095
- 8. Florence - 28,381**
9. Henderson - 27,952
10. Frankfort - 27,382

## EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT FOR SELECTED COUNTIES (2009)

(aged 25 years or older)

	No diploma high school	High school or equivalent	College no degree	Assoc. degree	Bachelor's degree	Graduate degree
Boone	9.4%	32.3%	20.7%	7.9%	20.0%	9.6%
Bullitt	17.3%	41.6%	22.8%	7.1%	6.5%	4.8%
Campbell	14.4%	33.8%	19.1%	6.1%	16.1%	10.7%
Christian	15.4%	37.5%	25.9%	6.2%	7.6%	7.3%
Daviess	11.6%	41.6%	21.3%	8.8%	9.8%	6.8%
Fayette	12.5%	20.4%	21.0%	5.9%	23.6%	16.6%
Hardin	13.1%	33.3%	26.6%	8.5%	11.0%	7.5%
Jefferson	11.9%	28.9%	22.5%	7.0%	18.4%	11.3%
Kenton	11.1%	30.7%	20.9%	8.0%	19.3%	10.1%
Madison	18.2%	31.1%	18.4%	7.4%	14.4%	10.5%
Pike	27.3%	34.9%	18.7%	4.7%	6.5%	8.0%
Warren	14.8%	30.1%	17.4%	7.3%	20.1%	10.3%
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	<b>18.4%</b>	<b>34.1%</b>	<b>20.1%</b>	<b>6.5%</b>	<b>12.5%</b>	<b>8.5%</b>

## DEMOGRAPHIC

### Percent minorities (2009):

	Hispanic/ Latino	African- American
<b>Boone</b>	3.3%	2.7%
Bullitt	1.3%	1.2%
Campbell	1.6%	2.4%
Christian	5.5%	22.7%
Daviess	1.9%	5.0%
Fayette	6.6%	13.8%
Hardin	4.0%	11.5%
Jefferson	3.6%	20.4%
Kenton	2.2%	5.0%
Madison	1.5%	4.3%
Warren	4.4%	8.8%
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	<b>2.7%</b>	<b>7.9%</b>

## HOUSING

### Number of housing units (2009):

<b>Boone</b>	45,510
Bullitt	30,215
Campbell	39,402
Christian	29,263
Daviess	43,288
Fayette	133,453
Grant	10,646
Hardin	45,152
Jefferson	333,813
Kenton	71,208
Madison	33,806
Warren	46,321

### Number of households (2009):

<b>Boone</b>	41,683
Bullitt	28,305
Campbell	34,544
Christian	26,424
Daviess	38,732
Fayette	121,475
Grant	8,735 (2007)
Hardin	38,913
Jefferson	299,044
Kenton	63,770
Madison	30,668
Warren	42,000

## ECONOMIC

### Median household income (2009):

<b>Boone</b>	\$68,369
Bullitt	\$46,370
Campbell	\$50,282
Christian	\$35,877
Daviess	\$42,711
Fayette	\$46,385
Grant	\$45,697 (2008)
Hardin	\$45,081
Jefferson	\$44,437
Kenton	\$50,660
Madison	\$39,586
Warren	\$43,592
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	<b>\$40,072</b>

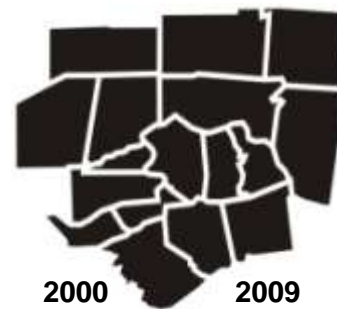
### Percent of people living below poverty level (2009):

<b>Boone</b>	8.1%
Bullitt	11.1%
Campbell	9.7%
Christian	18.6%
Daviess	15.3%
Fayette	17.6%
Grant	14.3% (2008)
Hardin	15.6%
Jefferson	15.7%
Kenton	13.9%
Madison	19.4%
Warren	16.6%
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	<b>18.6%</b>

### Unemployment rate (2009):

<b>Boone</b>	8.7%
Bullitt	14.8%
Campbell	8.4%
Christian	17.7%
Daviess	8.5%
Fayette	7.5%
Grant	7.0% (2008)
Hardin	7.9%
Jefferson	10.4%
Kenton	9.1%
Madison	9.3%
Warren	7.9%
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	<b>10.1%</b>

## GREATER CINCINNATI REGION COMPARISONS



### GEOGRAPHY

#### Kentucky Counties:

Boone – 256 sq. mi.  
 Kenton – 165 sq. mi.  
 Campbell – 159 sq. mi.  
 Gallatin – 105 sq. mi.  
 Grant – 261 sq. mi.  
 Pendleton – 282 sq. mi.

#### Ohio Counties:

Hamilton – 413 sq. mi.  
 Clermont – 458 sq. mi.  
 Butler – 470 sq. mi.  
 Warren – 407 sq. mi.

#### Indiana Counties:

Dearborn – 307 sq. mi.  
 Franklin – 391 sq. mi.  
 Ohio – 87 sq. mi.

### POPULATION

#### 2009 population estimates:

#### Kentucky:

Boone – 118,576  
 Kenton – 158,729  
 Campbell – 88,423  
 Gallatin – 8,202  
 Grant – 25,542  
 Pendleton – 14,887

#### Ohio:

Hamilton – 855,062  
 Clermont – 196,364  
 Butler – 363,184  
 Warren – 210,712

#### Indiana:

Dearborn – 50,502  
 Franklin – 23,148  
 Ohio – 5,909

### HOUSING

#### Housing units

2000      2009

#### Kentucky:

Boone	33,351	45,510
Kenton	63,571	71,208
Campbell	36,898	39,402
Gallatin	3,362	3,712
Grant	9,306	10,646
Pendleton	5,756	6,040

#### Ohio:

Hamilton	373,393	384,556
Clermont	69,226	78,287
Butler	129,793	144,504
Warren	58,692	77,551

#### Indiana:

Dearborn	17,791	20,244
Franklin	8,596	9,471
Ohio	2,424	2,724

### ECONOMIC

#### 2009 Median household income

#### Kentucky:

Boone – \$68,369  
 Kenton – \$50,660  
 Campbell – \$50,282  
 Gallatin – \$42,554 (2008)  
 Grant – \$45,697 (2008)  
 Pendleton – \$45,165 (2008)

#### Ohio:

Hamilton – \$46,451  
 Clermont – \$58,343  
 Butler – \$65,555  
 Warren – \$81,136

#### Indiana:

Dearborn – \$56,434 (2008)  
 Franklin – \$51,741 (2008)  
 Ohio – \$50,244 (2008)