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Survey; Nevada Report Card

## EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

2010 - Population 25 and Over: **3,497**

<u>Level of Education</u>	No High School Diploma	High School Diploma	Some College	Associate Degree	Bachelor's Degree	Graduate or Professional Degree
<u>% of Population</u>	25.0%	31.9%	25.0%	5.2%	10.4%	2.5%

**Highest Education Received**



Professional Degree

**+120.4%**



High School

**+10.0%**



Bachelor's Degree

**-34.4%**

2020 - Population 25 and Over: **3,884**

<u>Level of Education</u>	No High School Diploma	High School Diploma	Some College	Associate Degree	Bachelor's Degree	Graduate or Professional Degree
<u>% of Population</u>	14.0%	35.1%	23.6%	15.1%	6.8%	5.5%

**Veteran Educational Attainment:** Between 2010 and 2020, there has been a 44.5% increase in the percentage of veterans holding a Bachelor's degree.

## POVERTY

### Lander County % of Population Below Poverty Level

<u>Year</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Percentage	9.3%	11.5%	13.2%	9.7%	11.6%

**Percentage of the population in poverty has increased overall.**

**Census Bureau  
Definition of  
Poverty:**

The Census Bureau uses a set of monetary income thresholds that vary by family size and composition to determine who is in poverty. If the total income for a family or unrelated individual falls below the relevant poverty threshold, then the members of the household are considered to be in poverty.



A full baseline data report, an economic impact report and additional infographics are available for this county. Full reports and infographics will be available for each county in Nevada. For more information, email us at [EconDev@unr.edu](mailto:EconDev@unr.edu), or call Buddy Borden at 702-257-5505 or Joe Lednicky at 702-948-5971. The Lander County Extension office is administered by Lois Erquiaga, Extension Educator, who can be reached at 775-635-5565. Visit us online at <https://extension.unr.edu/neap>.

# Lander County School District Trends

## SCHOOL DISTRICT ENROLLMENT

### Lander County Student Enrollment

<u>Year</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2021</u>
<b>Student Population</b>	1,039	1,049	1,004	1,002	1,027

### State Student Population

<u>Year</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2021</u>
<b>Student Population</b>	439k	459k	474k	493k	482k

## FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH

Eligibility for Free and Reduced Lunch is generally the student's household income at 185% of the poverty guideline. The difference between students eligible and receiving can be high, and the reason for this varies from district to district.

	<u>Eligible</u>		
<u>Year</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
<b>Percentage</b>	44.2%	42.6%	42.5%

### Receiving (of those eligible)

<u>Year</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
<b>Percentage</b>	25.6%	23.7%	42.5%

## SCHOOL DISTRICT STAFFING



<u>Year</u>	<u>Administrators</u>	<u>Teachers</u>	<u>Other Staff</u>
<b>2012</b>	3	75	30
<b>2017</b>	5	69	57
<b>2021</b>	5	70	62

Like school district staffing, **student-teacher ratios** have seen little change outside of 2015 and 2016 where data is missing. 2021 has shown the first drop in ratios in years, bring the county under state averages.

## PER PUPIL EXPENDITURES

Amounts shown in 2021 dollars



<u>Year</u>	<u>County Instruction</u>	<u>County Support</u>	<u>County Operations</u>	<u>County Leadership</u>	<u>County Total</u>	<u>State Total</u>
<b>2012</b>	\$6,887	\$1,498	\$1,508	\$814	\$10,708	\$8,914
<b>2019</b>	\$6,500	\$1,431	\$2,436	\$1,368	\$11,736	\$9,573

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