Cambridge Demographic Summary
Community School Directors Meeting
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Population Trend: 1960 - 2019

Race & Hispanic Origin: 2014 – 2018
Total Population and Under 18

- Total Population:
  - White NH: 61%
  - Black NH: 10%
  - Asian NH: 16%
  - Other NH: 9%
  - Hispanic: 9%

- Under 18:
  - White NH: 47%
  - Black NH: 18%
  - Asian NH: 12%
  - Other NH: 9%
  - Hispanic: 14%

Foreign Born Region of Birth: 2014 – 2018

- Asia & Oceania: 14,200
- Africa: 3,300
- Canada: 1,500
- Caribbean: 3,000
- Europe: 7,700
- Latin America: 3,800

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>Count</th>
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<tr>
<td>Foreign Born</td>
<td>33,300</td>
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<td>As % Total Population</td>
<td>28.8%</td>
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<td>As % Foreign Born</td>
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<td>Entered Since 2000</td>
<td>67.1%</td>
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<td>Entered Since 2010</td>
<td>43.2%</td>
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<td>Naturalized Citizen</td>
<td>36.3%</td>
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Foreign & Native-Born Residents: 2014 - 2018

Foreign Born Residents: 2014 – 2018

Language Spoken at Home: 2014 – 2018

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<th>Language</th>
<th>Proportion of Total Population</th>
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<tr>
<td>Speak Another Language at Home</td>
<td>33.4%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Speak English less than Very Well</td>
<td>7.9%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Linguistically Isolated Households</td>
<td>6.1%</td>
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PLINE CPSD Student Languages: October 2019

Source: Cambridge Public School Department, 2019.
Household & Family Types: 2014 - 2018

Householder Comparison: 2014 - 2018

Families with Children: 2014 - 2018

Living Arrangements of Children: 2014 – 2018

Parents & Children by Place of Birth: 2014 – 2018

Household Population

Source: IPUMS USA, University of Minnesota, http://usa.ipums.org/usa/index.shtml, 2043 – 2018 5-Year ACS.
Youths by Census Tract: 2014 - 2018

Educational Attainment: 2014 – 2018
Persons 25 and Older


All Parents

Median Income: 1999 and 2014 - 2018


# Household Income Quintiles: 2014 - 2018

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<tr>
<th>Quintile</th>
<th>Proportion of Households</th>
<th>Upper Income Limit</th>
<th>Mean Income</th>
<th>Share of Income</th>
<th>Children Ages 4-13</th>
<th>% Children 4-13</th>
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<tr>
<td>Lowest</td>
<td>20%</td>
<td>$29,840</td>
<td>$13,279</td>
<td>2%</td>
<td>1,100</td>
<td>15%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Second</td>
<td>20%</td>
<td>$72,364</td>
<td>$50,216</td>
<td>8%</td>
<td>1,300</td>
<td>18%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Middle</td>
<td>20%</td>
<td>$118,419</td>
<td>$95,035</td>
<td>15%</td>
<td>1,200</td>
<td>17%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fourth</td>
<td>20%</td>
<td>$192,764</td>
<td>$151,186</td>
<td>23%</td>
<td>1,400</td>
<td>19%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Upper</td>
<td>20%</td>
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<td>$343,190</td>
<td>53%</td>
<td>2,200</td>
<td>31%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Top 5%</td>
<td>5%</td>
<td>250000+</td>
<td>$609,620</td>
<td>23%</td>
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Child Family Income Quintiles by Race: 2014 - 2018

Households and Living Wage: 2020 Q2

The Living Wage is the income needed to attain a modest yet adequate standard of living.

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<th>Household Description</th>
<th>% Below Threshold</th>
<th>% Above Threshold</th>
<th>Annual Living Wage</th>
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<tr>
<td>One Adult/One Preschool Child (2-3)</td>
<td>85%</td>
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<td>$99,128</td>
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<tr>
<td>One Adult/One School Age Child (5-13)</td>
<td>80%</td>
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<td>$92,123</td>
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<tr>
<td>One Adult</td>
<td>59%</td>
<td></td>
<td>$61,991</td>
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<tr>
<td>Married Couple/One School Age Child (5-13)/One Preschool Child (0-4)</td>
<td>38%</td>
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<td>$136,820</td>
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<tr>
<td>Married Couple/One School Age Child (5-13)</td>
<td>32%</td>
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<td>$102,016</td>
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<td>Married Couple/No Children</td>
<td>23%</td>
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<td>$74,626</td>
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Note: Proportions for two parent families are for married couple households; unmarried couples are excluded.

Sources: Economic Policy Institute, Family Budget Calculator, September 2020; Community Development Department, Median Rents, 2020 Q2; IPUMS USA, University of Minnesota, http://usa.ipums.org/usa/index.shtml, 2014 – 2018 5-Year ACS.
What do we mean by “Poverty”?

Persons in poverty live in a household earning less than the following amount during the year:

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<th>Household Size</th>
<th>2020 Poverty Guidelines</th>
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<td>1 person</td>
<td>$12,760</td>
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<td>2 persons</td>
<td>$17,240</td>
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<td>3 persons</td>
<td>$21,720</td>
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<td>4 persons</td>
<td>$26,200</td>
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<td>5 persons</td>
<td>$30,680</td>
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By definition, dormitory and other group quarters residents do not fall under poverty thresholds.

Poverty Race/Ethnicity & Families: 2000 - 2018

Childhood Poverty: 2000 - 2018

Poverty, Race & Student Status: 2014 - 2018

Figures indicate the number of non-students residing in households with income under the poverty threshold.

Proportion of Families in Poverty: 2014 - 2018

Food Stamps: 2020

CPS Students Receiving Free/Reduced Cost Lunch: October 2019

- Black
- Hispanic/Any Race
- Asian
- White
- All

Source: Cambridge Public School Department, 2019.
## School Enrollment: 2014 - 2018

### Kindergarten to 12th Grade Students

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<th>Kindergarten to 12th Grade Students</th>
<th>January 1, 2020</th>
<th>2014 - 2018 ACS Data</th>
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<tr>
<td>CPS Enrollment/ACS Public School</td>
<td>6,670</td>
<td>7,467</td>
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<td>In-State Private and Parochial</td>
<td>1,303</td>
<td>1,806</td>
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<td>Home School</td>
<td>52</td>
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<td>Out of District Public Schools</td>
<td>11</td>
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<td>Charter Schools</td>
<td>524</td>
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<td><strong>Total Enrolled Students</strong></td>
<td>8,560</td>
<td>9,273</td>
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- 2013 – 2017 American Community Survey data found between 17% and 23% of Cambridge students enrolled in private schools during primary and secondary school, with the highest proportion falling in kindergarten – 23%. Previously, the highest enrollment was in grades 9 to 12.
- CPS enrollment includes students enrolled in other programs at CPS expense.
- 2018 CPS enrollment includes K2 classes. K1 and Pre-K enrollment are excluded.

Internet and Computer Access: 2014 - 2018

Census Pulse Survey: Income Loss

Have you, or has anyone in your household experienced a loss of employment income since March 13, 2020?

Census Household Pulse Survey, Weeks 13-15, Boston MSA

- Yes: 43%
- No: 56%
- NA: 0%

Census Pulse Survey: Housing Costs

How confident are you that your household will be able to pay your next rent or mortgage payment on time?

Census Household Pulse Survey, Weeks 13-15, Boston MSA

- High confidence, 41%
- Moderate confidence, 11%
- Slight confidence, 6%
- No confidence, 3%
- Payment is/will be deferred, 1%
- NA, 38%

Census Pulse Survey: Food Access

In the last 7 days for the children living in your household who are under 18 years old, "The children were not eating enough because we just couldn't afford enough food."

Census Household Pulse Survey, Weeks 13-15, Boston MSA

- Never true, 22%
- Sometimes true, 8%
- Often true, 2%
- NA, 68%
The 2020 Census Update

Self Response Rate Lagged Compared to 2010 Census

Non-Response Follow-Up (NORFU) Operations Cut Short

Apportionment Data Must be Delivered by December 31

Legislative Effort by Advocates to Push Out Deadline

Administration Court Case to Exclude Undocumented Persons

For information about each of Cambridge’s 13 neighborhoods consult the Neighborhood Statistical Profile