Mecklenburg County

2023 Roadmap of Need County Profile

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	Indicator	County Data	North Carolina	Rank
Economic Development	Median Household Income	$75,138	$61,997	8
	Unemployment Rate	4.9	4.9	52
	Housing Cost Burden	31%	28%	76
	Food Insecurity	13.7%	15.4%	25
Physical Health	Teen Pregnancy	25.8	24	45
	Physicians per 100K	35.9	27.7	8
	Child Fatality	50.2	56.2	33
	Uninsured	11.6%	9.3%	57
Mental Health and Safety	Suicide Rate	10.76	15.3	16
	Student-Counselor Ratio	244:1	321:1	10
	Juvenile Detention Admission Rate	2.43	1.56	84
	Drug and Medicine Overdose Rate	21.13	38.3	14
Education Inputs	State Expenditures	$6,951	$7,426	93
	Local Expenditures	$2,951	$2,459	18
	Federal Expenditures	$1,883	$2,460	93
	Teacher Vacancy Rate	0.83%	3.43%	14
Education Outcomes	Math Proficiency	26.3%	33.1%	70
	3rd Grade Reading Proficiency	43.3%	46.4%	52
	% Meeting ACT Benchmark	20.9%	15.8%	6
	High School Graduation Rate	83.3%	86.4%	77

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Public School Student Demographics

Category	Percentage
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0.2%
Asian	7.1%
Black	36.3%
Hispanic or Latino	28.5%
Native Hawaiin or Pacific Islander	0.1%
Two or More	3.1%
White	24.8%
Multi Language Learner	18.3%