County Facts: Sutter County, CA
Population 97,000

The Local Economy

Unemployment rate

Poverty rate

Median family income (000s)

Population growth 2000-2017

Manufacturing share of workforce

Farming share of workforce

Great Recession unemployment spike (pp)

Sutter County | CA | United States
8.6% | 4.7% | 4.4%
18.7% | 5.9% | 5.1%
$67 | $57 | $49
22% | 17% | 16%
10% | 6% | 9%
8.5% | 2.7% | 1.7%
6.2% | 4.7% | 4.7%

How Local Kids' Lives Turn Out

Percent graduating any college

Percent reaching upper-middle class

Percent achieving American Dream

Percent giving birth as a teen

Percent landing in jail

Local school expenditure per student (000s)

Sutter County | CA | United States
43% | 45% | 46%
21% | 20% | 21%
12% | 13% | 13%
10% | 17% | 16%
1.1% | 1.0% | 1.0%
$5.4 | $5.7 | $6.4
Local Colleges and Upward Mobility

### 4-Year Colleges

- **Low-income share of students**: CSU Chico (public)†: 6.1%; California 4-year-college average: 11.1%; U.S. 4-year-college average: 9.3%
- **Low-income student success rate**: CSU Chico (public)†: 57.6%; California 4-year-college average: 51.3%; U.S. 4-year-college average: 57.6%

### 2-Year Colleges

- **Low-income share of students**: Butte College (public)†: 16.1%; California 2-year-college average: 15.6%; U.S. 2-year-college average: 28.9%
- **Low-income student success rate**: Butte College (public)†: 36.4%; California 2-year-college average: 32.9%; U.S. 2-year-college average: 36.4%

*: Data refers to the full college system, not just this campus. †: In nearby county

Local Demographics

- **Percent Black**: Sutter County: 4%; CA: 14%; United States: 7%
- **Percent Hispanic**: Sutter County: 29%; CA: 38%; United States: 17%
- **Percent over age 65**: Sutter County: 14%; CA: 13.0%; United States: 12.7%
- **Percent college grad**: Sutter County: 21%; CA: 22%; United States: 11%
- **Crime rate (arrests per 10K residents)**: Sutter County: 110; CA: 88; United States: 76
- **Life expectancy (years)**: Sutter County: 84.3; CA: 83.2; United States: 83.2
- **Opioid deaths (deaths per 10K residents)**: Sutter County: 15; CA: 7; United States: 6

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*Percentages and data may vary slightly due to rounding.*
The Local Economy

- Unemployment rate (August 2018, BLS)
- Poverty rate (2012-2016 ACS)
- Median family income (2016 ACS)
- Manufacturing share of workforce (2012-2016 ACS)
- Farming share of workforce (2012-2016 ACS)
- Great Recession unemployment spike (BLS LAUS)

How Local Kids’ Lives Turn Out

- Percent graduating any college (2-yr or 4-yr, Tax Data 2, N/A for some counties)
- Percent reaching upper middle-class (top 20% of the U.S. income distribution, Tax Data 1, N/A for some counties)
- Percent achieving American Dream (share of local low-income kids—i.e. those with 25-th-income-percentile parents—who reach the top 20% of the U.S. income distribution as adults, Tax Data 1, N/A for some counties)
- Percent (of local female kids) giving birth as a teen (Tax Data 1, N/A for some counties)
- Percent landing in jail (percent of local kids in jail on 1 April 2010, Tax Data 1 and 2010 Census, N/A for some counties)
- Local school expenditure per student (in public schools, NCES, N/A for some counties)

Local Colleges and Upward Mobility

- Low-income share of students (share of age-18-22 students with bottom-20% parents, Tax Data 2)
- Low-income student success rate (share of low-income age-18-22 students who reach the top 40% of the U.S. income distribution as adults, Tax Data 2)

Local Demographics

- Percent Black (2012-2016 ACS)
- Percent Hispanic (2012-2016 ACS)
- Percent over age 65 (2010 Census)
- Percent college grad (4-yr college, 2012-2016 ACS)
- Crime rate (serious violent and property arrests per 10,000 residents, FBI Uniform Crime Reports, N/A for some counties)
- Life expectancy (at age 40, Tax Data 3, N/A for some counties)
- Opioid deaths (per 10,000 residents in 2017, CDC, N/A for some counties and some counties report population weighted commuting zone average)

Sources Legend

- ACS: U.S. Census Bureau American Community Surveys, 2012-2016
- CDC: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics. Multiple Cause of Death 1999-2017 on CDC WONDER Online Database.
- Census: U.S. Census Bureau