County Facts: Ziebach County, SD
Population 3,000

The Local Economy

- Unemployment rate: 5.2% (Ziebach County), 3.3% (SD), 1.7% (United States)
- Poverty rate: 28.9% (Ziebach County), 13.4% (SD), 1.4% (United States)
- Median family income (000s): $57 (Ziebach County), $55 (SD), $55 (United States)
- Population growth 2000-2017: 9% (Ziebach County), 2% (SD), 1.7% (United States)
- Manufacturing share of workforce: 15% (Ziebach County), 10% (SD), 7.3% (United States)
- Farming share of workforce: 16% (Ziebach County), 10% (SD), 1.4% (United States)
- Great Recession unemployment spike (pp): 4.4% (Ziebach County), 2% (SD), 4.7% (United States)

How Local Kids' Lives Turn Out

- Percent graduating any college: 52% (Ziebach County), 46% (SD), 46% (United States)
- Percent reaching upper-middle class: 24% (Ziebach County), 20% (SD), 20% (United States)
- Percent achieving American Dream: 15% (Ziebach County), 14% (SD), 14% (United States)
- Percent giving birth as a teen: 10% (Ziebach County), 14% (SD), 14% (United States)
- Percent landing in jail: 5.2% (Ziebach County), 1.5% (SD), 1.5% (United States)
- Local school expenditure per student (000s): $6.8 (Ziebach County), $5.1 (SD), $5.1 (United States)
Local Colleges and Upward Mobility

4-Year Colleges

- Low-income share of students: South Dakota 4-year-college average 7.2%, United States 9.3%
- Low-income student success rate: South Dakota 4-year-college average 50.1%, United States 51.3%

2-Year Colleges

- Low-income share of students: South Dakota 2-year-college average 11.0%, United States 15.6%
- Low-income student success rate: South Dakota 2-year-college average 42.2%, United States 32.9%

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

Local Demographics

- Percent Black: Ziebach County 1%, SD 2%, United States 14%
- Percent Hispanic: Ziebach County 3%, SD 3%, United States 17%
- Percent over age 65: Ziebach County 7.0%, SD 14.3%, United States 13.0%
- Percent college grad: Ziebach County 13%, SD 19%, United States 21%
- Crime rate (arrests per 10K residents): Ziebach County 22, SD 61, United States 76
Definitions and Sources

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 25th-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