

MONTGOMERY

Total population: 1,082,273

Child population: 243,481

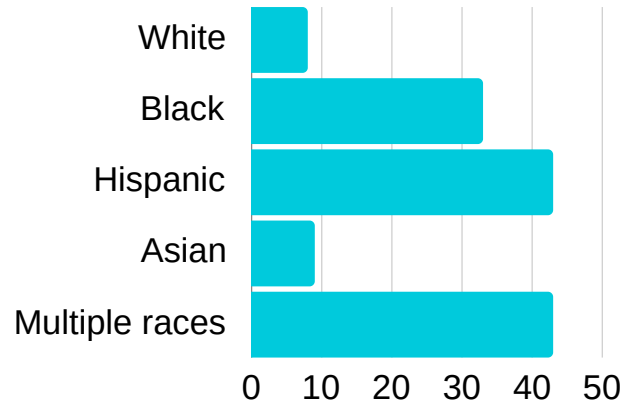
Federal Poverty Level, family of 4

\$32,150

Income needed to meet basic expenses
for a family of 4 in Montgomery County

\$144,001

Child Poverty by Race (%)



Employment & Income

9%	children living in poverty (income below \$27,450 for a family of 3)
5%	children living below 50% of poverty (less than \$13,725 for a family of 3)
23%	children living below 200% of poverty
75%	Workforce involvement - two-parent households
95%	Workforce involvement - single fathers
87%	Workforce involvement - single mothers

Health

4%	children without insurance
33%	Mothers without early prenatal care
7%	infants with low birth weight
4	Infant mortality (all races)
3.6	Infant mortality rate disparity between white and Black infants
63	Child deaths

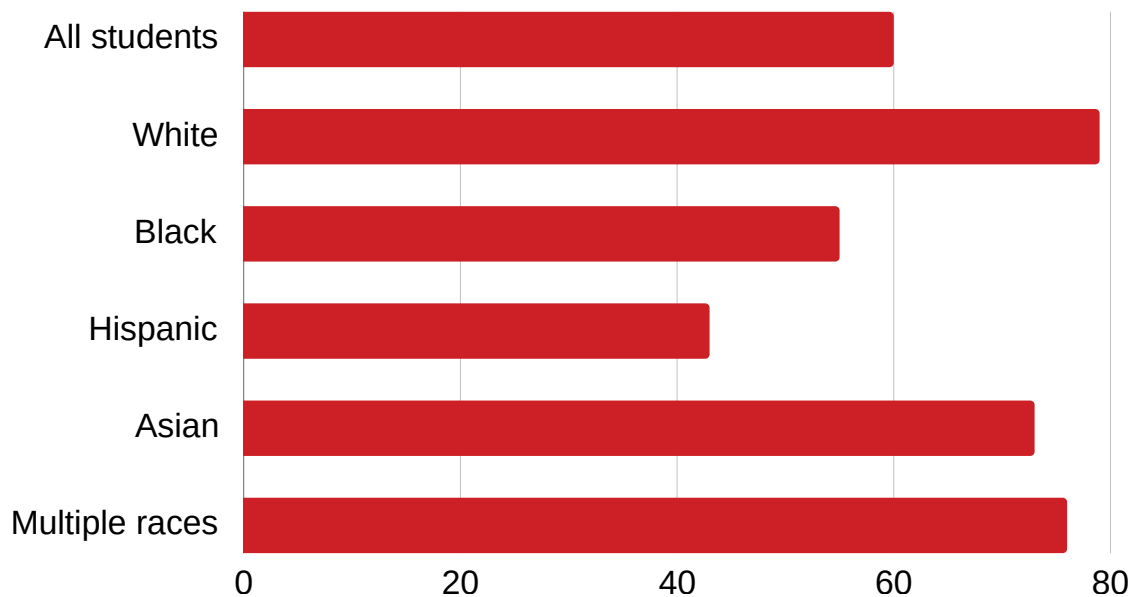
Economic Opportunity

\$45	Hourly wage required to afford a 2-bedroom apartment
10%	SNAP participation
42%	Children enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP

Education

46%	Ready for kindergarten
89%	Graduation rate (4-year adjusted cohort)
8%	Dropout rate (4-year adjusted cohort)

Kindergarten Readiness by Race (%)



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Sources: KIDS COUNT Data Center, National Low Income Housing Coalition, Hilltop Institute, Economic Policy Institute