

Regional highlights from the 2017 BC Child Poverty Report Card – Cariboo

In Cariboo, 2,820 children are living in poverty: close to **one in four children**. Children are at greater risk of poverty than the overall population of the region. Lone-parent families are particularly vulnerable: child poverty rates are nearly **five times higher** for children in lone-parent families than children in couple families. (Source: Statistics Canada, 2015 data)

Cariboo Regional District

2,820
children
living in
poverty



17% of all
residents live
in poverty

23% of all
children live
in poverty

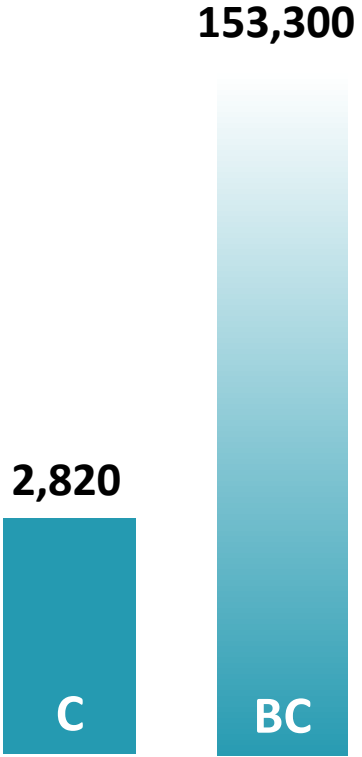


12% poverty
rate for
children in
couple
families

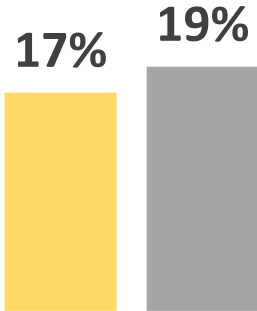
55% poverty
rate for
children in
lone-parent
families

Comparison of Cariboo Regional District to British Columbia

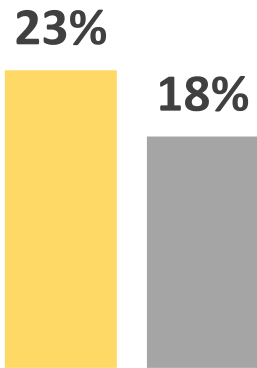
No. of Children Living in Poverty



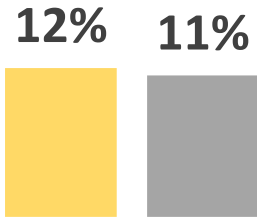
Poverty Rate for all Residents



Poverty Rate for all Children



Poverty Rate for Children in Couple Families



Poverty Rate for Children in Lone-Parent Families



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British Columbia (BC)