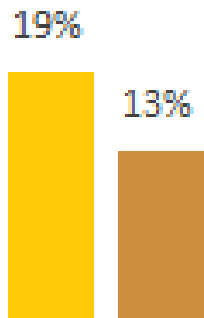
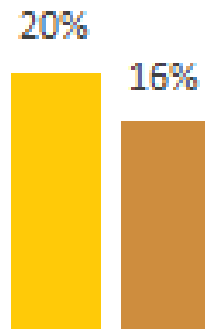


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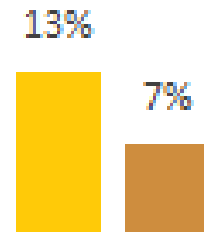
Poverty Rate for all Residents



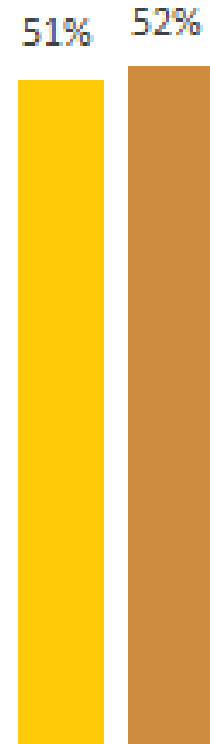
Poverty Rate for all Children



Poverty Rate for Children in Couple Families



Poverty Rate for Children in Lone-Parent Families



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## Regional highlights from the 2018 BC Child Poverty Report Card

In the East Kootenay regional district, 1,900 children live in poverty: just under 1 in 6 children. Children in lone-parent families are particularly vulnerable: child poverty rates are seven times higher for children in lone-parent families compared to those in couple families. This is demonstrated in that the rate for couple families is nearly half the provincial rate, but the rate for lone-parent families is 1% higher than the provincial rate.

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1,900  
children  
living in  
poverty



13% of all  
residents  
live in  
poverty



16% of all  
children live  
in poverty

7% poverty  
rate for  
children in  
couple  
families

52% poverty  
rate for  
children in  
lone-parent  
families

