Kootenay-Columbia Federal District

Federal Riding Highlights from the 2018 BC Child Poverty Report Card

In the Kootenay-Columbia riding, 3,910 children live in poverty: nearly one in five children. Children in lone-parent families are particularly vulnerable: child poverty rates are nearly six times higher for children in lone-parent families than those in couple families. Children are at greater risk of poverty than the overall population of the region with the rate being 3% higher for children.

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- 3,910 children living in poverty
- 16% of all residents live in poverty
- 19% of all children live in poverty
- 9% poverty rate for children in couple families
- 52% poverty rate for children in lone-parent families

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