In the Surrey Centre riding, 7,300 children are living in poverty: nearly one in three children. This area has the highest lone-parent family child poverty rates out of all of the federal ridings in BC with nearly two thirds of children living in poverty in lone-parent families. This statistic is 12% higher than the provincial average for children in lone-parent families.

Federal Riding Highlights from the 2018 BC Child Poverty Report Card

7,300 children living in poverty
28% of all residents live in poverty
29% of all children live in poverty
21% poverty rate for children in couple families
63% poverty rate for children in lone-parent families

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