

# BC Regional Poverty Statistics

## Northern Rockies

Poverty Rate for All Residents

17% 18%



Poverty Rate for All Children

24% 19%



Poverty Rate for Children in Couple-Parent Families

11% 11%



Poverty Rate for Children in Lone-Parent Families

58% 51%



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# Regional highlights from the 2019 BC Child Poverty Report Card

In the Northern Rockies region, 280 children live in poverty, one in four children. The child poverty rate is 7% higher than the all resident poverty rate in this area, demonstrating that children are disproportionately affected by poverty here. Six out of ten children in lone-parent families are living in poverty as opposed to one out of ten children in couple-parent families.

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