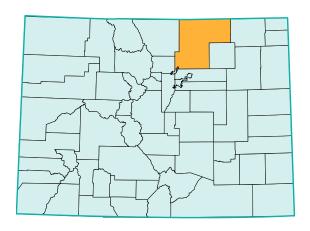
## **WELD COUNTY**



2019 KIDS COUNT IN COLORADO!

LNE = Low Number of Events N/A = Not Applicable NR = Not Reported



	WELD	COLORADO
POPULATION		
2017 Total Population	304,435	5,609,445
2017 Child Population (Under 18)	79,863	1,263,998
2017 Child Population as a Percentage of Total Population (Under 18)	26.2%	22.5%
2017 Young Child Population (Under 5)	21,882	334,012
2017 School-Aged Population (Ages 5-17)	57,981	929,986
VULNERABLE FAMILIES		
2017 Births to Single Women	22.8%	22.8%
2017 Births to Women without a High School Diploma or GED	16.2%	11.6%
2017 Teen Births (rate per 1,000 female teens 15-19)	21.9	16.1
2017 Three Risk Factor Births	3.8%	3.0%
2017 Out-of-Home Placements (rate per 1,000)	4.6	8.7
FAMILY ECONOMICS AND SUPPORTS		
Fall 2018 Children Qualifying for Free or Reduced Price Lunch	48.0%	40.7%
Fall 2018 Children Qualifying for Free Lunch	38.6%	32.9%
Fall 2018 Children Qualifying for Reduced Price Lunch	9.4%	7.8%
2017 Median Household Income	68,679	69,113
2017 Children (Under 18) in Poverty	10.6%	12.2%
2017 School-Aged Children (Ages 5-17) in Poverty	10.3%	11.4%
2018 Children Receiving TANF Basic Cash Assistance Payments*	3.6%	4.5%
2018 Children Receiving WIC Program Vouchers*	26.5%	30.0%
2018-2019 Students Served by the McKinney-Vento Homeless Ed. Program	834	22,369
CHILD AND MATERNAL HEALTH		
2017 Live Births	4,244	64,388
2017 Low Weight Births	8.1%	9.1%
2017 Births to Women Who Had Early Prenatal Care	80.4%	81.6%
2017 Births to Women Smoking During Pregnancy	6.6%	6.1%
2017 Child Abuse and Neglect (rate per 1,000)	10.1	9.2
2017 Infant Mortality (rate per 1,000)	4.7	4.5
2017 Child (Ages 1-14) Deaths (rate per 100,000)	11.2	16.1
2017 Teen (Ages 15-19) Deaths (rate per 100,000)	49.5	58.5
2017 Child (Ages 1-14) Injury Deaths (rate per 100,000)	8.0	8.3
2017 Teen (Ages 15-19) Injury Deaths (rate per 100,000)	41.3	50.4
FY 17-18 Children (Ages 0-18) Enrolled in CHP+	8.8%	7.5%
FY 17-18 Children (Ages 0-18) Enrolled in Medicaid	44.1%	44.3%
2017 Uninsured Children (SAHIE)	5.2%	4.5%
2017 Children Eligible for Medicaid, CHP+ or Subsidies but Not Enrolled	6.1%	5.6%
EDUCATION		
Fall 2018 PK-12 Pupil Enrollment	44,687	911,536
Fall 2018 Kindergarteners in a Full-Day Program	77.7%	79.0%
Fall 2018 English Language Learners	16.3%	13.8%
2017-2018 High School Graduation Rate	84.6%	80.7%
2018 4th Grade Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations in English Language Arts	37.9%	46.1%
2018 Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations on CMAS Math	26.8%	34.1%
2018 Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations on CMAS English Language Arts	37.3%	44.5%
2018 Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations on CMAS Science	25.7%	31.2%

\*Percentages based on Colorado State Demography Office 2018 population projections.