

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States: 2005-2009
 Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates
 Survey: American Community Survey
DATA SUMMARY FOR HOLLISTON

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-) on Number	Percent	Margin of Error (+/-) on Percent
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	4,824	136	(X)	(X)
Family households (families)	3,795	133	78.7%	3.2
With own children under 18 years	1,949	132	40.4%	3.1
Married-couple family	3,318	162	68.8%	3.6
With own children under 18 years	1,664	157	34.5%	3.5
Male householder, no wife present, family	137	63	2.8%	1.3
With own children under 18 years	46	38	1.0%	0.8
Female householder, no husband present, family	340	116	7.0%	2.4
With own children under 18 years	239	106	5.0%	2.2
Nonfamily households	1,029	172	21.3%	3.2
Householder living alone	941	165	19.5%	3.0
65 years and over	268	80	5.6%	1.6
Households with one or more people under 18 years	2,063	117	42.8%	2.9
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,004	116	20.8%	2.3
Average household size	2.85	0.08	(X)	(X)
Average family size	3.28	0.08	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	13,771	162	(X)	(X)
Householder	4,824	136	35.0%	0.9
Spouse	3,356	155	24.4%	1.1
Child	4,772	190	34.7%	1.3
Other relatives	525	142	3.8%	1.0
Nonrelatives	294	141	2.1%	1.0
Unmarried partner	95	62	0.7%	0.5

MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	5,417	236	(X)	(X)
Never married	1,465	278	27.0%	4.2
Now married, except separated	3,425	159	63.2%	4.2
Separated	36	33	0.7%	0.6
Widowed	116	58	2.1%	1.1
Divorced	375	113	6.9%	2.1

Females 15 years and over	5,448	240	(X)	(X)
Never married	980	173	18.0%	2.8
Now married, except separated	3,445	145	63.2%	4.1
Separated	90	106	1.7%	1.9
Widowed	422	159	7.7%	2.8
Divorced	511	126	9.4%	2.2

FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	128	71	(X)	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	0	127	0.0%	25.0
Per 1,000 unmarried women	0	33	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	39	23	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	0	88	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	97	74	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	27	21	(X)	(X)

GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	255	105	(X)	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	86	73	33.7%	22.6
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	0	127	0.0%	13.6
1 or 2 years	0	127	0.0%	13.6
3 or 4 years	33	42	12.9%	15.6
5 or more years	53	58	20.8%	20.5

Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	86	73	(X)	(X)
Who are female	59	52	68.6%	22.3
Who are married	21	34	24.4%	37.8

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	4,230	239	(X)	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	345	106	8.2%	2.6
Kindergarten	192	76	4.5%	1.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,879	236	44.4%	4.7
High school (grades 9-12)	1,047	181	24.8%	4.5
College or graduate school	767	195	18.1%	4.1

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	9,287	205	(X)	(X)
Less than 9th grade	147	71	1.6%	0.8
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	315	127	3.4%	1.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,300	241	14.0%	2.5
Some college, no degree	1,606	252	17.3%	2.7
Associate's degree	594	157	6.4%	1.7
Bachelor's degree	3,114	275	33.5%	3.1
Graduate or professional degree	2,211	285	23.8%	3.0

Percent high school graduate or higher	95.0%	1.6	(X)	(X)
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	57.3%	3.8	(X)	(X)

VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	10,028	177	(X)	(X)
Civilian veterans	828	155	8.3%	1.6

RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	13,836	74	(X)	(X)
Same house	13,079	229	94.5%	1.7
Different house in the U.S.	757	237	5.5%	1.7
Same county	400	195	2.9%	1.4
Different county	357	154	2.6%	1.1
Same state	199	103	1.4%	0.7
Different state	158	99	1.1%	0.7
Abroad	0	127	0.0%	0.3

PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	13,963	22	(X)	(X)
Native	12,931	207	92.6%	1.5
Born in United States	12,868	199	92.2%	1.4
State of residence	9,499	347	68.0%	2.5
Different state	3,369	331	24.1%	2.4
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	63	45	0.5%	0.3
Foreign born	1,032	208	7.4%	1.5

U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	1,032	208	(X)	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	539	161	52.2%	12.6
Not a U.S. citizen	493	169	47.8%	12.6

YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	1,095	202	(X)	(X)

Native	63	45	63.0	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	127	0.0%	40.1
Entered before 2000	63	45	100.0%	40.1

Foreign born	1,032	208	(X)	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	186	85	18.0%	7.3
Entered before 2000	846	183	82.0%	7.3

WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	1,032	208	(X)	(X)
Europe	308	93	29.8%	7.7
Asia	288	138	27.9%	11.9
Africa	34	37	3.3%	3.6
Oceania	0	127	0.0%	3.6
Latin America	223	97	21.6%	8.6
Northern America	179	119	17.3%	10.6

LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	13,170	182	(X)	(X)
English only	12,107	305	91.9%	1.8
Language other than English	1,063	235	8.1%	1.8
Speak English less than "very well"	346	136	2.6%	1.0
Spanish	101	65	0.8%	0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	27	29	0.2%	0.2
Other Indo-European languages	682	173	5.2%	1.3
Speak English less than "very well"	262	117	2.0%	0.9
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	238	141	1.8%	1.1
Speak English less than "very well"	57	55	0.4%	0.4
Other languages	42	52	0.3%	0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	0	127	0.0%	0.3

ANCESTRY				
Total population	13,963	22	(X)	(X)
American	721	261	5.2%	1.9
Arab	103	82	0.7%	0.6
Czech	26	30	0.2%	0.2
Danish	98	60	0.7%	0.4
Dutch	118	63	0.8%	0.5
English	2,832	357	20.3%	2.6
French (except Basque)	704	221	5.0%	1.6
French Canadian	644	223	4.6%	1.6
German	1,350	334	9.7%	2.4
Greek	105	108	0.8%	0.8
Hungarian	54	54	0.4%	0.4
Irish	3,564	439	25.5%	3.1
Italian	2,683	460	19.2%	3.3
Lithuanian	156	88	1.1%	0.6
Norwegian	105	87	0.8%	0.6
Polish	1,123	305	8.0%	2.2
Portuguese	187	106	1.3%	0.8
Russian	359	144	2.6%	1.0
Scotch-Irish	373	150	2.7%	1.1
Scottish	718	198	5.1%	1.4

Slovak	9	15	0.1%	0.1
Subsaharan African	17	27	0.1%	0.2
Swedish	300	119	2.1%	0.9
Swiss	40	36	0.3%	0.3
Ukrainian	130	97	0.9%	0.7
Welsh	60	55	0.4%	0.4
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	0	127	0.0%	0.3

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

See Notes for all explanations