

Cheyenne and Laramie County Profile

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	Year	Value	Year	Value	
Demography					
Total Population - Cheyenne ¹	2016	64,019	2015	63,404	1.0%
Total Population - Laramie County ¹	2016	98,136	2015	97,183	1.0%
Total Male Population ¹	2015	49,065	2014	48,621	0.9%
Total Female Population ¹	2015	48,056	2014	47,848	0.4%
% of Population - Under 20 Years Old ¹	2015	25.7%	2014	25.9%	-0.8%
% of Population - 65 Years & Older ¹	2015	14.7%	2014	14.3%	2.8%
Median Age ²	2015	36.7	2014	36.8	-0.3%
% of Population - White Alone (Non-Hispanic) ¹	2015	78.6%	2014	78.8%	-0.3%
% of Population - Native American Alone ¹	2015	0.7%	2014	0.7%	0.0%
% of Population - Hispanic or Latino ¹	2015	14.5%	2014	14.3%	1.7%
Households - County ²	2015	37,740	2014	38,705	-2.5%
Average Household Size - County ²	2015	2.5	2014	2.4	3.3%
Households - Cheyenne ³	2015	25,130	2014	25,007	0.5%
% of Households (HH) Headed by Married Couples ²	2015	46.7%	2014	50.3%	-7.2%
% of HH Headed by Single Female (w/own children <18 yrs.) ²	2015	8.4%	2014	3.8%	121.1%
Weather & Geography					
Total Area (sq. miles) ⁴	2010	2,686	-	-	-
Total Area (sq. miles) ¹¹ - Cheyenne	2016	28.73	2015	27.30	5.2%
Water Area (sq. miles)	2000	1.6	-	-	-
Elevation (ft.) ⁵	2010	6,062	-	-	-
Avg Max Temperature (F) - Cheyenne ⁵	1981 - 10	58.6	1971 - 00	58.1	0.9%
Avg Min Temperature (F) - Cheyenne ⁵	1981 - 10	33.9	1971 - 00	33.5	1.2%
Average Annual Precipitation (inches) - Cheyenne ⁵	1981 - 10	15.9	1971 - 00	15.5	2.8%
Average Daily Wind Speed (mph) ⁵	1996 - 08	12.1	1996 - 06	12.4	-2.4%
Crime & Law Enforcement⁶					
Crimes	2016	3,184	2015	2,481	28.3%
Crimes per 10,000 Persons	2016	324.4	2015	255.3	27.1%
Homicides per 10,000 Persons	2016	0.8	2015	0.3	-
Rapes per 10,000 Persons	2016	3.7	2015	1.9	98.1%
Robberies per 10,000 Persons	2016	1.8	2015	1.7	4.9%
Aggravated Assaults per 10,000 Persons	2016	18.6	2015	11.9	56.2%
Burglaries per 10,000 Persons	2016	48.6	2015	43.9	10.6%
Larcenies & Thefts per 10,000 Persons	2016	224.6	2015	184.9	21.5%
Motor Vehicle Thefts per 10,000 Persons	2016	26.3	2015	12.0	118.4%
Education					
% of Pop. (25 yrs. & older) with High School Diploma or higher ²	2015	92.1%	2014	92.9%	-0.9%
% of Pop. (25 yrs. & older) with Bachelor's Degree or higher ²	2015	27.5%	2014	30.7%	-10.4%
Pupil -Teacher Ratio in LCSD #1 ⁷	2015 - 16	13.4	2014 - 15	13.0	3.1%
Pupil -Teacher Ratio in LCSD #2 ⁷	2015 - 16	9.7	2014 - 15	10.0	-2.9%
Expenditures Per Pupil in LCSD #1 ⁷	2015 - 16	\$18,315	2014 - 15	\$18,952	-3.4%
Expenditures Per Pupil in LCSD #2 ⁷	2015 - 16	\$21,636	2014 - 15	\$22,038	-1.8%
LCSD #1 Enrollment ⁸	2015 - 16	14,029	2013 - 14	13,761	1.9%
LCSD #2 Enrollment ⁸	2015 - 16	970	2013 - 14	987	-1.7%
Total School Enrollments Laramie County ⁹	2015 - 16	15,807	2014 - 15	N/A	-
% of Students in Private Schools ⁹	2015 - 16	1.5%	2014 - 15	N/A	-
% of Students Home-Schooled ⁹	2015 - 16	2.1%	2014 - 15	N/A	-
ACT Average Composite Score (range 1-36) LCSD #1 ¹⁰	2015 - 16	20.6	2014 - 15	20.1	2.5%
ACT Average Composite Score (range 1-36) LCSD #2 ¹⁰	2015 - 16	20.9	2014 - 15	20.6	1.5%
LCSD #1 Graduation Rate ¹¹	2015 - 16	78.8%	2014 - 15	71.6%	10.1%
LCSD #2 Graduation Rate ¹¹	2015 - 16	91.2%	2014 - 16	81.0%	12.7%

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Full-time Equivalent (FTE) Enrollment at LCCC (Fall Semester) ¹²	2015	2,686.8	2014	2,698.4	-0.4%
Average Student Age at LCCC (Fall Semester) ¹²	2015	26.9	2014	26.7	0.8%
Median Student Age at LCCC (Fall Semester) ¹²	2015	22.5	2014	22.3	0.8%
3 -Year Graduation Rate at LCCC ¹²	2014	23.0%	2013	N/A	-
3 - Year Rate of Transfer from LCCC ¹²	2014	18.4%	2013	N/A	-
Housing					
Average Rent for 2-3 Bedroom House (\$) ¹³	4Q16	\$1,129	2Q16	\$1,141	-1.1%
Average Rent for 2 Bedroom Apartment (\$) ¹³	4Q16	\$787	2Q16	\$779	1.0%
Average Rent for 2-3 Bedroom Mobile Home (\$) ¹³	4Q16	\$848	2Q16	\$864	-1.9%
Average Sales Price - Cheyenne ¹⁴	2016	\$224,499	2015	\$213,453	5.2%
Average Sales Price - Rural Laramie County ¹⁴	2016	\$349,838	2015	\$325,566	7.5%
Laramie County's Economy					
Median Household Income ²	2015	\$60,599	2014	\$57,551	5.3%
Mean Household Income ²	2015	\$80,196	2014	\$70,617	13.6%
Per Capita Personal Income (\$) ¹⁵	2015	\$49,796	2014	\$49,140	1.3%
Average Wage per Job ¹⁵	2015	\$45,993	2014	\$45,427	1.2%
Average Annual Pay (\$) ¹⁶	2015	\$43,760	2014	\$42,903	2.0%
Employment & Labor					
Employment ¹⁷	2016	46,150	2015	47,117	-2.1%
Unemployment Rate ¹⁸	2016	4.1%	2015	3.9%	5.1%
Total Non-farm Jobs ¹⁵	2015	65,466	2014	64,907	0.9%
Percent of Jobs in Selected Industries					
% of Jobs in Farming	2015	2.0%	2014	2.0%	0.2%
% of Jobs in Mining	2015	1.4%	2014	1.4%	-1.9%
% of Jobs in Government	2015	26.2%	2014	26.3%	-0.5%
% of Jobs in Construction	2015	6.6%	2014	6.5%	0.5%
% of Jobs in Manufacturing	2015	2.3%	2014	2.4%	-1.3%
% of Jobs in Trans. & Ware.	2015	6.2%	2014	6.3%	-1.8%
% of Jobs in FIRE	2015	10.6%	2014	10.6%	0.2%
% of Jobs in Retail Trade	2015	10.7%	2014	10.3%	3.4%
% of Jobs in Wholesale	2015	2.1%	2014	2.0%	3.1%
Labor Force Demographics²					
% of Labor Force Age 16-19	2015	4.6%	2014	3.7%	23.0%
% of Labor Force Age 20-24	2015	11.5%	2014	10.2%	13.7%
% of Labor Force Age 25-44	2015	42.9%	2014	43.6%	-1.8%
% of Labor Force Age 45-54	2015	20.6%	2014	19.9%	3.1%
% of Labor Force Age 55-64	2015	15.6%	2014	17.5%	-11.1%
% of Labor Force Age 65-74	2015	4.5%	2014	4.9%	-8.0%
% of Labor Force Age 75 and over	2015	0.4%	2014	0.2%	162.7%
% of Labor Force Male	2015	54.5%	2014	53.4%	2.1%
% of Labor Force Female	2015	45.5%	2014	46.6%	-2.4%
% of Males in Labor Force	2015	85.1%	2014	84.7%	0.5%
% of Females in Labor Force	2015	75.0%	2014	78.7%	-4.7%
CPI					
U.S. CPI ¹⁹	2016	240.0	2015	237.0	1.3%
Annual Inflation Rate - Cheyenne ¹³	4Q16	3.1%	2Q16	1.0%	210.0%

Sources:

¹Wyoming Department of Information & Administration, Economic Analysis Division, Population Estimates as of July 1

²U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 1 Year Estimates

³U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 5 Year Estimates

⁴U.S. Census Bureau, State and County QuickFacts

⁵Western Regional Climate Center

⁶Wyoming Division of Criminal Investigation

⁷Wyoming Department of Education Statistical Report Series 3, District Financial Profile

⁸Wyoming Department of Education Statistical Report Series 2, Fall Enrollment Summary by Grade, for Districts and State

⁹WCBEA from Wyoming Department of Education, LCSD#1, LCSD#2 and Cheyenne Area Schools

¹⁰Wyoming Department of Education, Assessment Reports

¹²Laramie County Community College, Institutional Research Office

¹³Wyoming Department of Administration & Information,

¹⁴Cheyenne Board of Realtors

¹⁵U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Note: Non-farm employment data include proprietors

¹⁶U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

¹⁷Wyoming Department of Workforce Services, Labor Market Information, CES Data

¹⁸Wyoming Department of Workforce Services, Labor Market Information, LAUS Data

¹⁹U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, CPI-U, for all Urban Consumers, U.S. City Average