

# CHILD POVERTY

Number and Percent of Children Living in Poverty  
Oklahoma and Counties: 1980, 1990 & 1993

county name	1980 # of poor children	1980 % of children living in poverty	1990 # of poor children	1990 % of children living in poverty	1993 # of poor children (estimate)	1993 % of children living in poverty (estimate)	rank (1 = best)	change over time (1980 to 1993)
OKLAHOMA	131,870	15.7	179,283	21.7	195,915	23.7		-50.9%
Adair County	1,856	30.3	1,730	31.2	1,697	30.6	61	-1.0%
Alfalfa County	246	14.8	283	21.2	215	16.1	13	-9.2%
Atoka County	1,122	32.6	1,181	35.9	1,053	32.0	63	1.9%
Beaver County	368	18.0	163	9.7	175	10.4	1	42.2%
Beckham County	746	14.6	1,306	24.8	1,453	27.6	49	-89.5%
Blaine County	730	19.4	766	24.3	804	25.6	41	-31.9%
Bryan County	1,818	22.6	2,347	29.6	2,266	28.6	54	-26.2%
Caddo County	2,384	26.2	2,939	35.3	2,824	33.9	66	-29.4%
Canadian County	1,368	7.4	2,365	10.6	2,504	11.2	2	-51.9%
Carter County	2,377	19.5	3,086	26.4	3,163	27.0	47	-38.4%
Cherokee County	2,122	24.6	3,440	37.7	3,095	33.9	67	-38.2%
Choctaw County	1,472	28.6	1,793	42.2	1,819	42.8	76	-49.7%
Cimarron County	159	14.9	189	21.1	163	18.3	17	-22.7%
Cleveland County	2,846	7.6	4,884	10.8	6,116	13.5	5	-77.2%
Coal County	495	28.3	495	32.9	428	28.4	53	-0.5%
Comanche County	6,271	19.3	6,733	21.8	6,895	22.4	31	-16.0%
Cotton County	380	19.3	479	28.5	410	24.4	36	-26.7%
Craig County	534	13.9	656	20.7	737	23.3	34	-67.1%
Creek County	2,427	13.5	2,974	17.4	3,487	20.4	22	-51.4%
Custer County	1,180	17.8	1,517	21.6	1,569	22.3	30	-25.4%
Delaware County	1,881	29.0	1,458	21.2	1,763	25.6	42	11.7%
Dewey County	264	16.5	246	16.7	250	17.0	15	-3.0%
Ellis County	141	9.2	192	16.3	178	15.1	8	-64.3%
Garfield County	1,530	9.2	2,580	18.0	3,055	21.3	26	-133.0%
Garvin County	1,081	15.1	1,613	24.5	1,757	26.7	46	-76.2%
Grady County	1,810	15.6	2,731	23.3	2,719	23.2	33	-48.8%
Grant County	228	13.9	222	15.6	224	15.7	10	-12.9%
Greer County	467	30.9	341	26.6	376	29.4	55	4.8%
Harmon County	432	36.9	490	50.6	511	52.8	77	-43.0%
Harper County	115	9.8	143	14.1	149	14.6	6	-49.0%
Haskell County	614	20.0	932	33.5	917	33.0	65	-65.1%
Hughes County	1,133	30.3	1,198	37.6	1,093	34.3	68	-13.3%
Jackson County	2,119	22.5	2,059	24.4	2,110	25.0	37	-11.3%
Jefferson County	470	21.0	457	26.9	461	27.1	48	-29.4%
Johnston County	1,086	37.1	1,017	37.6	938	34.7	71	6.3%
Kay County	1,240	9.6	2,133	17.0	2,507	20.0	21	-108.0%
Kingfisher County	479	11.6	460	12.1	489	12.9	3	-10.9%
Kiowa County	902	27.7	1,082	36.8	900	30.6	60	-10.6%

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Latimer County	746	27.1	850	30.7	968	34.9	72	-28.9%
Le Flore County	3,025	24.8	3,390	28.7	3,633	30.8	62	-24.0%
Lincoln County	1,067	13.8	1,755	21.6	1,681	20.6	23	-50.0%
Logan County	1,181	15.6	1,839	23.6	1,675	21.4	27	-37.8%
Love County	361	17.2	431	21.4	436	21.6	28	-25.3%
McClain County	618	9.8	973	15.8	988	16.0	12	-63.3%
McCurtain County	3,378	28.5	3,749	38.8	3,764	39.0	75	-36.8%
McIntosh County	1,140	29.5	1,344	35.0	1,326	34.5	70	-17.0%
Major County	246	10.0	416	19.1	327	15.0	7	-49.8%
Marshall County	678	27.2	635	26.4	672	27.9	51	-2.8%
Mayes County	1,609	17.1	2,182	24.3	2,285	25.4	39	-48.6%
Murray County	586	17.7	918	30.1	853	28.0	52	-58.2%
Muskogee County	4,505	23.8	5,421	29.3	5,554	30.1	58	-26.4%
Noble County	358	11.5	643	21.6	593	19.9	20	-73.7%
Nowata County	413	13.1	731	29.7	645	26.2	44	-100.8%
Okfuskee County	767	24.8	1,100	36.7	1,055	35.2	73	-41.8%
Oklahoma County	20,708	13.5	33,030	21.4	39,215	25.4	38	-87.9%
Okmulgee County	2,566	24.0	3,127	32.2	3,156	32.5	64	-35.5%
Osage County	1,275	11.3	2,386	20.6	2,399	20.7	25	-83.5%
Ottawa County	1,785	20.2	2,034	27.8	2,220	30.4	59	-50.6%
Pawnee County	675	15.8	896	21.5	823	19.7	19	-25.1%
Payne County	1,622	12.9	2,475	19.2	2,487	19.3	18	-49.2%
Pittsburg County	2,055	19.3	2,468	25.2	2,500	25.5	40	-32.5%
Pontotoc County	1,530	18.7	2,331	27.6	2,361	27.9	50	-49.7%
Pottawatomie County	2,392	15.3	3,582	23.0	4,101	26.3	45	-72.3%
Pushmataha County	995	28.9	1,061	39.0	1,031	37.9	74	-31.0%
Roger Mills County	204	14.8	227	20.0	234	20.7	24	-39.1%
Rogers County	1,223	8.3	1,960	12.6	2,042	13.1	4	-58.4%
Seminole County	1,793	23.2	2,163	32.2	2,317	34.5	69	-48.7%
Sequoyah County	2,410	24.4	3,018	31.3	2,891	30.0	57	-23.0%
Stephens County	1,349	11.6	2,414	22.1	2,521	23.1	32	-98.5%
Texas County	426	8.0	725	15.6	711	15.3	9	-90.8%
Tillman County	1,037	29.8	767	27.4	836	29.9	56	-0.1%
Tulsa County	16,299	12.8	23,488	18.2	28,460	22.0	29	-71.8%
Wagoner County	1,645	11.6	2,097	14.8	2,236	15.8	11	-36.0%
Washington County	1,112	8.7	1,839	14.7	2,052	16.4	14	-89.2%
Washita County	402	10.6	813	26.9	785	26.0	43	-145.3%
Woods County	237	9.9	322	16.3	476	24.1	35	-143.3%
Woodward County	559	8.8	1,003	18.8	935	17.5	16	-98.5%

