

## Wilkes County: Census 2020 Real-Time Response Rates - Week Ending July 19

### How is Wilkes County performing?

**56.7%** of households in Wilkes County have self-responded to the 2020 Census between March 12 and July 19, 2020, **below** the state response rate of **58.3%**. Wilkes County is currently ranked 44 out of 100 counties in NC.

### How are people responding to the 2020 Census in Wilkes County?

**38.5%** of Wilkes households responded to the census online versus 45.5% of all NC households.

**18.2%** of Wilkes households responded to the census by phone or mail versus 12.8% of all NC households.

### Where are people responding in Wilkes County? (Top 5 Tracts)

Rank	Tract Number	Self-Response Rate
1	9601	62.7%
2	9608.02	62.4%
3	9603	61.5%
4	9612	60.3%
5	9604	58.0%

### Where are people not responding in Wilkes County? (Bottom 5 Tracts)

Rank	Tract Number	Self-Response Rate
14	9609	46.4%
13	9611	52.3%
12	9610.01	53.5%
11	9607	54.2%
10	9606	54.6%

### How many households in Wilkes County self-responded in past census counts?

Historic census self-response rates for Wilkes County were 67.0% in 1990, 63.0% in 2000, and 62.7% in 2010.



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## How are target groups responding in Wilkes County?

### Young Children - 5.9% of NC population ages 0-4

% Young Children	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 4.1%	6	54.2%
4% to 5.5%	3	58.4%
5.5% to 7.2%	3	57.9%
7.2% or higher	2	58.0%

### Immigrant Population - 7.9% of NC population is foreign-born

% Foreign-Born Residents	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 2.9%	5	55.8%
2.9% to 5.7%	4	59.5%
5.7% to 9.8%	4	54.4%
9.8% or higher	1	55.5%

### Minority Population - 34% of NC population is American Indian, Asian/Pacific Islander, Black, or Hispanic/Latinx

% Minority Residents	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 14%	10	56.5%
14% to 28%	2	58.7%
28% to 50%	2	53.9%
50% or higher	0	n.a.

### No Internet - 21% of NC households do not have Internet at home

% HH with no Internet	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 12%	0	n.a.
12% to 21%	2	57.3%
21% to 31%	7	56.4%
31% or higher	5	56.2%



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