

# Clay County

Mississippi

# 2021

## GENERAL DEMOGRAPHICS

Population: 19,076      Households: 7,562

By Gender	2020
Male	46.89%
Female	53.11%

By Age	2020
Age 0-9	11.49%
Age 10-20	14.27%
Age 21-24	4.96%
Age 25-34	13.18%
Age 35-44	11.57%
Age 45-54	11.38%
Age 55-64	13.52%
Age 65-74	11.76%
Age 75+	7.86%

By Race and Ethnicity	2020
White	38.89%
African American	58.85%
Other	2.26%



## LABOR MARKET

Residence Based Amounts	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Civilian Labor Force	7,950	7,870	7,770	7,980	8,090
Unemployed	930	580	470	530	670
Unemployment Rate	11.7	7.4	6.0	6.6	8.3
Employed	7,020	7,290	7,300	7,450	7,420

Establishment Based Amounts	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Manufacturing	N/A	900	730	710	720
Non-manufacturing	N/A	4,610	4,680	4,760	4,770
Agricultural Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	-	160	120	120	110
Mining	-	10	10	10	10
Utilities	-	10	10	10	20
Construction	-	190	230	220	190
Wholesale Trade	-	140	180	180	220
Retail Trade	-	840	870	840	780
Transportation & Warehousing	-	460	370	420	450
Information	-	20	20	20	40
Finance & Insurance	-	130	130	120	130
Real Estate, Rental & Leasing	-	50	50	50	40
Professional Scientific & Technical Services	-	100	110	120	110
Management of Companies	-	140	140	130	130
Administrative Support & Waste Management	-	50	60	70	90
Educational Services	-	50	60	70	60
Health Care & Social Assistance	-	640	670	660	680
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	-	130	130	150	130
Accommodations & Food Services	-	440	470	520	530
Other Services (except public administrative)	-	120	130	130	130
Government	-	930	920	920	920
Education (included in Government total)	-	490	460	470	480
<b>Total Non-agricultural Employment</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>5,510</b>	<b>5,410</b>	<b>5,470</b>	<b>5,490</b>

## ECONOMY

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	Region
<b>Per Capita Income</b>	\$36,994	\$38,435	\$35,998	\$34,818	\$34,522	\$37,208
<b>Median Household Income</b>	\$39,486	\$37,412	\$34,978	\$33,458	\$33,852	\$47,588
<b># of Households with Income Equal or Less Than \$24,999</b>	2,446	2,711	2,927	3,101	3,094	N/A
<b>% of Households with Income Equal or Less Than \$24,999</b>	32.35%	35.84%	38.06%	39.82%	39.24%	27.79%

<b>Employment Occupational Composition %</b>	<b>2020</b>
Professional and Technical	14.18%
Executive, Administrative and Managerial	12.32%
Sales	7.25%
Administrative Support and Clerical	9.95%
Production, Craft and Repair	26.94%
Transportation and Material Moving	8.78%
Handlers, Helpers and Laborers	1.06%
Service	19.52%



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## SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
<b>Number of Births to Single Teens</b>	N/A	28	16	14	12
<b>TANF &amp; Food Stamp Payments per Household</b>	\$834.79	\$674.37	\$744.45	\$793.09	\$923.77
<b>Number of Divorces</b>	N/A	28	31	0	33
<b>Number of Divorces Involving Children</b>	N/A	13	16	0	12

## EDUCATION

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	Region
<b>Percent of Population 25+ with HS Diploma</b>	82.26%	80.46%	79.23%	79.22%	78.49%	82.63%
<b>Average Expenditure per Student</b>	\$10,666	\$10,792	\$11,063	\$11,317	\$11,132	\$10,543
<b>ACT All Students</b>	15.20	15.20	16.00	15.80	16.70	17.89
<b>Average Class Size</b>	13.37	12.95	12.86	12.92	13.36	13.06

<b>Educational Attainment % by level</b>	<b>2020</b>
Graduate/Professional	7.15%
4 Year Degree +	13.22%
Associate's Degree	8.32%
Some College	19.39%
High School Diploma	34.17%
Some High School	12.55%
Some Elementary	5.19%

<b>High School Completer Rate</b>	<b>2020</b>
West Point	84.9

## HOUSING

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	Region
<b>Percent of Owner Occupied Housing</b>	69.17%	69.18%	69.01%	69.04%	69.37%	68.25%
<b>Percent of Renter Occupied Housing</b>	30.83%	30.82%	30.99%	30.96%	30.63%	31.75%
<b>Median Home Value</b>	\$98,439	\$98,593	\$97,599	\$91,928	\$87,262	\$135,407

# HEALTH

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
<b>Low Birth Weight Index</b>	N/A	14.6	13.2	12.3	10.9
<b>Infant Mortality Rate (5 year average)</b>	N/A	11.9	15.2	18.1	17.9
<b>Percent of Prenatal Care/First Trimester</b>	N/A	77.0	79.3	82.3	78.6
<b>Total Number of Births</b>	N/A	259	224	220	229
<b>Death Rate per 100,000 Population</b>					
Heart Disease	N/A	264.0	221.8	341.1	342.6
Cancer	N/A	196.7	268.2	305.5	216.6
Accidental	N/A	46.6	46.4	30.5	55.4
Suicide	N/A	5.2	5.2	0.0	20.2
Stroke	N/A	113.9	72.2	66.2	55.4
Chronic Other Respiratory Diseases	N/A	88.0	61.9	56.0	80.6



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