# Mecklenburg County: Census 2020 Real-Time Response Rates - Week Ending A pril 5

## **How is Mecklenburg County performing?**

**44.5**% of households in Mecklenburg County have self-responded to the 2020 Census between March 12 and April 5, 2020, **above** the state response rate of **41.7**%. Mecklenburg County is currently ranked 14 out of 100 counties in NC.

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

- 42.4% of Mecklenburg households responded to the census online versus 35.7% of all NC households.
- **2.1%** of Mecklenburg households responded to the census by phone or mail versus 6.0% of all NC households.

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

Rank	Tract Number	Self-Response Rate
1	58.48	66.7%
2	58.46	66.1%
3	30.15	63.1%
4	30.07	62.8%
5	9803	62.5%

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

Rank	Tract Number	Self-Response Rate
231	56.09	19.1%
230	53.08	21.1%
229	38.08	21.4%
228	31.09	23.7%
227	15.07	26.5%

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

Historic census self-response rates for Mecklenburg County were 68.0% in 1990, 68.0% in 2000, and 67.3% in 2010.





## How are target groups responding in Mecklenburg County?

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

% Young Children	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 4.1%	31	42.4%
4% to 5.5%	44	46.8%
5.5% to 7.2%	71	46.8%
7.2% or higher	85	42.4%

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

% Foreign-Born Residents	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 2.9%	11	43.1%
2.9% to 5.7%	24	47.8%
5.7% to 9.8%	52	47.0%
9.8% or higher	144	43.3%

**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%	27	51.6%
14% to 28%	42	51.9%
28% to 50%	38	47.3%
50% or higher	124	39.8%

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

% HH with no Internet	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 12%	133	48.9%
12% to 21%	42	40.3%
21% to 31%	30	39.4%
31% or higher	26	35.6%



