

# Buncombe County: Census 2020 Real-Time Response Rates - Week Ending Aug 30

## How is Buncombe County performing?

**60.9%** of households in Buncombe County have self-responded to the 2020 Census between March 12 and Aug 30, 2020, **above** the state response rate of **60.7%**. Buncombe County is currently ranked 33 out of 100 counties in NC.

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

**52.7%** of Buncombe households responded to the census online versus 47.6% of all NC households.

**8.2%** of Buncombe households responded to the census by phone or mail versus 13.1% of all NC households.

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

Rank	Tract Number	Self-Response Rate
1	11	72.4%
2	32.01	72.1%
3	22.05	71.7%
4	18.02	71.6%
5	5	71.4%

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

Rank	Tract Number	Self-Response Rate
56	1	38.3%
55	32.05	39.6%
54	2	45.3%
53	31.02	49.7%
52	24.01	50.4%

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

Historic census self-response rates for Buncombe County were 61.0% in 1990, 66.0% in 2000, and 64.7% in 2010.



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## How are target groups responding in Buncombe County?

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

% Young Children	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 4.1%	17	62.6%
4% to 5.5%	22	59.6%
5.5% to 7.2%	9	60.2%
7.2% or higher	8	59.5%

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

% Foreign-Born Residents	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 2.9%	12	60.3%
2.9% to 5.7%	23	60.7%
5.7% to 9.8%	14	61.1%
9.8% or higher	7	59.7%

### 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%	32	61.9%
14% to 28%	18	59.3%
28% to 50%	5	58.5%
50% or higher	1	51.9%

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

% HH with no Internet	# of Tracts	Average Response Rate
Less than 12%	13	67.3%
12% to 21%	22	62.4%
21% to 31%	16	57.1%
31% or higher	5	46.6%



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