

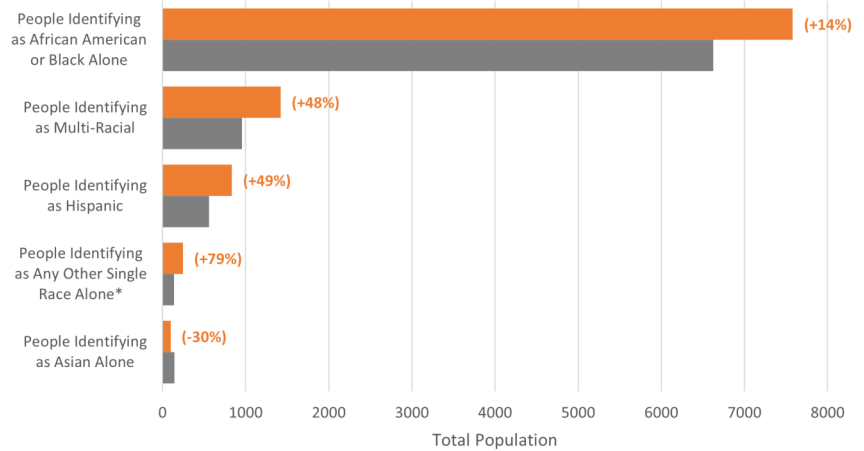
Community

Population: 28,755

- The McKeesport Area School District (MASD) total population decreased by 8% from 31,254 in 2010.¹
- The MASD population represents about 13.5% of the total Jefferson area population and comprises the City of McKeesport, and neighboring municipalities of Versailles, South Versailles, Dravosburg, and White Oak.
- The school district is experiencing changing racial demographics. The White Alone population decreased by 19% from 22,834 in 2010 to 18,578 in 2020, along with the Asian Alone population (by 30%).¹
- The population identifying as Any Other Single Race Alone* and the Hispanic population grew by 79% and 49%, respectively, between 2010 and 2020, reflecting trends in the Jefferson area.¹
- The median age for the MASD community is 47, older than Allegheny County (41) and the City of Pittsburgh (33). Of the total population, 20% are under 18 years, 57% are ages 18-64, and 23% are 65 or and older.

Changing Diversity in the MASD Change in Selected Racial & Ethnic Demographic Populations 2010 to 2020

The population of people who identify as White was 22,834 in 2010 and 18,578 in 2020 for a decrease of 18.6%. The White population is not included in the chart below to maintain readability.



*Due to small sample size, we have included individuals identifying as Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, American Indian, or as an identity not listed in the survey ("Other") in *People Identifying as Any Other Single Race Alone*. Note that racial categories are non-Hispanic.

Public Transportation	Median Household Income	College Education	Graduation Rate ⁷	Owner-Occupied Housing
10% All JRF: 7% Allegheny County: 9% City of Pittsburgh: 17%	\$34,379 All JRF: \$57,879 Allegheny County: \$62,320 City of Pittsburgh: \$50,536	18% All JRF: 30% Allegheny County: 43% City of Pittsburgh: 45%	76% All JRF: 92% City of Pittsburgh: 82%	53% All JRF: 71% Allegheny County: 64% City of Pittsburgh: 47%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10% of population age 16 and over take public transportation to work. 69% of workers drive alone with avg. commute time of 30 min. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> On average, 41% of MASD families have income below 200% of the federal poverty level (FPL). 73% of families under 100% of the FPL are single mother families. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 16% of population 25 years old and over has completed a Bachelor's Degree or higher. This represents a slight increase from 2015 estimates (16%). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As of 2020, MASD had 3,186 number of total students enrolled with 30% receiving special education services. MASD has 4 public schools. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 53% of occupied housing units are owner occupied and 47% are renter occupied. 86% of housing units are occupied.

Services

Top 5 PA 211 Services Requested in MASD
Number of Requests for Top 5 Requested Services²
July 2021 to July 2022 (Total Requests=2,243)



2-1-1 Service Requests in the MASD made up about 17% of the total 13,324 Service Requests in the JRF region.

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PA 211 Southwest is a vital service that connects individuals and families to health and human services in Allegheny County and

Services Provided in MASD

15,775 Individuals receiving income supports from DHS³

Services may include Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), Medicaid or receive health insurance through HealthChoices. Data is from 1/1/2022 through 8/1/2022.

3,506 Households received utility assistance from LIHEAP⁴

The Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) helps families living on low incomes pay their heating bills. Data is from 10/18/2021 through 6/17/2022.

2,935 Individuals received transportation assistance through ACCESS⁶

ACCESS is a door-to-door, advance reservation, shared-ride transportation program provided throughout Allegheny County. Data is from 7/1/2021 through 6/30/2021.

1,213 Homelessness & housing services have been provided by the DHS³

Services are provided by DHS and DHS-contracted providers and include housing assistance, case management, prevention and outreach for individuals and families receiving prevention services, support services and/or housing who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. Data is from 1/1/2022 through 8/1/2022.

58 Individuals receiving Partner 4 Work services⁵

Title I (WIOA & WIOA Dislocated Workers) includes services that focus on finding jobs and providing more in-depth services such as training programs for adults and dislocated workers. Participants are assigned a case manager and work with that manager to secure an employment position. Data is from 7/1/2021 through 6/30/2021.

Sources: Unless noted, source is American Community Survey, 5 year estimate (2020)

1. United States Census Bureau (2020)
2. PA 2-1-1 Counts (2022)
3. Allegheny County Analytics Human Services Community Profile (2022); Data provided by DHS and local partners.
4. LIHEAP data is from DHS / ECIS 2022.09.02 (aggregated data, zip codes data is for 15137, 15135, 15133, 15132, 15131, 15122, 15110, 15045, 15034)
5. Data is from Partner 4 Work
6. Data is from Medical Access of Allegheny County (aggregated data, zip codes Data is for 15137, 15135, 15133, 15132, 15131, 15122, 15110, 15045, 15034)
7. Source: Education Data Portal (Version 0.17.0), Urban Institute, accessed 1/23/2023, <https://educationdata.urban.org/documentation/>, made available under the ODC Attribution License

Note: ACS estimates are based on a sample of the population. Margins of error are not included here for simplicity.

Note: The 2020 U.S. Census utilizes disclosure avoidance processes to ensure confidentiality of the data. Thus, total and racial/ethnic populations are not reported exactly



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