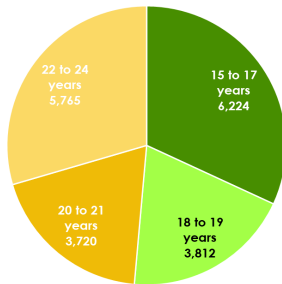


Northern Tier Youth Profile

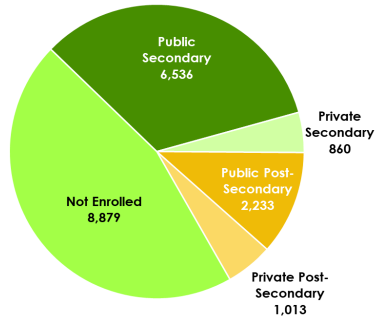
Youth Population: 19,500 (11.1% of total population)

Based on individuals ages 15 to 24 years

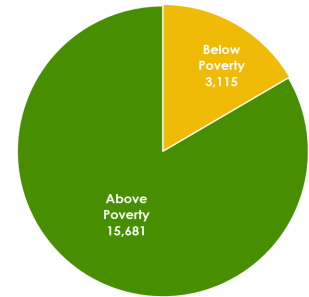
Age Groups



School Enrollment



Poverty Status



Based on population for whom poverty status is determined

Labor Market Information

- Total: 17,800
- Civilian Labor Force: 10,800
- Employed: 9,700
- Unemployed: 1,100
- Unemployment Rate: 10.2%
- Not in Labor Force: 7,000

Based on individuals ages 16 to 24
For comparison, the unemployment rate for individuals ages 25 years and over is 4.5%

Educational Attainment Levels

- Total: 13,300
- Less than 9th grade: 200 (1.7%)
- 9th to 12th grade, no diploma: 1,700 (12.5%)
- High school graduate (includes equivalency): 6,000 (45.1%)
- Some college, no degree: 3,500 (26.3%)
- Associate's degree: 800 (5.9%)
- Bachelor's degree: 1,100 (8.2%)
- Graduate or professional degree: 40 (0.3%)

Based on individuals ages 18 to 24

Occupational Groupings

- Food Preparation and Serving Related: 21.6%
- Sales and Related: 13.9%
- Transportation and Material Moving: 10.1%
- Office and Administrative Support: 8.7%
- Production: 6.7%
- Construction and Extraction: 5.9%
- Healthcare Support: 5.3%
- Personal Care and Service: 4.1%

Based on workers ages 14 to 24 years

Industry Sectors

- Retail Trade: 20.7%
- Accommodation and Food Services: 19.3%
- Health Care and Social Assistance: 13.4%
- Manufacturing: 9.2%
- Government (includes public education): 7.6%
- Construction: 4.1%
- Transportation and Warehousing: 4.1%
- Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services: 4.0%

Based on workers ages 14 to 24 years