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and Out of Work  
16 to 19 and  
20 to 24 Year Olds  
in Chicago and  
Cook County  
in 2017**

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## Out of School and Out of Work in Chicago

<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity in Chicago, 2017</b>				
<i>Race/Ethnicity</i>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	4.6%	5.7%	5.4%
	(n)	1,066	3,419	4,485
Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	8.1%	37.4%	25.6%
	(n)	3,225	22,120	25,345
Hispanic or Latino	%	6.1%	18.2%	12.9%
	(n)	3,001	11,468	14,469
Total	%	6.6%	19.4%	14.6%
	(n)	8,176	39,302	47,478

Data Source: 2017 American Community Survey, public use files. Tabulations by Great Cities Institute

<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity and Sex in Chicago, 2017</b>					
<b>Sex</b>	<i>Race/Ethnicity</i>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
Male	White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	5.8%	7.4%	7.0%
		(n)	686	2,184	2,870
	Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	8.7%	45.2%	30.0%
		(n)	1,760	12,805	14,565
	Hispanic or Latino	%	5.6%	18.3%	12.8%
		(n)	1,324	5,680	7,004
Total	%	7.1%	22.2%	16.4%	
	(n)	4,355	21,920	26,275	
Female	White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	3.3%	4.1%	3.9%
		(n)	380	1,235	1,615
	Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	7.5%	30.2%	21.4%
		(n)	1,465	9,315	10,780
	Hispanic or Latino	%	6.6%	18.2%	13.0%
		(n)	1,677	5,788	7,465
Total	%	6.1%	16.8%	12.8%	
	(n)	3,821	17,382	21,203	

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### Out of School and Out of Work in Cook County

<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity in Cook County, 2017</b>					
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>			<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%		4.1%	8.5%	6.7%
	(n)		3,196	9,697	12,893
Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%		10.3%	37.5%	25.8%
	(n)		6,925	33,272	40,197
Hispanic or Latino	%		6.4%	17.2%	12.4%
	(n)		5,490	18,582	24,072
Total	%		6.6%	18.9%	13.7%
	(n)		16,669	65,588	82,257

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<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity and Sex in Cook County, 2017</b>						
<b>Sex</b>	<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>			<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
Male	White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%		6.1%	8.9%	7.8%
		(n)		2,448	5,189	7,637
	Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%		10.8%	44.1%	29.2%
		(n)		3,761	18,925	22,686
	Hispanic or Latino	%		6.3%	15.8%	11.7%
		(n)		2,611	8,510	11,121
Total	%		7.4%	19.8%	14.5%	
	(n)		9,500	34,266	43,766	
Female	White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%		2.0%	8.0%	5.6%
		(n)		748	4,508	5,256
	Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%		9.8%	31.3%	22.4%
		(n)		3,164	14,347	17,511
	Hispanic or Latino	%		6.4%	18.7%	13.1%
		(n)		2,879	10,072	12,951
Total	%		5.7%	18.0%	12.9%	
	(n)		7,169	31,322	38,491	

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### Out of School and Out of Work in Illinois

<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity in Illinois, 2017</b>				
<i>Race/Ethnicity</i>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	4.6%	11.0%	8.2%
	(n)	16,311	51,020	67,331
Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	10.6%	33.8%	23.8%
	(n)	11,426	47,970	59,396
Hispanic or Latino	%	7.4%	14.3%	11.1%
	(n)	11,698	25,957	37,655
Total	%	6.2%	15.3%	11.3%
	(n)	42,220	132,369	174,589

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<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity and Sex in Illinois, 2017</b>					
<b>Sex</b>	<i>Race/Ethnicity</i>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
Male	White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	5.8%	12.2%	9.4%
		(n)	10,696	28,998	39,694
	Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	11.5%	39.4%	27.0%
		(n)	6,507	27,869	34,376
	Hispanic or Latino	%	7.9%	13.6%	10.9%
		(n)	6,333	12,281	18,614
Total	%	7.2%	16.7%	12.5%	
	(n)	25,223	72,874	98,097	
Female	White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	3.3%	9.7%	6.9%
		(n)	5,615	22,022	27,637
	Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	9.7%	28.1%	20.5%
		(n)	4,919	20,101	25,020
	Hispanic or Latino	%	6.8%	15.0%	11.2%
		(n)	5,365	13,676	19,041
Total	%	5.2%	13.9%	10.1%	
	(n)	16,997	59,495	76,492	

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### Out of School and Out of Work in the U.S.

<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity in the U.S., 2017</b>				
<i>Race/Ethnicity</i>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	5.3%	12.5%	9.4%
	(n)	485,649	1,476,082	1,961,731
Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	10.4%	23.7%	17.9%
	(n)	252,269	747,417	999,686
Hispanic or Latino	%	8.3%	17.1%	13.2%
	(n)	330,442	826,862	1,157,304
Total	%	6.8%	15.1%	11.5%
	(n)	1,170,657	3,331,158	4,501,815

Data Source: 2017 American Community Survey, public use files. Tabulations by Great Cities Institute

<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity and Sex in the U.S., 2017</b>					
<b>Sex</b>	<i>Race/Ethnicity</i>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
Male	White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	5.9%	12.3%	9.6%
		(n)	277,435	753,720	1,031,155
	Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	12.2%	27.6%	20.8%
		(n)	153,047	438,595	591,642
	Hispanic or Latino	%	8.6%	15.6%	12.4%
		(n)	174,673	387,940	562,613
Total	%	7.5%	15.2%	11.8%	
	(n)	660,632	1,721,820	2,382,452	
Female	White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	4.7%	12.6%	9.1%
		(n)	208,214	722,362	930,576
	Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	8.4%	19.7%	14.8%
		(n)	99,222	308,822	408,044
	Hispanic or Latino	%	8.1%	18.8%	13.9%
		(n)	155,769	438,922	594,691
Total	%	6.1%	15.0%	11.1%	
	(n)	510,025	1,609,338	2,119,363	

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### Out of School and Out of Work by Selected Areas

<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity in Alexander, Edwards, Gallatin, Hamilton, Hardin, Johnson, Massac, Pope, Pulaski, Saline, Union, Wabash, White, Jackson, Williamson, Franklin, and Perry Counties, 2013-2017</b>				
<i>Race/Ethnicity</i>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	7.7%	22.5%	16.6%
	(n)	1,002	4,401	5,403
Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	11.2%	46.6%	34.9%
	(n)	191	1,620	1,811
Hispanic or Latino	%	12.5%	24.1%	18.0%
	(n)	132	233	365
Total	%	8.4%	26.0%	19.0%
	(n)	1,382	6,440	7,822

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<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity in Adams, Pike, Brown, Schuyler, Mason, Cass, Morgan, Scott, Greene, Macoupin, Jersey, Calhoun, Henry, Mercer, Henderson, Warren, Hancock, McDonough and Fulton Counties, 2013-2017</b>				
<i>Race/Ethnicity</i>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	8.4%	14.6%	11.8%
	(n)	1,725	3,601	5,326
Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	9.2%	36.7%	27.0%
	(n)	107	780	887
Hispanic or Latino	%	8.6%	26.0%	17.7%
	(n)	95	316	411
Total	%	8.5%	16.6%	12.9%
	(n)	1,989	4,720	6,709

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**Out of School and Out of Work by Selected Areas (continued)**

<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity in Kankakee, Livingston, Ford, Iroquois, and Vermilion Counties, 2013-2017</b>				
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	8.1%	20.0%	14.6%
	(n)	836	2,552	3,388
Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	12.7%	42.5%	29.3%
	(n)	247	1,030	1,277
Hispanic or Latino	%	10.5%	24.8%	18.3%
	(n)	143	400	543
Total	%	8.9%	24.2%	17.2%
	(n)	1,263	4,165	5,428

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<b>Percent and Number of Out of School and Out of Work 16 to 19 and 20 to 24 Year Olds by Race/Ethnicity in Monroe, Randolph, Washington, Jefferson, Marion, Montgomery, Bond, Clinton, Fayette, Effingham Clark, Jasper, Crawford, Lawrence, Richland, Clay, and Wayne Counties, 2013-2017</b>				
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>		<b>16-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>16-24</b>
White (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	6.4%	16.7%	12.1%
	(n)	1,055	3,463	4,518
Black (non-Hispanic or Latino)	%	16.9%	63.7%	53.1%
	(n)	92	1,187	1,279
Hispanic or Latino	%	18.9%	36.4%	29.6%
	(n)	100	304	404
Total	%	7.2%	21.3%	15.2%
	(n)	1,305	5,114	6,419

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