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Families



21,511 Children under the age of 18 (13.4% of the total population)

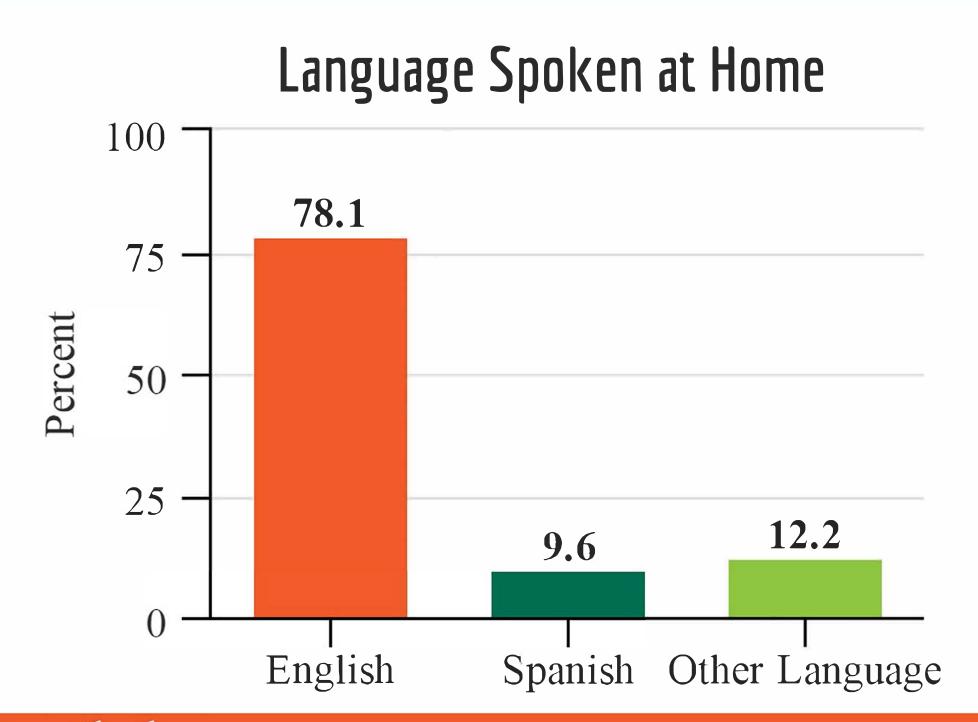
From a total of 12,040 families:



4,679 (38.9%) are headed by single parents



Of the 1,530 grandparents living with their grandchildren 33.6% are responsible for those children



Economy and Health

2,635 Families and 2,989 Children under 18 live in poverty

of Children under 18 live with parents who lack secure employment

4.0%

4.1% of Teens 16-19 are not in school and not working

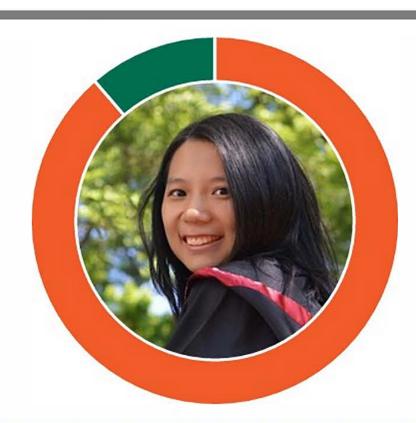
2,015 Children have no health insurance



Education



1,481 3 and 4 year olds are►enrolled in school (58.0%)



88.7% High School students graduated on time

We need policies that ensure that all of Florida's children have:



Quality early childhood educational experiences

Programs that focus on preventing juvenile justice involvement, child abuse and neglect, and substance use and abuse

Economic and educational opportunities that help parents support their families





