

Low-Income Families and Children in Renfrew County and Area (based on 1996 Census data, using Statistics Canada “low-income cut-offs”)

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Municipality	Total Families	Low-Income Families # (%)	Total Children < 15 years	Low-income Children < 15 years # (%)	Total Children < 6 years	Low-income children < 6 years # (%)
<i>Petawawa</i>	4295	365 (8.4)	3895	425 (10.9)	1855	185 (10.0)
<i>Pembroke</i>	3855	710 (18.5)	2570	825 (32)	1035	430 (42)
<i>Laurentian Valley</i>	2625	170 (6.5)	1915	185 (9.7)	705	85 (12.1)
<i>Renfrew</i>	2225	380 (17.1)	1445	420 (29)	540	215 (39.8)
<i>Arnprior</i>	1990	270 (13.6)	1425	360 (25.3)	555	160 (28.8)
<i>Whitewater</i>	1805	160 (8.9)	1495	205 (13.7)	575	90 (15.7)
<i>McNab/Braeside</i>	1940	125 (6.4)	1415	170 (12)	510	70 (13.7)
<i>North*</i>	2205	160 (7.3)	1535	165 (10.7)	550	100 (18.2)
<i>West*</i>	2325	290 (12.5)	1720	290 (16.9)	515	90 (17.5)
<i>South-Central*</i>	3195	340 (10.6)	2495	390 (15.6)	915	145 (15.8)

* For the purpose of this tabulation, smaller municipalities in Renfrew County and area have been grouped into 3 groups as follows:

- 1) “North” comprised the Towns of Deep River and Laurentian Hills and Head, Clara and Maria Township
- 2) “West” comprised of Madawaska Valley Twp, Killaloe, Hagarty & Richards Twp, Brudenell, Lyndoch & Raglan Twp, and South Algona Twp
- 3) “South Central” comprised of North Algona/Wilberforce, Bonnechere Valley, Admaston Bromeley and Greater Madawaska Townships, and the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan