

San Antonio, Texas

Immigrant population

The foreign-born population in San Antonio and Texas represent an important and diverse share of their local communities, many of whom live in mixed-status families.

San Antonio Metro Area



295,300 immigrants reside in **San Antonio**, or **12 percent** of the total population.

Texas



4.7 million immigrants reside in **Texas**, or **17 percent** of the total population.

Population at risk of deportation

175K

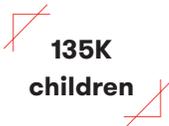
175,000 non-citizens residing in **San Antonio** are potentially at risk of deportation.

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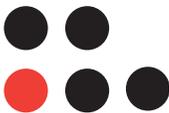
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Children and families

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There are **135,400 children** in **San Antonio** with at least one immigrant parent.



1 in 5

One in five children in San Antonio has at least one **immigrant parent**.

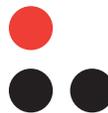


The **vast majority of children** with at least one immigrant parent in San Antonio are **U.S. citizens**.

Texas



There are **2.4 million children** in **Texas** with at least one immigrant parent.



1 in 3

One in three children in Texas has at least one **immigrant parent**.



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Local community ties



167,200 immigrants in San Antonio have lived in the United States for **more than 15 years**.



68,500 immigrants in San Antonio are **homeowners**.



20,900 immigrants in San Antonio are **entrepreneurs**.



36,000 immigrants in San Antonio are **students** enrolled in pre-K through college or graduate school.

Economic and labor force contributions

Immigrants in San Antonio and Texas contribute critical tax dollars to the local economy and are indispensable members of the workforce.

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\$6.5B immigrant-led households **earned \$6.5 billion.**

\$497M immigrants contributed **\$497 million** in combined **state and local taxes.**

\$1.1B immigrants contributed **\$1.1 billion** in **federal taxes.**

\$4.9B This means immigrant-led households have an estimated **\$4.9 billion** in **spending power.**

Texas

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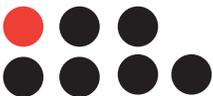
\$9.6B immigrants contributed **\$9.6 billion** in combined **state and local taxes.**

\$22.5B immigrants contributed **\$22.5 billion** in **federal taxes.**

\$101.2B This means immigrant-led households have an estimated **\$101.2 billion** in **spending power.**

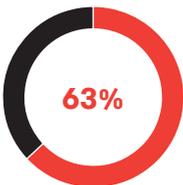
Labor force participation

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168,000 immigrant workers comprise 15 percent of the city's labor force, or **one in seven.**

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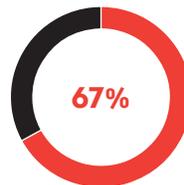
63 percent of the city's immigrants **participate in the labor force**, comparable to the share among the city's native-born population (64 percent).

Texas



2.9 million immigrant workers comprise 22 percent of the state's labor force, or **one in five.**

1 in 5



67 percent of the state's immigrants **participate in the labor force**, greater than the share among the state's native-born population (64 percent).

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