

# 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**

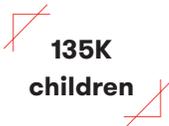
**175,000 non-citizens** residing in **San Antonio** are potentially at risk of deportation.

**3M**

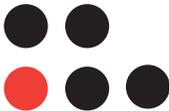
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## Children and families

### San Antonio Metro Area



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



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

1 in 5

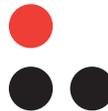


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### Texas



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



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

1 in 3



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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.

## San Antonio Metro Area

**\$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

**\$133.3B** immigrant-led households **earned \$133.3 billion.**

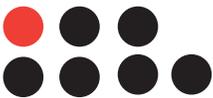
**\$9.6B** immigrants contributed **\$9.6 billion** in combined **state and local taxes.**

**\$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.**

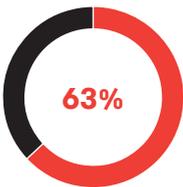
## Labor force participation

### San Antonio Metro Area



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

1 in 7



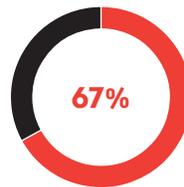
**63 percent** of the city's immigrants **participate in the labor force**, comparable to the share among the city's native-born population (64 percent).

### 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).

## Sources

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