

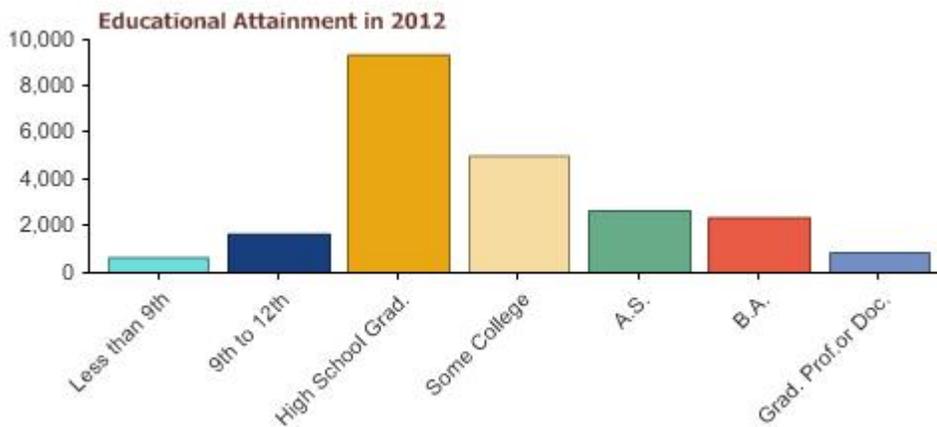
Gibson County, IN Highlights

Education

The level of education of our workforce is a critical factor for economic and community development. It often provides insight into the skill levels of a local area. The metrics provided here focus on the attainment of degrees and high school graduates' higher education intent. The type of work (occupations) residents perform can also assist in understanding skill levels.

Educational Attainment

	1970	1980	1990	2000	2012
Total Population 25 and Older	17,480	19,858	20,949	21,694	22,569
Less than 9th Grade	5,315	4,071	2,072	1,297	658
9th to 12th, No Diploma	3,431	3,463	3,625	2,855	1,660
High School Graduate (incl. equiv.)	6,467	8,364	8,789	8,892	9,339
Some College, No Degree			3,215	4,107	5,015
Associate Degree			1,334	1,848	2,667
Bachelors Degree			1,179	1,692	2,367
Graduate or Professional Degree*			735	1,003	863



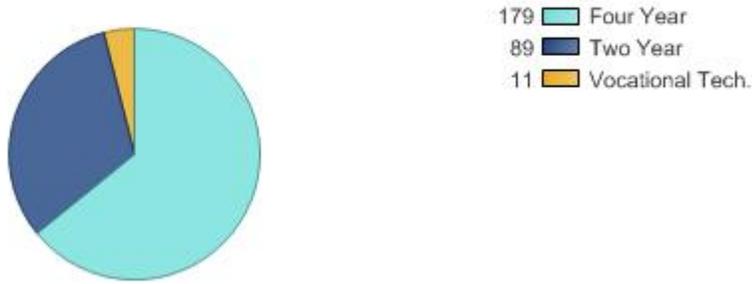
Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

*2011 data includes Doctorate Degrees

High School Graduates Going on to Higher Education

	2005	2006	2007	2008
Total Graduates	350	345	308	334
Total to Higher Education	308	294	258	279
Four-Year Institution	185	189	155	179
Two-Year Institution	97	83	87	89
Vocational/Tech.	26	22	16	11
Military	11	5	8	4

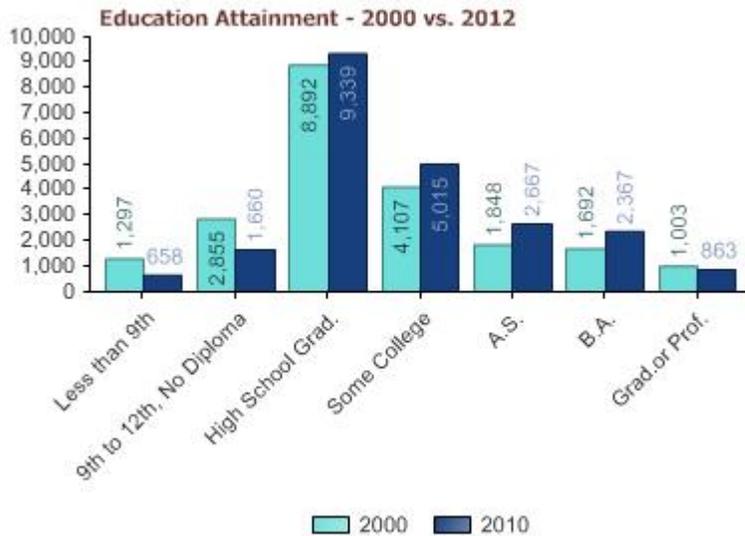
2008 Higher Education Intent



Source: Indiana Department of Education

Educational Attainment in 2000 and 2012

	2000	Pct. of Pop. 25+	2012	Pct. of Pop. 25+
Total Population 25+	21,694	100.0%	22,569	100.0%
Less than 9th Grade	1,297	6.0%	658	2.9%
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	2,855	13.2%	1,660	7.4%
High School Graduate (incl. equivalency)	8,892	41.0%	9,339	41.4%
Some College, No Degree	4,107	18.9%	5,015	22.2%
Associate's Degree	1,848	8.5%	2,667	11.8%
Bachelor's Degree	1,692	7.8%	2,367	10.5%
Graduate or Professional Degree**	1,003	4.6%	863	3.8%



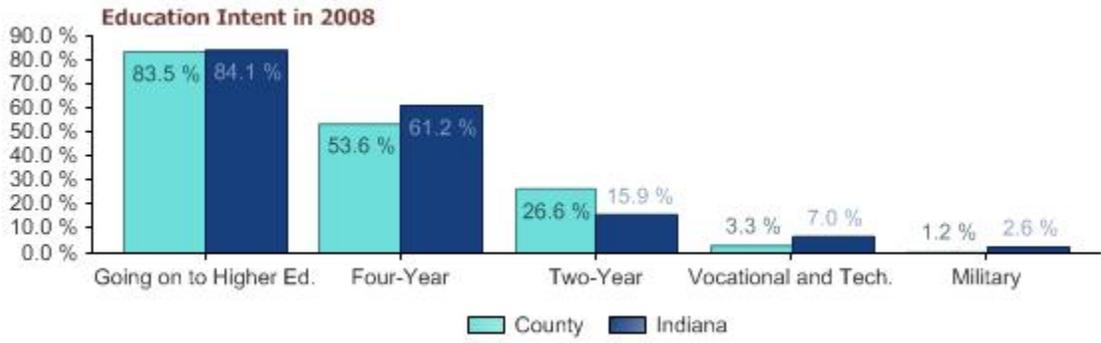
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**2011 Graduate or Professional Degree data include Doctorate Degrees

High School Graduates Higher Education Intent

	2008 Pct. Dist.	Indiana Pct. Dist.
Graduates	100.0%	100.0%
Total Going on to Higher Education	83.5%	84.1%
Four-Year Institution	53.6%	61.2%
Two-Year Institution	26.6%	15.9%

Vocational and Tech.	3.3%	7.0%
Military	1.2%	2.6%



Source: Indiana Department of Education