

Dallas, Texas

Immigrant population

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

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1.3 million immigrants reside in **Dallas**, or **18 percent** of the total population.

Texas



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

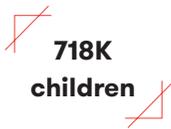
Population at risk of deportation

828K **828,000 non-citizens** residing in **Dallas** are potentially at risk of deportation.

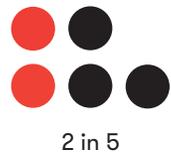
3M **3 million non-citizens** residing in **Texas** are potentially at risk of deportation.

Children and families

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There are **718,200 children** in **Dallas** with at least one immigrant parent.



Two in five children in Dallas have at least one **immigrant parent**.



The **vast majority of children** with at least one immigrant parent in Dallas are **U.S. citizens**. **88 percent** were born in the United States.

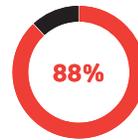
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There are **2.5 million children** in **Texas** with at least one immigrant parent.



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



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Local community ties



1.1 million immigrants in Dallas have lived in the United States for **10 or more years**.



301,800 immigrants in Dallas are **homeowners**.



102,900 immigrants in Dallas are **entrepreneurs**.



172,200 immigrants in Dallas are **students** enrolled in pre-K through college or graduate school.

Economic and labor force contributions

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

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\$43.8B immigrant-led households **earned \$43.8 billion.**

\$3.1B immigrants contributed **\$3.1 billion** in combined **state and local taxes.**

\$7.5B immigrants contributed **\$7.5 billion** in **federal taxes.**

\$33.2B This means immigrant-led households have an estimated **\$33.2 billion** in **spending power.**

Texas

\$144.6B immigrant-led households **earned \$144.6 billion.**

\$10.4B immigrants contributed **\$10.4 billion** in combined **state and local taxes.**

\$24.4B immigrants contributed **\$24.4 billion** in **federal taxes.**

\$109.9B This means immigrant-led households have an estimated **\$109.9 billion** in **spending power.**

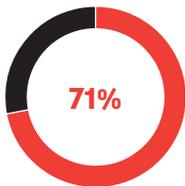
Labor force participation

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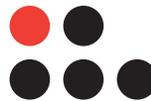
1 in 4

866,100 immigrant workers comprise 23 percent of the city's labor force, or **one in four.**



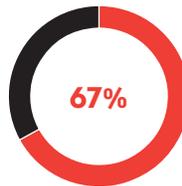
71 percent of the city's immigrants **participate in the labor force**, greater than the share among the city's native-born population (68 percent).

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1 in 5

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



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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