

# Population Profile - 2005

## SPA 2 - District 18

(General Area: Santa Clarita Valley)



### DEMOGRAPHICS

#### Race/Ethnicity

African American	6,155	2.7%
American Indian/Alaska Native	890	0.4%
Asian	18,465	8.1%
Hispanic or Latino	58,070	25.5%
Pacific Islander	90	0.0%
White	139,470	61.2%
Other	665	0.3%
Multi-racial	4,075	1.8%
Total population (in households)	227,880	100.0%

#### Age Structure

0 to 4 years	19,750	8.7%
5 to 9 years	18,950	8.3%
10 to 14 years	20,325	8.9%
15 to 19 years	17,950	7.9%
20 to 24 years	11,280	4.9%
25 to 34 years	28,125	12.3%
35 to 64 years	95,715	42.0%
65 years and over	15,780	6.9%
Child and youth population (<18 years)	71,310	31.3%

#### Immigration and Citizenship

U.S. Native	182,160	79.9%
Foreign born	45,715	20.1%
Naturalized U.S. citizen	20,905	9.2%
Not a U.S. citizen	24,810	10.9%
Immigrated since 2000	7,730	16.9%

#### English Language Ability (ages 5+)

Speak English Only	148,740	71.5%
Speak a language other than English	59,380	28.5%
Spanish	39,460	19.0%
Speak English less than "very well"	20,595	9.9%
Other Indo-European languages	7,050	3.4%
Speak English less than "very well"	1,540	0.7%
Asian or Pacific Islander languages	10,935	5.3%
Speak English less than "very well"	4,405	2.1%
Some other non-English languages	1,935	0.9%
Speak English less than "very well"	255	0.1%

### GOOD HEALTH

#### Persons with Disabilities

Ages 5 to 15 with a disability	2,310	5.2%
Ages 16 to 64 with a disability	11,870	8.0%
Ages 65 and older with a disability	6,495	41.1%
Total persons with a disability	20,675	9.9%

### SAFETY AND SURVIVAL

#### Housing

Occupied housing units	71,490	95.7%
Owner occupied	54,085	75.7%
Renter occupied	17,405	24.3%
With incomplete plumbing	65	0.1%
With incomplete kitchen facilities	265	0.4%
With no telephone service	925	1.3%
Unoccupied housing units	3,180	4.3%

#### Vehicle Availability by Household

No vehicle available	2,530	3.5%
One vehicle available	15,245	21.3%
Two or more vehicles available	53,715	75.1%

### ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

#### Poverty\*

Children and youth living in poverty	4,493	6.3%
All persons living in poverty	12,989	5.7%

#### Household Income

Less than \$25,000	8,275	11.6%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11,565	16.2%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	14,095	19.7%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	11,480	16.1%
\$100,000 or more	26,080	36.5%
Median household income	\$78,547	
Spend 35% or more of income on housing	23,195	32.4%
Households with cash public assistance	870	1.2%
Households with food stamp benefits	1,070	1.5%

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\* The number of children and persons in poverty is estimated by applying the percent in poverty to the respective population total for each of these groups.

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\$25,000 to \$49,999	7,165	12.9%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	10,325	18.6%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	8,905	16.1%
\$100,000 or more	23,240	42.0%
Median family income	\$86,199	

#### Employment Status (ages 16+)

In the labor force	114,295	69.8%
Employed	108,585	95.1%
Unemployed	5,565	4.9%
Not in the labor force	49,435	30.2%

#### Occupation of Employed Persons

Management/Professional	42,600	39.2%
Service occupations	18,710	17.2%
Sales/Office occupations	30,775	28.3%
Farming/Fishing/Forestry	95	0.1%
Construction/Extraction/Maintenance	8,960	8.3%
Production/Transportation/Moving	7,440	6.9%

#### Class of Worker

Private wage and salary workers	83,220	76.6%
Government workers	15,935	14.7%
Self employed (not incorporated)	8,525	7.9%
Unpaid family workers	915	0.8%

#### Commute to Work

Drove alone (car, truck, or van)	80,455	77.6%
Carpooled	12,145	11.7%
Public transportation (excluding taxis)	5,180	5.0%
Walked	950	0.9%
Other means	1,280	1.2%
Worked at home	3,685	3.6%

### SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING

#### Household Composition

Family households	55,370	77.5%
With own children under 18 years	32,315	45.2%
Married couple with own kids	25,695	79.5%
Female with own kids, no husband	4,090	12.7%
Male with own kids, no wife	2,530	7.8%
Non-family households	16,120	22.5%
Households with people under 18	34,930	48.9%

#### Children and Working Parents

Kids with all parents in family in labor force	37,920	55.0%
Under age 6, all parents in labor force	10,825	46.8%
Ages 6-17, all parents in labor force	27,095	59.2%

#### Residence One Year Ago

Lived in same house	187,855	83.8%
Lived in a different house (in U.S.)	34,425	15.4%
Lived abroad	1,955	0.9%

### EDUCATION/WORKFORCE READINESS

#### School Enrollment (ages 3+)

Nursery school, preschool	4,745	6.5%
Kindergarten	3,620	4.9%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	31,345	42.8%
High school (grades 9-12)	18,280	25.0%
College or graduate school	15,250	20.8%

#### Adult Educational Attainment (ages 25+)

Less than 9th grade	7,395	5.3%
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	11,015	7.9%
High school graduate (or equivalency)	32,140	23.0%
Some college, no degree	29,905	21.4%
Associate's degree	13,035	9.3%
Bachelor's degree	33,575	24.0%
Graduate or professional degree	12,550	9.0%

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