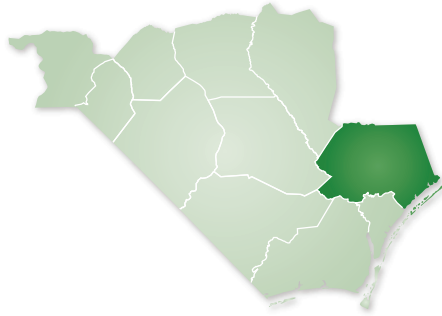


Pender County



DEMOGRAPHICS

Population & Growth	Population	Annual Growth Rate
2015 Total Population	61,521	2.4%
2010 Census Total Population	52,217	0.0%
2000 Total Population	41,082	

Estimated Population By Age	Pop. by Age, % Est.	
2015 Median Age	45	
2010 Median Age	43	
2000 Median Age	39	
2010 Total Pop 0-19	12,769	23.4%
2010 Total Pop 20-29	5,674	10.4%
2010 Total Pop 30-39	6,407	11.7%
2010 Total Pop 40-49	7,983	14.6%
2010 Total Pop 50-59	8,673	15.9%
2010 Total Pop 60+	13,040	23.9%

INCOME

		Growth Est. or Total %
2015 Median Family Income	\$59,620	12.0%
2010 Median Family Income	\$53,225	27.2%
2000 Median Family Income	\$41,837	
2015 Per Capita Income	\$24,438	11.1%
2010 Per Capita Income	\$21,997	23.0%
2000 Per Capita Income	\$17,882	
2000 Total Pop with Income Below Poverty Level	5,429	
2000 Percent of Pop with Income Below Poverty Level		13.6%

EDUCATION

		Pop. by Age 25+, %
2010-11 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment	8,156	
2010 Average SAT score (2400 scale)	1,464	
2010 Percent of Graduates taking SAT	50.8%	
2009-10 Higher Education Completions		
2009-10 Higher Education Total Enrollment		
2010 Proj Education Attainment - At Least High School Graduate	32,547	83.4%
2010 Proj Education Attainment - At Least Bachelor's Degree	6,407	16.4%

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT

	Year to Date	2010 Annual
2011Q2 Employment	21,7023	21,576
2011Q2 Unemployment	2,904	2,612
2011Q2 Unemployment Rate	11.8%	10.8%
2011Q3 Announced Job Creation		40
2011Q3 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)		\$0.7
Sept2011 Lost Jobs, Closings & Layoffs	662	259

Sources:

ESRI for demographics, working population, educational attainment, housing, income, crime, weather, and retail data. <http://www.esri.com>
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Notes:

Data are the latest available at the date the profile was prepared. SAT scores use the new scoring system including a writing test for a perfect score of 2400 and represent county systems. ESRI 2010/2015 data are projections. Some data may be available only for North Carolina. For further details or questions, please check the Data Sources Guide at http://edis.commerce.state.nc.us/docs/bibliography/Data_Sources_Guide.pdf.