

DORCHESTER

POPULATION

(2019 est)¹

Total	31,929
Children (under 18)	6,705 (21.0%)
Senior (over 65)	7,056 (22.1%)

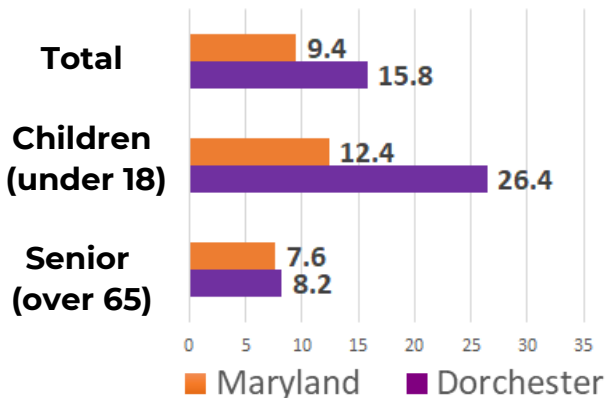
MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME

(2014-2018)²

\$52,145

POVERTY RATES(%)

(2014-2018)²



HUNGER FREE SCHOOLS

(SY 2019-20)³

	Average # of Participants /Day	Total # of Meals Served/ Year	% of Free Meals Served	% of Reduced Price Meals Served
School Lunch (NSLP)	3,350	415,872	100%	N/A
School Breakfast (SBP)	2,713	331,656	100%	N/A
Summer Meals (SFSP)	863	122,441		

Community Eligibility Provision (CEP): **67.21***%

CEP allows schools to offer free meals to all students.

Districts or schools can participate if at least 40% of their students qualify to receive free school meals.

**100% of Dorchester schools are Hunger Free schools due CEP*

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP)

(SFY 2020)

23.2% of households are enrolled ²

7,795 participants/month ⁴

- 2,814 Children

WOMEN, INFANTS, & CHILDREN (WIC) (SFY 2019)⁵

75.4% of eligible people enrolled

1,501 participants/year

- 490 Women
- 238 Infants
- 773 Children