

Cincinnati 411



Cincinnati is a thriving creative city full of culture and diversity. We're a vibrant collection of people communities where everyone can make a difference, whether you're a longtime resident or a relative newcomer. We're a city of innovators and doers committed to the essential work needed to make Cincinnati an inclusive, welcoming place to call home.

FOOD, DRINK & ENTERTAINMENT

The Cincinnati Region offers foodies everything from one-of-a-kind tastes to five-diamond dining. Each pocket of the region features restaurants, bakeries, cafés and markets that faithfully celebrate its unique style from comfort food to a fusion of exotic flavors.

We opened its first brewery in 1812. Today there are over sixty, and every autumn more than 700,000 people help us celebrate that heritage with America's largest Oktoberfest. Kentucky's storied Bourbon Trail begins here as well, offering connoisseurs a vast selection that is the envy of the world.

Cincinnati sustains several first-rate performing arts organizations and hosts world-class touring shows and exhibits as well.

SPORTS & RECREATION

In the summer, you can root for the Cincinnati Reds...America's very first professional baseball team. In the autumn, cheer on the Bengals...or one of Major League Soccer's newest teams, FC Cincinnati. Basketball fans can follow NCAA tournament regulars Xavier, University of Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky University.

We also host NASCAR, horse racing and a legendary tennis tournament. With five rivers in the area, we're overflowing with water activities, but we also have 23,000 miles of long-distance trails and hundreds of miles of hiking and biking trails. As for family fun, we offer fantastic amusement parks like Coney Island and Kings Island, as well as the Newport Aquarium, and the nation's second oldest zoo.

INNOVATION, EDUCATION & ECONOMY

The region's intellectual capital is strong, anchored by giants like Kroger, P&G, Fifth Third Bank, GE Aviation and an Amazon hub. We are locally, regionally and nationally recognized for groundbreaking advances in healthcare including cancer treatments, cardiac care, and robotic surgery to name a few.

We also know that education is key to a community's strength and future. The Cincinnati area has four major universities, three of Ohio's top ten High Schools and two of Kentucky's top five. We also have a variety of outstanding public and private school choices that focus on everything from religion to trade to the arts.

NEIGHBORHOODS & LIFESTYLE

Over 2.2 million people reside in our diverse and inviting neighborhoods. In a number of our most sought-after communities, the median home prices and rents are well below national averages. And yet everything is readily accessible because the average daily commute clocks in at just under 25 minutes.

Cincinnati at a Glance

- Population is 308,000. Metro area has population of just over 2.2 million and ranks 30th largest in the US covering 16 counties and encompassing three states: OH, KY, IN.
- Home to six Fortune 500 companies and boasts one of the largest economies in the Midwest.
- US News & World Report (2023): #50 for "Best Places to Live in the US" and the "Best Place to Live in Ohio"
- Niche (2023):
 - #77 of 228 for "Best Places to Raise a Family in America"
 - #69 of 228 for "Lowest Cost of Living in America"
- WalletHub (2023):
 - 10th "Best Sports City in the US"
 - 4th best in America for parks and activities
 - #21 of 182 for "Best Foodie Cities in America"
- USA Today (2023): "#1 Zoo in the Nation—Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Gardens
- Within a one-day drive of nearly 50% of the US population.

