

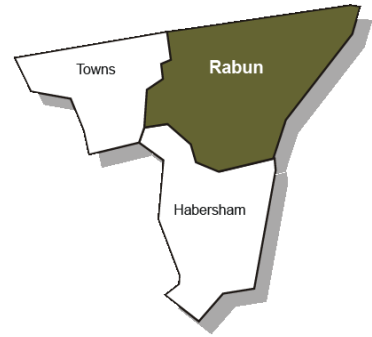


Georgia

Area Labor Profile

Rabun

County



Updated: Aug 2020

Labor Force Activity - 2019

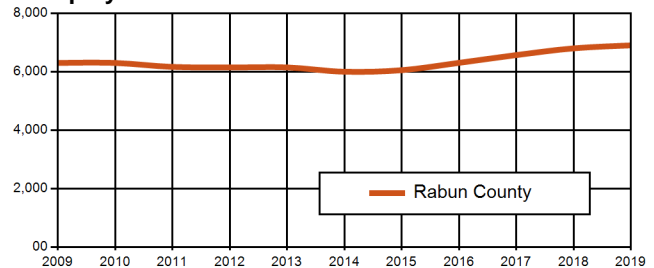
2019 ANNUAL AVERAGES

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Rabun	7,152	6,900	252	3.5%
Habersham	19,069	18,411	658	3.5%
Towns	3,893	3,705	188	4.8%
Rabun Area	30,114	29,016	1,098	3.6%
Georgia	5,110,318	4,935,310	175,008	3.4%
United States	163,539,000	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
Clay, NC	4,148	3,960	188	4.5%
Jackson, NC	19,957	19,130	827	4.0%
Macon, NC	15,637	15,027	610	3.8%
Oconee, SC	35,039	34,068	971	2.7%

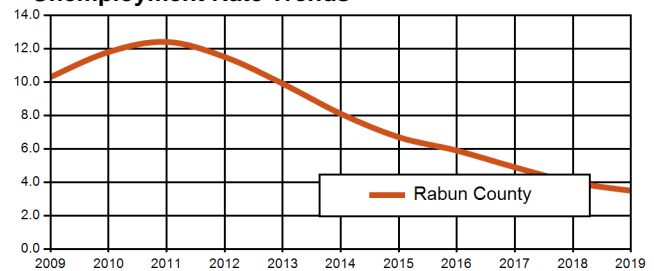
Note: This series reflects the latest information available. Labor Force includes residents of the county who are employed or actively seeking employment.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor; U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

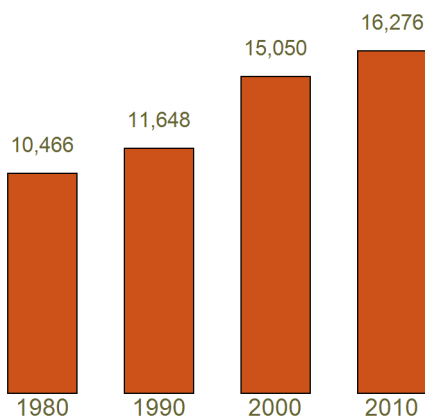
Employment Trends



Unemployment Rate Trends



Population Estimates



Population

	2010 Census	2019 Rank	2019 Estimate	% Change 2010-2019	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
Rabun	16,276	102	17,137	5.3	16,528	1.5
City of Clayton	2,047					
Rabun Area	222,997		245,075	9.9	263,972	18.4
Georgia	9,687,653		10,617,423	9.6	11,538,707	19.1
United States	308,745,538		328,239,523	6.3	349,439,199	13.2
Clay, NC	10,326		11,231	8.8	12,947	25.4
Jackson, NC	37,566		43,938	17.0	50,129	33.4
Macon, NC	33,334		35,858	7.6	35,595	6.8
Oconee, SC	71,983		79,546	10.5	87,500	21.6

Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau, *Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

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Industry Mix - 1st Quarter of 2020

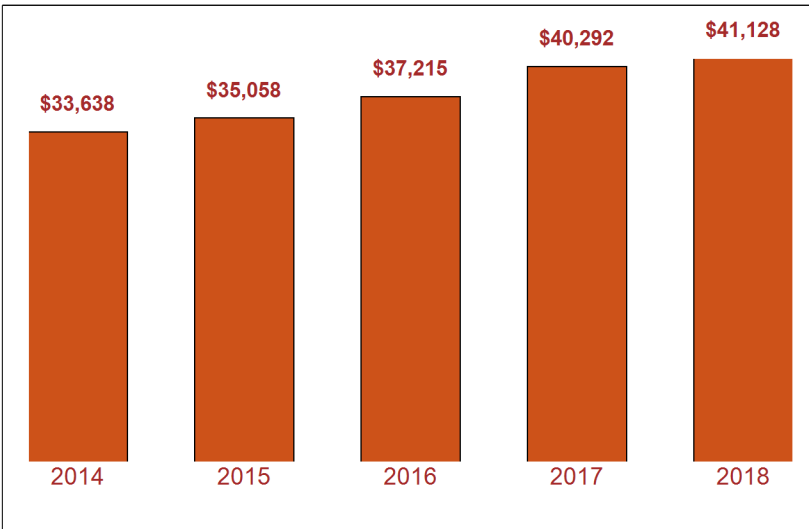
INDUSTRY	Rabun				Rabun Area			
	NUMBER OF FIRMS	EMPLOYMENT NUMBER	PERCENT	WEEKLY WAGE	NUMBER OF FIRMS	EMPLOYMENT NUMBER	PERCENT	WEEKLY WAGE
Goods-Producing	114	797	15.1	664	313	5,362	23.6	886
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	8	52	1.0	675	20	253	1.1	781
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	1	*	*	*	4	37	0.2	992
Construction	83	326	6.2	692	201	925	4.1	773
Manufacturing	22	404	7.6	618	88	4,147	18.3	916
Food	2	*	*	*	8	*	*	*
Beverage and Tobacco Product	2	*	*	*	4	29	0.1	432
Textile Mills	1	*	*	*	4	837	3.7	525
Textile Product Mills	2	*	*	*	3	28	0.1	531
Wood Product	1	*	*	*	7	54	0.2	723
Chemical	1	*	*	*	5	*	*	*
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	2	*	*	*	8	45	0.2	686
Fabricated Metal Product	2	*	*	*	12	228	1.0	815
Computer and Electronic Product	3	9	0.2	629	3	9	0.0	629
Furniture and Related Product	4	23	0.4	574	9	51	0.2	594
Miscellaneous	2	*	*	*	13	940	4.1	1,709
Apparel	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Plastics and Rubber Products	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Transportation Equipment	0	0	0.0	0	2	*	*	*
Machinery	0	0	0.0	0	2	*	*	*
Printing and Related Support Activities	0	0	0.0	0	5	35	0.2	497
Service-Providing	350	3,606	68.1	566	1,305	13,082	57.6	636
Utilities	5	33	0.6	2,368	11	400	1.8	1,677
Wholesale Trade	8	117	2.2	685	56	552	2.4	1,005
Retail Trade	76	1,022	19.3	526	284	3,277	14.4	496
Transportation and Warehousing	2	*	*	*	24	*	*	*
Information	4	21	0.4	782	21	427	1.9	820
Finance and Insurance	18	114	2.2	970	87	480	2.1	1,290
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	19	40	0.8	605	62	221	1.0	620
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	35	126	2.4	698	122	520	2.3	916
Management of Companies and Enterprises	1	*	*	*	4	*	*	*
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	22	105	2.0	542	81	489	2.2	548
Educational Services	3	*	*	*	12	1,042	4.6	798
Health Care and Social Assistance	51	584	11.0	733	172	1,891	8.3	722
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	14	130	2.5	568	23	198	0.9	496
Accommodation and Food Services	65	885	16.7	342	186	2,991	13.2	314
Other Services (except Public Administration)	27	209	3.9	456	90	394	1.7	519
Unclassified - industry not assigned	19	16	0.3	495	70	57	0.3	782
Total - Private Sector	483	4,419	83.5	584	1,618	18,444	81.2	709
Total - Government	31	874	16.5	732	106	4,272	18.8	727
Federal Government	12	53	1.0	1,087	26	179	0.8	994
State Government	6	58	1.1	544	35	744	3.3	695
Local Government	13	763	14.4	722	45	3,349	14.7	720
ALL INDUSTRIES	514	5,293	100.0	608	1,724	22,716	100.0	713
ALL INDUSTRIES - Georgia					301,507	4,526,764		1,159

Note: *Denotes confidential data relating to individual employers and cannot be released. These data use the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) categories. Average weekly wage is derived by dividing gross payroll dollars paid to all employees - both hourly and salaried - by the average number of employees who had earnings; average earnings are then divided by the number of weeks in a reporting period to obtain weekly figures. Figures in other columns may not sum accurately due to rounding. All figures are 1st Quarter of 2020.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor. These data represent jobs that are covered by unemployment insurance laws.

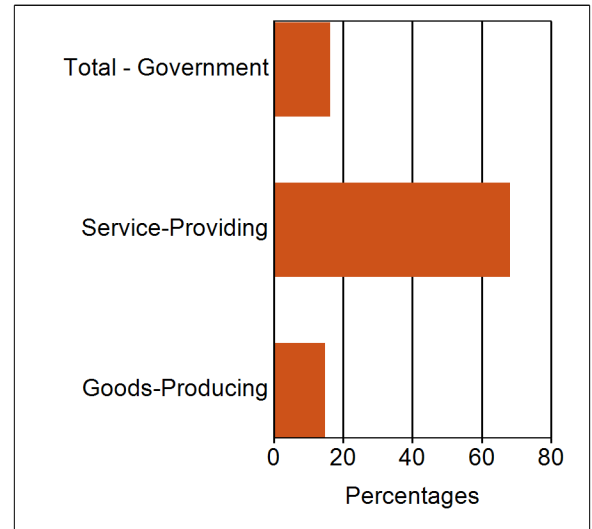
Rabun Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



Rabun Industry Mix 2020

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



Top Ten Largest Employers - 2020*

Rabun

Home Depot
Ingles Markets, Inc.
Mountain Lakes Medical Center
Mountain View Health & Rehab, LLC
Parkdale America, LLC
Rabun Gap-Nacoochee School
Reeves Hardware Co, Inc.
Second Nature Blue Ridge, LLC
Walmart
YMCA of Metropolitan Atlanta, Inc.

*Note: Represents employment covered by unemployment insurance excluding all government agencies except correctional institutions, state and local hospitals, state colleges and universities. Data shown for the First Quarter of 2020. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

Rabun Area

Chatuge Regional Hospital, Inc.
Ethicon, Inc.
Fieldale Farms Corporation
Georgia Department of Corrections
Ingles Markets Inc Georgia Regional
Mt. Vernon Mills, Inc.
Parkdale America, LLC
Piedmont College
Walmart
Windstream Standard, LLC

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Education of the Labor Force

Rabun Area

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE

	PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE				
		18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	8.4%	2.9%	12.1%	8.8%	5.8%	12.4%
Some High School	12.3%	11.0%	15.3%	11.1%	10.9%	14.1%
High School Grad/GED	33.6%	38.6%	29.6%	33.5%	35.4%	31.0%
Some College	21.9%	43.6%	21.9%	18.5%	18.0%	17.5%
College Grad 2 Yr	5.6%	2.0%	8.0%	7.5%	6.3%	3.8%
College Grad 4 Yr	11.3%	1.6%	8.8%	11.9%	14.8%	12.9%
Post Graduate Studies	6.9%	0.3%	4.3%	8.6%	8.7%	8.3%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Note: Totals are based on the portion of the labor force between ages 18 - 65+. Some College category represents workers with some college with no degree less than two years.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010 Decennial Census.

High School Graduates - 2019



	PUBLIC SCHOOLS	PRIVATE SCHOOLS*	TOTAL
Habersham	436	--	436
Rabun	137	--	137
Towns	84	--	84
Rabun Area	657	--	657

Note: Public schools include city as well as county schools systems.

* Private schools data is not available for 2019 from Georgia Independent School Association.

Source: The Governor's Office of Student Achievement of Georgia.

Colleges and Universities

Rabun Area

Habersham

North Georgia Technical College
Piedmont College

www.northgatech.edu
www.piedmont.edu

Towns

Young Harris College

www.yhc.edu

Note: The colleges and universities listed include public and private institutions. This list is updated periodically as information becomes available.

Source: Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS).

Technical College Graduates - 2019*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2017	2018	2019	2017-2018	2018-2019
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping°	35	30	50	-14.3	66.7
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General	51	39	26	-23.5	-33.3
Allied Health and Medical Assisting Services, Other°	5	7	6	40.0	-14.3
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician°	12	17	31	41.7	82.4
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	38	41	23	7.9	-43.9
Business Administration, Management and Operations, Other	17	15	7	-11.8	-53.3
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	5	7	108	40.0	1442.9
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	20	3	9	-85.0	200.0
Commercial Photography°	10	22	33	120.0	50.0
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	6	4	30	-33.3	650.0
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General°	51	68	90	33.3	32.4
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies	32	27	26	-15.6	-3.7
Culinary Arts/Chef Training	16	18	18	12.5	0.0
Customer Service Support/Call Center/Teleservice Operation°	8	5	1	-37.5	-80.0
Electrician°	25	39	51	56.0	30.8
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°	27	46	84	70.4	82.6
Engineering Technologies and Engineering-Related Fields, Other	12	6	15	-50.0	150.0
Environmental Control Technologies/Technicians, Other	8	6	9	-25.0	50.0

Technical College Graduates - 2019*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2017	2018	2019	2017-2018	2018-2019
Food Preparation/Professional Cooking/Kitchen Assistant°	13	12	26	-7.7	116.7
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology/°	46	46	75	0.0	63.0
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology°	15	15	1	0.0	-93.3
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	15	28	34	86.7	21.4
Lineworker°	57	59	62	3.5	5.1
Machine Shop Technology/Assistant°	19	15	30	-21.1	100.0
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians, Other	1	7	4	600.0	-42.9
Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder°	20	11	1	-45.0	-90.9
Medical Office Assistant/Specialist°	13	7	10	-46.2	42.9
Medical/Clinical Assistant	38	39	14	2.6	-64.1
Network and System Administration/Administrator°	25	13	25	-48.0	92.3
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide°	1	31	10	3000.0	-67.7
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant	12	8	7	-33.3	-12.5
Professional, Technical, Business, and Scientific Writing°	2	6	2	200.0	-66.7
Tool and Die Technology/Technician°	2	4	1	100.0	-75.0
Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Instructor°	19	21	22	10.5	4.8
Web Page, Digital/Multimedia and Information Resources Design	4	6	1	50.0	-83.3
Welding Technology/Welder°	133	142	172	6.8	21.1

Definition: All graduates except those listed as technical certificates(°) are diploma and degree graduates. Diploma and degree programs are one to two years in length. Technical certificates are less than a year in length. Duplication may occur due to graduates with multiple awards.

Source: Technical College System of Georgia

*Data shown represents Annual 2017, 2018, and 2019.

Note: Please visit TCSG website for any college configuration changes.

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