## ECONOMIC SECURITY

### CHILDREN IN POVERTY
- **Kentucky:**
  - Baseline Data: 24.4%
  - Latest Data: 21.2%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

- **Shelby County:**
  - Baseline Data: 15.7%
  - Latest Data: 12.2%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

### CHILDREN IN LOW-INCOME FAMILIES
- **Kentucky:**
  - Baseline Data: 48%
  - Latest Data: 43%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

- **Shelby County:**
  - Baseline Data: 40%
  - Latest Data: 36%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

### CHILDREN LIVING IN FOOD INSECURE HOUSEHOLDS
- **Kentucky:**
  - Baseline Data: 17.9%
  - Latest Data: 15.2%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

- **Shelby County:**
  - Baseline Data: 12.8%
  - Latest Data: 8.8%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

### HIGH RENTAL COST BURDEN
- **Kentucky:**
  - Baseline Data: 47%
  - Latest Data: 44%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

- **Shelby County:**
  - Baseline Data: 48%
  - Latest Data: 36%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

## EDUCATION

### KINDERGARTENERS READY TO LEARN
- **Kentucky:**
  - SY 2017-18: 51.4%
  - SY 2022-23: 46%
  - Change Since Baseline: Worse

- **Shelby County:**
  - SY 2017-18: 53.5%
  - SY 2022-23: 48%
  - Change Since Baseline: Worse

### FOURTH GRADE STUDENTS PROFICIENT IN READING
- **Kentucky:**
  - SY 2021-22: 46%
  - SY 2022-23: 48%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

- **Shelby County:**
  - SY 2021-22: 38%
  - SY 2022-23: 32%
  - Change Since Baseline: Worse

### EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS PROFICIENT IN MATH
- **Kentucky:**
  - SY 2021-22: 36%
  - SY 2022-23: 36%
  - Change Since Baseline: No Change

- **Shelby County:**
  - SY 2021-22: 37%
  - SY 2022-23: 25%
  - Change Since Baseline: Worse

### HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GRADUATING ON TIME
- **Kentucky:**
  - SY 2017-18: 90.3%
  - SY 2022-23: 91.4%
  - Change Since Baseline: Better

- **Shelby County:**
  - SY 2017-18: 92.8%
  - SY 2022-23: 89.3%
  - Change Since Baseline: Worse

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