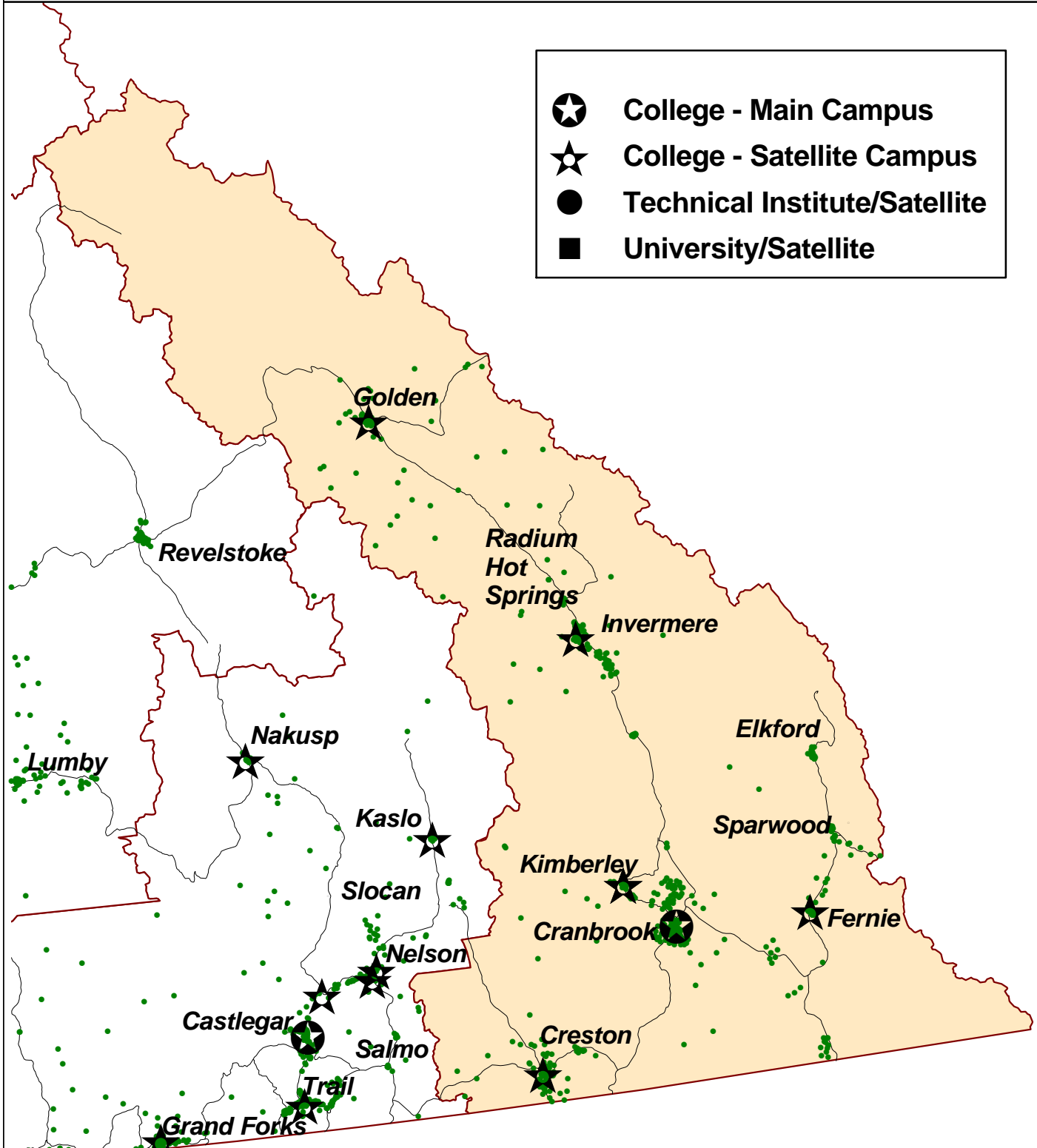


# College Region 5 - Rockies

## STATISTICAL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES 2001

*With Emphasis on Labour Market and Post-Secondary Education Issues*



**One Dot Equals Five Aboriginal Persons - 2001 Census of Canada**

# GEOGRAPHICAL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001 (Part 1)

## College Region 05 - Rockies

	2001 POPULATION <sup>1</sup>			2001 YOUTH POPULATION <sup>1</sup> (age 15-24)			College -	University
<i>Incorporated Places</i>	Total number	Aboriginal <sup>1</sup> number % of Total	Density Pop per km2	Total number	Aboriginal <sup>1</sup> number % of Total		Main or Satellite Campus	or Technical Institute
Cranbrook	18,275	1,115 6.1	1,026.7	2,525	205 8.1		⊕	
Golden	3,975	255 6.4	360.7	660	45 6.8		☆	
Kimberley	6,390	165 2.6	109.6	750	30 4.0		☆	
Creston	4,675	150 3.2	551.3	460	30 6.5		☆	
Fernie	4,550	140 3.1	283.5	690	25 3.6		☆	
Sparwood	3,810	130 3.4	21.4	490	20 4.1			
Invermere	2,830	120 4.2	335.7	470	20 4.3		☆	
Elkford	2,580	80 3.1	25.4	355	15 4.2			
Radium Hot Springs	580	45 7.8	105.8	45	10 22.2			
Indian Reserves	715	535 74.8	4.3	95	75 78.9			
Unorganized Areas	26,675	1,085 4.1	0.6	3,325	160 4.8			
<b>Total Region</b>	<b>75,055</b>	<b>3,820 5.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>9,865</b>	<b>635 6.4</b>			
Total BC	3,868,875	170,020 4.4	4.1	512,155	28,730 5.6			
<b>Region as % of BC</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.2</b>		<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.2</b>			

<i>Indian Reserves</i>	2001 POPULATION <sup>1</sup> ON RESERVE**				2001 YOUTH POPULATION <sup>1</sup> (age 15-24)			NEAREST SERVICE CENTRE Within 50 km	
Larger Indian Reserves (Band Name)	Total number	Aboriginal <sup>1</sup> number % of Total	Density Pop per km2	Total number	Aboriginal <sup>1</sup> number % of Total		Year-round Access <sup>2</sup>	Location <sup>2</sup>	
Kootenay 1 (St. Mary's)	165	165 100.0	2.4	25	25 100.0		Y	Cranbrook	
Columbia Lake 3 (?Akisq'nuk FN)	165	115 69.7	4.7	20	20 100.0		N	Kimberley	
Creston 1 (Lower Kootenay)	125	115 92.0	16.1	15	15 100.0		N	Cranbrook	
Shuswap (Shuswap)	180	75 41.7	16.5	25	10 40.0		N	Kimberley	
Tobacco Plains 2 (Tobacco Plains)	80	65 81.3	1.9	10	5 50.0		N	Fernie	
<b>Total Region Indian Reserves**</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>535 74.8</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>75 78.9</b>				
IR Population as a % of Region	1.0%	14.0%		1.0%	11.8%				
TOTAL	67,905	46,380 68.3	15.1	9,395	7,690 81.9				

<sup>1</sup> Non-institutional population <sup>2</sup> Indian and Northern Affairs Canada <http://sdiprod2.inac.gc.ca/FNProfiles/> where available; otherwise BC Stats determination.

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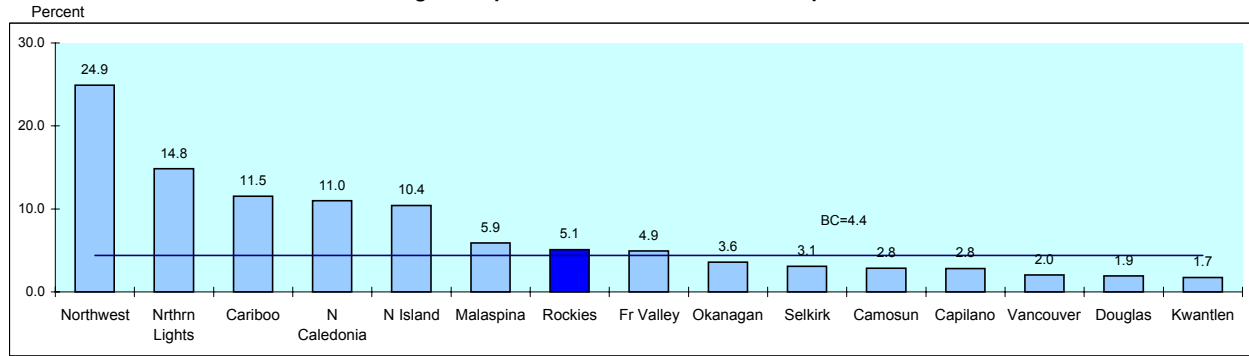
\*\*\* The non-response rate on some reserves was greater than 25% for the question on aboriginal identity; in these cases it was assumed that 100% of the population was aboriginal.

# GEOGRAPHIC PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001 (Part 2)

College Region 05 - Rockies

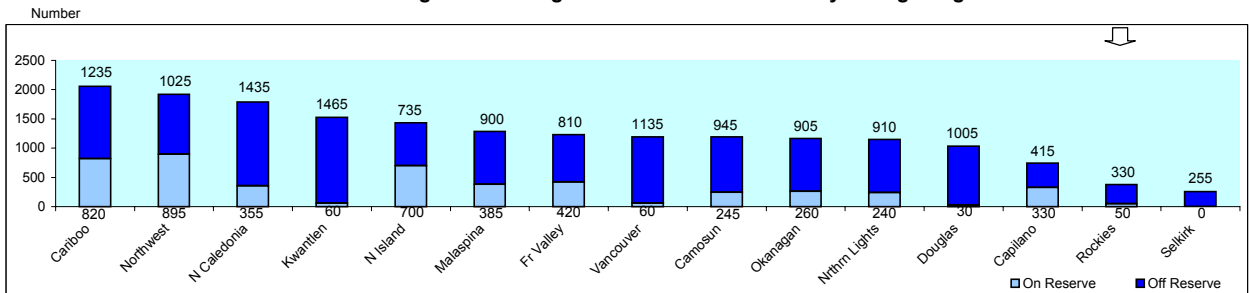
## WHAT IS THE ABORIGINAL REPRESENTATION BY COLLEGE REGION?

Aboriginal Population as a Percent of Total Population

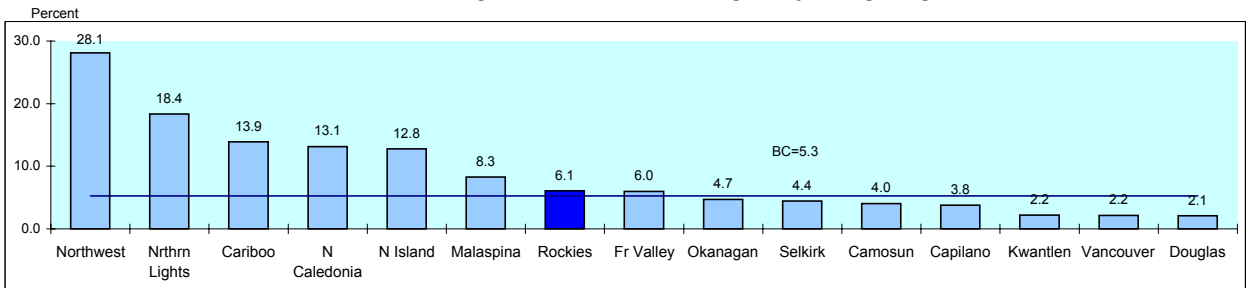


## WHERE DOES THE PRIME COLLEGE-AGE ABORIGINAL POPULATION LIVE?

Number of Aboriginal Youth Age 18 to 24 On/Off Reserve by College Region



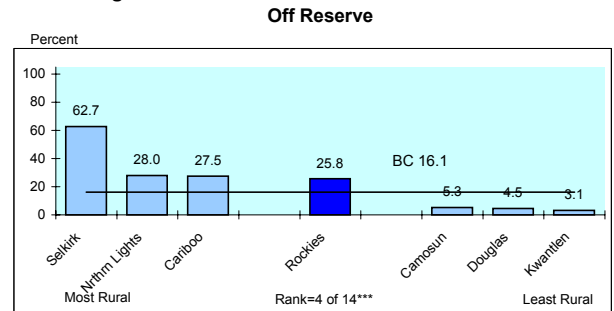
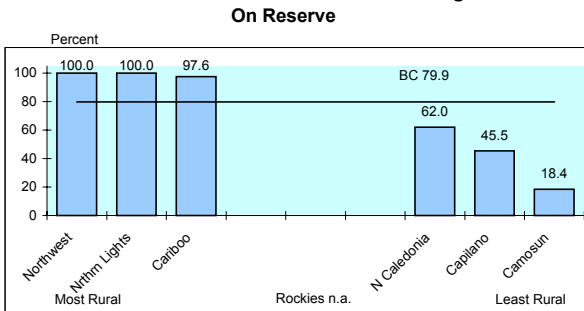
Percent of Youth Age 18 to 24 Who Are Aboriginal by College Region



## URBAN OR RURAL?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
Population	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC
Total - all ages	% Rural		% Rural		% Rural		% Rural	
Total - all ages	100.0	81.6	36.6	19.7	45.5	36.6	38.4	14.4
Under age 18	100.0	81.4	37.8	20.1	45.7	36.7	38.5	15.2
Age 18-24	*	79.9	25.8	16.1	35.5	32.9	35.1	11.1
Age 25-64	100.0	82.1	36.5	19.8	46.1	36.4	40.1	14.7
Age 65+	*	82.0	54.2	25.0	64.3	46.3	33.9	14.1

% of Aboriginal Youth Age 18-24 Residing in Rural Areas



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# AGE STRUCTURE PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

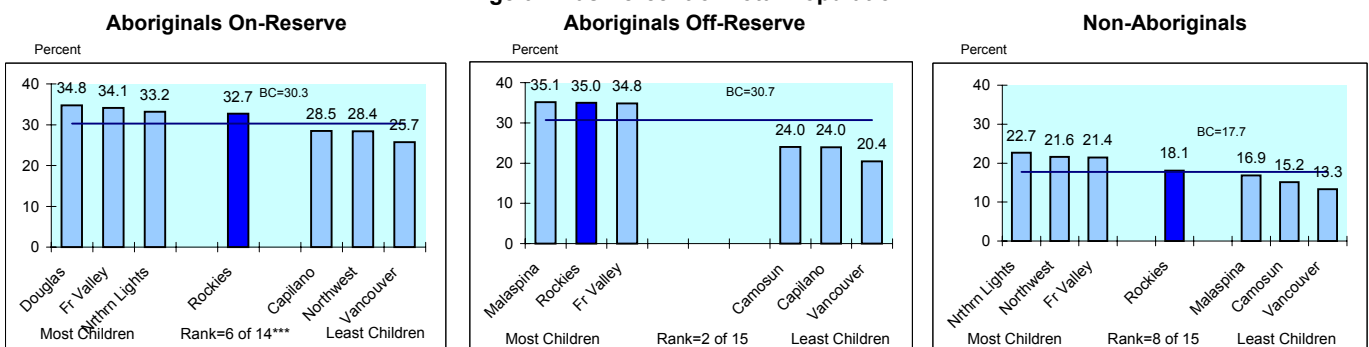
College Region 05 - Rockies

## WHAT'S THE AGE MIX?

	Aboriginal Peoples									Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**			Off Reserve			Total**			Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC		Rockies	BC		Rockies	BC			
#	% Dist.	% Dist.	#	% Dist.	% Dist.	#	% Dist.	% Dist.	% Dist.	% Dist.	
<b>Population</b>											
Total	535	100.0	100.0	3,290	100.0	100.0	3,820	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under age 15	175	32.7	30.3	1,150	35.0	30.7	1,320	34.6	30.6	18.1	17.7
Age 15-17	30	5.6	6.1	225	6.8	6.1	260	6.8	6.1	4.7	4.2
Age 18-24	50	9.3	10.5	330	10.0	10.9	380	9.9	10.8	8.2	8.9
Age 18-19	20	3.7	3.5	135	4.1	3.5	150	3.9	3.5	2.8	2.7
Age 20-24	35	6.5	7.0	195	5.9	7.4	230	6.0	7.3	5.4	6.2
Age 25-34	70	13.1	13.7	410	12.5	15.5	490	12.8	15.0	10.8	13.3
Age 35-64	190	35.5	33.6	1,050	31.9	33.1	1,240	32.5	33.3	44.2	42.5
Age 65+	25	4.7	5.8	120	3.6	3.7	140	3.7	4.3	13.9	13.4
Males - total	270	100.0	100.0	1,605	100.0	100.0	1,880	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under age 18	105	38.9	36.4	670	41.7	39.0	785	41.8	38.3	23.2	22.9
Age 18-24	20	7.4	10.9	190	11.8	11.0	215	11.4	11.0	8.7	9.2
Age 25-34	35	13.0	13.6	190	11.8	15.4	220	11.7	14.9	10.4	13.1
Age 35-64	95	35.2	33.7	480	29.9	31.1	575	30.6	31.8	44.4	42.4
Age 65+	*	*	5.4	75	4.7	3.5	85	4.5	4.0	13.4	12.4
Females - total	260	100.0	100.0	1,685	100.0	100.0	1,945	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under age 18	95	36.5	36.3	700	41.5	34.7	795	40.9	35.2	22.5	20.9
18-24 years	30	11.5	10.0	140	8.3	10.8	170	8.7	10.6	7.8	8.6
25-34 years	35	13.5	13.8	225	13.4	15.5	265	13.6	15.1	11.2	13.4
35-64 years	95	36.5	33.5	570	33.8	35.1	660	33.9	34.7	44.0	42.6
65+ years	*	*	6.3	50	3.0	3.8	60	3.1	4.5	14.5	14.4

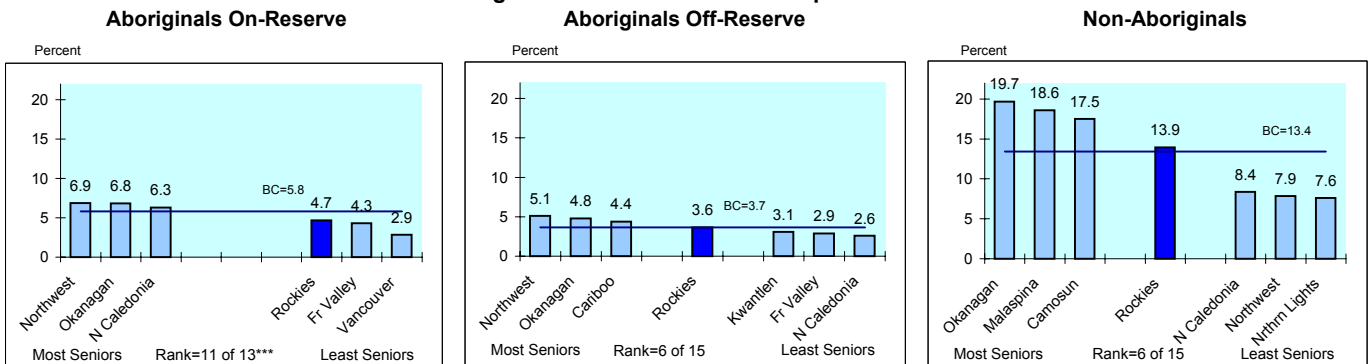
## A RELATIVELY YOUTHFUL POPULATION?

### Age 0-14 as Percent of Total Population



## RELATIVELY FEW SENIORS?

### Age 65+ as Percent of Total Population



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# STATUS & LANGUAGE PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

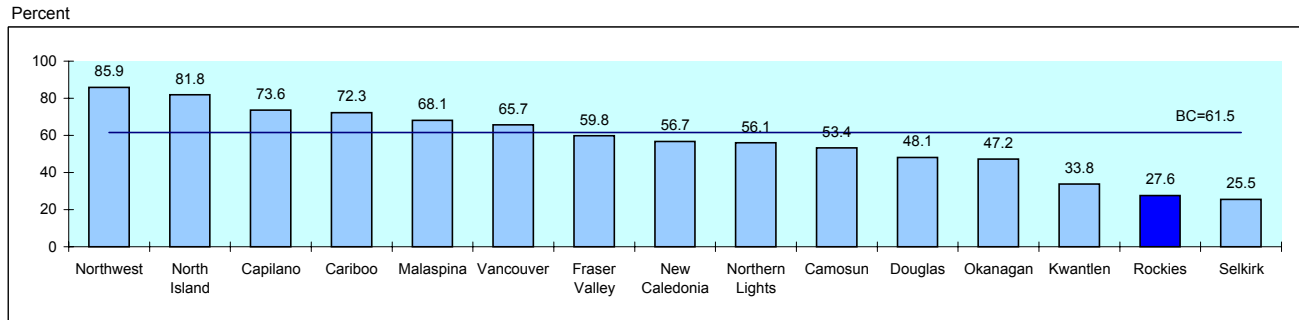
College Region 05 - Rockies

## WHAT IS THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION MIX?

	Aboriginal Peoples									Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**			Off Reserve			Total**			Rockies	
	Rockies	BC		Rockies	BC		Rockies	BC			
#	% Dist.	% Dist.	#	% Dist.	% Dist.	#	% Dist.	% Dist.			
<b>By Aboriginal Group</b>	535	100.0	100.0	3,290	100.0	100.0	3,820	100.0	100.0	n.a.	n.a.
North American Indian <sup>1</sup>	515	96.3	98.7	1,230	37.4	63.1	1,750	45.8	72.8		
Metis	20	3.7	1.1	1,975	60.0	35.4	1,990	52.1	26.0		
Inuit	*	*	0.1	15	0.5	0.6	15	0.4	0.5		
Multiple aboriginal origins	*	*	0.1	60	1.8	0.9	65	1.7	0.7		
<b>By Band Membership</b>	535	100.0	100.0	3,290	100.0	100.0	3,820	100.0	100.0	n.a.	n.a.
Band member	500	93.5	97.5	725	22.0	47.6	1,225	32.1	61.2		
Who are female	245	49.0	48.1	460	63.4	54.1	705	57.6	51.5		
Not a Band Member	35	6.5	2.5	2,565	78.0	52.4	2,595	67.9	38.8		
Who are female	15	*	49.3	1,225	47.8	50.4	1,240	47.8	50.4		
<b>By Registration under the Indian Act</b>	535	100.0	100.0	3,290	100.0	100.0	3,820	100.0	100.0	n.a.	n.a.
Registered under the Indian Act--Total	500	93.5	96.4	745	22.6	47.6	1,240	32.5	60.9		
Who were under age 18	185	37.0	36.2	310	41.6	35.6	490	39.5	35.9		
Age 18-24	50	10.0	10.5	55	7.4	11.2	105	8.5	10.9		
Age 25-64	245	49.0	47.5	355	47.7	49.9	600	48.4	48.9		
Age 65+	20	4.0	5.8	25	3.4	3.3	40	3.2	4.4		
Registered Males	255	94.4	96.4	285	17.8	45.8	540	28.7	60.4		
Who were under age 18	95	37.3	36.4	130	45.6	39.0	230	42.6	37.8		
Age 18-24	20	7.8	10.9	35	12.3	11.5	60	11.1	11.2		
Age 25-64	120	47.1	47.4	110	38.6	46.8	230	42.6	47.1		
Age 65+	15	5.9	5.3	*	*	2.7	25	4.6	3.9		
Registered Females	240	92.3	96.4	455	27.0	49.2	695	35.7	61.4		
Who were under age 18	80	33.3	36.0	175	38.5	32.6	260	37.4	34.0		
Age 18-24	25	10.4	10.0	20	4.4	11.0	45	6.5	10.6		
Age 25-64	125	52.1	47.6	245	53.8	52.6	375	54.0	50.6		
Age 65+	*	*	6.3	*	*	3.7	15	2.2	4.8		

<sup>1</sup> Includes those who did not claim aboriginal identity but indicated they were either Registered Indians or band members.

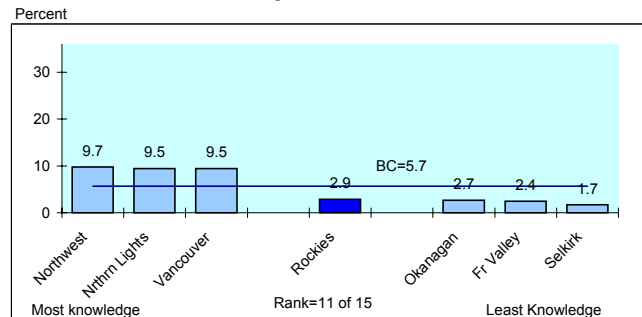
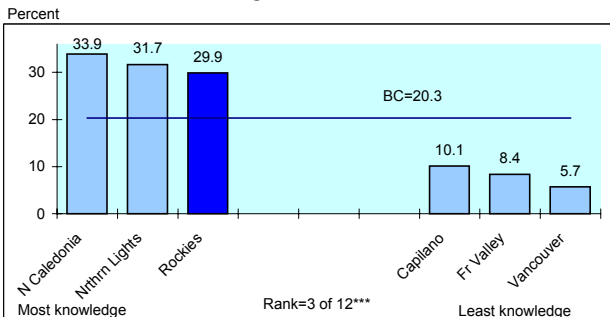
## % of Aboriginal Youth Age 18 to 24 Who are Registered under the Indian Act



## ARE LANGUAGES BEING RETAINED?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Aboriginal Language</b>								
% With knowledge of aboriginal language(s)	29.9	20.3	2.9	5.7	6.7	9.7	*	*
% Speaking aboriginal language(s) at home	12.1	10.4	0.6	2.2	2.4	4.5	*	*

## % of Aboriginals With Knowledge of Aboriginal Language(s)



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Produced by: BC STATS

Source: 2001 Census of Canada custom tabulations obtained from Statistics Canada.

# MOBILITY PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

## College Region 05 - Rockies

WHO MOVES?	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Total Population<sup>1</sup> (number)</b>	490	42,295	2,935	112,285	3,415	154,580	67,680	3,507,370
Migrants <sup>2</sup> in last 5 years (number)	70	5,610	785	31,015	855	36,620	14,490	805,980
% of population who are migrants <sup>2</sup>	14.3	13.3	26.7	27.6	25.0	23.7	21.4	23.0
% Moved within same Regional District	4.1	5.0	4.3	7.9	4.2	7.1	4.4	6.4
% Moved from another Regional District	5.1	6.6	10.2	14.1	9.4	12.1	8.1	6.8
% Moved from another province or beyond	5.1	1.7	12.3	5.6	11.4	4.5	9.0	9.8
<b>Youth age 18-24 (number)</b>	50	4,855	325	13,495	380	18,350	5,860	329,320
Migrants <sup>2</sup> in last 1 year (number)	*	410	55	2,170	60	2,575	1,070	46,835
% of population who are migrants <sup>2</sup>	*	8.4	16.9	16.1	15.8	14.0	18.3	14.2
% Moved within same Regional District	*	3.1	*	4.1	*	3.9	3.1	3.6
% Moved from another Regional District	*	4.4	4.6	8.0	5.3	7.1	5.9	4.6
% Moved from another province or beyond	*	0.9	10.8	3.9	9.2	3.1	9.2	6.0

<sup>1</sup> Population 5 years and older as the comparison is with the place of residence 5 years earlier.  
<sup>2</sup> Migrants are those who moved but exclude those whose move was within the same municipality, Indian Reserve or unorganized area. Per cent is of current population.

### Aboriginal

### Non-Aboriginal

WHERE TO?	Aboriginal Peoples	
	Rockies	BC
<b>Registered Indian Population<sup>1</sup> (number)</b>	1,120	94,275
Migrants in last 5 years <sup>2</sup> (number)	235	19,960
% of population who migrated in last 5 years	21.0	21.2
% of population who moved between reserves <sup>3</sup>	*	0.5
% of population who moved between non-reserve <sup>3</sup> areas	12.5	14.0
Number who moved onto a reserve	40	4,620
% of population who moved onto a reserve	3.6	4.9
Number who moved off a reserve	*	1,420
% of population who moved off a reserve	*	1.5
Movement On-Reserve Minus Movement Off-Reserve	*	3,200
% Movement On-Reserve Minus % Movement Off-Reserve	*	3.4

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<sup>3</sup> The reserve/non-reserve from which a person moved may be outside the College Region or the province.

### % Who Moved On to a Reserve

### % who Moved Off a Reserve

### Excess Moving On Reserve vs. Off Reserve

TO THE CITY OR BACK?	Aboriginal Peoples		Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC
<b>Total Population<sup>1</sup> (number)</b>	3,415	154,580	67,680	3,507,370
<b>Urban/rural moves in last 5 years<sup>2</sup>: (number)</b>	270	13,095	5,970	134,235
% of population who moved from an urban to a rural area	5.9	4.9	6.2	2.3
% of population who moved from a rural to an urban area	2.0	3.6	2.6	1.5
<b>Youth age 18-24 (number)</b>	380	18,350	5,860	329,325
<b>Urban/rural moves in last 5 years<sup>2</sup>: (number)</b>	30	1,890	590	13,855
% of population who moved from an urban to a rural area	3.9	4.6	6.4	1.7
% of population who moved from a rural to an urban area	3.9	5.7	3.7	2.5

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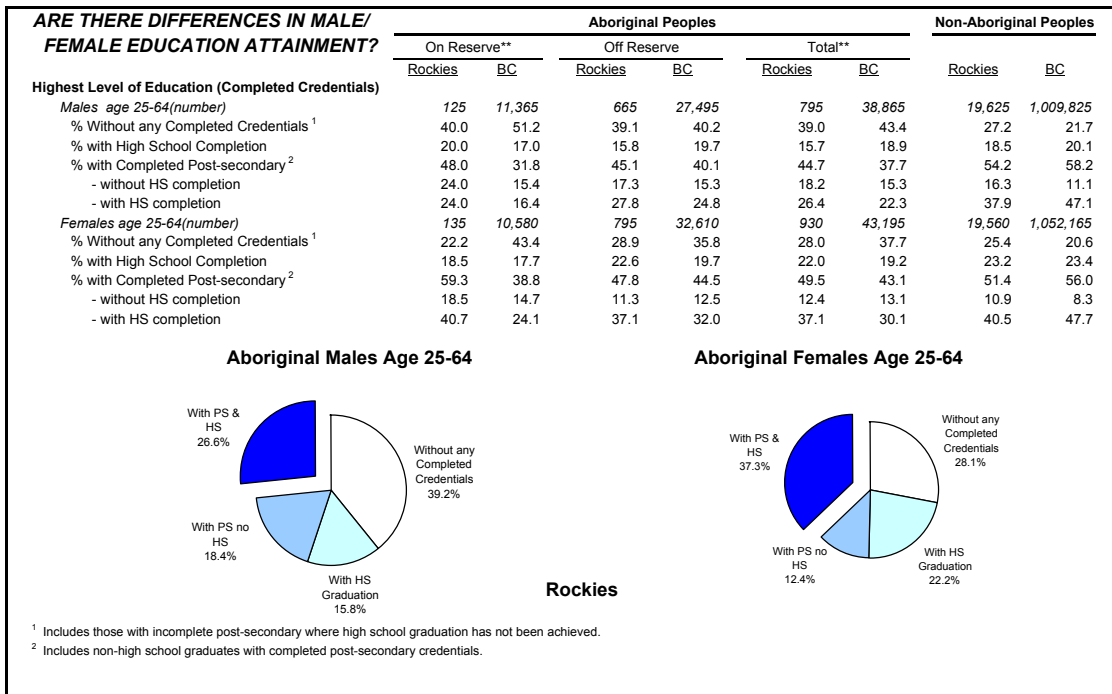
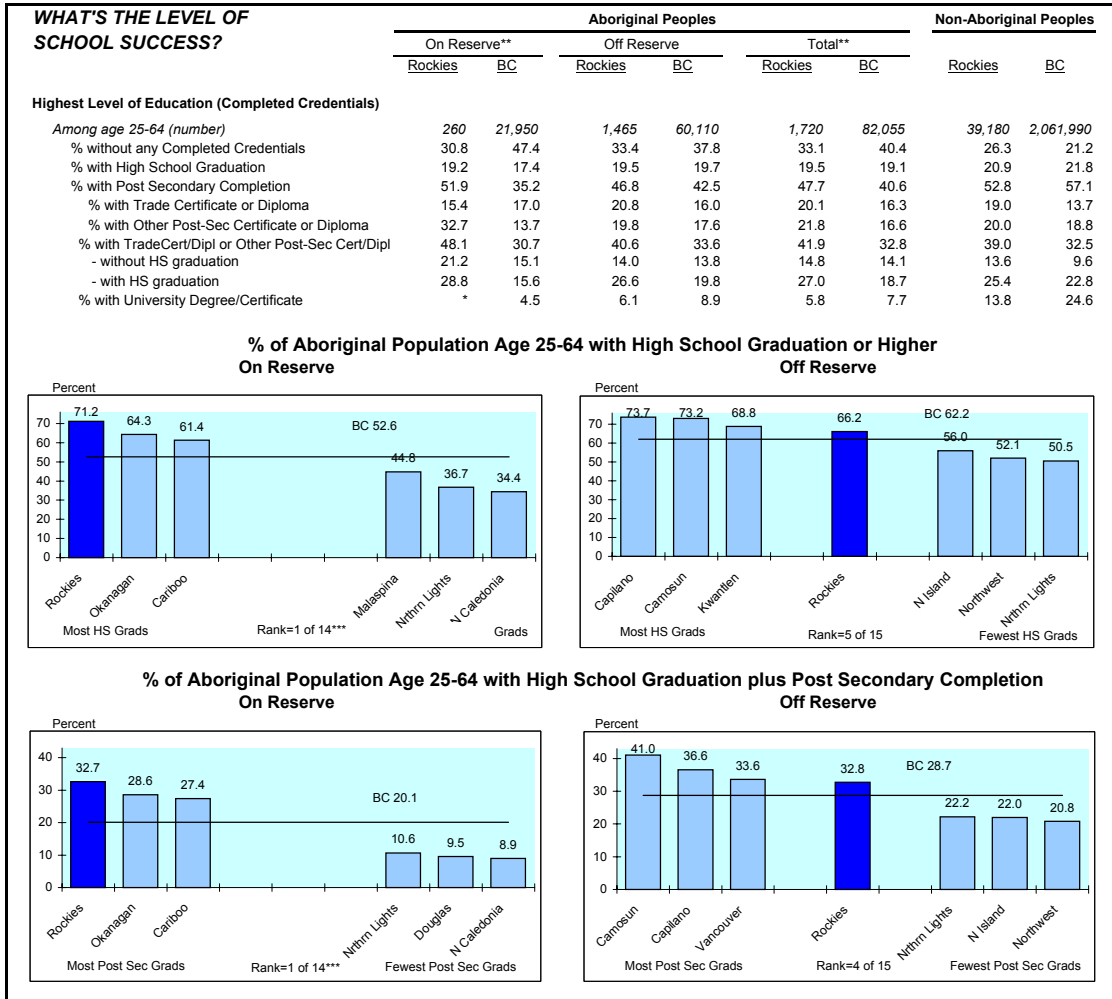
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College Region 05 - Rockies



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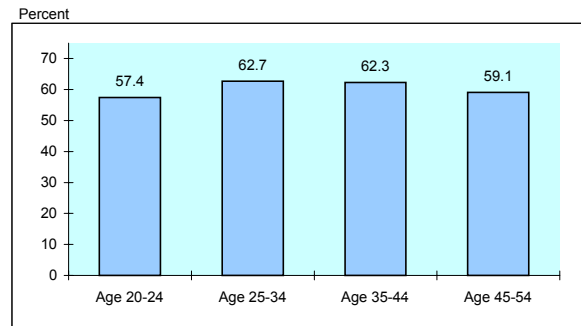
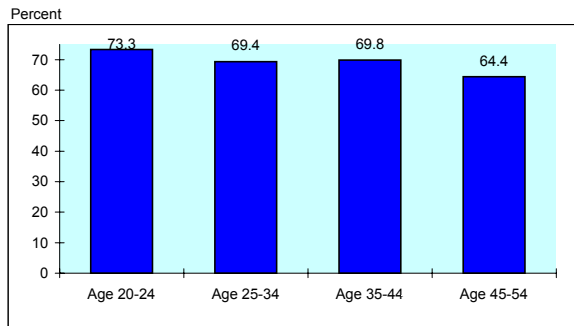
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## ARE YOUNGER ABORIGINALS ACHIEVING HIGHER LEVELS OF EDUCATION THAN THEIR ELDERS?

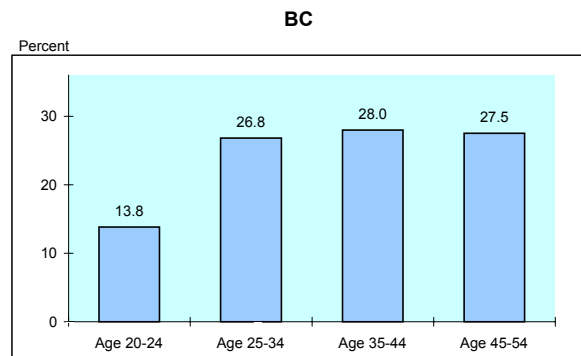
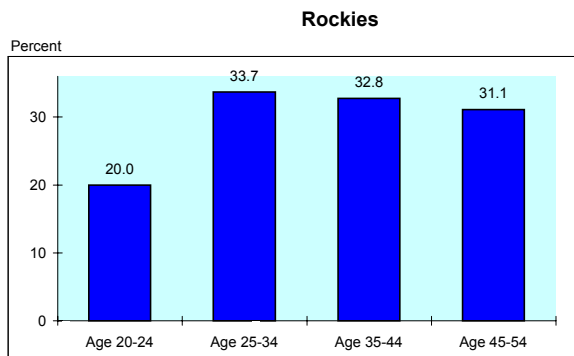
	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Among age 20-24 (number)</b>	35	3,235	195	9,180	225	12,415	3,875	229,895
% Without any Completed Credentials	*	50.4	23.1	39.8	28.9	42.6	22.3	16.9
% with High School Graduation <sup>1</sup>	*	32.3	41.0	39.5	40.0	37.6	47.4	48.8
% with Completed Post-secondary	*	17.3	35.9	20.7	33.3	19.8	30.5	34.2
- without HS graduation	*	6.6	12.8	5.7	13.3	6.0	6.8	4.8
- with HS graduation	*	10.5	23.1	15.0	20.0	13.8	23.6	29.4
<b>Among age 25-34 (number)</b>	70	6,355	415	19,115	490	25,470	7,680	490,250
% Without any Completed Credentials	*	42.7	32.5	35.5	30.6	37.4	21.4	15.9
% with High School Graduation <sup>1</sup>	*	23.8	22.9	24.9	23.5	24.7	26.6	23.8
% with Completed Post-secondary	*	33.4	45.8	39.6	45.9	38.0	52.1	60.3
- without HS graduation	*	12.8	12.0	10.7	13.3	11.2	10.3	7.9
- with HS graduation	*	20.6	33.7	28.8	33.7	26.8	41.9	52.4
<b>Among age 35-44 (number)</b>	90	7,320	490	20,235	580	27,560	11,575	625,785
% Without any Completed Credentials	*	45.5	31.6	34.8	31.0	37.7	22.5	19.4
% with High School Graduation <sup>1</sup>	*	17.5	29.6	19.6	26.7	19.0	23.5	22.5
% with Completed Post-secondary	*	37.1	40.8	45.6	43.1	43.3	54.0	58.1
- without HS graduation	*	16.2	7.1	15.1	9.5	15.4	13.0	9.4
- with HS graduation	*	20.9	32.7	30.5	32.8	28.0	41.1	48.8
<b>Among age 45-54 (number)</b>	70	5,120	380	13,745	450	18,860	12,030	578,180
% Without any Completed Credentials	*	46.8	38.2	38.6	36.7	40.9	25.7	20.8
% with High School Graduation <sup>1</sup>	*	14.4	11.8	16.5	13.3	15.9	19.0	22.1
% with Completed Post-secondary	*	38.7	50.0	44.9	51.1	43.2	55.3	57.0
- without HS graduation	*	16.4	19.7	15.5	20.0	15.7	14.7	9.7
- with HS graduation	*	22.3	30.3	29.4	31.1	27.5	40.6	47.4

<sup>1</sup> Includes those with incomplete post-secondary where high school graduation has been achieved.

**% of Aboriginal Population with High School Graduation or Higher**



**% of Aboriginal Population with High School Graduation plus Post Secondary Completion**



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# AT-SCHOOL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

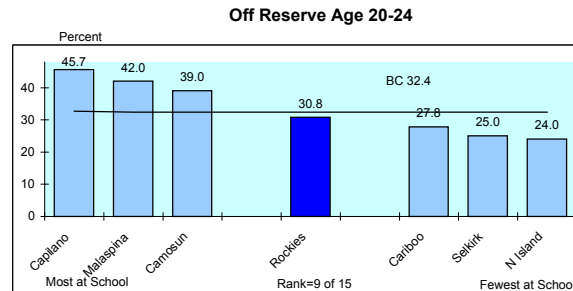
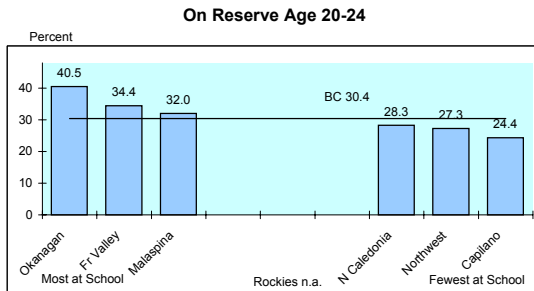
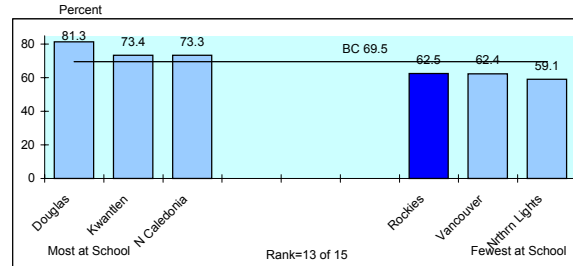
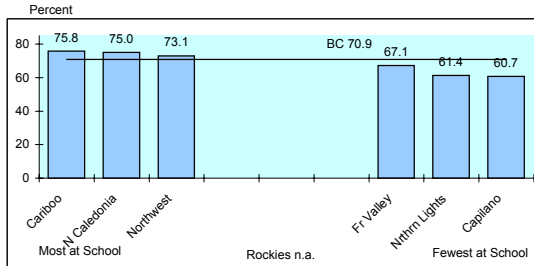
## College Region 05 - Rockies

### WHO'S IN SCHOOL?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>School Attendance<sup>1</sup></b>								
Age 15-24 (number)	80	7,695	560	21,035	640	28,730	9,230	483,425
% at School	*	53.9	50.0	53.3	51.6	53.5	55.5	63.7
% at School Full Time	*	45.6	42.9	43.1	43.8	43.8	48.9	54.4
Age 15-19 (number)	45	4,460	360	11,855	410	16,315	5,355	253,525
% at School	*	70.9	62.5	69.5	64.6	69.9	69.1	75.2
% at School Full Time	*	64.9	58.3	59.9	59.8	61.3	64.1	69.4
Age 15-17 (number)	30	2,840	225	7,540	260	10,385	3,370	154,090
% at School	*	77.8	75.6	78.2	75.0	78.0	74.5	79.0
% at School Full Time	*	73.6	68.9	72.0	69.2	72.4	72.8	77.1
Age 18-19 (number)	20	1,620	135	4,315	150	5,930	1,990	99,440
% at School	*	58.6	40.7	54.3	46.7	55.6	59.5	69.3
% at School Full Time	*	49.7	40.7	38.9	43.3	41.9	49.2	57.4
Age 20-24 (number)	35	3,240	195	9,175	225	12,420	3,875	229,895
% at School	*	30.4	30.8	32.4	31.1	31.8	36.8	50.9
% at School Full Time	*	19.1	15.4	21.4	17.8	20.8	27.7	38.0

<sup>1</sup> Attended school at some time between September 2000 and May 2001.

### % of Aboriginal Population Who Attended School between September 2000 and May 2001

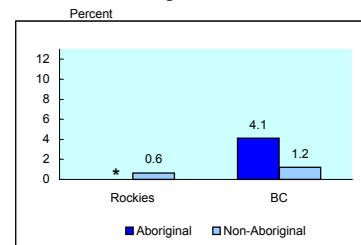
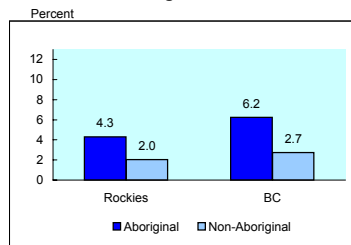
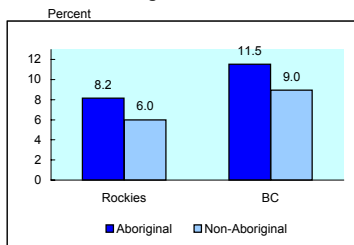


### ARE ADULTS RETURNING TO SCHOOL?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>School Attendance<sup>1</sup></b>								
Age 25-34 (number)	70	6,355	415	19,120	490	25,475	7,680	490,250
% at School	*	18.5	22.9	20.9	22.4	20.3	13.9	19.8
% at School Full Time	*	10.1	7.2	12.0	8.2	11.5	6.0	9.0
Age 35-44 (number)	85	7,320	495	20,235	580	27,555	11,580	625,790
% at School	*	12.5	9.1	13.6	9.5	13.3	7.8	10.6
% at School Full Time	*	5.7	4.0	6.4	4.3	6.2	2.0	2.7
Age 45-54 (number)	65	5,120	380	13,740	450	18,860	12,035	578,185
% at School	*	9.7	5.3	8.9	5.6	9.1	4.4	6.0
% at School Full Time	*	4.4	*	4.0	*	4.1	0.6	1.2

<sup>1</sup> Attended school at some time between September 2000 and May 2001.

### % of Population Who Attended School Full-time between September 2000 and May 2001



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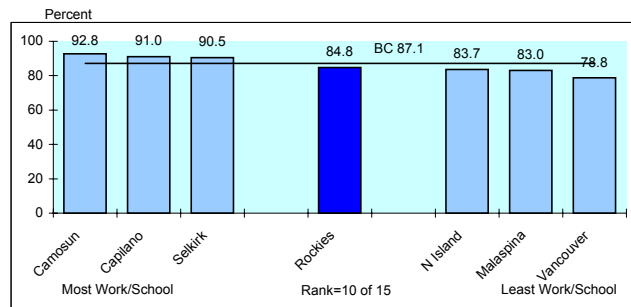
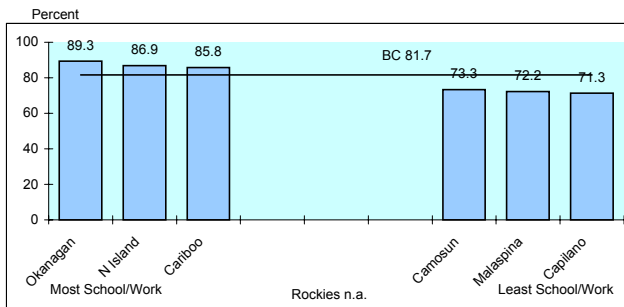
# SCHOOL/WORK PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

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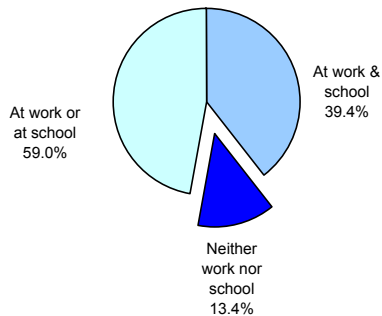
## SCHOOL OR WORK? <sup>1</sup>

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Among age 15-24 (number)</b>	80	7,690	560	21,035	635	28,730	9,230	483,425
% who both went to school and worked <sup>2</sup>	*	26.5	39.3	30.8	39.4	29.6	41.9	41.5
% who worked but did not go to school	*	27.7	33.9	33.8	34.6	32.2	38.9	30.4
% who went to school but did not work	*	27.5	11.6	22.5	12.6	23.8	13.5	22.1
% who neither worked nor went to school	*	18.4	14.3	12.9	13.4	14.3	5.6	5.9

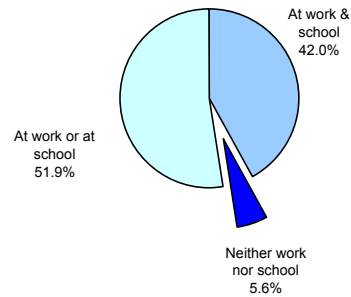
**% of Aboriginal Population Age 15-24 Who Either Worked or Attended School between September 2000 and May 2001**



**Aboriginal population, Age 15-24**

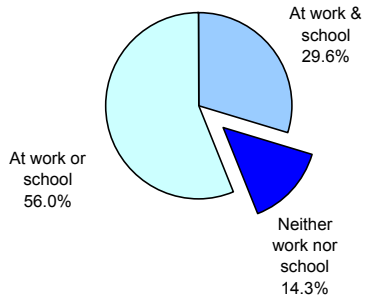


**Non-aboriginal population, Age 15-24**

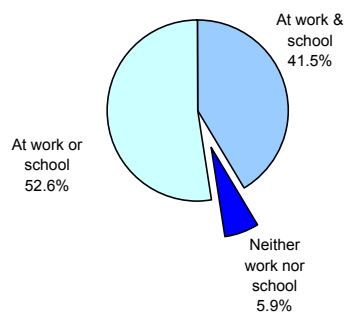


## Rockies

**Aboriginal population, Age 15-24**



**Non-aboriginal population, Age 15-24**



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<sup>1</sup> Based on whether the youth was in school at sometime between Sept 2000 and May 2001 and whether the youth worked at sometime between Jan 2000 and May 2001.

<sup>2</sup> The youth could have been working and going to school at the same time or at different times over the time period.

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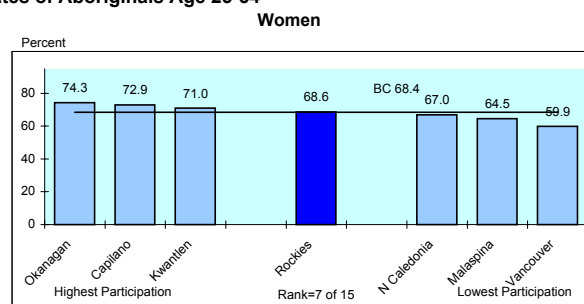
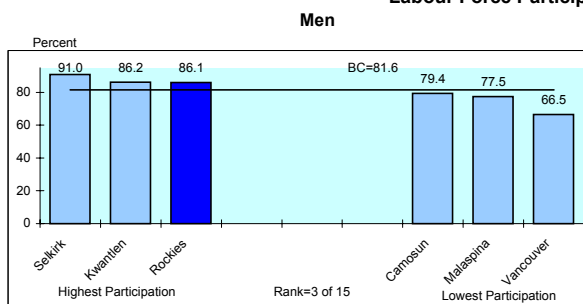
# LABOUR SUPPLY PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

College Region 05 - Rockies

WHAT IS THE PARTICIPATION IN THE LABOUR FORCE?	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
<b>Participation Rate, May 2001</b>								
Age 25-54 - both sexes	77.8	74.0	77.4	74.9	77.2	74.6	86.1	84.3
Male	78.3	79.6	87.7	82.4	86.1	81.6	92.8	90.0
Female	77.3	68.2	67.6	68.5	68.6	68.4	79.3	78.8
Without any Completed Credentials <sup>1</sup>	*	63.5	68.6	62.5	70.1	62.8	81.0	75.9
With High School Graduation	*	76.3	71.9	78.0	72.7	77.6	84.0	82.7
With Post-secondary Completion <sup>2</sup>	80.0	85.9	85.2	83.7	84.3	84.2	89.1	87.7
<b>Self-Employment Rates (% of employed)</b>								
Total	*	5.6	11.0	8.9	10.0	8.1	11.3	10.1
Male	*	7.1	8.5	10.0	8.2	9.3	12.6	11.4
Female	*	4.0	12.9	7.9	11.9	7.0	9.7	8.6
Age 15-24	*	2.9	9.7	3.3	8.8	3.3	1.8	2.5
Age 25-34	*	3.5	*	6.9	4.6	6.2	8.4	7.5
Age 35-54	*	6.5	16.1	10.9	14.5	9.8	11.8	11.2

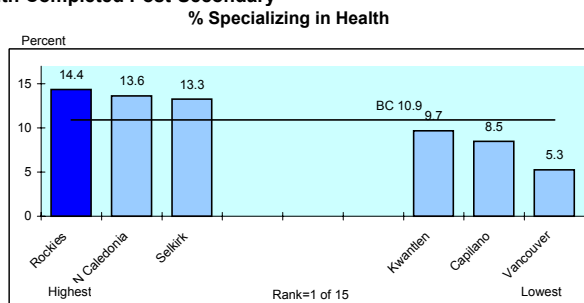
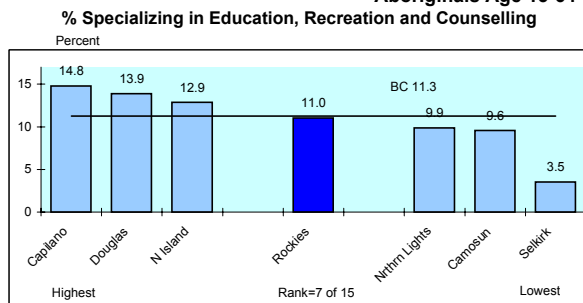
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<sup>2</sup> Includes non-high school graduates with completed post-secondary credentials.

**Labour Force Participation Rates of Aborigines Age 25-54**



WHAT CREDENTIALS DO PEOPLE HOLD?	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Among those with completed post-secondary</b>								
Field of Study (% distribution)								
Age 15-64 (number)	145	8,495	765	27,710	905	36,205	22,060	1,262,160
Educ, Recreational & Counselling (%)	17.2	13.3	9.8	10.7	11.0	11.3	13.3	10.5
Fine/App'l Arts, Humanities & Soc Sci (%)	13.8	18.4	20.3	24.7	19.3	23.2	15.1	22.2
Commerce, Mgmt, Business Admin (%)	31.0	16.4	17.0	19.2	19.3	18.5	18.6	21.2
Engineer, Applied Sciences & Techs (%)	27.6	29.7	28.1	27.5	27.6	28.0	33.2	25.1
Health (%)	*	12.0	15.7	10.6	14.4	10.9	12.6	11.7
Other (%)	*	10.3	8.5	7.3	8.8	8.0	7.2	9.2
Age 25-34 (number)	35	2,125	190	7,560	225	9,685	4,005	295,565
Educ, Recreational & Counselling (%)	*	10.8	7.9	10.7	6.7	10.8	13.9	10.0
Fine/App'l Arts, Humanities & Soc Sci (%)	*	17.6	28.9	29.5	28.9	26.9	19.0	26.5
Commerce, Mgmt, Business Admin (%)	*	18.8	18.4	20.1	17.8	19.9	20.0	21.1
Engineer, Applied Sciences & Techs (%)	*	31.1	28.9	24.3	26.7	25.8	27.1	21.9
Health (%)	*	12.2	13.2	8.3	11.1	9.1	11.9	10.1
Other (%)	*	9.6	7.9	6.9	6.7	7.5	8.1	10.4
Age 35-54 (number)	90	4,695	385	15,395	475	20,095	12,905	693,665
Educ, Recreational & Counselling (%)	*	14.0	7.8	10.6	9.5	11.3	11.5	10.3
Fine/App'l Arts, Humanities & Soc Sci (%)	*	18.6	22.1	22.5	18.9	21.6	14.6	20.7
Commerce, Mgmt, Business Admin (%)	*	17.3	19.5	19.6	22.1	19.1	18.8	21.6
Engineer, Applied Sciences & Techs (%)	*	30.2	35.1	29.3	33.7	29.5	35.4	26.3
Health (%)	*	10.3	13.0	11.0	10.5	10.9	12.7	12.4
Other (%)	*	9.7	*	6.9	4.2	7.6	7.0	8.8

**Aboriginals Age 15-64 Years With Completed Post-Secondary**



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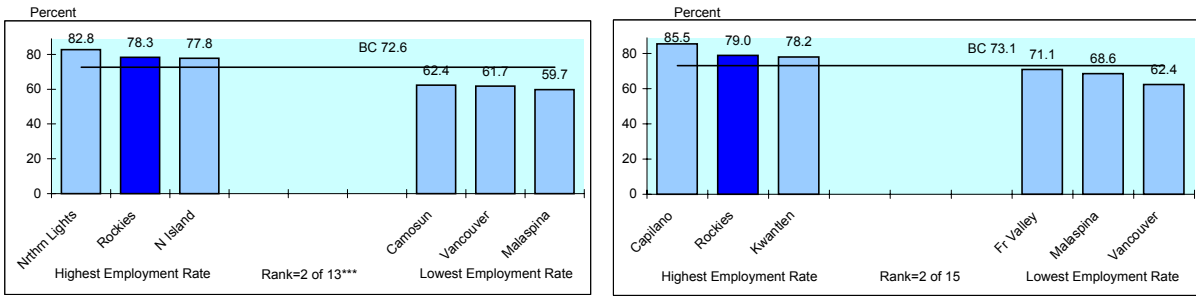
# WORK PATTERN PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

College Region 05 - Rockies

HOW MUCH DID THEY WORK?	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Among age 15-64 (number)</b>	345	29,645	2,020	81,140	2,360	110,785	48,405	2,545,415
% Who worked in 2000	72.5	64.1	72.0	67.1	72.2	66.3	80.5	78.6
Among those who worked in 2000:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time <sup>1</sup>	40.0	39.2	49.8	49.4	48.4	46.8	58.7	62.4
% who worked part-time <sup>1</sup>	22.0	26.2	33.7	29.9	32.0	28.9	25.5	25.0
<b>Male (number)</b>	170	15,470	950	37,660	1,120	53,130	24,415	1,258,105
% Who worked in 2000	76.5	68.4	83.7	73.0	81.7	71.6	85.9	83.2
Among those who worked in 2000:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time <sup>1</sup>	30.8	36.8	56.6	54.4	53.6	49.5	69.2	70.2
% who worked part-time <sup>1</sup>	15.4	22.4	27.0	22.5	25.1	22.5	13.6	16.1
<b>Female (number)</b>	175	14,175	1,075	43,485	1,245	57,655	23,995	1,287,310
% Who worked in 2000	68.6	59.4	61.4	62.0	62.7	61.4	74.9	74.2
Among those who worked in 2000:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time <sup>1</sup>	50.0	42.2	40.9	44.3	42.3	43.8	46.5	53.7
% who worked part-time <sup>1</sup>	25.0	30.9	42.4	37.4	39.7	35.8	39.4	34.8
<b>Among age 15-24 (number)</b>	80	7,695	560	21,035	635	28,730	9,230	483,425
% Who worked in 2000	*	47.9	66.1	57.6	66.1	55.0	75.5	66.6
Among those who worked in 2000:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time <sup>1</sup>	*	14.1	21.6	22.9	21.4	20.8	22.7	24.8
% who worked part-time <sup>1</sup>	*	38.1	59.5	52.0	57.1	48.7	52.9	55.8
<b>Among age 25-34 (number)</b>	70	6,355	415	19,115	485	25,475	7,685	490,250
% Who worked in 2000	*	71.4	84.3	73.2	84.5	72.7	86.7	86.7
Among those who worked in 2000:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time <sup>1</sup>	*	38.2	52.9	51.8	50.0	48.5	62.9	66.3
<b>Among age 35-54 (number)</b>	155	12,440	875	33,980	1,030	46,415	23,610	1,203,970
% Who worked in 2000	77.4	73.2	75.4	73.1	76.2	73.1	88.0	85.2
Among those who worked in 2000:								
% who worked 40+ weeks, mostly full-time <sup>1</sup>	50.0	48.0	62.1	59.8	59.9	56.6	69.6	72.2

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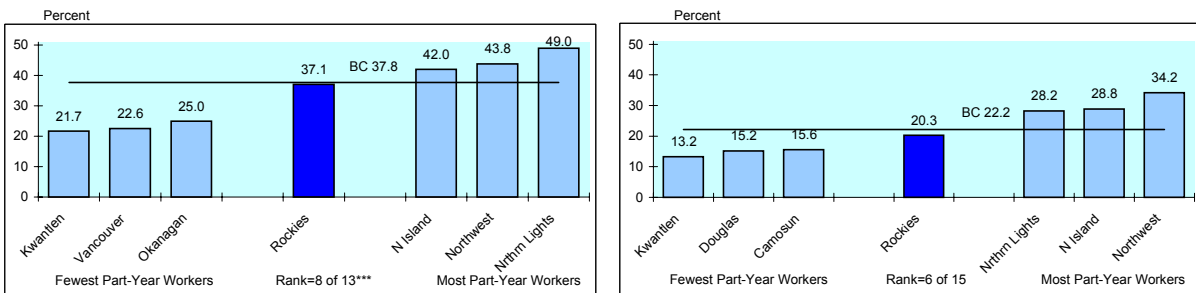
**% of Aboriginal Population Age 25-54 Who Worked in 2000**



## DID PEOPLE GET FULL YEAR WORK?

FULL YEAR WORK?	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Population age 25-54 who worked in 2000 (number)</b>	175	13,625	1,010	38,825	1,190	52,460	27,435	1,451,115
% working 1 - 26 weeks	37.1	37.8	20.3	22.2	22.7	26.2	12.8	12.1
% working 27 - 39 weeks	8.6	11.0	7.4	10.4	8.0	10.6	8.5	7.0
% working 40+ weeks	54.3	51.3	72.3	67.4	69.3	63.2	78.7	80.9

**% of Working Aboriginal Population Age 25-54 Years Who Worked Half a Year or Less**



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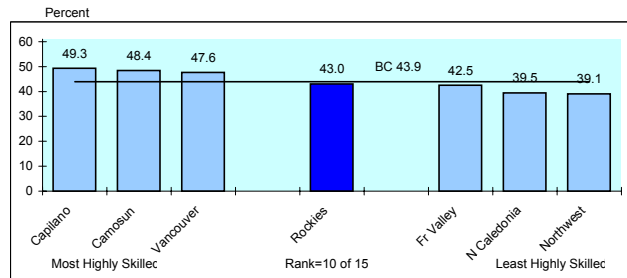
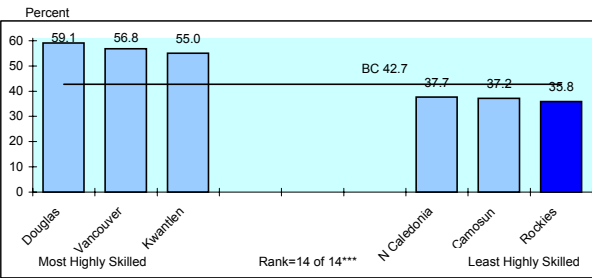
# OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

College Region 05 - Rockies

## WHAT KIND OF JOBS?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Experienced Labour Force</b>								
Among age 15+ (number)	265	20,865	1,580	58,950	1,845	79,815	41,375	2,129,980
% Management	7.5	6.0	4.7	6.1	5.4	6.1	9.1	10.6
% Total professional occupations	9.4	8.0	6.3	8.2	7.0	8.1	9.5	15.4
% in Business & Finance	*	0.5	1.9	0.9	1.9	0.8	1.3	2.4
% in Health & Social Services	*	0.3	*	0.8	0.8	0.6	2.0	2.5
% in Education	*	2.5	0.9	2.1	1.1	2.2	3.1	3.7
% Total tech., trades & other high skilled occupa.	18.9	28.7	31.3	29.6	29.5	29.4	34.2	29.6
% in Finance, Insurance & Administration	5.7	4.1	5.7	4.5	5.7	4.4	5.8	6.2
% technicians in Health & Social Services	*	0.3	1.3	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.2	1.3
% paraprofessionals in Soc. Science, Educ. etc	*	5.5	2.2	3.7	2.7	4.1	1.8	2.2
% Intermediate & less skilled occupations	64.2	57.3	57.0	56.1	58.3	56.4	47.1	44.4
Among men age 15+ (number)	140	11,530	860	29,625	995	41,155	22,275	1,116,110
% Management	*	5.6	4.7	6.1	4.0	6.0	10.7	13.0
% Professionals	*	4.8	4.1	5.9	4.5	5.6	7.5	14.4
% Technical & other high skilled occupations	14.3	29.5	31.4	33.3	29.1	32.2	40.0	32.8
% Intermediate & less skilled occupations	75.0	60.1	59.9	54.7	61.8	56.2	41.9	39.8
Among women age 15+ (number)	130	9,335	720	29,325	850	38,655	19,100	1,013,870
% Management	11.5	6.6	4.9	6.0	5.9	6.2	7.3	8.1
% Professionals	11.5	11.9	9.7	10.5	10.0	10.8	11.9	16.5
% Technical & other high skilled occupations	23.1	27.9	31.9	25.9	30.0	26.4	27.5	26.0
% Intermediate & less skilled occupations	50.0	53.7	54.2	57.5	53.5	56.6	53.3	49.4
Among age 25-34 (number)	55	4,910	360	14,870	415	19,780	6,835	438,075
% Management	*	4.1	6.9	6.1	6.0	5.6	8.3	9.5
% Professionals	*	6.8	8.3	8.4	8.4	8.0	10.2	18.1
% Technical & other high skilled occupations	*	29.1	36.1	30.8	33.7	30.4	35.0	29.9
% Intermediate & less skilled occupations	*	60.0	50.0	54.7	51.8	56.0	46.5	42.6
Among age 35-54 (number)	130	9,630	695	26,060	825	35,695	21,165	1,049,440
% Management	11.5	8.2	5.8	8.0	6.1	8.0	11.1	13.0
% Professionals	*	9.7	6.5	10.5	6.7	10.3	11.7	17.2
% Technical & other high skilled occupations	19.2	31.1	38.1	33.3	34.5	32.7	37.8	31.8
% Intermediate & less skilled occupations	61.5	51.1	49.6	48.2	51.5	49.0	39.5	38.0

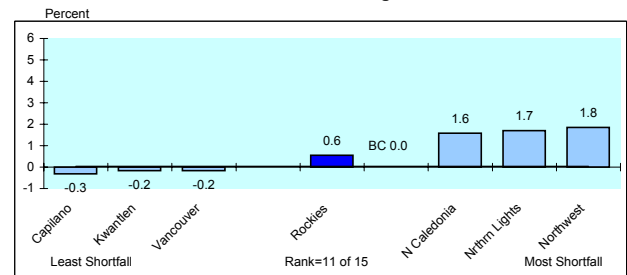
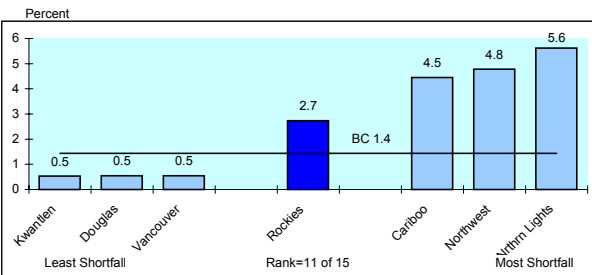
### % of Aboriginal Experienced Labour Force in Management, Professional & Other High Skill Occupations



## WHAT'S THE SHORTFALL IN ABORIGINAL REPRESENTATION BY OCCUPATION?

	Number of Aboriginals persons	Aboriginals as % of Total %	% Shortfall of Aboriginals Compared to their Representation in the:		Number of Additional Aboriginals To Be Trained in order to Eliminate Their Shortfall Compared to their :	
			Population %	Labour Force <sup>1</sup> %	Population	Labour Force
<b>Population Age 15+</b>	2,500	4.1				
<b>Experienced Labour Force</b>	1,845	4.3				
Management	100	2.6	-0.2	1.7	-69	65
Professionals	130	3.2	0.9	1.1	37	44
Professionals in Business & Finance	35	6.1	-2.0	-1.9		
Professionals in Health	15	1.8	2.3	2.5	20	21
Professionals in Education	20	1.5	2.6	2.7	33	35
Technical & other high skilled occupations	545	3.7	0.4	0.6	59	82
Intermediate & less skilled occupations	1,075	5.2	-1.1	-1.0		

### % Shortfall<sup>1</sup> of Aboriginals Compared to their Representation in the Workforce



<sup>1</sup> % difference between their % representation in the Occupation Group compared to their % representation in the labour force. Negative numbers represent adequate representation.

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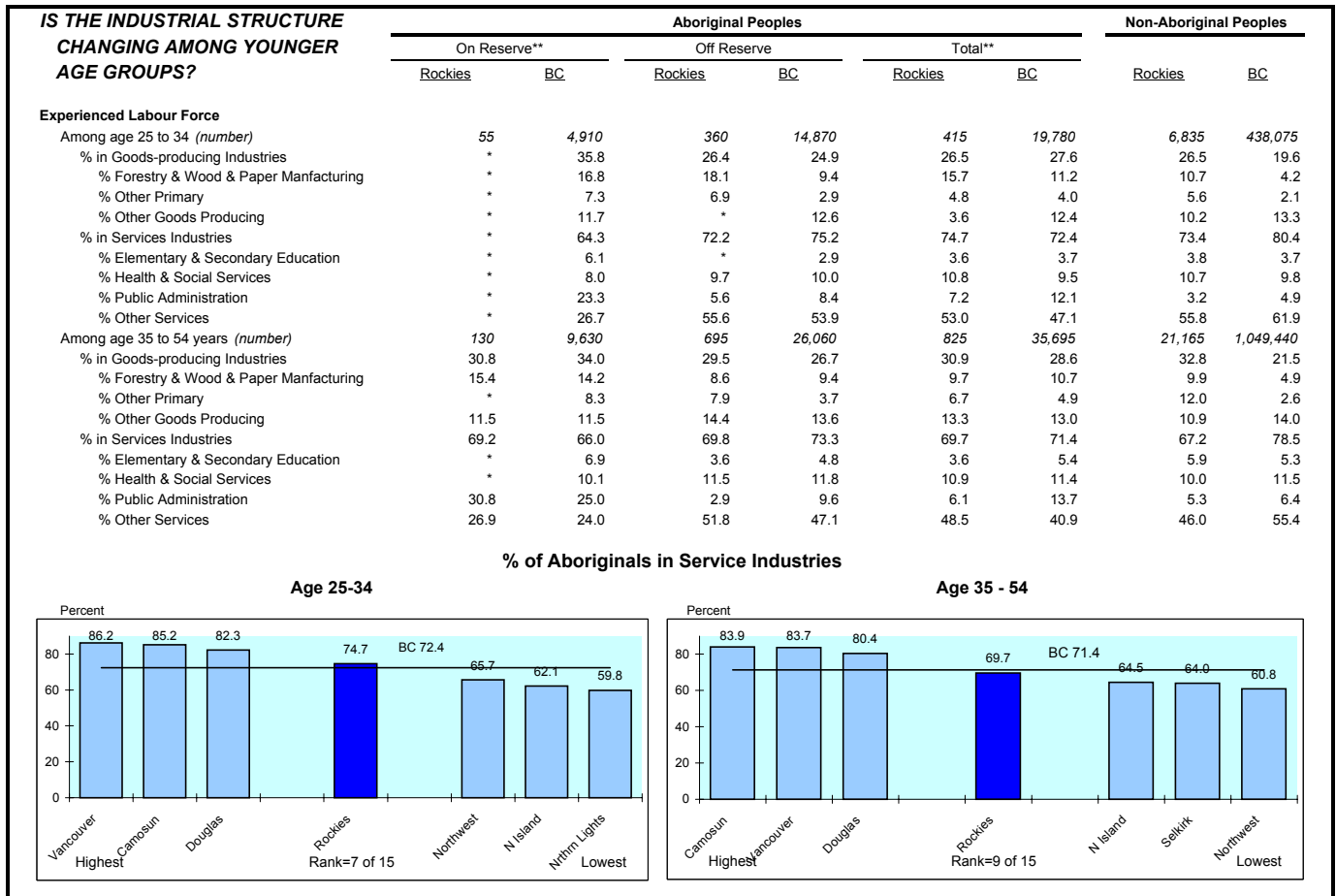
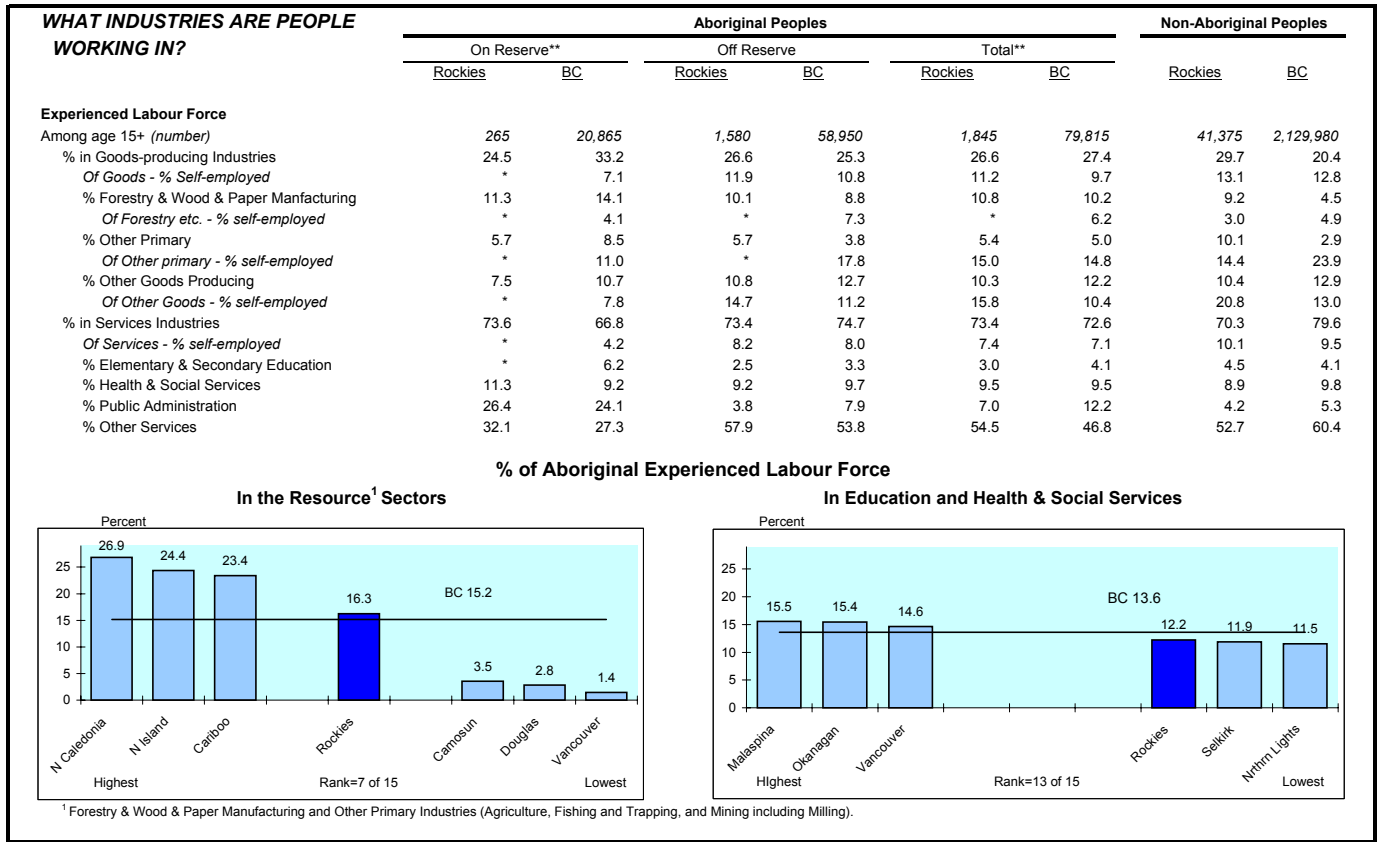
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# INDUSTRY PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

College Region 05 - Rockies



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# EARNINGS PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

College Region 05 - Rockies

WHAT ARE THE LEVEL OF EARNINGS?	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Employment Income, 2000</b>								
Age 15+ with employment income (number)	245	19,375	1,505	54,650	1,755	74,020	39,910	2,054,525
% Less than \$20,000	61.2	65.5	56.5	53.5	56.7	56.7	44.6	40.1
% \$20,000 - \$39,999	28.6	25.5	24.3	25.8	25.1	25.7	25.6	28.7
% \$40,000 and over	8.2	9.0	19.6	20.7	17.7	17.6	29.8	31.2
Average income (\$)	17,049	16,484	23,604	23,147	22,687	21,403	28,487	31,909
Avg. income 40+ weeks mostly full-time (\$)	27,601	27,271	37,452	35,318	36,280	33,567	39,360	43,310
Males (\$)	27,637	29,935	41,082	40,175	39,929	38,051	44,670	49,003
Females (\$)	27,573	24,357	31,286	29,254	30,655	28,128	30,045	35,089
Paid workers (\$)	27,953	27,153	39,204	36,321	37,801	34,266	40,834	44,045
Self-employed (\$)	*	30,366	19,997	24,082	20,119	24,900	26,427	35,967
Age 15-24 with employment income (number)	50	3,790	395	12,185	445	15,975	7,085	328,845
Average income (\$)	6,273	6,265	7,492	9,026	7,355	8,371	9,384	10,241
Avg. income 40+ weeks mostly full-time (\$)	*	16,754	14,478	20,356	15,086	19,784	21,601	21,513
Males (\$)	*	18,078	13,097	23,130	13,554	22,369	24,401	23,369
Females (\$)	*	15,231	16,743	16,693	17,602	16,445	16,761	19,094
Age 25-34 with employment income (number)	55	4,460	350	13,745	405	18,205	6,610	420,860
Average income (\$)	15,378	15,360	25,144	22,619	23,840	20,841	28,161	29,660
Avg. income 40+ weeks mostly full-time (\$)	19,917	24,351	35,430	32,364	33,973	30,832	34,935	37,117
Males (\$)	*	26,578	45,619	36,092	44,124	34,442	39,543	40,725
Females (\$)	19,169	21,959	21,030	27,146	20,776	26,033	27,058	32,304
Age 35 - 54 with employment income (number)	125	8,985	660	24,435	785	33,425	20,590	1,019,465
Average income (\$)	21,551	20,547	31,113	29,651	29,595	27,203	35,087	39,157
Avg. income 40+ weeks mostly full-time (\$)	31,631	29,498	40,450	38,904	39,337	36,773	42,312	47,094
Males (\$)	32,454	32,618	41,422	44,792	40,671	42,115	48,302	53,591
Females (\$)	31,051	26,127	38,610	31,993	37,123	30,618	32,182	37,800

Region	On Reserve	Off Reserve
Kwantlen	42,279	
North Lights	31,246	
Ft Valley	29,799	
Rockies	28,741	38,877
N Caledonia	26,238	39,476
Camosun	24,919	38,939
Douglas	24,815	34,659
BC	28,047	36,763
Seikrik		39,743
Cariboo		38,939
Rockies		38,877
Camosun		34,659
Ft Valley		33,974
Okanagan		32,380

HOW DO INDUSTRY EARNINGS COMPARE?	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
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<b>Average Employment Income, 2000</b>								
Age 15+ - All Industries	17,049	16,484	23,604	23,147	22,687	21,403	28,487	31,909
Goods	18,498	17,422	31,655	28,458	29,811	24,988	37,018	35,530
Forestry & Wood & Paper Manufacturing	21,646	18,934	28,248	35,198	27,146	29,395	38,801	44,321
Other Primary	*	14,819	45,724	23,144	42,101	19,425	43,520	26,342
Other Goods Producing	17,620	17,461	27,715	25,179	26,387	23,452	29,146	34,453
Services	16,719	16,387	21,944	21,791	21,179	20,499	25,213	31,425
Elementary & Secondary Education	16,810	18,295	22,405	28,104	21,244	24,265	34,740	37,430
Health & Social Services	14,080	17,357	24,459	24,068	22,718	22,369	32,181	34,707
Public Administration	22,922	17,419	38,565	31,217	29,671	24,191	38,199	41,117
Other Services	12,200	14,647	20,517	19,502	19,813	18,776	22,104	29,588

Region	In the Goods Sector	In the Service Sectors
Seikrik	33,546	25,991
Kwantlen	30,140	25,354
Rockies	29,811	22,363
BC	24,988	20,499
N Island	22,567	18,065
Northwest	22,370	17,595
Ft Valley	21,611	17,186
Rockies	21,179	21,179
North Lights		18,065
N Island		17,595
Northwest		17,186

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# EARNINGS BY SKILL PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

College Region 05 - Rockies

## HOW DOES EDUCATION IMPACT EARNINGS?

### Average Employment Income - 2000

Among Those Working 40+ Weeks Mostly Full-time

Less than High School Graduation (number)<sup>1</sup>

Average earnings (\$)

Age 15+

Age 15-24

Age 25-34

Age 35-54

Female:male earnings ratio Age 15+ %

With High School Graduation (number)

Average earnings (\$)

Age 15+

Age 15-24

Age 25-34

Age 35-54

Female:male earnings ratio Age 15+ %

With Completed Post Secondary<sup>2</sup> (number)

Average earnings (\$)

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Age 35-54

Female:male earnings ratio Age 15+ %

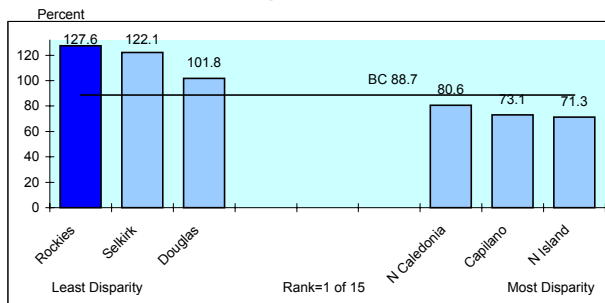
	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
Among Those Working 40+ Weeks Mostly Full-time	27,601	27,271	37,452	35,318	36,280	33,567	39,360	43,310
Less than High School Graduation (number) <sup>1</sup>	15	2,485	165	7,410	180	9,890	5,330	224,085
Average earnings (\$)								
Age 15+	27,381	25,369	37,238	32,260	36,489	30,538	35,657	34,474
Age 15-24	*	15,712	*	18,639	14,027	18,081	20,670	19,715
Age 25-34	*	22,072	44,269	28,734	44,269	27,326	31,149	29,957
Age 35-54	*	27,775	38,179	35,920	37,888	33,852	38,905	36,970
Female:male earnings ratio Age 15+ %	*	69.9	57.1	64.8	60.6	65.7	59.5	70.2
With High School Graduation (number)	20	1,645	180	6,375	205	8,020	5,045	290,420
Average earnings (\$)								
Age 15+	26,464	26,931	36,105	32,815	35,011	31,612	34,834	36,947
Age 15-24	*	16,916	15,170	21,565	15,843	20,934	20,604	20,022
Age 25-34	*	23,140	27,246	31,483	25,868	29,711	33,624	33,532
Age 35-54	31,591	31,354	51,744	38,172	49,497	36,666	38,803	41,325
Female:male earnings ratio Age 15+ %	*	80.1	128.1	72.9	123.8	73.8	62.6	72.3
With Completed Post Secondary <sup>2</sup> (number)	65	3,440	380	13,300	445	16,735	12,865	753,235
Average earnings (\$)								
Age 15+	28,058	28,778	38,148	38,189	36,756	36,259	42,648	48,366
Age 15-24	*	18,262	*	20,142	*	19,840	24,089	24,918
Age 25-34	20,609	26,480	34,577	34,436	33,102	33,080	36,675	39,949
Age 35-54	31,054	29,891	36,925	40,694	36,044	38,381	44,771	51,926
Female:male earnings ratio Age 15+ %	90.6	85.5	63.5	73.6	65.1	74.9	71.0	71.0

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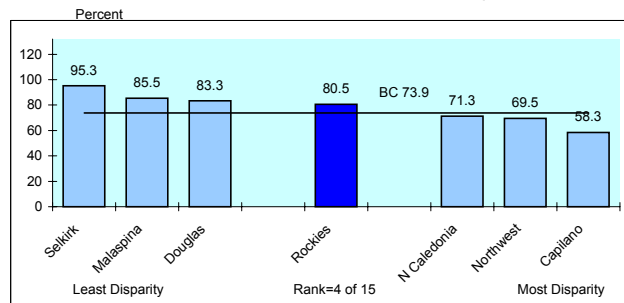
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## Aboriginal Earnings as % of Non-Aboriginal Earnings - Age 35-54, for Those Working 40+ Weeks Mostly Full-time, 2000

With High School Graduation



With Completed Post Secondary<sup>2</sup>



## WHAT'S THE RETURN ON HIGHER SKILLS?

For Those Age 15+ Working 40+ Weeks Mostly Full-time

Average employment income - 2000 (\$)

Management (\$)

Professional (\$)

Technical & other high skilled occs. (\$)

Intermediate & less skilled occs. (\$)

Female:male earnings ratio %

Management (%)

Professional (%)

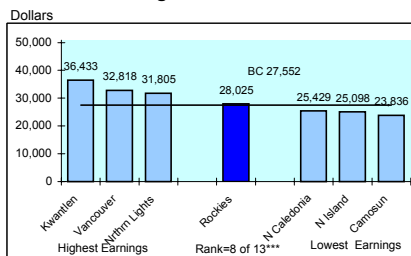
Technical & other high skilled occs. (\$)

Intermediate & less skilled occs. (%)

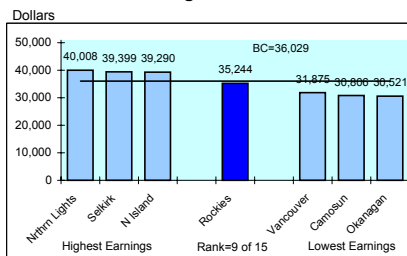
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	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
Average employment income - 2000 (\$)								
Management (\$)	32,039	34,098	40,895	41,129	39,425	39,354	44,331	57,568
Professional (\$)	25,682	29,629	68,214	44,179	58,767	40,699	50,769	58,143
Technical & other high skilled occs. (\$)	28,025	27,552	35,244	36,029	34,698	34,359	39,590	40,764
Intermediate & less skilled occs. (\$)	26,910	24,702	32,877	31,390	32,136	29,923	33,995	32,654
Female:male earnings ratio %								
Management (%)	*	96.6	33.6	66.9	38.4	72.3	68.6	65.6
Professional (%)	*	94.3	304.8	87.7	265.3	88.0	78.8	72.5
Technical & other high skilled occs. (\$)	99.5	74.9	54.8	69.5	57.2	69.5	63.8	73.6
Intermediate & less skilled occs. (%)	99.0	72.8	53.2	67.8	57.6	68.9	62.1	75.7

## Average Employment Income for Technical & Other High Skilled Occupations For Those Working 40+ Weeks Mostly Full-time, 2000

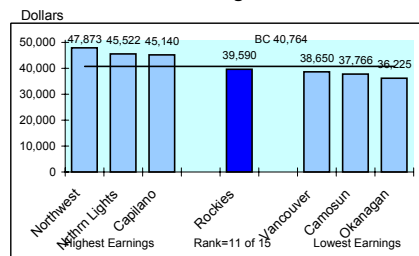
Aboriginals On Reserve



Aboriginals Off Reserve



Non-Aboriginals



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# UNEMPLOYMENT PROFILE OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

College Region 05 - Rockies

## WHAT IS THE UNEMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE?

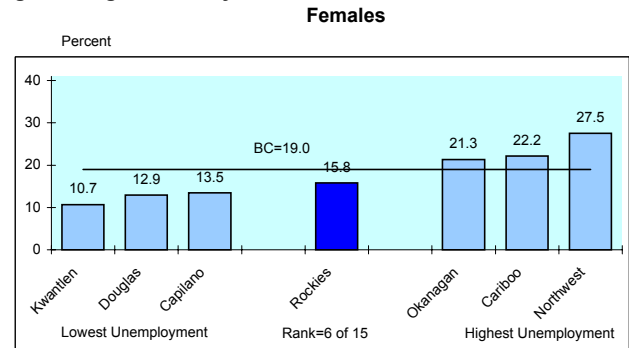
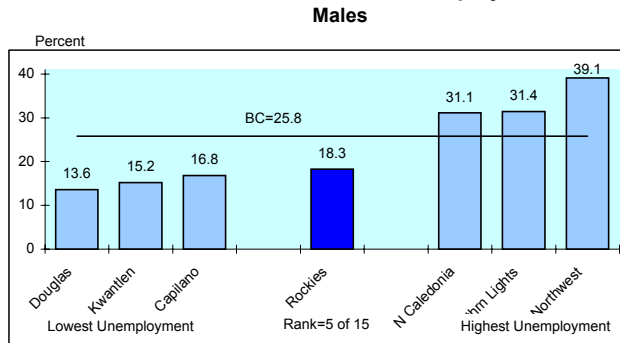
### Unemployment Rate - May 2001

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Age 15+ - both sexes	23.9	28.9	16.2	20.4	16.9	22.5	9.4	8.0
Males	25.0	34.5	17.2	22.5	18.3	25.8	10.3	8.4
Females	22.7	21.7	14.8	18.2	15.8	19.0	8.4	7.6
With less than HS Graduation <sup>1</sup>	*	35.0	24.3	28.4	24.6	30.3	14.4	12.5
With High School Graduation	*	27.2	16.2	18.8	16.9	20.7	9.4	8.6
With Completed Post-secondary <sup>2</sup>	20.8	22.8	8.2	14.4	10.3	16.4	6.6	6.0
Without HS graduation	*	27.2	15.8	20.8	17.0	22.7	9.4	7.9
With HS graduation	*	19.7	6.0	11.6	7.1	13.3	5.7	5.7

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### Unemployment Rate of Aboriginals, Age 15+ - May 2001



## HOW DOES AGE AND EDUCATION IMPACT UNEMPLOYMENT?

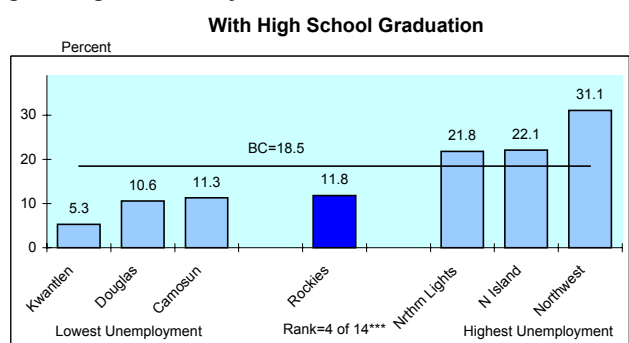
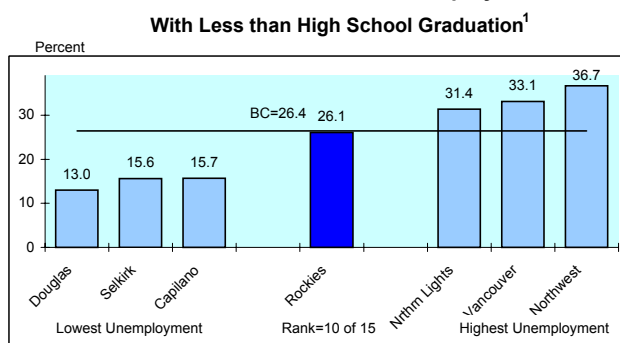
### Unemployment Rate - May 2001

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Age 20-24 - both sexes	*	40.8	16.1	25.0	16.7	28.8	17.1	13.5
With less than HS Graduation <sup>1</sup>	*	48.0	*	35.0	*	38.7	20.6	16.7
With High School Graduation & higher	*	35.3	17.4	19.8	11.5	23.1	16.2	12.8
Age 25-34 - both sexes	*	31.9	14.1	21.6	15.8	24.1	12.5	8.3
With less than HS Graduation <sup>1</sup>	*	39.5	*	33.4	27.3	35.1	21.1	13.7
With High School Graduation	*	29.8	*	19.6	*	22.1	12.8	8.6
With Completed Post-secondary <sup>2</sup>	*	26.2	*	14.6	*	17.2	9.3	6.9
Without HS graduation	*	30.1	*	23.0	*	24.9	15.0	9.0
With HS graduation	*	23.3	*	11.7	*	14.2	8.1	6.6
Age 35-54 - both sexes	16.7	25.1	16.4	17.4	17.1	19.4	7.1	6.1
With less than HS Graduation <sup>1</sup>	*	31.7	27.5	23.8	26.1	26.4	12.7	9.8
With High School Graduation	*	22.3	13.3	17.4	11.8	18.5	5.4	5.8
With Completed Post-secondary <sup>2</sup>	*	20.2	12.7	13.6	14.1	15.1	5.3	5.2
Without HS graduation	*	25.6	*	18.0	20.8	20.2	8.4	7.3
With HS graduation	*	16.2	8.9	11.4	11.1	12.4	4.3	4.8

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### Unemployment Rate of Aboriginals Age 35-54 - May 2001



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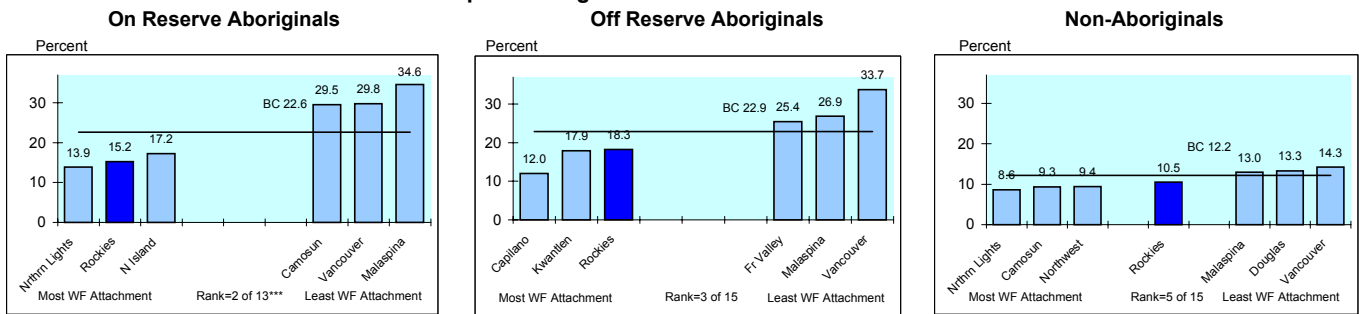
# OTHER WORKFORCE ISSUES OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

## College Region 05 - Rockies

### WHAT'S THE LEVEL OF WORKFORCE ATTACHMENT?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
<b>Lack of Workforce Attachment</b>								
Never worked or not since 1999, Age 15+ (number)	95	11,480	560	26,735	660	38,215	16,965	912,555
% of age 25-54	15.2	22.6	18.3	22.9	17.8	22.8	10.5	12.2
% of males	13.0	18.1	6.6	16.5	7.6	17.0	5.4	7.4
% of females	21.7	27.5	27.9	28.3	27.2	28.1	15.6	16.7
% of age 25-34	*	22.7	13.3	22.2	13.4	22.3	11.0	10.6
% of age 35-54	16.1	22.6	20.6	23.3	19.9	23.1	10.4	12.8
% of age 15-24	*	45.8	26.8	35.4	26.8	38.2	19.1	28.0
% of males	*	42.6	19.6	32.0	20.3	35.1	18.3	28.2
% of females	*	49.4	32.7	38.5	33.3	41.3	20.2	27.9
% of age 15-19	*	57.0	31.5	45.4	31.7	48.6	26.9	40.6
% of age 20-24	*	30.6	15.4	22.4	15.2	24.6	8.4	14.2

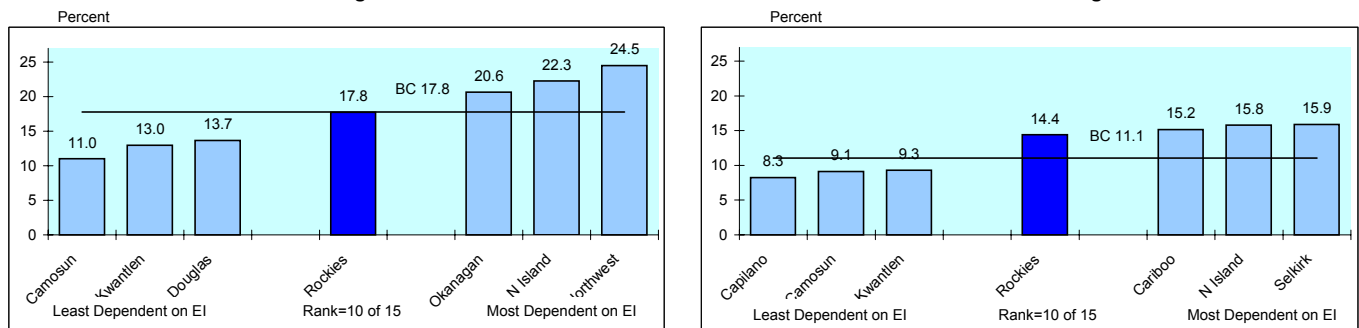
### % of Population Age 25-54 Who Have Not Worked Since 1999



### IS EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BRIDGING THE GAP?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
% of Paid workers Age 15+ in 2000 receiving EI	17.6	20.1	17.8	16.9	17.8	17.8	14.4	11.1
% of Males	23.1	23.4	21.3	18.6	21.0	20.0	14.7	10.9
% of Females	12.5	16.1	14.1	15.2	13.2	15.4	14.2	11.2
% of age 15-24	*	9.0	7.9	9.8	6.9	9.6	8.9	7.0
% of age 25-34	*	26.2	25.7	21.4	25.9	22.6	23.1	16.2
% of age 35-54	20.0	22.5	21.8	18.5	21.7	19.6	14.5	10.9

### Employment Insurance Recipients as a Percent of Paid Workers Age 15+, 2000



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# OTHER INFLUENCING FACTORS ON WELL-BEING OF ABORIGINAL PEOPLES - 2001

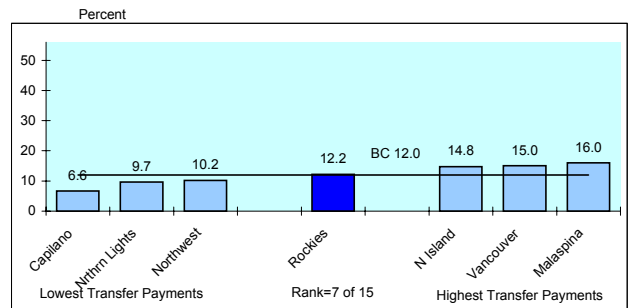
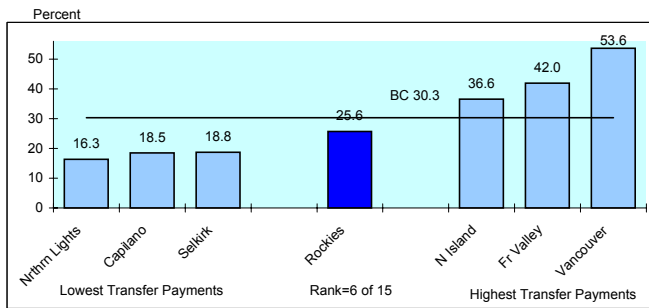
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## IS INCOME ADEQUATE?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
Families <sup>1</sup> (number) 2001	150	12,730	1,365	46,415	1,515	59,145	20,595	1,026,885
By Income Levels in 2000:								
% Income less than \$20,000	#	#	14.7	24.5	#	#	9.8	10.9
% \$20,000 - \$39,999	#	#	28.9	24.3	#	#	24.4	21.5
% \$40,000 and over	#	#	56.0	51.2	#	#	65.9	67.3
% \$40,000 - \$69,999	#	#	28.6	27.4	#	#	34.0	30.8
% \$70,000 and over	#	#	27.5	23.8	#	#	31.8	36.5
Average family income (\$)	#	#	53,192	48,151	#	#	59,231	65,969
% of families at or below low income	#	#	16.5	26.9	#	#	9.0	13.0
Families with children under 19 (number)	100	8,295	810	28,470	910	36,765	8,980	468,845
% at or below low income 2000	#	#	23.5	33.4	#	#	12.2	18.2
Lone Parent Families with children under 19 (number)	45	3,075	280	11,435	320	14,505	2,010	101,780
% at or below low income 2000	#	#	46.4	56.4	#	#	33.6	38.7
Among one-family hhlds with children under age 15 <sup>5</sup> (number)	70	4,930	585	19,935	650	24,865	6,555	319,335
Major source of income 2000								
From employment income (%)	#	#	70.1	67.6	#	#	86.4	84.6
From government transfers (%)	#	#	25.6	30.3	#	#	12.2	12.0
From other income (%)	#	#	4.3	2.1	#	#	1.4	3.0

# Because data on total income levels and income sources are not comparable between reserve populations and non-reserve populations, only the data for non-reserve aboriginal and non-aboriginal populations are included.  
<sup>1</sup> Includes families/households without income.

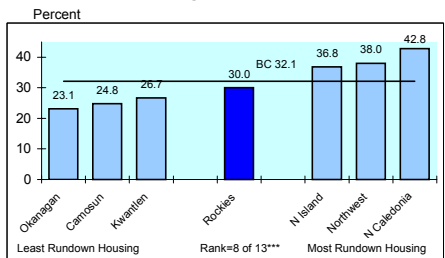
### % of One-Family Households with Children under 15 with Government Transfers as a Major Source of Income



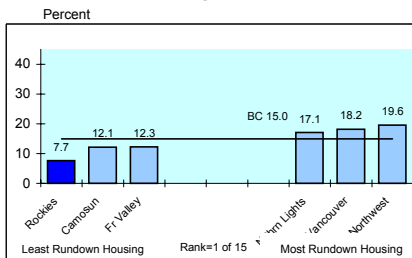
## WHAT IS THE IMPACT OF LIVING CONDITIONS?

	Aboriginal Peoples						Non-Aboriginal Peoples	
	On Reserve**		Off Reserve		Total**		Rockies	BC
	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC	Rockies	BC		
Census families with children under 19 (number) 2001	100	8,295	810	28,470	910	36,765	8,980	468,845
% of total families	66.7	65.2	59.3	61.3	60.1	62.2	43.6	45.7
% that are lone parent families	45.0	37.1	34.6	40.2	35.2	39.5	22.4	21.7
Average household size 2001	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2
% Multiple family households	*	7.3	1.9	2.2	2.3	3.2	0.7	2.2
Crowding - households with > 1 person per room	*	895	*	1,295	20	2,195	135	24,375
% of total households that are crowded	*	6.0	*	2.1	1.1	2.9	0.5	1.7
% of one-family hhlds with children < 15 that are crowded	*	8.4	*	3.3	*	4.3	0.9	3.2
Housing quality 2001								
% In good condition	35.0	35.8	54.6	54.1	52.5	50.5	62.2	68.5
% Needing minor repair	35.0	32.1	37.7	30.9	37.6	31.1	28.8	23.6
% Needing major repair	30.0	32.1	7.7	15.0	9.9	18.4	9.0	7.9

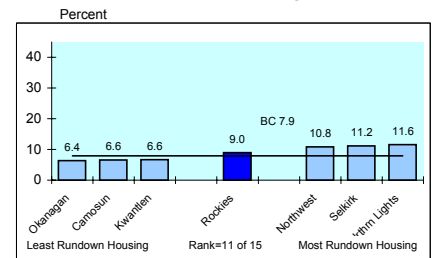
### Aboriginals On Reserve



### % of Housing Needing Major Repair 2001



### Non-Aboriginals



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