

STATISTICAL PROFILE



	<u>2006 CENSUS POPULATION</u>		<u>LAND AREA</u>		<u>POPULATION DENSITY</u>
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Region</u>	<u>Sq. Km.</u>	<u>% of Region</u>	<u>Persons per Sq.Km.</u>
Cranbrook, C	18,267	24.6%	25.1	0.1%	726.6
Kimberley, C	6,139	8.3%	58.3	0.1%	105.3
Creston, T	4,826	6.5%	8.5	0.0%	569.1
Fernie, C	4,217	5.7%	16.1	0.0%	262.7
Golden, T	3,811	5.1%	11.0	0.0%	345.8
Sparwood, DM	3,618	4.9%	177.7	0.4%	20.4
Invermere, DM	3,002	4.0%	10.2	0.0%	294.9
Elkford, DM	2,463	3.3%	101.6	0.2%	24.2
Radium Hot Springs, VL	735	1.0%	6.3	0.0%	116.5
Canal Flats, VL	700	0.9%	10.8	0.0%	64.6
Rest of Region	26,459	35.6%	45,054.7	99.1%	0.6
<b>Total Region</b>	<b>74,237</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>45,480.4</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.6</b>
Total BC	4,113,487		925,344.7		4.4
<b>Region as a % of BC</b>	<b>1.8%</b>		<b>4.9%</b>		

NOTE: BC Total Land Area for RD's is different to that of LHA's due to different accounting for water bodies.  
Please see the Glossary at <http://www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/data/sep/index.asp>.

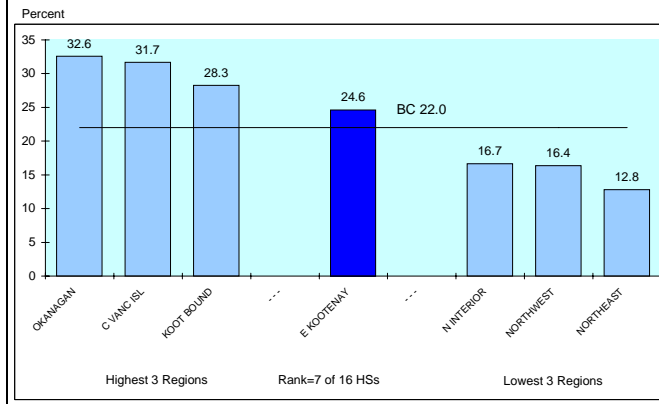
# HSDA 11 - EAST KOOTENAY DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

2008

## AGE STRUCTURE

	E KOOTENAY		E KOOTENAY		B.C.	
	2008	2008	2018	2008	2018	2018
Population Estimate				(Percent Distribution)		
0-17 years	15,743	19.9	17.4	19.5	18.0	
18-24 years	6,611	8.4	7.3	9.6	7.8	
25-64 years	44,202	55.9	52.7	56.4	56.1	
65+ years	12,508	15.8	22.6	14.5	18.1	
<b>Total</b>	<b>79,064</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Dependency Rate (%)						
Child		31.0	28.9	29.5	28.2	
<b>Elderly</b>		<b>24.6</b>	<b>37.6</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>28.3</b>	
<b>Total</b>		<b>55.6</b>	<b>66.5</b>	<b>51.5</b>	<b>56.5</b>	

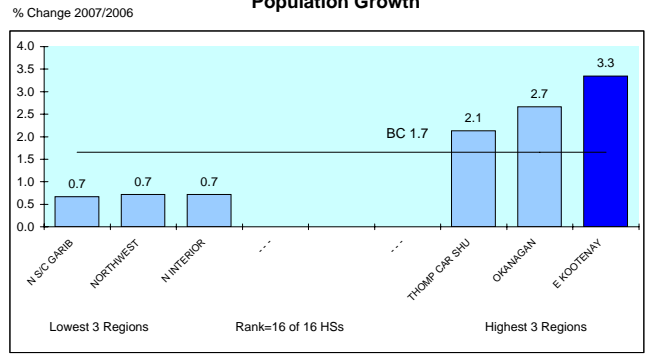
**Elderly Dependency Rate - 2008**



## POPULATION GROWTH

	E KOOTENAY	B.C.
Annual Average Population Percent Change		
<b>Last year</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>
Last 5 years	1.1	1.3
Last 10 years	0.2	1.0

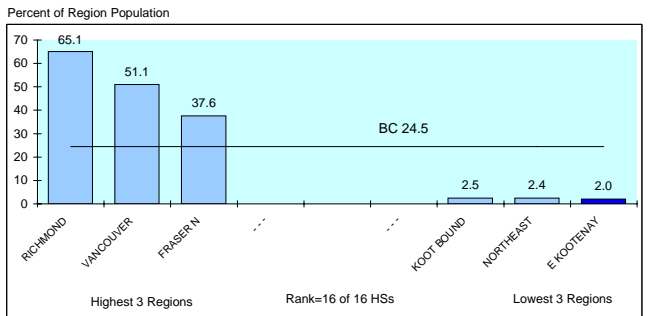
**Population Growth**



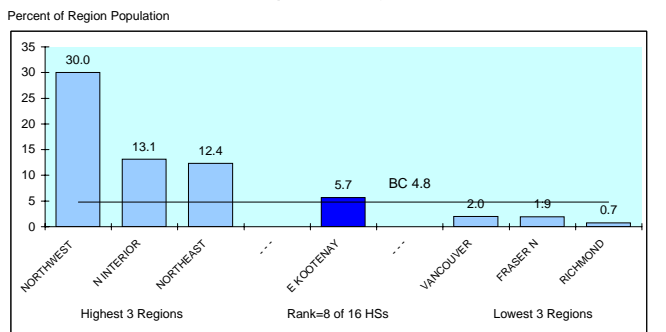
## ETHNIC IDENTITY

	E KOOTENAY	E KOOTENAY	B.C.
	2006	(Percent Distribution)	2006
<b>Total Visible Minorities</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>24.5</b>
Single Origins	1,470	2.0	28.1
Chinese	315	0.4	9.9
South Asian	425	0.6	6.4
Filipino	140	0.2	6.4
Japanese	275	0.4	0.9
Other	315	0.4	4.6
Multiple Origins	30	0.0	0.6
<b>Total Aboriginal People</b>	<b>4,155</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>4.8</b>
Rest of Population	67,780	92.3	70.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>73,435</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**Visible Minority Population - 2006**



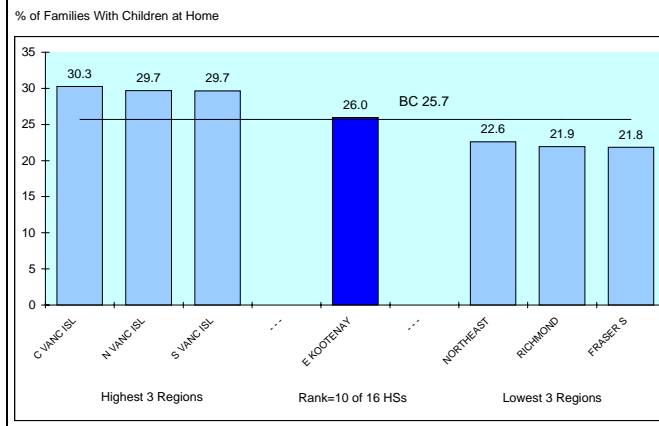
**Aboriginal Identity - 2006**



## FAMILY STRUCTURE

	E KOOTENAY	E KOOTENAY	B.C.
	2006	(Percent Distribution)	2006
Total Census Families - 2006	22,290		
No Children at Home	11,215	50.3	41.3
Children at Home	11,065	49.6	58.7
Families with Children			
Couples	8,190	74.0	74.3
<b>Lone Parents</b>	<b>2,875</b>	<b>26.0</b>	<b>25.7</b>
Avg Number of Children		1.8	1.8
		(% of Total in Economic Families)	
Unattached Individuals	10,895	17.5	17.9

**Lone Parent Families as a % of Families With Children at Home - 2006**



INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC HARDSHIP

**INCOME LEVELS**

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Average Family Income 2005 (\$) (see glossary)		
All Census Families	71,498	80,511
Husband/Wife	75,980	86,574
Female Lone Parent	37,362	43,491
Income Distribution Among Families		
< \$20,000	7.6	8.0
\$20,000 - \$79,999	58.8	53.8
\$80,000+	33.6	38.1
Incidence of Low Income in Economic Families		
	9.4	13.3
Income Inequality Measure		
<b>Income Share of Bottom Half (poorest) of Households*</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>20.7</b>
<b>Income Share of Poorest Households* - 2005</b>		

\* The proportion of each region's household income that accrues to households earning less than the median income. In a situation of perfect equality, the bottom half (poorest) households would receive 50% of the total income.

**HOUSING COSTS**

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Households (Occupied non-farm non-reserve) - 2006		
% Renting	20.7	30.4
Gross Rent or Major Monthly Payment (\$)		
Tenants	619	828
Owners	749	1059
% Paying 30% or More of Their Income on Housing Costs		
Tenants	40.5	43.4
Owners	14.7	22.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>29.0</b>
<b>Households Paying 30% or More on Housing Costs - 2005</b>		

**INCOME ASSISTANCE**

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
% of Population Receiving IA Benefits* - September 2008		
Total (0-64)	3.0	3.8
Children (0-18)	2.5	3.3
Youth (19-24)	3.1	3.0
By Duration		
>1 Year	2.1	2.7
<1 Year	0.9	1.2
% of Income Assistance Caseload that are Single Parent Families*		
	14.8	13.9
% of Population 19-64 on Income Assistance* and are Employable		
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.8</b>
By Duration		
>1 Year	0.1	0.3
<1 Year	0.3	0.5
* All Income Assistance recipients include the disabled but exclude Aboriginal persons on reserve.		
% of OAS Recipients Receiving Max. Gov't Income Supp. - 2008		
Total	1.2	3.3
Males	1.0	2.7
Females	1.2	3.3
<b>% of Population 19-64 Receiving Income Assistance* and are Employable - September 2008</b>		

**INCOME DEPENDENCY**

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Composition of Total Income - 2005		
Employment	75.1	77.1
Government Transfers	12.0	9.6
Other	12.9	13.4
Income Dependency 2005		
Forestry	12%	7%
Mining	14%	3%
Construction	9%	8%
Gov't transfer payments	16%	15%
Tourism	8%	6%
Public Sector	20%	26%
<b>Income Dependency on Forestry, Mining &amp; Fishing* - 2005</b>		

BC data is a Weighted Average of LHAs/RDs

\*Heavy dependency on the primary sector increases the vulnerability of a region to swings in the economic cycle resulting in economic hardship

INDICATORS OF LABOUR MARKET ISSUES

LABOUR DEMAND

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Labour Force 2006		
Industrial Structure (% Distribution)		
Goods		
Primary	12.6	4.4
Manufacturing	10.1	7.6
Construction	7.6	8.6
Services	65.6	74.4
Non-Government	4.0	5.0
Government	99.9	100.0
Occupational Structure (% Distribution)		
Management:	<b>20.1</b>	<b>10.5</b>
Professional Occupations in:		
Business & Finance	2.9	2.5
Natural & Applied Sciences	3.0	1.5
Health	4.4	3.4
Social sciences (excl. teachers)	2.6	2.9
Teachers	5.6	2.7
Art & Culture	1.5	1.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>14.4</b>
Technical Trades & Assorted Other High Skilled Occupations in:		
Finance & Insurance Admin.	3.8	2.2
Techs In Natural & Appl. Sciences	5.5	3.7
Techs. In Health	3.2	2.2
Paraprofs. in Soc Sci Educ etc	4.5	1.5
Techs in Art Culture & Rec.	3.5	2.0
Skilled Sales & Service	9.2	4.7
Trades & Skilled Transp & Equip Ops.	10.4	12.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>29.1</b>
Intermediate & Lesser Skilled Occups*	<b>42.9</b>	<b>46.0</b>

\* High Skilled Occupations in Primary Manufacturing and Protective Services could not be separated out so are included in Intermediate & Lesser Skilled Occupations.

LABOUR SUPPLY

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
% of Population 20+ With Post Secondary Qualifications - 2006		
Total	55.5	61.8
With Post Secondary Certificate or Diploma	39.7	31.5
<b>With University Degree</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>24.1</b>
% Distribution by Field of Study		
Educational, Recreational & Counselling	9.8	7.5
Fine & Applied Arts	1.9	4.2
Humanities & Related	2.7	5.6
Social Sciences & Related	6.0	10.5
Commerce, Managmnt & Business Admin	19.2	21.0
Agricultural & Biological Sciences/Tech	1.9	3.5
Engineering & Applied Sciences	2.3	4.1
Engineerring & Applied Science Tech/Trades	26.7	21.1
Health Professions, Sciences & Tech	17.3	14.2
Mathematics & Physical Sciences	6.9	5.5
No Specialization & All Other n.e.c	5.3	2.6
	99.9	100.0
<b>% of Population 20+ With a University Degree - 2006</b>		

Percent

Worst 3 Regions Rank=2 of 16 HSs Best 3 Regions

UNEMPLOYMENT

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Employment Insurance Beneficiaries Sept. 2008		
Total Beneficiaries 19-64 Years of Age	1,140	69,154
Percent Female	66.2	63.6
Percent 19-24 Years Old	14.6	11.4
Total Beneficiaries as a Percent of Population 19-64		
Sep /08	2.3	2.4
Jun /08	2.4	2.5
Mar /08	3.7	2.9
Dec /07	3.5	3.1
Sep /07	2.2	2.2
<b>Most recent 4 quarter average</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.8</b>
<b>EI Beneficiaries - 4 Quarter Average to September 2008</b>		

% of Population 19-64

Worst 3 Regions Rank=10 of 16 HSs Best 3 Regions

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	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Labour Force 2006		
Participation Rate		
Males	70.1	70.7
Females	60.0	60.7
Total	65.0	65.6
% Full Year, Full Time Workers	44.2	46.5
% Self Employed	15.2	14.1
<b>Average Employment Income (\$) - 2005</b>	<b>24,083</b>	<b>34,978</b>
Average Employment Income of Full-Year Full-Time Workers (\$)		
Males	56,111	57,772
Females	35,377	41,073
Ratio of Female to Male Income	63.0	71.1
<b>Average Employment Income (\$) - 2005</b>		

Dollars

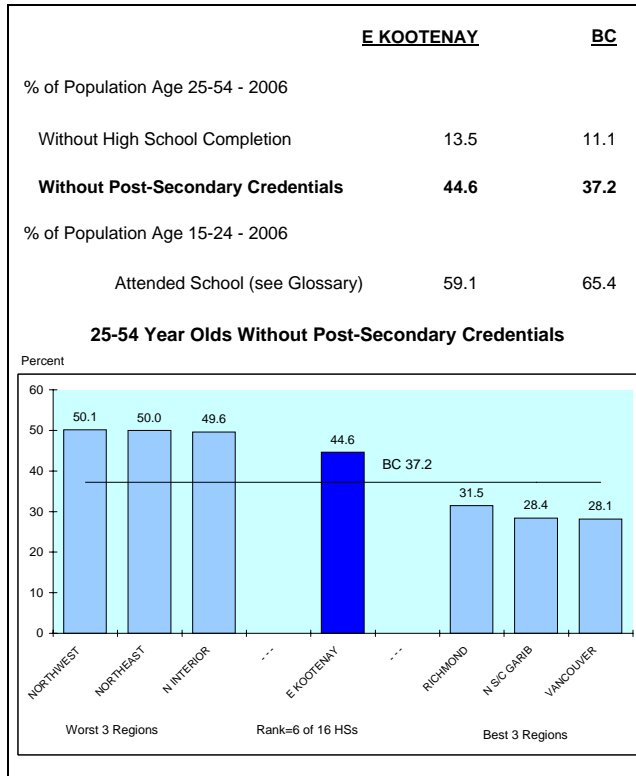
Worst 3 Regions Rank=8 of 16 HSs Best 3 Regions

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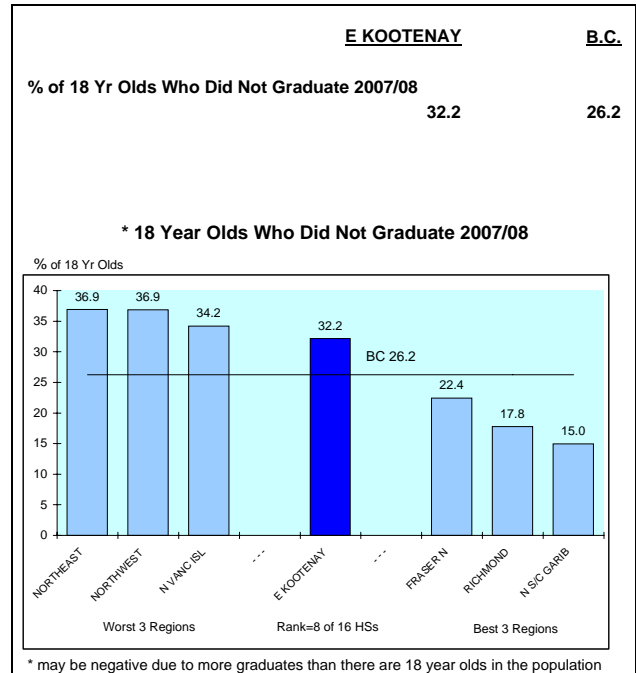
## INDICATORS OF EDUCATION CONCERNS

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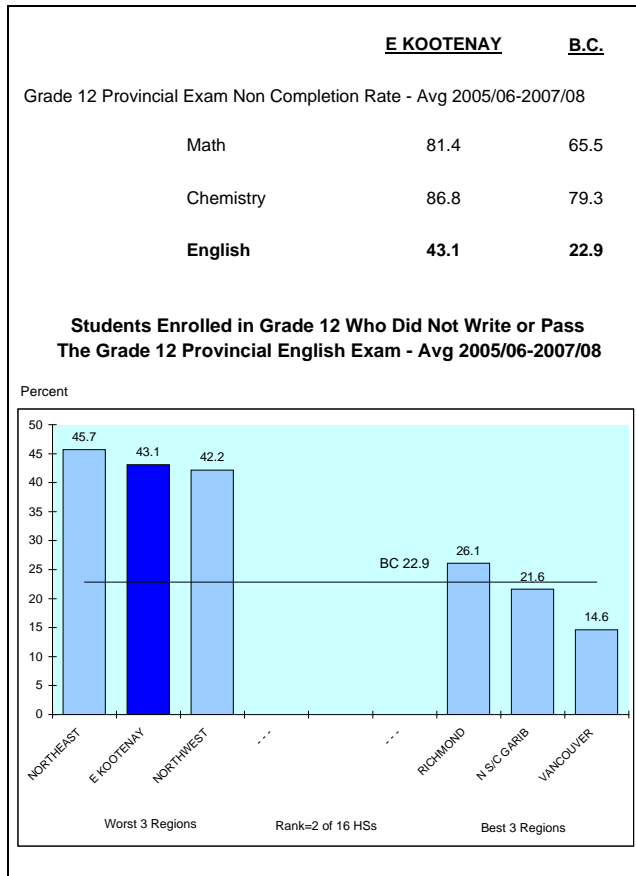
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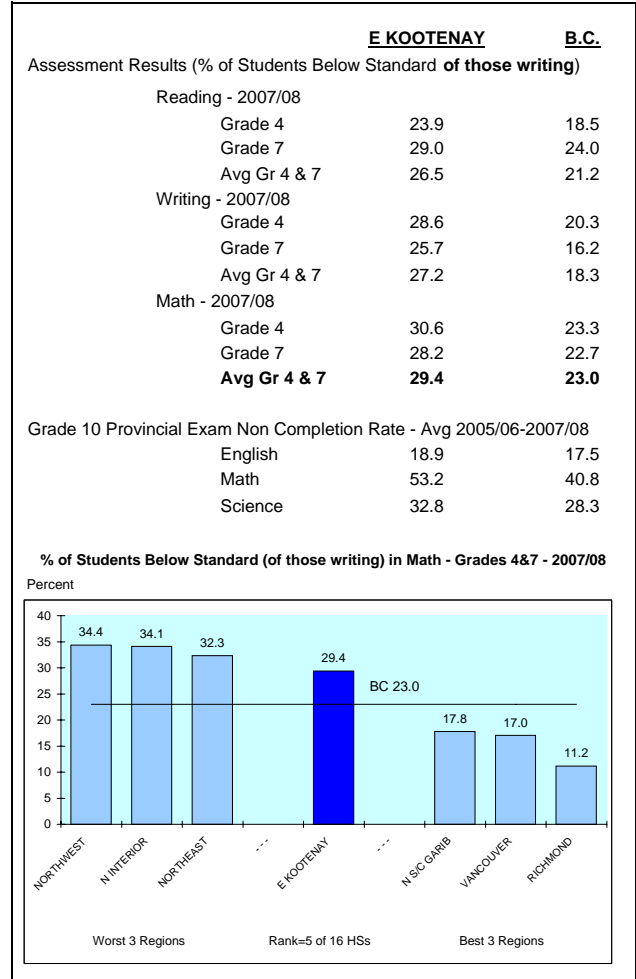
### HIGH SCHOOL



### PROVINCIAL EXAMS



### TEST SCORES



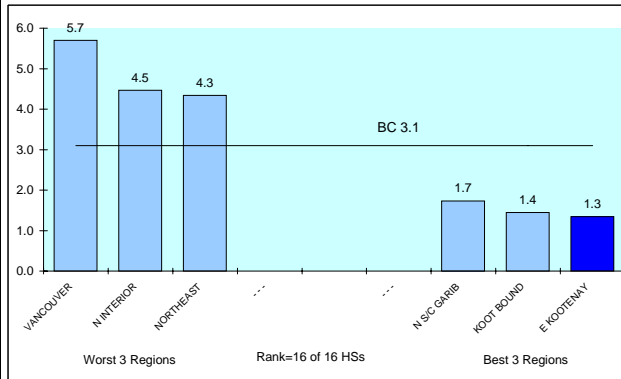
INDICATORS OF CRIME

SERIOUS CRIME

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Serious Crime Rate - Avg 2004-2006		
Violent	1.3	3.1
Property	9.0	11.7
Total Serious	10.4	14.8
Number of Serious Crimes Per Police Officer	9.7	10.9
Serious Juvenile (Age 12-17) Crime Rate - Avg 2004-2006		
Violent	1.7	2.5
Property	5.3	2.0
Total Serious	7.0	4.5

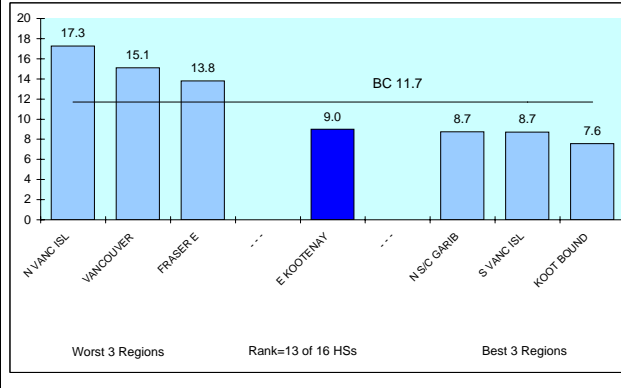
Serious Violent Crime Rate - 2004-2006

Offences per 1,000 Population



Serious Property Crime Rate - 2004-2006

Offences per 1,000 Population



OTHER INDICATORS OF CRIME

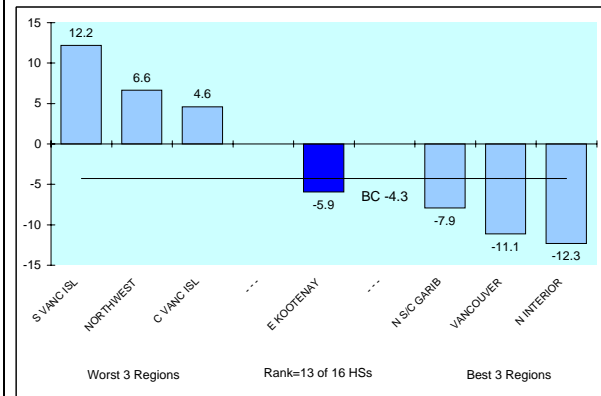
	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Crime Rate - Avg 2004-2006		
Motor Vehicle Theft	5.1	8.0

CHANGE IN CRIME RATE

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Change in Serious Crime Rate - Avg 2004-06 / Avg 2001-03		
Violent	-5.7	8.0
Property	-6.0	-7.1
Total Serious	-5.9	-4.3

Change in Total Serious Crime Rate

% Change Avg 04-06/Avg 01-03

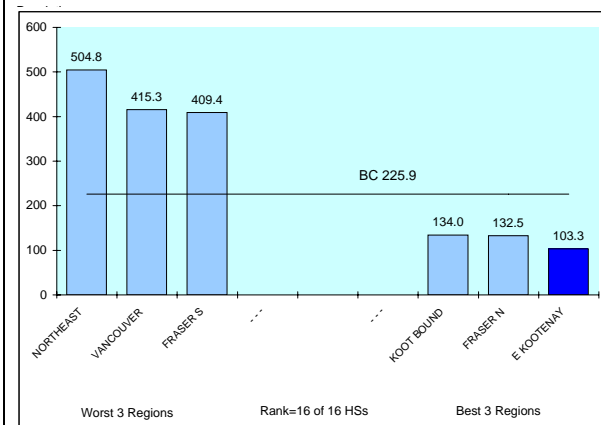


SERIOUS DRUG CRIME

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Indicators of Serious Drug Crime - Avg 2004-2006		
Non-Cannabis Drug Offences (Offences per 100,000 Pop)	103.3	225.9
Juvenile (12-17) Non-Cannabis Drug Charges (Charges per 100,000 Pop Age 12-17)	14.7	47.0
Illicit Drug Deaths - Avg 2005-2007 (Deaths per 100,000 Pop Age 19-64)	6.1	7.2

Non-Cannabis Drug Offences - Avg 2004-2006

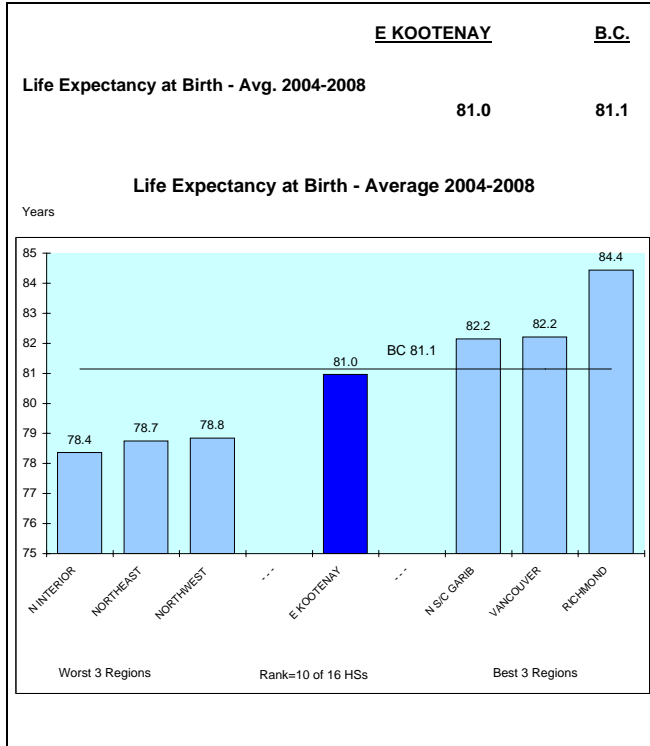
Offences per 100,000



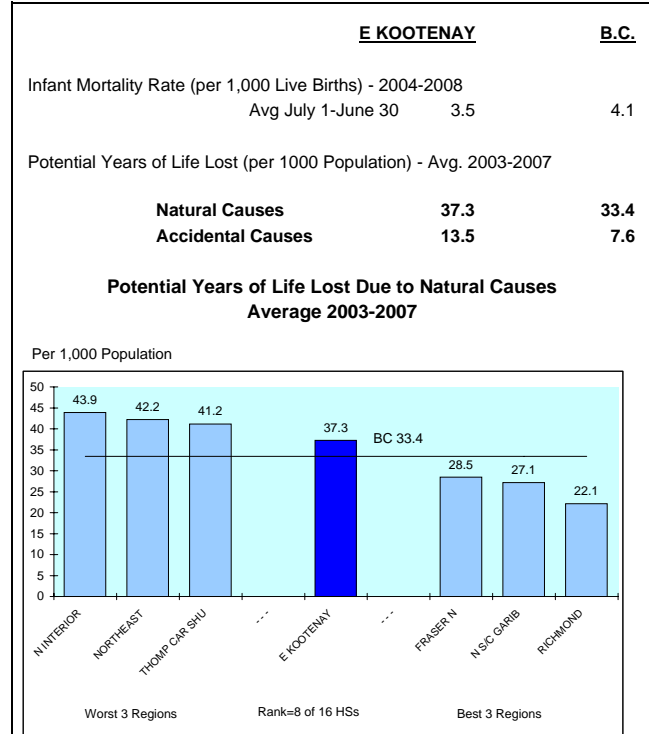
NOTE: Crime Rate = # of Offences(Charges for Juveniles) Per 1,000 Population unless otherwise noted.

INDICATORS OF HEALTH PROBLEMS

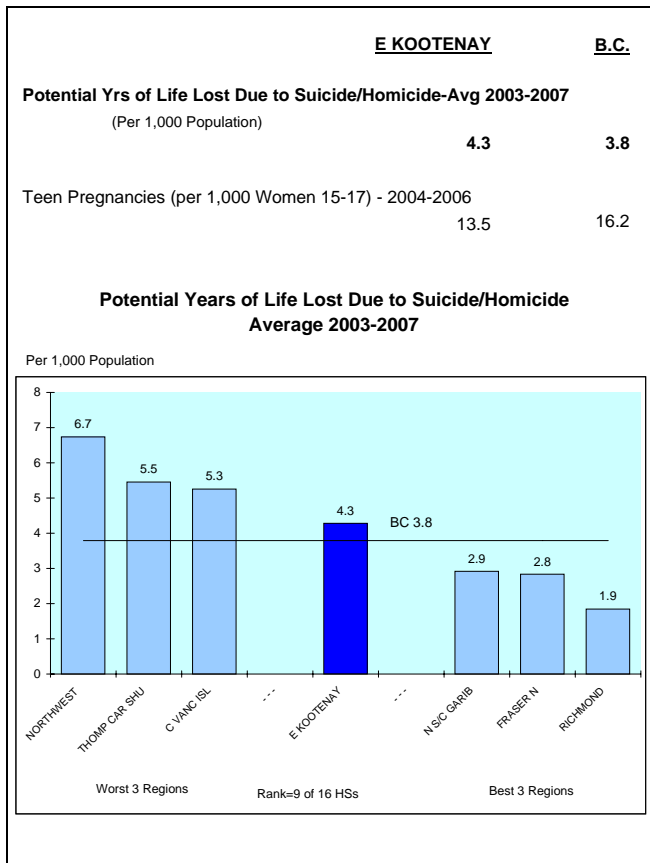
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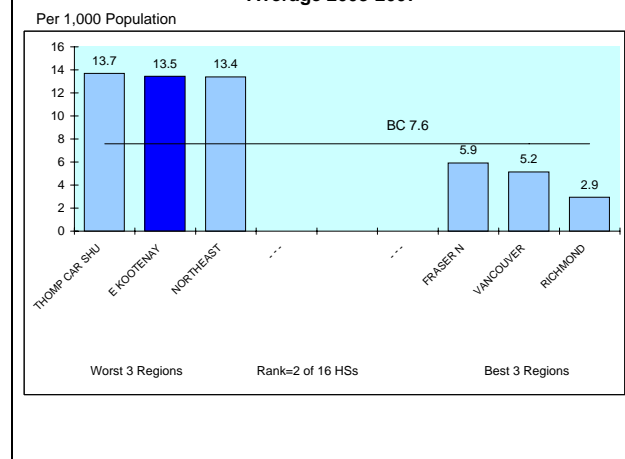
PHYSICAL HEALTH



MENTAL HEALTH



Potential Years of Life Lost Due to Accidental Causes Average 2003-2007



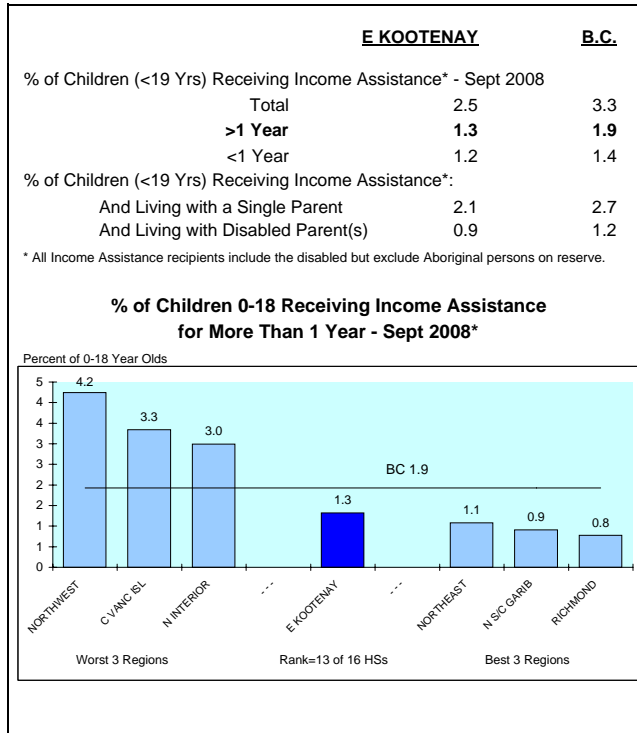
ALCOHOL SALES\*

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Per Capita Alcohol Sales - 2008 (Per Population Age 19+)		
Dollars Spent (\$)	1091	805
Litres Consumed	175	112
% Distribution of Litres Sold		
Spirits	6.2	6.5
Wine	8.5	14.5
Beer/Cider/Coolers	85.4	78.9

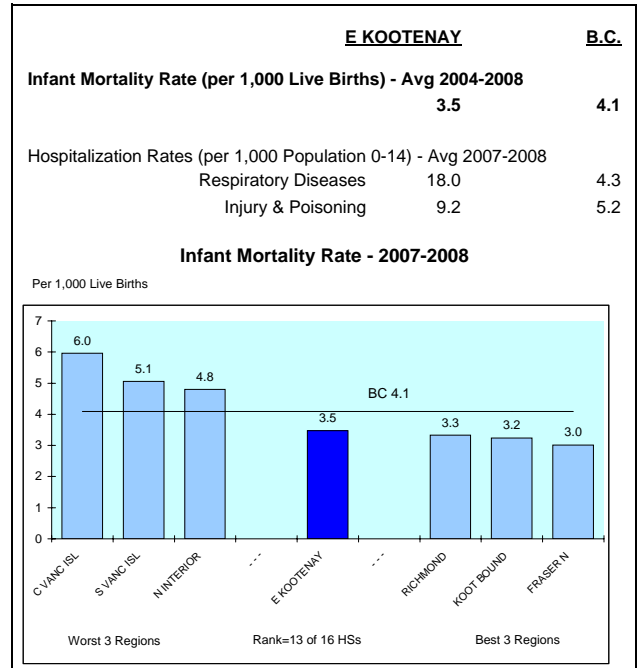
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INDICATORS OF CHILDREN AT RISK

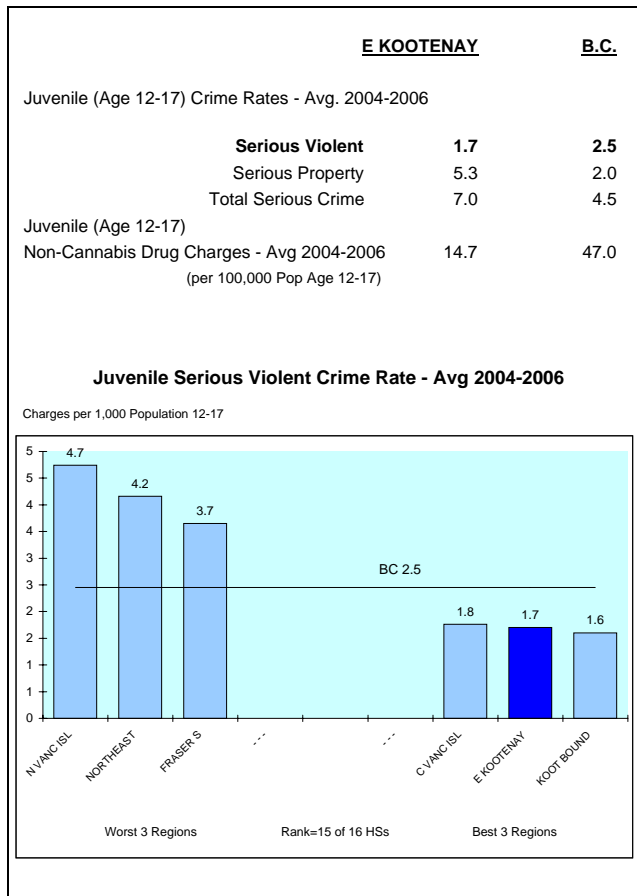
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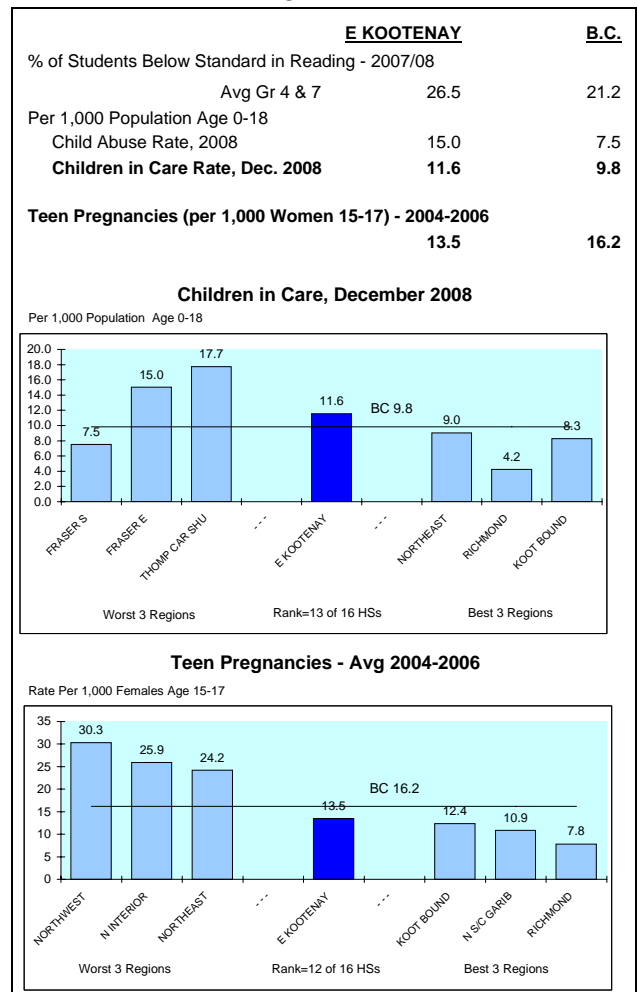
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**CRIME**



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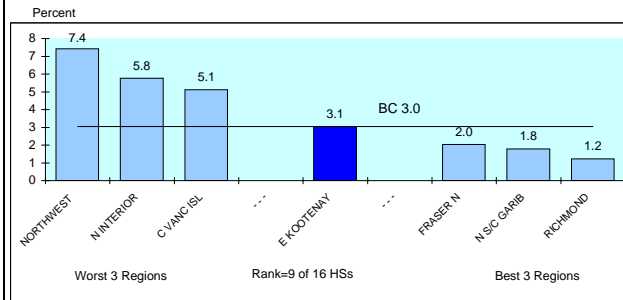


INDICATORS OF YOUTH AT RISK

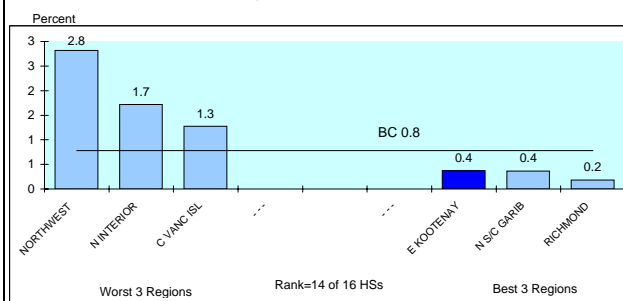
INCOME ASSISTANCE

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
% of Youth (Age 19-24) Receiving Income Assistance* - Sept 2008		
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>3.0</b>
> 1 Year	1.7	1.7
<1 Year	1.3	1.3
% of Youth (Age 19-24) on Income Assistance and Single Parents		0.6
% of Youth (Age 19-24) on Income Assistance and Employable		
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.8</b>

% of Youth 19-24 Receiving Income Assistance - September 2008



% of Youth 19-24 Receiving Income Assistance Who Are Employable

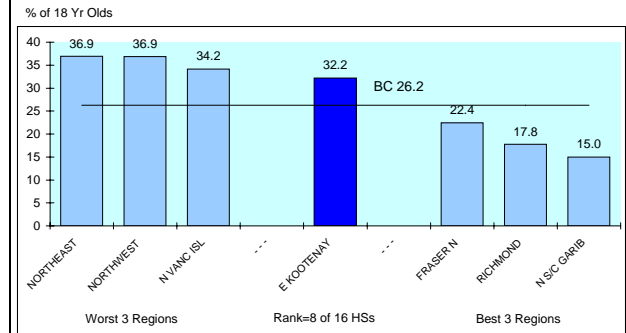


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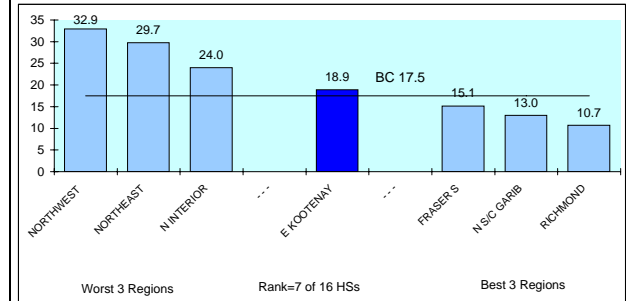
EDUCATION

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
% of 18 Yr Olds Who Did Not Graduate - 2007/08	<b>32.2</b>	<b>26.2</b>
Grade 12 Provincial Exam Non Completion Rate - Avg 2005/06-2007/08		
English	43.1	22.9
Chemistry	86.8	79.3
Math	81.4	65.5
Grade 10 Provincial Exam Non Completion Rate - Avg 2005/06-2007/08		
<b>English</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>17.5</b>

18 Year Olds Who Did Not Graduate - 2007/08



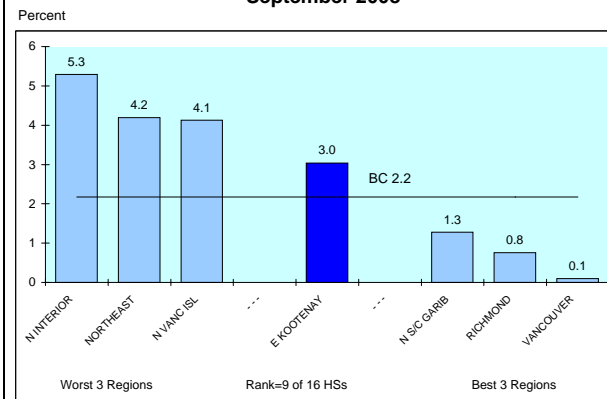
Gr. 10 Prov. Exam Non-Completion Rate - English - Avg 2005/06-2007/08



UNEMPLOYMENT

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Employment Insurance Beneficiaries Age 19-24 - Sept 2008	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>

Population 19-24 Receiving Employment Insurance September 2008



OTHER

	<u>E KOOTENAY</u>	<u>B.C.</u>
Total Juvenile Serious Crime Rate - Avg 2004-2006 (Offences per 1,000 Pop Age 12-17)	6.9	4.5
Non-Cannabis Juvenile Drug Offences - Avg 2004-2006 (Offences per 100,000 Pop Age 12-17)	14.7	47.0
Hospitalization rates from Motor Vehicle Accidents, 2007/08 (Per 1,000 Pop Age 15-24)	<b>4.5</b>	<b>1.7</b>

Hospitalization Rates from Motor Vehicle Accidents - 2007/08

