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# WELCOME



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What makes the Greater Lexington area unique is its variety – the variety of its landscape, educational opportunities, health care choices, employment options, family activities, arts and culture, businesses, and economy. Our region is among the smartest, most affordable, job friendly, entrepreneurial, most inspiring, and innovative places in America.

The Lexington region's economic success comes largely from its diverse economy, which has been mentioned by multiple national sources. The region serves as a health care, retail, and cultural center for both Central and Eastern Kentucky. Employment is dispersed among government, education and healthcare, retail trade, manufacturing, professional and business services, and construction. As a result of these diverse opportunities, Lexington's unemployment rate is typically lower than the rest of the state and nation.

A lot has been happening here in recent years – from streetscape improvements to new and enhanced bike and walking trails to many hospital expansions and the opening of many new businesses and restaurants. There's a perception among many residents here that Lexington is on the move, and the city you are experiencing today is far different than that of even a decade ago. The downtown area continues to see enhancements, from the recent expansion of Central Bank Center and upgrades to Rupp Arena, the City Center Complex, Town Branch Commons Trail, the ever-evolving Distillery District, a new mixed-use facility in the East End called The MET, and the Town Branch Park, which is coming soon behind Rupp Arena.

Whether you're coming here to live, work, start a business, or play, you'll find Central Kentucky full of charm and hospitality. It's an experience like no other, and you'll find yourself wanting to come back again and again or perhaps you'll just decide to stay.

## Lexington to Celebrate 250th Anniversary in 2025

Lexington is rich in tradition and history. Well-known explorer Daniel Boone established nearby Boonesboro, one of the first settlements in the state, in 1775. It helped pave the way for others to follow and settle an area known as McConnell Springs, Lexington's birthplace. The settlers later named the area after the site of the opening battle of the Revolutionary War at Lexington, Massachusetts. Fayette County was named in honor of Marquis de Lafayette, France's largest supporter of the American Revolution in 1780.

Once a part of Virginia, Lexington was granted 710 acres by the Virginia General Assembly in 1782. Ten years later, Virginia released Kentucky, and it assumed statehood, making Frankfort its state capital. In 1812, Henry Clay, who is known as "The Great Compromiser," built Ashland, a 400-acre estate. Lexington opened its first city school in 1834. When the 1890's rolled around, tobacco replaced hemp as the major cash crop in the Bluegrass. By the early 1900's, Lexington became the world's largest burley tobacco market.

Historic Keeneland Race Course opened to huge crowds in 1936, while planes began taking off from nearby Blue Grass Airport in 1942. In 1974, the city of Lexington and Fayette County merged, creating Kentucky's only urban county government until 2003, when Louisville merged its city and county governments.

City officials and community leaders are busy preparing for a celebration in 2025 that will mark 250 years since Lexington's founding. The Mayor's 250 Lex Commission is planning an entire year's worth of events honoring the cultural and historic significance of our past, present and future. Find out more on-line at [www.lexingtonky.gov/250lex](http://www.lexingtonky.gov/250lex).



# LIVING IN GREATER LEX



The housing choices for a resident of Fayette County are as diverse as the people and the economy. From newer suburban neighborhoods like Andover or Masterson Station to older, historical areas such as Henry Clay and Chevy Chase, Lexington truly offers something for everyone. While housing costs in Fayette County have increased in recent years, people can still choose from downtown living, farms,

apartments and duplexes, million-dollar homes, and suburbia, or check out the small-town atmosphere of communities like Midway, Paris, Versailles or Winchester. With thousands of college students descending on the area each fall, a plethora of options are available to renters, such as apartment complexes, townhouses, duplexes, and even older homes near campus.

## Lexington-Fayette County's Cost of Living Index (2023 Averages):

METRO AREA	COMPOSITE	GROCERY	HOUSING	UTILITIES	TRANSPORT.	HEALTH CARE	MISC. GOODS
Lexington, KY	92.0	101.3	73.7	104.4	92.0	83.7	101.3
Charleston, SC	98.2	101.7	95.8	121.1	87.9	88.7	97.2
Charlotte, NC	96.5	100.3	88.2	88.8	93.6	110.6	102.7
Atlanta, GA	98.3	101.3	98.4	81.1	99.4	109.2	99.6
Columbus, OH	91.8	103.5	84.3	95.3	90.3	85.2	93.5
Cincinnati, OH	96.9	102.4	84.2	100.0	102.4	102.7	101.7
Madison, WI	103.9	101.7	99.2	109.2	101.3	119.7	106.2
Nashville, TN	98.8	100.1	106.5	102.1	91.8	90.8	94.4

**ABOUT THE INDEX:** C2ER produces the Cost of Living Index to provide a useful and reasonably accurate measure of living cost differences among urban areas. Items on which the Index is based have been carefully chosen to reflect the different categories of consumer expenditures. Weights assigned to relative costs are based on government survey data on expenditure patterns for professional and executive households. All items are priced in each place at a specified time and according to standardized specifications.

### By-The-Numbers: What You Can Expect

**\$376,690**

Cost for 2,400-square foot living area new home with three bedrooms, two baths, and a two-car garage on 60x120 lot.

**\$1,046**

Monthly rent for unfurnished apartment with two bedrooms, two baths at approximately 950-square feet (excluding all utilities except water and sewer).

**6.58%**

Average mortgage rate with points.

**\$85.83**

Average monthly electric bill.

**\$121.58**

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Average monthly phone bill.

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# LIVING IN GREATER LEX

Many of the national economic rankings recognizing Lexington-Fayette County are based on statistical information from the entire region. The impact of people and businesses throughout the Greater Lexington area is substantial due to the close proximity of Fayette County to the surrounding communities. Lexington's closeness to cities like Winchester, Berea, Richmond, and Versailles allows for easy trips to and from those communities to enjoy shopping, arts and crafts fairs, festivals, golfing, and much more.



## Berea

Located 35 miles south of Lexington just off I-75 where the Bluegrass meets the mountains in northern Madison County, Berea is known as the "Folk Arts and Crafts Capital of Kentucky." It is home to the Kentucky Artisan Center, where people can explore Kentucky artisan works and their stories in the center's exhibit and retail areas, and shop for a wide range of Kentucky products. For more information, visit [www.visitberea.com](http://www.visitberea.com) or [www.bereachamber.com](http://www.bereachamber.com).

## Georgetown

Located just north of the crossroads of I-75 and I-64, Georgetown and Scott County are ideally located ten miles north of Lexington. Georgetown is one of Kentucky's fastest-growing communities and is the home of Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Kentucky, and Georgetown College, the first Baptist college founded west of the Allegheny mountains. For more information, visit [www.georgetownky.com](http://www.georgetownky.com) or [www.gtown.org](http://www.gtown.org).

## Midway

The city of Midway in Woodford County was built by the Lexington and Ohio Railroad in 1831. The site was also known as Middleway. Midway is the home of Midway University. In the heart of the Bluegrass Region, Midway is noted for its scenic beauty, its economic health, and the commitment of its citizens to preserving its community assets through careful and proactive planning and strategic action. For more, visit <http://meetmeinmidway.com>.

## Mt. Sterling

Founded in 1792, Mount Sterling is steeped in the history of early Kentucky. Located in the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains, many sites and buildings can be found on state and national historic registers. Each October, Mt. Sterling is the site of Kentucky's oldest festival, Court Day, a four-day event featuring arts and crafts, as well as food and music from local vendors. Find out more at <https://mtsterlingtourism.com> or [www.mtsterlingchamber.com](http://www.mtsterlingchamber.com).

## Nicholasville

Located less than two miles to the south of Lexington, Nicholasville in Jessamine County is another one of the state's fastest-growing places. It is home to the R.J. Corman Railroad Group, which was founded in 1973. Meanwhile, nearby Wilmore is home to Asbury College. For more information, visit [www.jessaminechamber.org](http://www.jessaminechamber.org), [www.nicholasville.org](http://www.nicholasville.org) and [www.wilmore.org](http://www.wilmore.org).

## Paris

About 17 miles northeast of Lexington, Paris is the county seat of Bourbon County, which was one of the original nine counties that comprised Kentucky when it became a state in 1792. Downtown Paris includes one of the most intact Victorian-era Main Streets in the state, and Bourbon County is one of the leading producers of Thoroughbred horses in the world. For more information, visit [www.pariskytourism.com](http://www.pariskytourism.com) or [www.parisbourbonchamber.com](http://www.parisbourbonchamber.com).

## Richmond

Founded in 1798, Richmond is now one of Kentucky's fastest-growing cities and is home to Eastern Kentucky University. With over 100 buildings on the National Register of Historic Places and three National Register Historic Districts, downtown Richmond is considered one of the state's finest restored 19th Century commercial districts. For more information, visit [www.richmondchamber.com](http://www.richmondchamber.com).

## Versailles

The seat of Woodford County, Versailles is located on U.S. 60 and U.S. 62. The town was established in 1792, and later incorporated in 1837. Versailles offers a wealth of historic southern homes and buildings listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Many of the residents built impressive homes early in the 19th Century, making Versailles one of the most architecturally interesting communities in Kentucky. For more information, visit <https://versailles.klc.org> or [www.woodfordcountyinfo.com](http://www.woodfordcountyinfo.com).

## Winchester

The city of Winchester in Clark County sits in the middle of Daniel Boone country just 20 miles to the east of Lexington. The legendary pioneer founded Fort Boonesborough in 1775, and the city of Winchester commemorates the occasion annually during its Daniel Boone Pioneer Festival held on Labor Day weekend. The area boasts many beautiful, fun and educational tourism spots. For more, visit [www.winchesterky.com](http://www.winchesterky.com) or [www.tourwinchester.com](http://www.tourwinchester.com).



## Collaborating to Be More Competitive

Regional leaders and elected officials within our nine-county economic development region have been working together on a Regional Competitiveness Plan aimed at making Greater Lexington more competitive for jobs and talent. Find out more at [commerceland.com/regional-plan.html](http://commerceland.com/regional-plan.html).



# GETTING AROUND



Photo by Ty Cole courtesy of Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government

It is often said that in business, location is everything. Lexington's economic success is due in large part to its prime location within the state of Kentucky, as well as the nation. Because the city sits at the crossroads of two major Interstate highways, I-64 (East-West) and I-75 (North-South), both visitors and businesses have easy access to many other U.S. cities in the East, South, and Midwest. In fact, Lexington is within a day's drive of two-thirds of the United States' population.

Lexington also benefits from its close proximity to surrounding communities like Georgetown, Cynthiana, Paris, Midway, Richmond and Versailles (pronounced VER-SALES). In addition, the city is just a hop, skip, and a jump from Cincinnati, Louisville, Nashville, Knoxville, and Huntington.

For newcomers, getting around Lexington can be daunting at times, but one of the best ways to remember where you need to go is to envision the hands of a clock, with the following numbers representing main roads in Lexington: 1:00 – Newtown Pike; 2:00 – North Broadway/Paris Pike; 3:00 – Winchester Road; 5:00 – Richmond Road; 7:00 – Nicholasville Road; 8:00 – South Broadway/Harrodsburg Road; 9:00 – Versailles Road; and 10:00 – West Main Street/Leestown Road.

The outside of the clock is represented by New Circle Road, a 26-mile stretch, which encircles the city. Just below the southern part of New Circle Road lies Man O' War Boulevard, which extends for 16 miles from Interstate-75 (Exit 108) near the Hamburg Pavilion to Versailles Road near Blue Grass Airport and the entrance to Keeneland Race Course.

## Air Travel:

Located at the corner of Man O' War Boulevard and Versailles Road, Lexington's Blue Grass Airport is the primary air service provider not only for central Kentucky, but also for much of eastern and southern Kentucky, serving a 54-county area. The airport is served by four major airlines, which provide convenient non-stop service to 16 destinations with convenient connecting service to business and leisure cities worldwide. Passengers can check flight status and schedules on-line at [www.bluegrassairport.com](http://www.bluegrassairport.com). For convenience, the airport also offers 30 minutes of free parking in both its short-term and long-term parking areas, an executive lounge, a mother's nursing suite, free wireless Internet, meeting rooms, valet parking, cell phone waiting lot and general aviation services.

## Public Transit:

Lextran's fixed-route bus service operates 26 routes, which move people all around Lexington. This service is vital to the people of Fayette County as it gets them to work, school, and other



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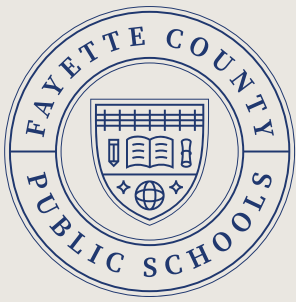
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## Bicycling:

Over the years, bicycling has become a popular mode of transportation in Lexington, and the local government has made great strides to keep bicyclists safe as they share the roads with automobiles. Lexington continues to invest in new and better marked bike lanes, as well as the development of more shared use trails. To learn about safe bike riding, bike parking, or Lexington trails, visit [www.lexingtonky.gov/trails](http://www.lexingtonky.gov/trails).

## Parking in Downtown:

There are estimated to be more than 10,000 parking spaces in the downtown area. The Lexington & Fayette County Parking Authority is committed to making parking more visible and accessible to visitors and residents, offering real-time availability in its parking garages at [www.parkme.com/map](http://www.parkme.com/map) and on-street parking using the convenience of LEXPARK's PayByPhone mobile app. Find out more at [www.lexpark.org](http://www.lexpark.org).



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## FCPS District Overview 2023-2024

### STUDENTS:

Total number of students enrolled .....	42,043
Kindergarten-Grade 5 .....	18,806
Grades 6-8.....	8,988
Grades 9-12.....	13,193
Other (preschool & special academic & alternative programs).....	1,056

### SCHOOLS:

Elementary schools .....	37
Middle schools .....	12
High schools.....	6
Technical senters .....	3
Specialized & magnet programs.....	6
Alternative support programs.....	6

### DIVERSITY:

White.....	43.3 percent
Black .....	23.3 percent
Hispanic.....	21.2 percent
Asian.....	5.2 percent
Other.....	7.0 percent

### EMPLOYEES:

Full-time teachers .....	3,283
Support & administrative staff .....	2,913
Teachers with advanced degrees .....	2,609
Teachers with National Board Certification .....	179
Beginning teacher's salary .....	\$50,085
Average teacher's salary.....	\$69,341

Information from [www.fcps.net](http://www.fcps.net)

Kentucky's commitment to education over the last 30-plus years has made it a model for the nation. The catch phrase, "Education Pays," has been embraced throughout the region. Kentucky has made major strides in teacher pay, student testing, teacher training, and administration. The Fayette County Public School (FCPS) system is no exception. The district continues to set high standards for education, with students consistently scoring above state and national averages on both the SAT and ACT. A majority of high school graduates in Fayette County attend college. FCPS is consistently listed among the nation's best for cities of Lexington's size. The district serves roughly 42,000 students and is governed by a five-member school board, with each person elected to a four-year term.

## Public School Registration:

Kentucky law requires youths between 6 and 18 years old to attend school, and the birthday cutoff to enroll in kindergarten is age 5 on or before August 1. Also, families may apply for preschool if their child turns 4 on or before August 1 and is income-eligible. Please visit our preschool webpage at [www.fcps.net/preschool](http://www.fcps.net/preschool) in late April for instructions. Three- and 4-year-olds who have a special need may also apply for the Fayette County Preschool Program year-round. Students will be enrolled at the school where they are zoned based on residential address. Once FCPS receives all the required documents, your school will confirm your child's enrollment. To find out more about the enrollment process and requirements, or to see what school zone within which you are located, visit [www.fcps.net/registration](http://www.fcps.net/registration).

## FCPS Preschool Program:

The Fayette County Preschool Program is the state-mandated preschool offering in Fayette County Public Schools. The district supports and follows the goals of the Kentucky Early Childhood Standards. The learning environment is skillfully planned by certified teachers using the philosophy of the Creative Curriculum to ensure a high quality, developmentally appropriate education for all young children. Preschool is not offered in every elementary school; therefore, our staff places children based on their districted area of town (by child care or home address), space at a school site, available buses, etc. Applications are accepted year-round, and children are placed throughout the year based on classroom space. To view the requirements or begin the on-line application process, visit [www.fcps.net/preschool](http://www.fcps.net/preschool).

# FAYETTE CO. PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## Elementary Schools

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## Middle Schools

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Web: jessieclark.fcps.net

**Leestown**  
2010 Leestown Road, 40511  
Phone: (859) 381-3181  
Web: leestown.fcps.net

**Lexington Traditional Magnet**  
350 North Limestone, 40508  
Phone: (859) 381-3192  
Web: ltms.fcps.net

**Morton**  
1225 Tates Creek Road, 40502  
Phone: (859) 381-3533  
Web: morton.fcps.net

**SCAPA (School for the Creative and Performing Arts) at Bluegrass**  
400 Lafayette Parkway, 40503  
Phone: (859) 381-3332  
Web: scapa.fcps.net

**Southern**  
400 Wilson Downing Road, 40517  
Phone: (859) 381-3582  
Web: southernmiddle.fcps.net

**Tates Creek**  
1105 Centre Parkway, 40517  
Phone: (859) 381-3052  
Web: tcms.fcps.net

**Winburn**  
1060 Winburn Drive, 40511  
Phone: (859) 381-3967  
Web: winburn.fcps.net

## H. Schools

**Bryan Station**  
201 Eastin Road, 40505  
Phone: (859) 381-3308  
Web: bsms.fcps.net

**Frederick Douglass**  
2000 Winchester Rd., 40509  
Phone: (859) 381-3780  
Web: douglass.fcps.net

**Henry Clay**  
2100 Fontaine Road, 40502  
Phone: (859) 381-3423  
Web: henryclay.fcps.net

**Lafayette**  
401 Reed Lane, 40503  
Phone: (859) 381-3474  
Web: lafayette.fcps.net

**Paul Laurence Dunbar**  
1600 Man O' War Blvd., 40513  
Phone: (859) 381-3546  
Web: pld.fcps.net

**Tates Creek**  
1111 Centre Parkway, 40517  
Phone: (859) 381-3620  
Web: tchs.fcps.net

## Other Programs

**Eastside Technical Center**  
2208 Liberty Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 381-3740  
Web: eastside.fcps.net

**The Learning Center**  
475 Price Road, 40508  
Phone: (859) 381-0597  
Web: tic.fcps.net

**Locust Trace AgriScience Center**  
3591 Leestown Road, 40511  
Phone: (859) 381-3990  
Web: locustrace.fcps.net

**Martin Luther King Jr. Academy for Excellence**  
2200 Liberty Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 381-4040  
Web: mlk.fcps.net

**Southside Technical Center**  
1800 Harrodsburg Road, 40504  
Phone: (859) 381-3603  
Web: southside.fcps.net

**The Stables**  
4185 Walt Robertson Rd., 40511  
Phone: (859) 333-5827  
Web: thestables.fcps.net

**Success Academy**  
1555 Georgetown Road, 40511  
Phone: (859) 381-3795  
Web: success.fcps.net

### Magnet Programs:

There are also a variety of magnet schools and programs available in the Fayette County Public Schools District, such as the Rise STEM Academy for Girls and others. Visit [www.fcps.net/magnet](http://www.fcps.net/magnet) for more information.

### Specialized Academic Programs:

Certain academic programs offer specialized education within a school or are freestanding sites, such as pre-engineering programs, Spanish Immersion, arts and others. Find out more on-line at [www.fcps.net/specialized](http://www.fcps.net/specialized).

# PRIVATE SCHOOLS



For parents seeking other alternatives for their children's education, Lexington offers many quality private and parochial schools, many of which have found success in sports with state championships and academics with high

test scores. Overall, private and parochial school enrollment numbers have risen in recent years. Tuition and admission requirements vary, so be sure to contact the individual school listed below for more detailed information.

## Commerce Lexington Member Private & Parochial Schools:

### Black Male Working Academy

3016 Bracktown Road, Lexington, 40511  
Phone: (859) 227-2663  
www.bmwacademyky.org

### Evergreen Nature School

Lexington, KY  
Phone: (859) 800-0090  
www.evergreennatureschool.com

### Lexington Catholic High School

2250 Clays Mill Road, Lexington, 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-7183  
www.lexingtoncatholic.com

### Lexington Christian Academy

450 W. Reynolds Rd., Lexington, 40503  
Phone: (859) 422-5700  
www.lexingtonchristian.org

### The Lexington School

1050 Lane Allen Road, Lexington, 40504  
Phone: (859) 278-0501  
www.thelexingtonschool.org

### Providence Montessori School

1209 Texaco Road, Lexington, 40508  
Phone: (859) 255-7330  
www.providencemontessoriky.org

### Sayre School

194 N. Limestone St., Lexington, 40507  
Phone: (859) 254-1361  
www.sayreschool.org

### Sts. Peter and Paul Regional School

423 West Short St., Lexington, 40507  
Phone: (859) 254-9257  
www.sppslex.org

**NOTE:** Additional schools and locations with child care, preschool and kindergarten options are listed on **Page 13** in the Child Care section.



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# PRIVATE SCHOOLS SPOTLIGHT



## Sayre School

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TO LEARN MORE OR TO SCHEDULE A VISIT, CONTACT THE ADMISSIONS OFFICE AT [ADMISSIONS@LEXINGTONCHRISTIAN.ORG](mailto:ADMISSIONS@LEXINGTONCHRISTIAN.ORG) | (859) 422-5770

## Lexington Christian Academy

In 1989, the leadership of The Lexington School and The Academy merged to create what would become one of the largest, independent Christian schools in America. Today, Lexington Christian Academy (LCA) serves over 1,400 students, preschool through 12th grade, from thirteen different counties in Central Kentucky. LCA offers a Christ-centered, world-class education. The administration, teachers and staff are committed to providing a rigorous academic program taught within a Christian framework. An LCA education not only prepares students in the classroom, but also on the playing field and performance stage, in chapels and retreats, and through leadership and outreach programs. By focusing on the whole child, LCA produces scholars that impact the world for Jesus Christ. The school is fully-accredited, and LCA graduates are accepted to a wide variety of colleges and universities across the country. To learn more about LCA, please call the school at (859) 422-5770 or e-mail to [admissions@lexingtonchristian.org](mailto:admissions@lexingtonchristian.org).



Lexington offers many licensed day care centers or day care homes for parents with preschool children. Many local churches and hospitals offer child care services. Many childcare resources are available through Child Care Aware of Kentucky, which is housed at the Human Development Institute at the University of Kentucky. It works on improving lifelong opportunities and services for individuals with disabilities, their families, and the community. For more details, visit on-line at [www.childcareawareky.org](http://www.childcareawareky.org).

The Commonwealth of Kentucky can also help connect you with state resources. To search for child care facilities across the state, visit [https://kynect.ky.gov/benefits/s/child-care-provider?origin=program-page&language=en\\_US](https://kynect.ky.gov/benefits/s/child-care-provider?origin=program-page&language=en_US) or call (855) 306-8959 to speak to a referral specialist. The Kentucky Division of Regulated Child Care has outlined what families should look for in a child care center. For more information, contact the Kentucky Cabinet for Family and Health Services at (800) 372-2973 or at <https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dccbs/dcc/Pages/find-care.aspx>.

## Commerce Lexington Member Child Care & Early Childhood Options:

**NOTE:** There are also child care and preschool options available at many of the private schools listed on page 11, and through Fayette County Public Schools listed on page 10 of this publication.

### Calvary Baptist Church

150 East High Street, Lexington, 40507  
Phone: (859) 254-3491  
<https://calvarybaptistchurch.com>

### Centenary United Methodist Church

2800 Tates Creek Road, Lexington, 40502  
Phone: (859) 269-2800  
[www.lexchurch.com/TCS](http://www.lexchurch.com/TCS)

### Child Development Center of the Bluegrass

290 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 40503  
Phone: (859) 218-2322  
[www.cdcbg.org](http://www.cdcbg.org)

### Community Action Council\*

**The Prep Academy Fayette County Locations**  
<https://commaction.org>

### The Prep Academy at Arbor Court\*

3712 Arbor Court, Lexington, 40517  
Phone: (859) 245-5195

### The Prep Academy at BCTC\*

164 Opportunity Way, Lexington, 40511  
Phone: (859) 253-2316

### The Prep Academy at Chrysalis\*

1589 Hill Rise Drive, Lexington, 40504  
Phone: (859) 977-2501

### The Prep Academy at Russell School

**Community Services Center\***  
520 Toner Street, Lexington, 40511  
Phone: (859) 554-4350

### The Prep Academy at South Lexington\*

3500 Arbor Drive, Lexington, 40517  
Phone: (859) 317-9434

### The Prep Academy at Winburn\*

1169 Winburn Drive, Lexington, 40511  
Phone: (859) 294-5249

### Easterseals Bluegrass

1900 Richmond Road, Lexington, 40502  
Phone: (859) 399-6270  
[www.cardinalhill.org](http://www.cardinalhill.org)

### First Choice Childcare Inc.

505 Kingston Road, Lexington, 40505  
Phone: (859) 293-6669

### Good Shepherd Day School

544 Sayre Avenue, Lexington, 40508  
Phone: (859) 255-9734  
[www.goodshepherddayschool.org](http://www.goodshepherddayschool.org)

### Growing Together Preschool

599 Lima Drive, Lexington, KY 40511  
Phone: (859) 255-4056  
<https://growingtogetherpreschool.org>

### The Hearing & Speech Center

350 Henry Clay Blvd., Lexington, KY 40502  
Phone: (859) 268-4545  
<https://hscky.org>

### The Nature Schools

5768 Tates Creek Road, Lexington, KY 40515  
Phone: (859) 595-9998  
[www.thenatureschools.org](http://www.thenatureschools.org)

### The Nest - Center for Women, Children & Families

530 North Limestone St., Lexington, 40508  
Phone: (859) 259-1974  
[www.thenestlexington.org/child-care](http://www.thenestlexington.org/child-care)

### PJ's Primary Care Center

325 Clifty Street, Somerset, 42501  
Phone: (606) 679-4589  
[www.pjsdaycareofsomerset.com/home.html](http://www.pjsdaycareofsomerset.com/home.html)

### Southern Hills United Methodist Church

2356 Harrodsburg Road, Lexington, 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-6176  
<https://southernhillsumc.org/shecp>

### St. John's Lutheran Church

516 Pasadena Drive, Lexington, 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-6391  
<https://stjohnslexington.org>

### Trinity Hill Child Care Center, Inc.

210 E. Reynolds Road, Lexington, 40517  
Phone: (859) 273-9526

### Wee Care Daycare & Preschool

455 E. Maxwell Street, Lexington, 40508  
Phone: (859) 231-8687  
[www.weecaredaycarelex.com](http://www.weecaredaycarelex.com)

# HIGHER EDUCATION



Photo courtesy of Eastern Kentucky University

The abundance of higher education institutions within the Greater Lexington area brings an infusion of students each fall, and with it comes big dreams and big ideas. The impact of which has produced a very well-educated workforce leading to the area's diverse economy.

In fact, according U.S. Census Bureau data, Lexington is among the smartest cities in the nation. For cities with a population of 300,000 or more, Lexington ranked 16th overall in percent of population (46.5%) age 25 and older having earned a bachelor's degree or higher. When considering those with advanced degrees (master's, professional or doctorate degrees), Lexington also ranked 13th (20.6%) among cities of comparable size. That educational attainment trend extends across the entire region, because the area is blessed with so many quality colleges and universities.

Anchored by the state's flagship university, the University

of Kentucky, Greater LEX boasts ten colleges and universities within 40 miles of Lexington. In addition, Lexington has four other professional and technical colleges. Over 58% of Lexingtonians between ages 18 and 24 are enrolled in college or graduate school, ranking the city fourth in college enrollment rates among cities with a population over 300,000.

Altogether, institutions of higher learning in the region continue to fuel our economy with total enrollment of nearly 71,500 and awarding over 20,000 degrees and credentials annually. The economic impact of many of these schools is huge, from student enrollment to faculty to workers to the infusion of research funds.

No matter what your schedule, budget, or career choice, the Bluegrass has a college or university to meet your needs. Contact one the institutions listed in this publication or visit them on-line to learn more.

## Commerce Lexington Member Higher Education Institutions:

### **Asbury University**

1 Macklem Dr., Wilmore, KY 40390-1198  
Phone: (859) 858-3511  
[www.asbury.edu](http://www.asbury.edu)

### **Bellevue University\***

Phone: (859) 533-7803  
<https://bluegrass.maxtransferadvantage.com>  
\*Partnership with the Kentucky Community & Technical College System.

### **Bluegrass Community & Technical College**

470 Cooper Drive, Lexington, KY 40506  
500 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY 40508  
164 Opportunity Way, Lexington, KY 40511  
Phone: (855) 246-2477  
<https://bluegrass.kctcs.edu>

### **Eastern Kentucky University**

521 Lancaster Avenue, Richmond, KY 40475  
Phone: (859) 622-1000  
[www.eku.edu](http://www.eku.edu)

### **Employment Solutions' College for Technical Education**

1165 Centre Pkwy. #120, Lexington, KY 40517  
Phone: (859) 253-2658  
<https://esinc.org>

### **Frontier Nursing University**

2050 Lexington Road, Versailles, KY 40383  
Phone: (859) 251-4700  
[www.frontier.edu](http://www.frontier.edu)

### **Georgetown College**

400 East College St., Georgetown, KY 40324  
Phone: (502) 863-8030  
[www.georgetowncollege.edu](http://www.georgetowncollege.edu)

### **Kentucky State University**

400 East Main Street, Frankfort, KY 40601  
Phone: (502) 597-6760  
[www.kysu.edu](http://www.kysu.edu)

### **Lexington Theological Seminary**

230 Lexington Green Circle, Suite 300  
Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 252-0361  
[www.lextheo.edu](http://www.lextheo.edu)

### **MedQuest College**

1575 Winchester Road, Lexington, KY 40505  
Phone: (859) 402-1035  
[www.medquestcollege.edu](http://www.medquestcollege.edu)

### **Midway University**

512 E. Stephens St., Midway, KY 40347  
Phone: (859) 846-5788  
[www.midway.edu](http://www.midway.edu)

### **Sullivan University – Lexington Campus**

2355 Harrodsburg Road, Lexington, KY 40504  
Phone: (859) 276-4357  
[www.sullivan.edu](http://www.sullivan.edu)

### **Transylvania University**

300 North Broadway, Lexington, KY 40508  
Phone: (859) 233-8300  
[www.transy.edu](http://www.transy.edu)

### **University of Kentucky**

100 Main Building, Lexington, KY 40506  
Phone: (859) 257-9000  
[www.uky.edu](http://www.uky.edu)



# SENIOR LIVING

Lexington's high quality of life has made the area increasingly popular for those seeking a retirement community. Area facilities provide everything from skilled care to independent living. The city of Lexington has a variety of programs and services for people at least 60 years old, who reside in Lexington and are independent in all areas of personal care and personal safety. Find out more on-line at [lexingtonky.gov/aging](http://lexingtonky.gov/aging). The city has four centers that provide services and activities for Lexington seniors.

## Lexington Senior Center

195 Life Lane, Lexington, KY 40502  
Monday – Friday: 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.  
Phone: (859) 278-6072

## Bell House

545 Sayre Avenue, Lexington, KY 40508  
Hours vary based on scheduled programming.  
Phone: (859) 233-0986

## Charles Young Center

540 E. Third St., Lexington, KY 40508  
Monday and Friday: 9:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.  
Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.  
Phone: (859) 246-0281

## Eldercrafters at the Black and Williams Center

498 Georgetown St., Lexington, KY 40508  
Monday – Thursday: 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.  
Phone: (859) 252-1288



Over the years, Lexington has worked hard to meet the needs of its expanding older population. For those who would like to continue learning, the The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at the University of Kentucky offers educational and enrichment courses, forums, shared interest groups, trips, events and more for adults 50 years and older. More than 1,300 adult learners participate annually.

OLLI at UK is a membership program with an annual fee of \$50. OLLI Scholars are eligible to register for courses and SIGs; take advantage of early bird registration windows; sign up for socials, trips, special events, and projects; access UK Wellness Centers; and more. Membership begins in August and includes Fall, Spring and Summer semesters.

Courses vary every semester and formats range from weekly classes to one-day intensives covering topics like Computers & Technology, Culture, Health & Wellness, History & Government, Languages, Literature & Writing, Performing & Visual Arts, Science & Environment, and Out of the Box. UK also offers weekly presentations on topics of interest each Fall and Spring. Both series are free and open to the public. The Donovan Forum Presentation Series is held Thursday afternoons at the Lexington Senior Center. Find out more at <https://olliatuk.uky.edu>.

## Commerce Lexington Member Senior Living Facilities:

### The Breckinridge

2109 Cornerstone Drive, Lexington, KY 40509  
Phone: (859) 543-9445  
[www.thebreckinridge.com](http://www.thebreckinridge.com)

### Bridgepointe at Ashgrove Woods

5220 Grey Oak Lane, Nicholasville, KY 40356  
Phone: (859) 885-3000  
[www.bridgepointeassistedcare.com](http://www.bridgepointeassistedcare.com)

### Cedarhurst of Beaumont

1165 Monarch St., Lexington, KY 40513  
Phone: (859) 335-7980  
[www.cedarhurstliving.com](http://www.cedarhurstliving.com)

### Christian Towers Apartments

1513 Versailles Rd., Lexington, KY 40504  
Phone: (859) 253-3625  
<https://mansermar.com/our-communities/christian-towers-ii/>

### Highgrove at Tates Creek

4251 Saron Drive, Lexington, KY 40515  
Phone: (859) 245-0100  
[www.highgroveattatescreek.com](http://www.highgroveattatescreek.com)

### The Lafayette

690 Mason Headley Rd., Lexington, KY 40504  
Phone: (859) 278-9080  
[www.phoenixsriving.com/thelafayette](http://www.phoenixsriving.com/thelafayette)

### Liberty Ridge Senior Living

701 Liberty Ridge Lane, Lexington, KY 40509  
Phone: (859) 543-9449  
[www.libertyridge.com](http://www.libertyridge.com)

### Mayfair Village Retirement Community

3310 Tates Creek Rd., Lexington, KY 40502  
Phone: (859) 266-2129  
[www.mayfairvillagelexington.com](http://www.mayfairvillagelexington.com)

### Morning Pointe of Lexington

233 Ruccio Way, Lexington, KY 40503  
Phone: (859) 554-0060  
[www.morningpointe.com](http://www.morningpointe.com)

### Morning Pointe of Lexington – East

150 Shoreside Drive, Lexington, KY 40515  
Phone: (859) 721-0350  
[www.morningpointe.com](http://www.morningpointe.com)

### Preston Greens Senior Living

1825 Little Herb Way, Lexington, KY 40509  
Phone: (859) 309-5185  
[www.prestongreensseniorliving.com](http://www.prestongreensseniorliving.com)

### Richmond Place Senior Living

3051 Rio Dosa Drive, Lexington, KY 40509  
Phone: (859) 269-6308  
[www.richmondplaceseniorliving.com](http://www.richmondplaceseniorliving.com)

### Sayre Christian Village

3775 Belleau Wood Dr., Lexington, KY 40517  
Phone: (859) 271-9000  
[www.sayrechristianvillage.org](http://www.sayrechristianvillage.org)

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# HEALTH CARE

Greater Lexington's health care supply is consistently ranked among the best in North America and the world. The industry continues to be at the forefront of economic growth for Lexington and the region with nearly 17-percent of the area's workforce employed in health care and social assistance fields. All three major hospitals in Lexington are planning or have completed or are nearing completion on major expansions or new locations. Offering a diverse range of services, including hospitals, clinics, blood banks, and emergency care, the region provides a variety of top-notch health care options. Greater LEX is home to many innovative and unprecedented medical efforts in the state, nation and the world. The University of Kentucky's Markey Cancer Center recently achieved NCI Comprehensive Cancer Center status - the National Cancer Institute's highest accolade. For Kentuckians, this means easier access to the best care, better patient outcomes, more research funding opportunities, and improved outreach to local communities.

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## Commerce Lexington Member Hospitals & Clinics:

### BLOOD BANKS

**Kentucky Blood Center, Inc.**  
3121 Beaumont Centre Circle, 40513  
Phone: (859) 276-2534  
[www.kybloodcenter.org](http://www.kybloodcenter.org)

### CLINICS

**Baptist Health Medical Group**  
1051 Newtown Pike, Suite 130, 40511  
Phone: (859) 253-0076  
[www.baptisthealth.com/care-services/services/occupational-medicine](http://www.baptisthealth.com/care-services/services/occupational-medicine)

**Doctors Urgent Care & Walk In Clinic**  
241 Pasadena Drive, Suite 110, 40503  
Phone: (859) 287-2627  
[www.urgentcarelexingtonky.com](http://www.urgentcarelexingtonky.com)

**Lexington Clinic**  
1221 South Broadway, 40504  
Phone: (859) 258-4000  
[www.lexingtonclinic.com](http://www.lexingtonclinic.com)

**Lexington Urgent Care**  
1701 Nicholasville Road, Suite 100, 40503  
Phone: (859) 523-5310  
[www.urgentcareofky.com](http://www.urgentcareofky.com)

**Marshall Lifestyle Medicine**  
3195 Beaumont Centre Circle, Suite 130, 40513  
2251 War Admiral Way, Suite 125, 40509  
Phone: (859) 554-8486  
[www.marshalllifestylemedicine.com](http://www.marshalllifestylemedicine.com)

**Morehead Primary Care**  
333 Beacon Hill Rd., Suite 201, Morehead, 40351  
Phone: (606) 780-0444  
[www.moreheadprimarycare.com](http://www.moreheadprimarycare.com)

**Mountain Comprehensive Care Center**  
*Fayette County Behavioral Health*  
152 West Zandale Dr., 40503  
Phone: (859) 368-8897  
[www.mtcomp.org](http://www.mtcomp.org)

### HOSPITALS

**Baptist Health Lexington**  
*Baptist Health Hamburg opening in 2024*  
1740 Nicholasville Road, 40503-1424  
Phone: (859) 260-6100  
[www.baptisthealthlexington.com](http://www.baptisthealthlexington.com)

**Bluegrass Community Hospital**  
360 Amsden Ave., Versailles, 40383  
Phone: (859) 873-3111  
[www.bluegrasscommunityhospital.com](http://www.bluegrasscommunityhospital.com)

**Bourbon Community Hospital**  
9 Linville Drive, Paris, 40361  
Phone: (859) 987-3600  
[www.bourbonhospital.com](http://www.bourbonhospital.com)

**Cardinal Hill Rehabilitation Hospital**  
2050 Versailles Road, 40504-1499  
Phone: (859) 254-5701  
[www.encompasshealth.com/locations/cardinalhillrehab](http://www.encompasshealth.com/locations/cardinalhillrehab)

**CHI Saint Joseph Health**  
1 Saint Joseph Drive, 40504  
Phone: (859) 313-1000  
[www.chisaintjosephhealth.org](http://www.chisaintjosephhealth.org)

**CHI Saint Joseph East**  
150 North Eagle Creek Drive, 40509  
Phone: (859) 967-5000  
[www.chisaintjosephhealth.org/saint-joseph-east](http://www.chisaintjosephhealth.org/saint-joseph-east)

CHI Saint Joseph Health is dedicated to building healthier communities. Its comprehensive health system offers 135 locations throughout central and eastern Kentucky, including hospitals, physician groups, clinics, primary care centers, specialty institutes and home health agencies.

**Clark Regional Medical Center**  
175 Hospital Drive, Winchester, 40391  
Phone: (859) 745-3500  
[www.clarkregional.org](http://www.clarkregional.org)

**Georgetown Community Hospital**  
1140 Lexington Road, Georgetown, 40324  
Phone: (502) 868-1100  
[www.georgetowncommunityhospital.com](http://www.georgetowncommunityhospital.com)

**LifePoint Health**  
1140 Lexington Rd., Georgetown, 40324  
Phone: (502) 868-1100  
<https://lifepointhealth.net>

**Shriners Hospitals for Children**  
110 Conn Terrace, 40508  
Phone: (859) 266-2101  
[www.shrinerschildren.org](http://www.shrinerschildren.org)

**UK HealthCare**  
<https://ukhealthcare.uky.edu>

**UK Albert B. Chandler Hospital - Pavilion A**  
1000 South Limestone, 40536  
Phone: (859) 323-5000

**UK Albert B. Chandler Hospital - Pavilion H&HA**  
800 Rose Street, 40536  
Phone: (859) 323-5000

**UK Good Samaritan Hospital**  
310 S. Limestone, 40508  
Phone: (859) 323-7000

**UK HealthCare - Turfland**  
2195 Harrodsburg Road, 40504  
Phone: (859) 257-1000

**Eastern State Hospital**  
1350 Bull Lea Road, 40511  
Phone: (859) 246-8000

**Kentucky Children's Hospital**  
UK Chandler Hospital  
800 Rose Street, 4th Floor, 40536  
Phone: (859) 218-0921

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# WHAT TO EXPERIENCE

The Lexington History Museum re-opened to great fanfare at its new home on North Broadway with updated exhibits and programming. (Photo by Mark Turner)

As the “Horse Capital of the World,” Greater LEX has no shortage of horse-related activities – from horse farm tours to a day at the races to elegant equestrian events. One place you won’t want to miss is historic Keeneland Race Course, which offers Thoroughbred racing in April and October, and horse sales throughout the year.



Photo courtesy of Keeneland

In northern Fayette County, you’ll find the Kentucky Horse Park, which is home to the International Museum of the Horse, American Saddlebred Museum, and hosts the Land Rover Kentucky Three-Day Event, the Lexington Junior League Horse Show, and the National Horse Show. Closer to downtown Lexington is Red Mile Gaming & Racing, which is the second-oldest harness track in the world and features simulcasting, gaming, and entertainment.

Even if you aren’t into horses, there are plenty of other things to do in and around the region that are fun and won’t break your budget – from visiting a winery or perhaps taking a tour of historic places like Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill and Waveland State Historic Site, a local candy shop, or one of the area’s many historic homes, such as the Henry Clay Estate. For even more history, be sure to visit the Lexington History Museum, the Aviation Museum of Kentucky, and the Headley-

Whitney Museum. For children’s activities, head over to the Explorium of Lexington in downtown.

The Railbird Festival is back in 2024 with a great music schedule at the infield at Red Mile, June 1-2. If you like spectator sports, there are plenty of college and professional options in the area. The most popular outings include University of Kentucky basketball and football, as well as Lexington’s South Atlantic minor league professional baseball team under new ownership in 2024.

Although Kentucky’s Bourbon heritage dates back many years, recently it has seen quite the “revival” in terms of the economic impact on the state. Distilleries and bourbon experiences around the Greater LEX area continue to welcome growing numbers of visitors. To enjoy tours and tastings, check out the Kentucky Bourbon Trail or contact a specific distillery. Craft breweries have also become popular destinations in the region, with 25 included on VisitLEX’s Brewgrass Trail. There are also some unique ways to see the area through a variety of tour companies that offer custom-built experiences that showcase Central Kentucky.



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# SHOPPING & DINING



If you've got time to shop, then the Greater Lexington area is ready with all you can handle in the way of diverse shopping opportunities. Whether you enjoy indoor malls, unique shopping areas, quaint family-owned stores and gift shops, farmers' markets, or downtown shops, the variety of shopping environments is certainly overwhelming. People come from miles around to see what the region has to offer.

Lexington is home to one of the state's largest malls, Fayette Mall (Nicholasville Road), and downtown on West Main Street is The Square, which features an original mix of shopping, galleries, restaurants, bars, and even a theater and museum for the kids. A little further out Nicholasville Road just into Jessamine County is a shopping and dining area called Brannon Crossing. Other area malls and shopping areas to hit include The Mall at Lexington Green (Nicholasville Road), the Lansdowne Shoppes (Tates Creek Road), Hamburg Pavilion (I-75 & Man O'War), and The Summit at Fritz Farm (corner of Nicholasville Road & Man O'War Boulevard).

Also in Lexington, you'll find unique shopping areas (similar to districts), such as Clay Avenue, Chevy Chase Village, the Greentree section of Short Street, North Limestone, Old Vine Street, Southland Drive, as well as South Limestone near the University of Kentucky campus. Nestled right in the heart of Central Kentucky's historic and thriving agricultural community, the Blue Grass Stockyards Regional Marketplace includes community-minded dining, retail and education spaces. If you're looking to shop in the Bluegrass, come with a lot of energy and plenty of space in your vehicle, because you certainly won't leave empty-handed.

When people are finished shopping in and around Greater

LEX, they can take a break at one of over 600 area eating and drinking establishments. From local favorites to chain restaurants, residents and visitors alike enjoy local traditions such as Derby Pie, hot browns and burgoo, as well as a wonderful mix of choices from seafood to Japanese to Italian, Mexican, and many more. Whether you're looking for in-person dining, carryout or delivery options, you'll find a ton of local restaurants listed on-line at <https://web.commercelexington.com/Restaurants-Food-Beverages>.

## Scan for Dining Options



## Scan for Area Shopping





# WHERE TO STAY

Visitors and tourists to Greater LEX will find nothing short of superb “Southern hospitality” when staying here. From a plethora of hotels and motels to quaint bed and breakfasts to historic inns, the options are many. New hotels continue to pop up across our region. **Scan the QR code below** with your device for the most up-to-date list of hotels. Unless otherwise noted, all addresses below are in the Lexington area.

## Commerce Lexington Member Hotels & Motels:

- 175 LEX**  
175 E. Main St., 40507  
Phone: (602) 421-0582
- 21c Museum Hotel Lexington**  
167 W. Main St., 40507  
Phone: (859) 899-6810
- Days Inn & Suites by Wyndham Lexington**  
1987 N. Broadway, 40505  
Phone: (859) 299-1202
- Avid Hotel**  
1810 Bryant Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 687-8100
- Best Western Lexington Inn**  
2221 Elkhorn Road, 40505  
Phone: (859) 293-0047
- The Campbell House**  
1375 South Broadway, 40504  
Phone: (859) 255-4281
- Candlewood Suites**  
603 Adcolor Drive, 40511  
Phone: (859) 967-1940
- Candlewood Suites Lexington - Medical District**  
501 Waller Ave., 40504  
Phone: (859) 963-2444
- Clarion Hotel Conference Center North**  
1950 Newtown Pike, 40511  
Phone: (859) 233-0512
- Comfort Inn & Suites of Lexington**  
2400 Buena Vista Road, 40505  
Phone: (859) 293-6113
- Country Inn & Suites Hotel**  
2297 Executive Drive, 40505  
Phone: (859) 299-8844
- Courtyard by Marriott Lexington North**  
775 Newtown Court, 40511  
Phone: (859) 253-4646
- Courtyard by Marriott South Hamburg**  
1951 Pleasant Ridge Dr., 40509  
Phone: (859) 263-9090
- Elwood Hotel & Suites**  
444 Parkway Drive, 40504  
Phone: (877) 444-2308
- Embassy Suites at Lexington Green**  
245 Lexington Green Circle, 40503  
Phone: (859) 271-4000
- Embassy Suites Lexington/UK Coldstream**  
1801 Newtown Pike, 40511  
Phone: (859) 455-5000
- Fairfield Inn by Marriott - Beaumont**  
3050 Lakecrest Circle, 40513  
Phone: (859) 224-3338
- Hampton Inn - Medical Center/UK**  
1953 Nicholasville Road, 40503  
Phone: (859) 313-9000
- Hampton Inn & Suites (Brannon Crossing - Nicholasville)**  
453 E. Brannon Rd., Nicholasville, 40356  
Phone: (859) 724-7905
- Hilton Garden Inn**  
1973 Plaudit Place, 40509  
Phone: (859) 543-8300
- Hilton Lexington Downtown**  
369 West Vine Street, 40507  
Phone: (859) 231-9000
- Holiday Inn Express & Suites DTWN Area - Keeneland**  
1780 Sharkey Way, 40511  
Phone: (859) 231-0656
- Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites Downtown**  
1000 Export St., 40504  
Phone: (859) 389-6800
- Home2 Suites by Hilton**  
1750 Pleasant Ridge Dr., 40509  
Phone: (859) 900-2333
- Home2 Suites by Hilton Lexington University / Medical Center**  
126 East Lowry Lane, 40503  
Phone: (859) 313-5200
- Homewood Suites by Hilton - Hamburg**  
2033 Bryant Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 543-0464
- Homewood Suites by Hilton Lexington Fayette Mall**  
249 Ruccio Way, 40503  
Phone: (859) 223-0880
- Hotel LEX**  
5532 Athens Boonesboro Rd., 40509  
Phone: (859) 800-1999
- Hyatt Place Lexington**  
2001 Bryant Road, 40509  
Phone: (859) 296-0091
- Hyatt Regency Lexington**  
401 W. High St., 40507  
Phone: (859) 253-1234
- The Kentucky Castle**  
230 Pisgah Pike, Versailles, 40383  
Phone: (859) 256-0322
- Lexington Griffin Gate Marriott Resort and Spa**  
1800 Newtown Pike, 40511  
Phone: (859) 231-5100
- Lexington Marriott City Center**  
121 W. Vine St., 40507  
Phone: (859) 253-1000
- Origin Hotel Lexington**  
4174 Rowan, 40517  
Phone: (859) 245-0400
- Quality Inn**  
2381 Buena Vista Drive, 40505  
Phone: (859) 299-0302
- Quality Inn/MainStay Suites**  
1938 Stanton Way, 40511  
Phone: (859) 413-2765
- Red Roof Inn Lexington North**  
1980 Haggard Ct., 40505  
Phone: (859) 293-2626
- Red Roof Inn South**  
2651 Wilhite Drive, 40503  
Phone: (859) 277-9400
- Residence Inn Lexington City Center**  
150 W. Main St., 40507  
Phone: (859) 253-1000
- Residence Inn South by Marriott**  
2688 Pink Pigeon Parkway, 40509  
Phone: (859) 263-9979
- Springhill Suites by Marriott**  
863 South Broadway, 40504  
Phone: (859) 225-1500
- Staybridge Suites - Lexington**  
125 Louie Place, 40511  
Phone: (859) 233-2300
- Staybridge Suites Lexington South**  
209 Ruccio Way, 40503  
Phone: (859) 710-9888
- The Manchester**  
941 Manchester St., 40508  
Phone: (859) 785-3900
- TownePlace Suites by Marriott Lexington Keeneland/Airport**  
980 Midnight Pass, 40513  
Phone: (859) 368-9491
- Tru By Hilton University Medical Center**  
535 Waller Ave., 40504  
Phone: (859) 687-9700

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Greater LEX offers an abundance of recreational opportunities to keep you and your family moving and grooving in the region. For this particular edition, we've included several great outdoor opportunities to provide for adequate social distancing during the ongoing pandemic. The city offers phenomenal parks, golf courses, nature sites, walking trails, bowling centers, and a variety of fitness options for all levels of exercising.

## Parks & Recreation:

Whether it's skateboarding, swimming or jogging, Lexington's Parks and Recreation has a lot to offer. Currently, there are more than 100 parks consisting of more than 4,000 acres in Lexington. The parks system includes athletics, after school programs, aquatics, community centers, cultural arts, day camps, dog runs, equestrian, fitness trails, golf, gymnasium, natural areas, playgrounds, rental facilities, senior adult programs, special events, therapeutic recreation and open spaces for passive recreation. To find out more, call (859) 288-2900 or visit [www.lexingtonky.gov/browse/recreation](http://www.lexingtonky.gov/browse/recreation).

## Walking & Bike Trails:

The city has worked diligently to enhance its trail system for the health and accessibility of its citizens. The city recently opened the Town Branch Commons Trail, a 10-year, 2.2-mile project that extends throughout downtown Lexington. This newly-completed section links two major trails, Town Branch Trail and the Legacy Trail, producing 22 miles of uninterrupted trail network. For a full list of trails in Lexington, visit [www.lexingtonky.gov/trails](http://www.lexingtonky.gov/trails).

## Pickleball:

Pickleball is one of the fastest-growing sports in the U.S. and can be played by people of all ages and athletic abilities.

- 12 courts at Kirklevington Park.
- 2 courts at Lansdowne-Merrick Park.
- 2 courts at Meadowthorpe Park.
- 2 courts at Southland Park.
- 1 court at the Lexington Senior Center (This court is only open to the public through programs offered at the Lexington Senior Center).



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## Natural Areas:

The Floracliff Nature Sanctuary (<http://floracliff.org>) is a 346-acre nature preserve located in the Palisades Region of the Kentucky River in southern Fayette County. Although the sanctuary is only open for guided hikes and events, it offers a variety of programs, volunteer and research opportunities, and hands-on workshops to interested individuals and groups. Hisle Farm Park is approximately 280 acres of rolling pasture land located five miles northeast of downtown Lexington. **McConnell Springs** (416 Rebmann Lane) is a 26-acre natural pocket within an industrial area. Raven Run (3885 Raven Run Way) is a unique, 734-acre nature sanctuary located just outside of Lexington. The Arboretum, State Botanical Garden of Kentucky (500 Alumni Drive), is a 100-acre greenspace located on the campus of the University of Kentucky. **COMING SOON** → The city is continuing its work on Kelley's Landing, a new 30-acre park along the Kentucky River that will offer the city's first public river access for canoes and kayaks.

## Swimming Pools:

More information: [www.lexingtonky.gov/neighborhood-pools](http://www.lexingtonky.gov/neighborhood-pools)

- Castlewood Aquatic Center (320 Parkview Ave.)
- Southland Aquatic Center (625 Hill-n-Dale Road)
- Tates Creek Aquatic Center (1400 Gainesway Drive)
- Woodland Aquatic Center (190 Old Park Avenue)
- Douglass Pool & Sprayground (701 Howard Street)
- Shillito Pool (300 Reynolds Road)

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# ARTS & CULTURE



Mayfest Arts Fair (May 11-12, 2024) is a juried art fair with a focus on a casual, family-friendly atmosphere. Included are up to 100 Artist Vendors, performances by musicians, dancers, strolling performers, food concession vendors, and family activities. (Photo by Mahan Multimedia)

Whether you're in the mood for great musicals, national and international museum exhibits, art galleries, charming children's productions, outdoor performances, or touring Broadway plays, Lexington hosts a variety of arts and cultural opportunities that fit many interests. Leading the way for the advancement of the arts locally is LexArts, Lexington's cultural development, advocacy and fundraising organization. LexArts provides a wide range of programs and services designed to integrate the arts into our community. Through its annual Fund for the Arts, LexArts raises millions of dollars in support of local arts and distributes general operating support to its partner organizations, as well as offering competitive special project and programming grants to other arts organizations in the area.

Theater buffs have several well-known facilities from which to choose to watch performances, including the Lexington Opera House and Rupp Arena at Central Bank Center, the Lyric Theatre and Cultural Arts Center, ArtsPlace, Lexington Children's Theatre, Manchester Music Hall, Singletary Center for the Arts

on the University of Kentucky campus, and the Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center. Inside many of these venues, you'll see performances by Central Kentucky Youth Orchestras, Kentucky Ballet Theatre, Lexington Philharmonic, The Lexington Theatre Company, and others.

Great education opportunities are available at The Living Arts & Science Center (LASC), which offers over 15,000 square feet of programming space that now includes a computer lab, a science exhibition hall, a professional kitchen for teaching, an art gallery, and Lexington's only public planetarium. It also features hands-on and interactive instruction in arts and science directly from professional educators and active artists and scientists.

In the visual art space, be sure to check out the UK Art Museum, sign up for a painting or pottery class, visit a variety of art galleries during Gallery Hop, or purchase art from individual artists. The area is proud of its arts and cultural component, and support of the arts stretches to both the public and private sectors.

## Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center Renovations

The Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center (141 E. Main Street) is undergoing renovations to create additional space, and once complete the facility will feature a multipurpose event and performance space for gatherings and events of all types, two new event spaces, and a separate Maker's Space where artists can create artwork and conduct educational workshops. The renovations are scheduled for completion by this fall. The center also features a Community Gallery highlighting the arts, creative community and local initiatives, as well as a City Gallery showcasing the work of Kentucky artists working in a variety of mediums.

Scan for more local arts opportunities



## City Launches Comprehensive Public Art Map

Lexington has established a new Public Art Map, inviting individuals to locate, view, and learn about the city's public artwork. The Public Art Map is the first comprehensive and searchable GIS map to document public artworks in Lexington. It features over 140 public art works, including murals, sculptures, memorials, integrated architectural or landscape architectural works, community art, and sound installations. The city owns almost 70 of the works. The map can be searched by artist, title, district, or owner. As new works are developed, the map will be updated.

Access Public Art Map





# BUSINESS / EMPLOYMENT



The region serves as a health care, retail, and cultural center for both Central and Eastern Kentucky. Whether you're seeking employment or looking to start a business, Lexington is an ideal destination for entrepreneurs, innovators, dreamers, and disruptors. Anchored by the state's flagship, research university, the University of Kentucky, and fueled by a highly educated and affordable workforce, Greater Lexington's entrepreneurial ecosystem is equipped with all of the resources that help startups succeed.

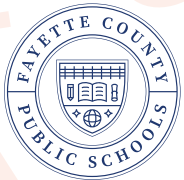
The Greater Lexington area often weathers the impact of downturns and recessions better than many cities. A diverse economy that includes government, education, and health care, as well as a highly educated labor force, have helped to shield the region from extended economic challenges.

The largest employer in the region is the University of Kentucky with 25,000-plus employees. Toyota is the largest manufacturer in the region, while Amazon and Baptist Health are also among the major employers. The Fayette County Public School system and Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government are the largest public entities in the area. Residents also enjoy strong employment opportunities in equine related businesses, health care, retail and services.

Employment in the Greater Lexington area is centered in Fayette County. Overall, almost 56% of the jobs in the region are in Fayette County. Regional leaders and elected officials in our nine-county economic development area continue to collaborate on a regional economic strategy aimed at making Greater LEX more competitive for jobs and talent. The plan has big goals to increase jobs, wages, and our labor force – specifically young professionals – to at least the national average over the next four years. To achieve this, regional leaders agreed on several specific action items focused on economic development, talent recruitment and retention, and public policy advocacy. The business community also continues to work with our K-12 and postsecondary education partners to ensure that students have the necessary skills for the jobs of the future.



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## The HILL - Opening Fall 2025

In the heart of downtown Lexington, an innovative new school is set to transform and reimagine Career and Technical Education.

**The HILL (The Hub for Innovative Learning and Leadership) is positioned as a center for connection and collaboration.**

- Commitment to building strong industry and community partnerships that help students grow their knowledge, hone their skills, and build careers.
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- Law & Public Safety
- Fire Science/Fire Fighting
- Transportation Technology
- Media Arts & Technology
- Construction, Electrical (high voltage)
- Culinary Arts
- Health Sciences
- and much more!





# NEWCOMER'S GUIDE

## Automobiles

### Driver's Licenses:

In May 2025, standard licenses will no longer meet federal REAL ID Act requirements for Kentuckians to board U.S. domestic flights or enter select federal facilities. Kentuckians now have three license renewal options! Renew online, by mail, or in-person at any Driver Licensing Regional Office. The regional offices are open to in-person visits from any Kentucky resident. For information on current pricing and obtaining a driver's license in Kentucky, visit <https://drive.ky.gov>.

### Graduated Driver's Licensing Program:

The Graduated Driver Licensing program is only required for drivers obtaining their original permit at 16 or 17. It uses an intermediary period of six months between the learner's permit and a full, unrestricted license. During the intermediary phase, teenagers will have an intermediate license. They can drive on their own, but with two restrictions - one restricting driving from 12:00 a.m. (midnight) to 6:00 a.m. (except in the case of an emergency) and a second restricting the driver to only one unrelated passenger under the age of 20. For more, visit <https://drive.ky.gov/Drivers/Pages/GDLP.aspx>.

### Regional Driver's Licensing Offices:

141 Leestown Center Way, Suite 125, Lexington, KY 40511

**Hours:** Mon.-Fri., 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.; Sat. available monthly.

2624 Research Park Drive, Lexington, KY 40511

**Hours:** Mon.-Fri., 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.; Sat. available monthly.

To find other Regional Driver's Licensing Offices or schedule an appointment, visit <https://drive.ky.gov/Pages/Find-An-Office.aspx>. Appointments are recommended. Limited walk-in times are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. To schedule a road test or written permit test on-line, visit [www.kentuckystatepolice.ky.gov/driver-testing](http://www.kentuckystatepolice.ky.gov/driver-testing).

### Driver Insurance Required:

An owner may not operate a vehicle in Kentucky until insurance has been obtained. According to the statute, an owner who fails to maintain insurance on his vehicle shall have his vehicle registration revoked. In addition, the vehicle owner and driver are subject to a fine of \$500.00 to \$1,000.00, up to 90 days in jail, or both. All motor vehicle owners in Kentucky must carry minimum liability coverage. This means liability coverage of \$25,000 for all claims for bodily injury damages sustained by any one person and not less than \$50,000 for all bodily injury damages sustained by all persons as a result of an accident, as well as \$25,000 for all property damage as a result of any one accident. Alternatively, a policy with a single limit of \$60,000.00 is acceptable. In addition, the policy must provide

basic reparations benefits unless the insured vehicle is a motorcycle. For more information about insurance requirements, visit <https://drive.ky.gov/Vehicles/Pages/Mandatory-Insurance.aspx>.

### Vehicle Registration/License Plates:

When a vehicle or vessel is sold from one citizen or business to another in Kentucky, the title must be transferred to the new owner within 15 days. All motor vehicles operated on Kentucky roadways must be titled and registered. KRS 186.020 states that a person who brings a motor vehicle into Kentucky shall make an application for registration within fifteen (15) days in the county in which the person resides. Vehicle registration is handled by the Fayette County Clerk's office (162 East Main Street, Lexington, KY 40507). Starting in 2024, Kentucky drivers will need to keep their license plates when selling or trading a vehicle, because the state's new Kentucky Automated Vehicle Information System, will link drivers, not vehicles, to license plate numbers and registration tags. Find out more at [www.fayettecountyclerk.com](http://www.fayettecountyclerk.com) or call (859) 253-3344.

## Voter Registration

To vote, a person must be a U.S. citizen, a Kentucky resident, and at least 18 years of age before the next General Election. In Kentucky, the potential voter must be registered in the county where they live. The registration books close 28 days before each election. Kentucky citizens can register to vote at the time of vehicle registration or driver's license renewal under the "Motor-Voter" Program. For more Fayette County voter information, visit [www.fayettecountyclerk.com/web/elections/voterregistration.htm](http://www.fayettecountyclerk.com/web/elections/voterregistration.htm).

## Government

Lexington and Fayette County merged into a single urban county government on January 1, 1974. The merger was a culmination of an effort to develop a more cost-effective and efficient use of resources for joint programs in planning, public education, parks and public safety. A mayor and a 15-member legislative body administer the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. The Urban County Council includes 12 district representatives elected for two-year terms and three at-large members elected for four-year terms. For general information about city services, call (859) 425-2255 or visit [www.lexingtonky.gov](http://www.lexingtonky.gov).

### Mayor Linda Gorton

Urban County Government Center  
200 East Main Street, Lexington, KY 40507

Phone: (859) 258-3100

E-Mail: [mayor@lexingtonky.gov](mailto:mayor@lexingtonky.gov)

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## Public Libraries:

### Central Library

140 East Main Street, 40507  
Phone: (859) 231-5500  
[www.lexpublib.org](http://www.lexpublib.org)

### Beaumont Branch

3080 Fieldstone Way, 40513

### Eastside Branch

3000 Blake James Drive, 40509

### Marksbury Family Branch

2197 Versailles Road, 40504

### Northside Branch

1733 Russell Cave Road, 40505

### Tates Creek Branch

3628 Walden Drive, 40517

## Pets:

In Fayette County, all dogs and cats must be licensed annually starting at six months of age and rabies vaccinated at four months of age. Proof of rabies vaccination is required for the city license. Licenses are valid for 12 months from the last day of the month the license was issued (e.g. a license issued on December 1 is valid until December 31 of the next year). Dogs must wear their license and rabies tags at all times. Cats must wear their license tag at all times. Assistance dogs are exempt from annual licensing. Licenses can be purchased or renewed via the Lexington-Fayette Animal Care & Control (LFACC) license mail-in application available on-line at <https://facc.org/licensing>. Fayette County also has a pooper-scooper law. For more information about pet laws and licenses, contact LFACC at (859) 255-9033 or <https://facc.org>.

## Post Offices:

For other USPS locations, drop-off and pickup points within Lexington, visit [www.usps.com](http://www.usps.com).

Main Post Office  
1088 Nandino Boulevard, 40511

Beaumont Station  
1025 Majestic Drive, 40513

Bluegrass Station  
3525 Lansdowne Drive, 40517

Brentwood Carrier Annex  
1045 Brentwood Ct., Ste. 110, 40511

Downtown Branch (Post Rider)  
210 East High Street, 40507

Gardenside Station  
1729 Alexandria Drive, 40504

Henry Clay Station  
365 Duke Road, Ste. A, 40502

Liberty Road Station  
2041 Creative Dr., Suite 100, 40505

## Moving & Storage:

*Commerce Lexington Members*

### 2 Dudes Moving

Phone: (859) 743-6698  
<https://2dudsmovingky.com>

### A1 Portables, Inc.

Phone: (859) 255-6605  
[www.a1portables.com](http://www.a1portables.com)

### Carey Group

Phone: (859) 885-9444  
[www.careygroupky.com](http://www.careygroupky.com)

### Citadel Self-Storage

Phone: (859) 795-2555  
[www.citadelfselfstorage.com/lexington](http://www.citadelfselfstorage.com/lexington)

### Citadel Warehouse Services

Phone: (859) 254-8821  
<https://citadelwarehouse.com>

### Fister Incorporated

Phone: (859) 266-2153  
[www.vincentfister.com](http://www.vincentfister.com)

### From Here to There

Phone: (859) 893-2602  
[www.fromheretothereky.com](http://www.fromheretothereky.com)

### Little Guys Movers

Phone: (859) 554-5594  
[www.littleguys.com](http://www.littleguys.com)

### Office Resources, Inc. (ORI)

Phone: (859) 241-2600  
[www.oriusa.com](http://www.oriusa.com)

### Safeway Moving & Storage – Agent for Mayflower

(859) 266-2153  
[www.safemoving.com](http://www.safemoving.com)

### Stor-All

Phone: (859) 263-8877  
[www.sastorage.com](http://www.sastorage.com)

### The Urban Squirrel

Phone: (859) 382-2265  
[www.storeyournutshere.com](http://www.storeyournutshere.com)

### Vincent Fister Moving & Storage

Phone: (859) 266-2153  
[www.vincentfister.com](http://www.vincentfister.com)

### White Dog Trading & Storage

Phone: (859) 214-7000  
<https://whitedogllc.com>

## Utilities:

*Commerce Lexington Members*

## Internet, Phone & TV – Residential Options:

### AT&T Kentucky

Multiple locations in Lexington  
Find a store: [www.att.com/stores](http://www.att.com/stores)

### Kinetic by Windstream

Residential: (855) 775-7883  
[www.windstream.com](http://www.windstream.com)

### MetroNet

130 W. Tiverton Way, Ste. 160, 40503  
Phone: (859) 785-1107  
[www.metro-netinc.com](http://www.metro-netinc.com)

### Spectrum

2450 Nicholasville Road, 40503  
2312 Sir Barton Way, 40509  
Residential: (855) 507-6769  
[www.spectrum.com](http://www.spectrum.com)

## Electricity & Gas:

### Blue Grass Energy

1201 Lexington Rd., Nicholasville, 40340  
Phone: (888) 546-4243  
[www.bgenergy.com](http://www.bgenergy.com)

### Columbia Gas of Kentucky

2001 Mercer Road, 40511  
Phone: (800) 432-9345  
Gas Emergency: Call 911 first, then call (800) 432-9515  
[www.columbiagasky.com](http://www.columbiagasky.com)

### Delta Natural Gas Co., Inc.

3617 Lexington Rd., Winchester, 40391  
Phone: (859) 744-6171  
[www.deltagas.com](http://www.deltagas.com)

### East Kentucky Power Cooperative

4775 Lexington Rd., Winchester, 40391  
Phone: (859) 744-4812  
[www.ekpc.coop](http://www.ekpc.coop)

### Kentucky Utilities

One Quality Street, 40507  
Residential: (800) 981-0600  
[www.lge-ku.com](http://www.lge-ku.com)

## Water:

### Kentucky American Water

2300 Richmond Road, 40502  
Customer service: (800) 678-6301  
[www.kentuckyamwater.com](http://www.kentuckyamwater.com)

## Other Services:

### Kentucky 811

Phone: 811 or (800) 752-6007  
[www.kentucky811.org](http://www.kentucky811.org)  
Kentucky's "Call Before You Dig" law requires everyone who digs to contact Kentucky 811 at least two full business days before starting a project.

## Recycling & Trash:

### City of Lexington:

Residents and businesses with city waste collection service are provided a green roll cart for landfill-bound waste and a blue roll cart for recycling materials. To request carts, call LexCall at 311 or (859) 425-2255. Material placed in the green cart must be bagged. If it will not roll, the 200-pound weight limit has been exceeded. Overloaded carts will not be picked up.

## Private & Business:

*Commerce Lexington Members*

### Bin There Dump That Lexington

Phone: (859) 358-7800  
<https://lexington.bintheredumpthat.usa.com/home>

### Cohen Brothers of Lexington

Phone: (859) 255-5676  
[www.cohenusacom/lexington](http://www.cohenusacom/lexington)

### From Here to There

Phone: (859) 893-2602  
[www.fromheretothereky.com](http://www.fromheretothereky.com)

### Green Metals, Inc.

Phone: (859) 746-7253  
[www.gmiky.com](http://www.gmiky.com)

### Junk Magicians

Phone: (859) 533-1420  
<https://junkmagicianslexington.com>

### Junkluggers of Kentucky

Phone: (859) 554-8055  
[www.junkluggers.com/kentucky](http://www.junkluggers.com/kentucky)

### Lexington Computer Recycling

Phone: (859) 279-1195  
[www.lexingtonelectronicrecycling.com](http://www.lexingtonelectronicrecycling.com)

### Midwest Metals

Phone: (859) 381-8500  
<http://mwmcorp.com>

### Smart Recycling Management LLC

Phone: (859) 447-0681  
<http://smartrecyclingmanagement.com>

### Stuff Recycling

Phone: (859) 745-7882  
<http://stuffrecycling.com>

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