



## Belle Glade, City of [\(website\)](#)

The City of Belle Glade is located in Palm Beach County Florida. The City incorporated in 1928.

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### Demographic Detail Summary Report

#### Population Demographics

					Percent Change	
	1990 Census	2000 Census	2009 Estimate	2014 Projection	1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
Total Population	16,201	15,342	14,563	13,570	-5.3%	-6.8%
Population Density (Pop/Sq Mi)	3,486.6	3,301.7	3,134.0	2,920.2	-5.3%	-6.8%
Total Households	5,391	5,073	4,709	4,645	-5.9%	-1.4%

#### Population by Gender:

	1990 Census	2000 Census	2009 Estimate	2014 Projection	1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
Male	8,275 51.1%	7,826 51.0%	7,504 51.5%	7,066 52.1%	-5.4%	-5.8%
Female	7,926 48.9%	7,516 49.0%	7,059 48.5%	6,504 47.9%	-5.2%	-7.9%

#### Population by Race/Ethnicity

					Percent Change	
	1990 Census	2000 Census	2009 Estimate	2014 Projection	1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
White	4,716 29.1%	4,184 27.3%	3,785 26.0%	4,262 31.4%	-11.3%	12.6%
Black	9,757 60.2%	8,432 55.0%	6,846 47.0%	5,860 43.2%	-13.6%	-14.4%
American Indian or Alaska Native	24 0.2%	26 0.2%	42 0.3%	55 0.4%	10.0%	30.6%
Asian or Pacific Islander	34 0.2%	43 0.3%	95 0.7%	166 1.2%	26.8%	75.1%
Some Other Race	1,671 10.3%	1,353 8.8%	2,037 14.0%	2,273 16.8%	-19.0%	11.6%
Two or More Races		1,304 8.5%	1,758 12.1%	954 7.0%		-45.8%
Hispanic Ethnicity	3,577 22.1%	3,784 24.7%	5,534 38.0%	5,528 40.7%	5.8%	-0.1%
Not Hispanic or Latino	12,625 77.9%	11,558 75.3%	9,030 62.0%	8,042 59.3%	-8.4%	-10.9%

#### Population by Age

					Percent Change	
	1990 Census	2000 Census	2009 Estimate	2014 Projection	1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
0 to 4	1,713 10.6%	1,405 9.2%	1,260 8.7%	1,081 8.0%	-18.0%	-14.2%
5 to 14	2,877 17.8%	3,061 19.9%	2,541 17.4%	2,411 17.8%	6.4%	-5.1%
15 to 19	1,240 7.7%	1,317 8.6%	1,261 8.7%	1,173 8.6%	6.3%	-7.0%
20 to 24	1,210 7.5%	1,089 7.1%	1,224 8.4%	1,231 9.1%	-10.0%	0.6%
25 to 34	2,667 16.5%	2,026 13.2%	1,776 12.2%	1,692 12.5%	-24.0%	-4.7%
35 to 44	2,322 14.3%	2,112 13.8%	1,668 11.5%	1,395 10.3%	-9.0%	-16.4%
45 to 54	1,749 10.8%	1,827 11.9%	1,947 13.4%	1,797 13.2%	4.5%	-7.7%
55 to 64	1,238 7.6%	1,263 8.2%	1,480 10.2%	1,517 11.2%	2.0%	2.5%
65 to 74	760 4.7%	787 5.1%	732 5.0%	739 5.4%	3.6%	1.0%
75 to 84	351 2.2%	376 2.5%	480 3.3%	365 2.7%	7.4%	-23.8%
85+	75 0.5%	79 0.5%	195 1.3%	167 1.2%	5.3%	-14.3%

#### Median Age:

	1990 Census	2000 Census	2009 Estimate	2014 Projection	1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
Total Population	29.0	29.0	30.3	29.9	0.1%	-1.3%

#### Households by Income

Percent Change

	1990 Census		2000 Census		2009 Estimate		2014 Projection		1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
\$0 - \$15,000	2,184	40.5%	1,800	35.5%	1,334	28.3%	1,238	26.7%	-17.5%	-7.2%
\$15,000 - \$24,999	1,161	21.5%	963	19.0%	851	18.1%	791	17.0%	-17.0%	-7.0%
\$25,000 - \$34,999	661	12.3%	581	11.5%	571	12.1%	536	11.5%	-12.1%	-6.1%
\$35,000 - \$49,999	698	12.9%	666	13.1%	536	11.4%	523	11.3%	-4.5%	-2.4%
\$50,000 - \$74,999	411	7.6%	644	12.7%	714	15.2%	738	15.9%	56.5%	3.3%
\$75,000 - \$99,999	163	3.0%	213	4.2%	345	7.3%	380	8.2%	30.4%	10.1%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	80	1.5%	125	2.5%	238	5.1%	291	6.3%	55.3%	22.4%
\$150,000 +	29	0.5%	81	1.6%	121	2.6%	148	3.2%	176.8%	22.4%
Average Hhld Income	\$26,586		\$32,128		\$42,242		\$44,346		20.8%	5.0%
Median Hhld Income	\$19,485		\$21,826		\$28,054		\$30,086		12.0%	7.2%
Per Capita Income	\$8,661		\$10,622		\$13,707		\$15,200		22.6%	10.9%

#### Employment and Business

	1990 Census		2000 Census		2009 Estimate		2014 Projection		1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
	Percent Change									
Age 16 + Population	11,358		10,594		10,510		9,844		-6.7%	-6.3%
In Labor Force	7,565	66.6%	5,840	55.1%	6,308	60.0%	5,798	58.9%	-22.8%	-8.1%
Employed	6,277	83.0%	5,100	87.3%	5,102	80.9%	4,981	85.9%	-18.8%	-2.4%
Unemployed	1,271	16.8%	740	12.7%	1,203	19.1%	816	14.1%	-41.8%	-32.1%
In Armed Forces	16	0.1%	0	0.0%	2	0.0%	1	0.0%	-100.0%	-72.5%
Not In Labor Force	3,793	33.4%	4,754	44.9%	4,202	40.0%	4,047	41.1%	25.3%	-3.7%
Number of Employees (Daytime Pop)					5,024					
Number of Establishments					417					
Emp in Blue Collar Occupations			3,013	59.1%						
Emp in White Collar Occupations			2,087	40.9%						

#### Housing Units

	1990 Census		2000 Census		2009 Estimate		2014 Projection		1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
	Percent Change									
Total Housing Units	6,040		5,678		5,720		5,814		-6.0%	1.6%
Owner Occupied	2,011	33.3%	1,980	34.9%	1,793	31.4%	1,670	28.7%	-1.5%	-6.9%
Renter Occupied	3,380	56.0%	3,093	54.5%	2,916	51.0%	2,974	51.2%	-8.5%	2.0%
Vacant	649	10.7%	606	10.7%	1,011	17.7%	1,169	20.1%	-6.6%	15.6%

#### Vehicles Available

	1990 Census		2000 Census		2009 Estimate		2014 Projection		1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
	Percent Change									
Average Vehicles Per Hhld	1.10		1.00		1.40		1.40		-4.3%	0.6%
0 Vehicles Available	1,706	29.7%	1,374	27.1%	873	18.5%	880	19.0%	-19.5%	0.9%
1 Vehicle Available	1,988	34.6%	1,959	38.6%	1,972	41.9%	1,969	42.4%	-1.5%	-0.2%
2+ Vehicles Available	2,049	35.7%	1,740	34.3%	1,864	39.6%	1,795	38.7%	-15.0%	-3.7%

#### Marital Status

	1990 Census		2000 Census		2009 Estimate		2014 Projection		1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
	Percent Change									
Age 15+ Population	11,612		10,877		10,764		10,077		-6.3%	-6.4%

Married, Spouse Present	5,034	43.4%	3,932	36.2%	4,006	37.2%	3,757	37.3%	-21.9%	-6.2%
Married, Spouse Absent	672	5.8%	1,180	10.9%	1,120	10.4%	1,053	10.5%	75.5%	-6.0%
Divorced	831	7.2%	779	7.2%	779	7.2%	724	7.2%	-6.3%	-7.0%
Widowed	714	6.1%	687	6.3%	663	6.2%	617	6.1%	-3.8%	-6.9%
Never Married	4,361	37.6%	4,300	39.5%	4,196	39.0%	3,927	39.0%	-1.4%	-6.4%

#### Educational Attainment

	1990 Census		2000 Census		2009 Estimate		2014 Projection		Percent Change	
									1990 to 2000	2009 to 2014
Age 25+ Population	9,162		8,471		8,277		7,673		-7.5%	-7.3%
Grade K - 8	3,601	39.3%	1,956	23.1%	2,274	27.5%	1,950	25.4%	-45.7%	-14.2%
Grade 9 - 12	2,181	23.8%	1,913	22.6%	1,317	15.9%	1,117	14.6%	-12.3%	-15.2%
High School Graduate	1,574	17.2%	2,111	24.9%	2,382	28.8%	2,267	29.6%	34.1%	-4.8%
Some College, No Degree	722	7.9%	875	10.3%	876	10.6%	855	11.1%	21.2%	-2.4%
Associates Degree	293	3.2%	183	2.2%	261	3.2%	252	3.3%	-37.6%	-3.7%
Bachelor's Degree	526	5.7%	526	6.2%	768	9.3%	826	10.8%	0.1%	7.6%
Graduate Degree	266	2.9%	282	3.3%	400	4.8%	407	5.3%	5.7%	1.7%
No Schooling Completed			624	7.4%						

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