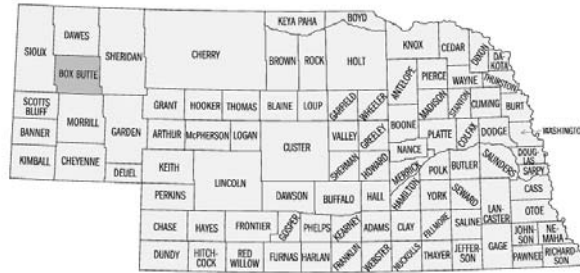


# Box Butte County



County Seat: Alliance

Total Population (2008): 11,043

## Kids Count in Nebraska 2009

Children age 19 & Under (2008)	2,966	Children under age 5 (2008)	717
Minority Children (2008)	768	Children with single parents (2000)	650

### Early Childhood

Head Start/EHS (11/08)	84
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### Economic Well-Being

% Poor with single parents (2000)	68
% Poor with two parents (2000)	32
% Children (17 & Under) in poverty (2000)	14
% Under 5 in poverty (2000)	18
% Minority children in poverty (2000)	37
% Working moms with child under 6 (2000)	73
Families on ADC (2008)	51

### Education

High school graduates (2007-08)	165
High school dropouts (2007-08)	***
Special Education (10/08)	317
Cost per pupil (2007-08)	\$9,980.29

### Out of Home Care

In Foster Care (12/31/2008)	10
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\*\*\*States are required to maintain the confidentiality of data under No Child Left Behind. Data under a specified limit is masked at the county-level.

### Health

Medicaid eligible children (2008)	952
Births (2007)	149
Births to Mothers age 10-17 (1998-2007)	45
Low birth weight (2007)	11
Out of Wedlock Births (1998-2007)	457
STDs (19 & under) (1999-2008)	43
Infant Deaths (1998-2007 total)	5
1-19 Deaths (1998-2007 total)	12

### Juvenile Justice

Juvenile Arrests (2008)	225
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### Nutrition

WIC Participation (9/2008)	335
Free/Reduced Meal Eligibility (9/2008)	34%
Summer Food Program Daily Meals (2008)	41
Food Stamp Participation (18 & Under, 6/08)	469



For additional county data, including trend data, go to [www.voicesforchildren.com](http://www.voicesforchildren.com) and click on "Kids Count Data Center"

