WHO IS IN AMES? **OUR COMMUNITY**

Ames, Iowa 10.9% are foreign born

Population 66,000 including ISU students

30,432 ISU students as of Fall 2024

69% are off campus

According to the Ames Resident Satisfaction survey

feel they belong in Ames

The average age is

are age 65 or older



The poverty rate is 26%

Most common racial or ethnic group living below the poverty line is White



The median household income is \$60K

42.9%



are homeowners

The 5 largest ethnic groups are:

White (non-Hispanic)	78.3%
Asian (non-Hispanic)	10.1%
Two+ (non-Hispanic)	4.19%
Hispanic	3.89%
Black or African American (Non-Hispanic)	3.18%

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13.4% speak a language other than English at home

Languages and dialects spoken in Ames according to school district reports:

including Chinese, Spanish, Ukranian, Haitian Creole/ French, Arabic, Tamil, and Hindi

