VITAL STATS 2020

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	2019 RANKING	2020 RANK	SAFETY RANK	EDUCATION RANK	Number of home sales (2019)*	Median home sale price (2019)*	2014-19 home sale price (% change)	10-year home sale price (% change)	Owner-occupied housing units (%)	Property tax (per $100,000 valuation)	Environmental infractions	Total community services	Roads with sidewalks (%)	Alternative commute (%)	Commute to work (minutes)	Population	Below poverty level (%)	Diversity (% minority)
SOLON	[5]	1	17	1	264	$341,250	13.75%	35.42%	82.5%	$2,450	6	14	50.6%	0.9%	25.2	23,038	4.6%	27.9%
ROCKY RIVER	[4]	2	27	5	223	$300,000	33.33%	61.29%	72.0%	$2,390	0	14	94.7%	4.7%	24.5	20,310	4.6%	6.8%
BEACHWOOD	[6]	3	39	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
WESTLAKE	[3]	4	19	14	234	$334,000	37.31%	60.31%	73.6%	$2,020	3	13	100.0%	3.1%	25.0	32,378	5.2%	13.8%
BROADVIEW HEIGHTS	[11]	5	2	6	182	$286,750	27.44%	70.68%	82.4%	$2,380	3	13	51.6%	1.0%	27.9	19,242	1.9%	12.3%
CHAGRIN FALLS	[9]	6	9	4	56	$417,650	39.68%	57.60%	70.3%	$2,800	5	10	38.2%	5.0%	23.6	4,122	1.5%	3.5%
HUDSON	[10]	7	15	2	367	$355,000	5.97%	24.56%	85.2%	$2,080	3	11	12.0%	2.6%	25.9	22,287	2.4%	10.6%
BAY VILLAGE	[2]	8	43	8	228	$285,000	52.00%	64.50%	91.9%	$2,730	0	10	100.0%	2.2%	25.3	15,391	2.8%	6.4%
HIGHLAND HEIGHTS	[12]	9	23	19	90	$317,000	27.05%	42.41%	94.7%	$2,390	1	13	93.0%	1.4%	22.3	8,396	3.0%	15.4%
PEPPER PIKE	[7]	10	12	7	98	$469,000	26.76%	22.45%	98.4%	$2,350	0	13	1.0%	2.4%	22.1	6,242	5.3%	18.4%
ORANGE VILLAGE	[8]	11	38	7	35	$387,400	14.62%	38.36%	91.0%	$2,280	0	12	27.0%	1.3%	20.5	3,285	4.8%	21.1%
RICHFIELD VILLAGE	[13]	12	26	9	45	$239,900	-10.32%	42.80%	92.2%	$1,750	1	12	4.9%	2.6%	25.0	3,647	3.3%	4.1%
BRECKSVILLE	[17]	13	7	6	130	$313,450	30.63%	39.21%	84.1%	$2,830	3	12	13.3%	2.0%	23.4	13,538	5.2%	7.9%
AVON LAKE	[15]	14	5	11	310	$260,000	1.36%	37.57%	80.7%	$1,970	6	11	65.5%	1.3%	25.6	23,777	4.7%	5.7%
INDEPENDENCE	[19]	15	48	26	69	$280,740	30.88%	49.37%	93.3%	$1,860	7	14	91.3%	1.4%	21.5	7,156	1.5%	4.8%
MORELAND HILLS	[1]	16	1	7	51	$397,000	-0.75%	13.27%	91.8%	$2,390	0	9	0.0%	1.8%	23.3	3,316	2.7%	6.8%
MAYFIELD VILLAGE	[18]	17	29	19	26	$278,750	39.03%	31.18%	69.1%	$2,400	0	13	38.1%	0.0%	20.1	3,397	3.7%	7.6%
BATH TWP.	[NR]	18	11	9	132	$363,500	33.15%	27.79%	90.4%	$2,140	0	7	4.2%	0.4%	25.8	9,669	4.6%	8.4%
HINCKLEY TWP.	[NR]	19	3	13	96	$305,000	16.41%	50.99%	100.0%	$1,730	1	4	2.3%	0.1%	31.8	7,927	4.0%	2.2%
AVON	[14]	20	57	15	338	$315,000	5.63%	28.57%	81.4%	$2,010	2	12	60.9%	1.8%	25.7	22,786	3.5%	12.9%

COMMUNITY

	SAFETY RANK	EDUCATION RANK	Number of home sales (2019)*	Median home sale price (2019)*	2014-19 home sale price (% change)	10-year home sale price (% change)	Owner-occupied housing units (%)	Property tax (per $100,000 valuation)	Environmental infractions	Total community services	Roads with sidewalks (%)	Alternative commute (%)	Commute to work (minutes)	Population	Below poverty level (%)	Diversity (% minority)
AURORA	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BAINBRIDGE TWP.	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
BEACHWOOD	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
BEDFORD	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BEDFORD HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BENTLEYVILLE	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BEREA	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BRATENAHL	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BRECKSVILLE	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
BROADVIEW HEIGHTS	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
BROOKLYN	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BROOKLYN HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BRUNSWICK	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
BRUNSWICK HILLS TWP.	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
BURTON	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
CHAGRIN FALLS	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
CHAGRIN FALLS TWP.	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
CHESTERLAND	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
CLEVELAND	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
COLLINWOOD	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
CUYAHOGA HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
DEERFIELD TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
EAST CLEVELAND	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
EAST LIVERPOOL	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
EATON TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
ELYRIA	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
EUCLID	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
FAIRLAWN	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
FAIRPORT HARBOR	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
FAIRVIEW PARK	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
GARFIELD HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
GATES MILLS	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
GENEVA	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
GEORGETOWN	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
GIRARD	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
GLENWILLOW	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
GREEN	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
HIGHLAND HEIGHTS	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
HINCKLEY TWP.	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
HUDSON	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
INDEPENDENCE	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
KENT	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
KINGSVILLE TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
LAKEMORE	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
LAKEWOOD	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
LIBERTY TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
LIBERTY TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
LORAIN	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
LYNDHURST	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MACEDONIA	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
MAPLE HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MAYFIELD HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MAYFIELD VILLAGE	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
MENTOR	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MENTOR-ON-THE-LAKE	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MIDDLEBURG HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MIDDLEFIELD TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MILAN TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MILLERSBURG	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MINERAL RIDGE	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MONTVILLE TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
MORELAND HILLS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
NEWBURGH HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
NEWTON FALLS	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
NORTH OLMSTED	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
NORTH RIDGEVILLE	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
NORTH ROYALTON	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
NORTHFIELD CENTER TWP.	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
OAKWOOD	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
OLMSTED FALLS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
OLMSTED TWP.	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
ORANGE VILLAGE	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
PAINESVILLE	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PAINESVILLE TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PARMA	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PARMA HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PEPPER PIKE	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
PERRY TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PERRYSBURG	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PERRYSBURG TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PIKETON	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PIQUA	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PORT CLINTON	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
PORTAGE LAKES	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
RAVENNA	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
RAVENNA TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
RICHFIELD	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
RICHFIELD VILLAGE	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
ROCKY RIVER	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
SAGAMORE HILLS TWP.	2	3	93	$350,000	20.69%	40.00%	91.4%	$2,210	0	12	100.0%	0.0%	30.1	11,000	1.8%	3.1%
SALEM	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SANDUSKY	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SEVEN HILLS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SHAKER HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SHARON TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SHARONVILLE	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SHEFFIELD LAKE	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SHELBY	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SOLON	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SPRINGFIELD	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
STOW	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
STRONGSVILLE	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SUMMIT	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SUNBURY	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SYLVANIA	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
SYLVANIA TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
TALLMADGE	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
TIFFIN	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
TROY	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
TROY TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
TWINSBURG	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
UNIONTOWN	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
UPPER ARLINGTON	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
VALLEY VIEW	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
VERMILION	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WADSWORTH	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WARREN	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WARRENSVILLE HEIGHTS	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WARRENSVILLE TWP.	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WASHINGTON TWP.	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WAYNESFIELD	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WESTERVILLE	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WESTLAKE	3	3	93	$365,000	42.33%	43.14%	59.6%	$2,170	0	12	90.0%	3.8%	21.9	11,704	3.6%	28.2%
WILLOUGHBY	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WILLOUGHBY HILLS	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WILLOWICK	1	1	153	$175,000	16.67%	16.67%	58.8%	$2,210	0	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WINDHAM	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WOOSTER	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%
WORTHINGTON	4	4	139	$350,000	16.67%	39.13%	87.1%	$2,210	2	14	100.0%	1.1%	28.1	15,548	2.2%	11.1%

AMHERST	6	34	177	$173,000	20.14%	30.71%	82.8%	$1,780	1	8	52.8%	1.1%	21.8	12,097	7.9%	9.7%
AURORA	13	12	221	$289,000	-8.25%	-1.70%	80.8%	$1,890	2	10	17.1%	0.8%	27.3	15,941	4.4%	9.3%
BAINBRIDGE TWP.	46	10	169	$335,000	12.61%	20.96%	87.9%	$2,370	3	5	1.1%	1.2%	25.5	11,464	3.6%	6.5%
BEDFORD	37	47	67	$78,000	-0.89%	-8.24%	52.6%	$2,680	7	12	98.0%	3.2%	22.7	12,705	11.4%	63.9%
BEDFORD HEIGHTS	63	47	40	$114,250	9.75%	14.25%	49.0%	$2,690	8	12	91.1%	6.4%	22.6	10,633	14.7%	82.2%
BEREA	42	38	148	$152,000	24.34%	27.73%	68.2%	$2,560	3	12	94.6%	8.3%	22.0	18,859	10.4%	14.3%
BROOK PARK	64	38	132	$133,250	33.25%	16.43%	77.0%	$2,320	8	11	77.6%	2.6%	22.4	18,721	11.4%	13.9%
BROOKLYN	72	48	72	$120,000	29.03%	14.29%	57.9%	$2,670	3	15	100.0%	3.2%	22.3	10,862	10.4%	33.4%
BRUNSWICK	21	30	405	$185,000	18.78%	35.45%	78.1%	$1,640	0	11	64.9%	1.0%	27.4	34,733	7.6%	8.2%
CHARDON	61	29	76	$166,250	3.91%	9.38%	56.0%	$2,020	4	8	65.7%	3.3%	24.2	5,171	10.0%	5.6%
CHESTER TWP.	8	16	117	$255,000	35.86%	31.78%	93.0%	$1,940	1	4	0.7%	1.1%	27.0	10,317	3.9%	2.7%
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS	58	42	372	$148,250	5.09%	11.30%	55.3%	$3,800	1	15	100.0%	11.9%	23.0	44,865	17.6%	53.8%
CONCORD TWP.	10	40	228	$254,950	-7.79%	-8.13%	91.5%	$2,050	1	6	0.0%	0.4%	24.4	18,158	3.8%	5.6%
CUYAHOGA FALLS	65	39	760	$145,000	20.93%	23.93%	62.3%	$2,440	11	13	53.8%	1.4%	22.0	49,317	10.0%	10.8%
EAST CLEVELAND	70	56	55	$14,300	-79.57%	-81.90%	34.0%	$3,250	3	7	100.0%	24.7%	25.0	17,321	38.9%	93.9%
EASTLAKE	52	43	240	$133,650	14.23%	8.48%	71.7%	$2,330	3	9	18.6%	3.0%	22.6	18,229	10.6%	9.4%
ELYRIA	75	49	559	$120,400	3.88%	78.37%	59.4%	$2,130	19	11	46.6%	2.2%	22.8	53,910	22.7%	26.9%
EUCLID	76	53	268	$79,655	10.63%	-7.38%	47.9%	$3,070	17	12	100.0%	8.7%	24.6	47,456	22.0%	64.6%
FAIRVIEW PARK	34	36	153	$195,000	30.00%	39.29%	72.5%	$2,740	4	10	94.3%	3.8%	23.7	16,400	9.7%	9.8%
GARFIELD HEIGHTS	74	55	205	$65,100	5.85%	-18.63%	65.7%	$3,930	9	10	95.5%	5.5%	24.0	28,001	18.4%	53.0%
KIRTLAND	35	27	72	$264,500	25.95%	-2.33%	82.0%	$1,980	1	8	1.4%	1.5%	25.9	6,818	4.3%	4.7%
LAKEWOOD	30	31	285	$230,000	71.64%	88.52%	44.5%	$2,930	6	14	97.8%	8.3%	23.8	50,553	14.3%	16.6%
LORAIN	77	57	546	$104,000	-0.95%	108.00%	56.8%	$2,050	15	9	96.5%	2.6%	24.0	63,773	25.7%	48.3%
LYNDHURST	50	46	148	$151,500	21.20%	16.54%	82.0%	$2,950	1	11	81.8%	1.9%	22.8	13,630	4.7%	16.4%
MACEDONIA	44	23	187	$229,900	21.00%	32.13%	92.4%	$2,000	3	9	44.7%	2.1%	26.3	11,808	1.3%	16.9%
MAPLE HEIGHTS	73	52	169	$51,680	-4.65%	-34.99%	61.3%	$3,710	2	8	70.7%	8.0%	25.4	22,539	22.4%	77.7%
MAYFIELD HEIGHTS	40	19	130	$158,725	21.86%	18.90%	50.4%	$2,580	1	13	94.6%	1.7%	19.4	18,766	8.5%	20.9%
MEDINA	54	18	374	$191,000	23.87%	39.93%	65.0%	$1,760	9	11	97.1%	2.1%	27.1	26,193	9.2%	7.8%
MENTOR	53	28	785	$174,900	5.11%	0.46%	86.0%	$1,850	6	11	48.4%	3.8%	22.3	47,062	4.7%	5.0%
MENTOR-ON-THE-LAKE	68	28	90	$140,000	15.23%	16.38%	63.8%	$2,210	0	4	33.3%	3.6%	25.9	7,410	11.6%	8.4%
MIDDLEBURG HEIGHTS	14	38	135	$187,000	34.77%	28.97%	71.1%	$2,320	3	11	42.8%	4.0%	22.7	15,670	4.5%	17.3%
NORTH OLMSTED	60	37	231	$176,900	26.36%	30.07%	73.7%	$2,830	1	15	75.0%	4.8%	24.8	31,888	8.2%	11.0%
NORTH RIDGEVILLE	20	33	548	$206,000	12.50%	33.34%	85.5%	$1,970	3	7	67.0%	1.5%	26.2	32,954	5.7%	10.4%
NORTH ROYALTON	36	22	224	$235,750	26.41%	30.97%	72.5%	$2,270	2	13	11.2%	1.3%	27.7	30,322	4.9%	9.7%
OAKWOOD VILLAGE	25	47	13	$153,500	-12.54%	29.10%	70.3%	$2,140	1	9	3.6%	2.2%	25.1	3,692	19.5%	68.2%
OLMSTED FALLS	16	24	64	$214,597	45.24%	55.51%	81.9%	$2,600	1	6	16.7%	3.8%	25.5	8,912	2.5%	4.0%
OLMSTED TWP.	45	24	108	$239,550	29.49%	34.58%	77.2%	$2,970	1	5	43.5%	1.4%	23.4	13,425	3.8%	8.3%
PAINESVILLE	32	51	195	$92,800	19.18%	1.20%	51.9%	$2,410	18	8	82.1%	4.8%	21.5	19,828	18.8%	44.8%
PAINESVILLE TWP.	41	40	246	$155,000	6.00%	-1.38%	73.4%	$2,320	1	3	6.5%	1.9%	25.8	20,364	10.2%	7.4%
PARMA	59	41	612	$126,000	28.57%	15.60%	72.8%	$2,500	5	10	98.8%	3.1%	24.9	79,559	9.0%	12.5%
PARMA HEIGHTS	51	41	132	$130,000	28.71%	16.07%	55.2%	$2,590	0	8	88.9%	2.7%	26.4	20,162	9.4%	19.9%
RICHMOND HEIGHTS	66	50	72	$158,950	16.49%	18.84%	66.3%	$3,100	1	8	63.2%	6.3%	24.3	10,449	12.0%	59.3%
SAGAMORE HILLS TWP.	4	23	158	$200,000	-6.49%	-16.67%	83.0%	$2,260	0	4	4.0%	1.5%	26.5	10,922	4.3%	10.9%
SEVEN HILLS	28	41	129	$191,000	19.19%	18.08%	92.5%	$2,690	0	10	42.7%	1.3%	26.2	11,690	6.2%	7.7%
SHAKER HEIGHTS	47	17	300	$245,000	-2.97%	6.52%	64.2%	$3,950	1	14	100.0%	6.6%	23.0	27,620	8.9%	46.0%
SHEFFIELD LAKE	69	45	152	$125,500	6.58%	80.71%	72.4%	$2,240	0	9	14.3%	1.6%	28.9	9,011	4.1%	14.2%
SOUTH EUCLID	71	46	172	$104,775	16.55%	-4.75%	73.0%	$3,170	1	10	93.3%	5.2%	23.3	21,688	16.0%	53.9%
STOW	55	32	457	$187,000	10.06%	9.04%	68.7%	$2,060	4	10	46.3%	0.8%	23.7	34,796	5.1%	9.2%
STREETSBORO	22	44	212	$199,000	10.53%	32.67%	69.5%	$2,100	2	9	6.2%	0.7%	24.9	16,395	9.8%	16.4%
STRONGSVILLE	24	25	421	$239,000	26.79%	34.46%	80.9%	$2,370	4	11	25.0%	2.0%	28.1	44,752	4.8%	12.2%
TWINSBURG	33	20	246	$215,500	-4.43%	-3.25%	73.7%	$1,940	6	12	63.2%	0.1%	25.8	18,915	6.2%	25.8%
UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS	56	42	144	$165,500	9.06%	15.57%	64.5%	$3,820	0	8	100.0%	11.0%	21.2	13,138	12.2%	29.4%
WARRENSVILLE HEIGHTS	67	54	43	$62,500	-10.71%	-16.67%	41.1%	$3,010	4	8	82.9%	13.6%	24.7	13,258	23.8%	95.5%
WICKLIFFE	62	35	204	$125,000	14.16%	4.78%	81.7%	$2,920	4	10	95.6%	1.5%	21.0	12,733	7.3%	9.9%
WILLOUGHBY	18	43	322	$160,000	27.49%	6.88%	61.5%	$2,190	4	11	54.3%	1.7%	22.1	22,770	8.4%	9.7%
WILLOUGHBY HILLS	49	43	73	$228,500	17.18%	-9.07%	47.8%	$2,220	0	8	0.0%	0.2%	21.9	9,526	8.5%	28.3%
WILLOWICK	31	43	219	$130,000	25.60%	8.42%	76.7%	$2,570	0	10	100.0%	3.1%	21.6	14,160	7.2%	8.7%

*These categories were not used to calculate rankings.



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TOP 15s 2020

BEST BARGAINS

We look at the 30 suburbs with the lowest median home sale value ($165,500 or less) and rate them the same as our overall rankings.

RANK	COMMUNITY	2019 RANKING	Safety rank	Education rank
1	MAYFIELD HEIGHTS	[1]	40	19
2	BEREA	[2]	42	38
3	CUYAHOGA FALLS	[14]	65	39
4	WILLOWICK	[5]	31	43
5	CLEVELAND HEIGHTS	[11]	58	42
6	WILLOUGHBY	[8]	18	43
7	LYNDHURST	[7]	50	46
8	WICKLIFFE	[6]	62	35
9	PARMA	[15]	59	41
10	BROOK PARK	[10]	64	38
11	OAKWOOD VILLAGE	[12]	25	47
12	MENTOR-ON-THE-LAKE	[4]	68	28
13	UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS	[9]	56	42
14	PARMA HEIGHTS	[NR]	51	41
15	SHEFFIELD LAKE	[NR]	69	45

TOP 15 SCHOOL DISTRICTS

RANK	DISTRICT	2019 ranking
1	SOLON	[1]
2	HUDSON	[3]
3	BEACHWOOD	[2]
4	CHAGRIN FALLS	[4]
5	ROCKY RIVER	[7]
6	BRECKSVILLE-BROADVIEW HTS.	[11]
7	ORANGE	[5]
8	BAY VILLAGE	[6]
9	REVERE	[9]
10	KENSTON	[8]
11	AVON LAKE	[13]
12	AURORA	[12]
13	HIGHLAND	[14]
14	WESTLAKE	[10]
15	AVON	[15]

TOP 15 SAFETY RANKINGS

RANK	COMMUNITY	2019 ranking
1	MORELAND HILLS	[1]
2	BROADVIEW HEIGHTS	[4]
3	HINCKLEY TWP.	[25]
4	SAGAMORE HILLS TWP.	[3]
5	AVON LAKE	[2]
6	AMHERST	[21]
7	BRECKSVILLE	[32]
8	CHESTER TWP.	[5]
9	CHAGRIN FALLS	[6]
10	CONCORD TWP.	[7]
11	BATH TWP.	[58]
12	PEPPER PIKE	[23]
13	AURORA	[15]
14	MIDDLEBURG HEIGHTS	[24]
15	HUDSON	[16]

MEDIAN HOME SALE PRICE

RANK	COMMUNITY	Median home sale price (2019)
1	PEPPER PIKE	$469,000
2	CHAGRIN FALLS	$417,650
3	MORELAND HILLS	$397,000
4	ORANGE VILLAGE	$387,400
5	BEACHWOOD	$365,000
6	BATH TWP.	$363,500
7	HUDSON	$355,000
8	SOLON	$341,250
9	BAINBRIDGE TWP.	$335,000
10	WESTLAKE	$334,000
11	HIGHLAND HEIGHTS	$317,000
12	AVON	$315,000
13	BRECKSVILLE	$313,450
14	HINCKLEY TWP.	$305,000
15	ROCKY RIVER	$300,000

MOST HOME SALES

RANK	COMMUNITY	Number of sales (2019)
1	MENTOR	785
2	CUYAHOGA FALLS	760
3	PARMA	612
4	ELYRIA	559
5	NORTH RIDGEVILLE	548
6	LORAIN	546
7	STOW	457
8	STRONGSVILLE	421
9	BRUNSWICK	405
10	MEDINA	374
11	CLEVELAND HEIGHTS	372
12	HUDSON	367
13	AVON	338
14	WILLOUGHBY	322
15	AVON LAKE	310

10-YEAR MEDIAN HOME SALE PRICE INCREASE

RANK	COMMUNITY	% change (2009-19)
1	LORAIN	108.0%
2	LAKEWOOD	88.5%
3	SHEFFIELD LAKE	80.7%
4	ELYRIA	78.4%
5	BROADVIEW HEIGHTS	70.7%
6	BAY VILLAGE	64.5%
7	ROCKY RIVER	61.3%
8	WESTLAKE	60.3%
9	CHAGRIN FALLS	57.6%
9	OLMSTED FALLS	55.5%
11	HINCKLEY TWP.	51.0%
12	INDEPENDENCE	49.4%
13	BEACHWOOD	43.1%
14	RICHFIELD VILLAGE	42.8%
15	HIGHLAND HEIGHTS	42.4%

HOW WE RATE

In the years that we've rated Cleveland's suburbs, we've evaluated three major factors: safety, education and housing. We've added other qualities that make a suburb desirable such as public services, diversity and walkability.

Scores are assigned to each suburb for every category used in the rankings. Those scores are based on the year's available numbers. We then add up the category scores, weighting certain categories more than others. Safety and education, for example, are given more weight than property taxes, which is given more weight than environmental infractions.

The Top 20 are those suburbs with the highest combined scores — in other words, the suburbs that perform best in all of the categories combined.

HOW WE DID IT

Overall rankings are determined using raw data that is converted into points calculated from the average in each category. Rankings for safety and education are awarded based on the total scores in each category.

SAFETY

Sources: Statistics for the calendar year 2019 are provided by each suburb. Crimes per 1,000 in Richfield Village are based on the combined populations of Richfield Village and Richfield Township, since the Richfield Village police patrol both and do not keep separate village stats.

EDUCATION

Sources: Individual school districts and the Ohio Department of Education 2018-19 School Report Card district data files.

The state's 26 possible indicators for student performance are based on standardized tests, a gifted indicator that measures how gifted students are performing, a chronic absenteeism improvement indicator measuring the number of students who are chronically absent (missing at least 10% of the school year) as well as schools' efforts to reduce that number, and an end-of-course improvement indicator measuring the performance and improvement on retaken end-of-course tests. Each school's possible indicators vary depending on which tests its students take. The state's Performance Index rewards the performance of every student, not just those who score "proficient" or higher. The scores range from 0 to 120, with 100 being the goal. The state tests students in reading and math every year from third through eighth grades. It also tests science in fifth and eighth grades. The state has transitioned from its Ohio Graduation Tests to end-of-course tests. Those include English I & II, math I & II, geometry, algebra, American history, American government and biology. In our rankings, the end-of-course tests are expressed as an average percentage of all students who scored at proficiency or above. The state's value-added ranking measures the impact schools and teachers have on students' academic progress rates from year to year or another period of time, using student achievement data. There are four value-added measure grades combined to get a Progress Component Grade: The state calculates this progress made for all students, and then for subgroups of gifted students, students with disabilities and students whose academic performance was in the lowest 20% of students statewide. Through 2019, state law stipulated that if any of these subgroup grades were lower than a B on an A-F scale, and the overall grade was still an A, then the overall grade would be demoted to a B to reflect this discrepancy. We calculated the students per full-time teacher ratio using the state-reported figures for enrollment and full-time teachers. For more detailed reports on local districts' state report cards, visit ode.state.oh.us.

As a measure of college readiness, we asked school districts to provide the number of Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate classes offered. In addition, we requested the percentage of seniors from the class of 2019 who took at least one of those classes during high school and who scored a 3 or higher on at least one AP test or a 4 or higher on at least one IB test during high school.

MEDIAN HOME SALE PRICE

Sources: The county auditors or fiscal officers' offices provided figures for valid sales of single-family homes in 2009, 2014 and 2019.

PROPERTY TAX

Sources: 2019 rates of taxation are from county auditors, treasurers or fiscal officers and the Ohio Department of Taxation. They include each community's rollback and reduction for owner-occupied residential property for levies passed before November 2013.

POPULATION, POVERTY, DIVERSITY & OWNER-OCCUPIED HOUSING

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates. Diversity points are awarded based on the suburb's percentage of minority residents (nonwhite, Hispanic or multiracial), with the most points given to those suburbs closest to a 50% balance.

ENVIRONMENTAL INFRACTIONS

Source: The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency's database of reported polluted sites, which is continuously updated and includes reports of polluted sites that the EPA has not fully investigated.

COMMUNITY SERVICES

The mayor's office of each suburb informed us which of the following services are available to all residents: tennis courts, basketball courts, baseball and softball diamonds, indoor or outdoor ice rinks, indoor swimming pools, outdoor swimming pools, public playgrounds, recreation centers, public skateboarding parks, senior services, youth services, free mulch, free leaf pickup, free garbage pickup and recycling programs.

ROADS WITH SIDEWALKS

Each suburb provided information on the miles of roads and sidewalks. Percentage of roads with sidewalks was determined by dividing centerline miles of roads by half the miles of sidewalks (assuming sidewalks on both sides of the street) and converting to a percentage.

ALTERNATIVE COMMUTE AND COMMUTE TIME TO WORK

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2013-2017 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates.

LOWEST PROPERTY TAXES

RANK	COMMUNITY	Property tax (per $100,000 valuation)
1	BRUNSWICK	$1,640
2	HINCKLEY TWP.	$1,730
3	RICHFIELD VILLAGE	$1,750
4	MEDINA	$1,760
5	AMHERST	$1,780
6	MENTOR	$1,850
7	INDEPENDENCE	$1,860
8	AURORA	$1,890
9	CHESTER TWP.	$1,940
9	TWINSBURG	$1,940
11	AVON LAKE	$1,970
11	NORTH RIDGEVILLE	$1,970
13	KIRTLAND	$1,980
14	MACEDONIA	$2,000
15	AVON	$2,010

HIGHEST PROPERTY TAXES

RANK	COMMUNITY	Property tax (per $100,000 valuation)
1	SHAKER HEIGHTS	$3,950
2	GARFIELD HEIGHTS	$3,930
3	UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS	$3,820
4	CLEVELAND HEIGHTS	$3,800
5	MAPLE HEIGHTS	$3,710
6	EAST CLEVELAND	$3,250
7	SOUTH EUCLID	$3,170
8	RICHMOND HEIGHTS	$3,100
9	EUCLID	$3,070
10	WARRENSVILLE HEIGHTS	$3,010
11	OLMSTED TWP.	$2,970
12	LYNDHURST	$2,950
13	LAKEWOOD	$2,930
14	WICKLIFFE	$2,920
15	BRECKSVILLE	$2,830
15	NORTH OLMSTED	$2,830

HIGHEST % OF ROADS WITH SIDEWALKS

RANK	COMMUNITY	Roads with sidewalks (%)
1	BAY VILLAGE	100.0%
1	BROOKLYN	100.0%
1	CLEVELAND HEIGHTS	100.0%
1	EAST CLEVELAND	100.0%
1	EUCLID	100.0%
1	SHAKER HEIGHTS	100.0%
1	UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS	100.0%
1	WESTLAKE	100.0%
1	WILLOWICK	100.0%
10	PARMA	98.8%
11	BEDFORD	98.0%
12	LAKEWOOD	97.8%
13	MEDINA	97.1%
14	LORAIN	96.5%
15	WICKLIFFE	95.6%

EDUCATION STATS 2020

COMMUNITY	RANK	Student-teacher ratio*	Average ACT score	State standards met**	3rd-grade achievement tests score (out of 200)	4th-grade achievement tests score (out of 200)	5th-grade achievement tests score (out of 300)	6th-grade achievement tests score (out of 200)	7th-grade achievement tests score (out of 200)	8th-grade achievement tests score (out of 300)	End-of-Course Tests (average % at or above proficient)	4-year graduation rate (Class of '18)	5-year graduation rate (Class of '17)	Attendance 2018-19	Performance Index 2018-19 (out of 120)	Overall value added*	AP/IB courses	Seniors taking AP/IB courses	Seniors passing AP/IB courses	National Merit Finalists (F) / Commended (C)*	Languages	Dropout prevention programs	Nonathletic extracurriculars	Sports
																				F / C				
AMHERST	34	19.0	23.4	16	165.9	159.5	248.6	161.3	169.8	242.2	81.9%	95.9%	99.1%	94.5%	97.9	A	11	4.7%	4.7%	0 / 3	2	2	12	14
AURORA	12	16.8	23.5	21	164.6	181.7	261.0	168.6	180.1	276.9	90.1%	98.3%	99.2%	96.3%	103.9	A	23	75.7%	63.9%	3 / 0	3	3	25	14
AVON	15	19.0	24.0	23	185.4	176.3	268.4	172.1	178.6	269.7	89.7%	98.7%	98.9%	96.0%	105.4	A	18	41.7%	37.3%	2 / 2	3	5	41	16
AVON LAKE	11	17.7	25.8	23	191.8	175.5	268.5	173.2	174.1	266.2	89.9%	96.6%	97.3%	95.6%	104.5	B	21	71.1%	55.3%	2 / 3	3	5	32	16
BAY VILLAGE	8	14.5	24.0	23	190.2	194.3	288.1	174.5	182.1	274.4	91.3%	98.5%	99.5%	95.9%	107.7	B	18	57.4%	41.4%	1 / 1	2	4	31	14
BEACHWOOD	3	11.5	23.9	23	188.8	179.8	277.1	190.4	176.8	258.1	91.7%	98.3%	99.3%	95.5%	108.5	A	27	53.7%	50.4%	0 / 2	5	4	35	13
BEDFORD	47	14.8	17.0	2	102.3	102.8	152.6	67.2	88.1	122.3	55.3%	89.1%	87.2%	92.7%	70.9	F	12	26.4%	5.0%	0 / 0	4	5	30	12
BEREA	38	14.9	19.1	6	149.0	146.8	201.2	112.9	122.1	164.6	72.4%	92.6%	91.1%	93.8%	85.1	C	15	22.5%	16.5%	1 / 2	4	4	38	15
BRECKSVILLE-BROADVIEW HEIGHTS	6	17.2	24.9	23	183.8	184.3	274.2	177.8	188.0	263.5	95.0%	95.5%	98.9%	95.7%	108.1	B	28	64.0%	53.9%	6 / 8	3	3	31	16
BROOKLYN	48	14.4	19.0	2	101.1	126.1	144.3	90.6	98.3	165.2	69.9%	92.6%	99.2%	93.3%	79.0	B	5	8.9%	7.9%	0 / 0	2	1	15	9
BRUNSWICK	30	17.4	22.7	11	160.6	159.9	232.7	152.8	151.4	201.4	78.3%	97.2%	95.1%	95.1%	94.2	F	18	25.4%	20.5%	1 / 4	4	4	23	15
CHAGRIN FALLS	4	14.2	27.1	23	192.8	195.4	270.1	175.7	182.1	247.2	96.5%	95.6%	99.4%	95.6%	109.2	A	28	81.7%	76.0%	0 / 4	4	3	27	15
CHARDON	29	16.4	22.6	20	187.6	182.9	250.4	156.0	172.8	245.3	82.6%	94.6%	97.5%	95.0%	101.8	B	18	38.1%	27.5%	1 / 2	2	4	20	14
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS-UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS	42	13.0	19.3	1	116.2	123.8	168.7	92.2	74.5	129.0	55.2%	86.6%	90.6%	91.8%	75.2	F	16	37.3%	12.5%	0 / 1	4	5	34	15
CUYAHOGA FALLS	39	14.5	18.3	4	148.1	151.6	218.6	105.0	116.7	171.3	67.8%	90.1%	94.8%	93.8%	87.3	F	21	26.4%	14.9%	1 / 1	3	4	29	14
CUYAHOGA HEIGHTS	21	13.3	22.8	22	165.3	163.9	275.0	178.2	181.9	262.6	92.4%	98.5%	100.0%	96.4%	104.8	A	12	34.8%	34.8%	0 / 0	1	2	20	13
EAST CLEVELAND	56	12.5	14.5	0	79.3	67.5	65.3	56.7	37.2	69.6	26.4%	74.2%	74.8%	87.0%	55.3	F	5	20.0%	0.6%	0 / 0	2	4	12	9
ELYRIA	49	14.4	20.1	1	103.5	100.6	173.2	93.4	98.5	138.0	56.3%	88.6%	87.3%	92.0%	74.7	F	11	0.0%	0.0%	0 / 0	2	3	23	14
EUCLID	53	14.2	17.6	0	92.4	99.3	136.1	62.4	58.0	85.8	49.8%	70.2%	74.6%	89.8%	63.9	F	1	2.0%	0.0%	5 / 0	2	3	20	16
FAIRVIEW PARK	36	14.6	20.0	9	161.5	163.8	211.2	119.7	139.1	192.4	77.8%	92.2%	95.0%	95.4%	90.3	F	13	29.0%	19.4%	0 / 0	2	3	22	13
GARFIELD HEIGHTS	55	14.3	16.2	1	85.8	106.7	109.6	56.3	53.3	68.0	43.0%	88.7%	88.7%	92.2%	63.4	F	4	4.7%	1.0%	0 / 0	2	2	15	13
HIGHLAND	13	18.5	24.8	23	185.8	185.9	272.3	176.2	173.3	252.8	90.7%	98.5%	98.2%	95.6%	105.3	A	20	59.3%	51.6%	5 / 0	4	2	28	11
HUDSON	2	15.2	26.2	22	184	180.0	270.2	173.7	188.6	251.6	92.6%	97.2%	97.8%	96.0%	105.1	B	26	72.9%	69.2%	8 / 9	6	4	35	17
INDEPENDENCE	26	12.9	22.1	20	185.5	175.0	278.5	156.0	171.2	251.8	88.7%	97.9%	100.0%	95.9%	102.2	B	9	44.2%	27.4%	0 / 2	2	3	19	11

KENSTON	10	14.4	25.1	23	180.4	180.6	256.9	176.5	187.0	262.7	92.3%	97.6%	97.6%	95.8%	104.8	B	25	46.6%	30.8%	2 / 6	3	4	24	16
KIRTLAND	27	18.2	24.1	17	174.4	162.9	253.8	151.9	152.4	247.3	89.1%	98.0%	100.0%	96.1%	99.0	C	11	55.6%	48.1%	1 / 1	2	3	19	13
LAKEWOOD	31	35.7	23.0	7	151.7	159.7	223.4	148.6	140.4	227.7	77.8%	87.0%	88.5%	94.5%	94.3	F	16	34.8%	24.8%	0 / 3	4	5	35	15
LORAIN	57	14.6	16.4	0	91.2	94.8	112.7	46.5	60.5	112.1	41.6%	77.1%	79.6%	86.7%	64.5	F	0†	0.0%†	0.0%†	0† / 0†	3†	5†	18†	11†
MAPLE HEIGHTS	52	18.3	15.0	1	82.2	81.5	111.8	74.1	73.5	102.7	42.5%	92.0%	86.3%	89.7%	64.8	D	8	4.1%	0.0%	0 / 0	3	5	20	8
MAYFIELD	19	13.3	23.8	15	166.1	170.3	219.1	137.6	153.9	203.7	83.0%	92.1%	96.1%	94.6%	94.9	B	28	54.6%	32.3%	2 / 4	3	4	33	15
MEDINA	18	15.8	23.5	12	161.3	164.1	243.5	151.0	162.0	229.9	82.1%	95.7%	97.4%	94.7%	96.6	A	18	63.4%	40.2%	0 / 6	5	4	31	15
MENTOR	28	16.5	21.0	14	167.4	170.2	233.6	140.9	155.1	211	81.7%	94.9%	95.5%	95.3%	95.6	B	25	30.2%	24.1%	0 / 3	5	5	40	16
NORDONIA HILLS	23	15.7	21.3	15	160.0	186.3	253.6	159.7	158.5	229.6	82.4%	98.0%	98.0%	95.7%	98.3	B	22	45.0%	29.1%	0 / 0	3	5	19	15
NORTH OLMSTED	37	18.0	21.0	4	150.0	136.0	209.1	116.2	142.6	216.5	71.4%	94.1%	95.4%	94.0%	88.5	F	14	24.9%	15.3%	2 / 3	3	4	29	15
NORTH RIDGEVILLE	33	16.5	23.0	7	133.6	158.5	228.9	124.8	151.2	202.6	77.1%	93.8%	95.4%	94.7%	91.4	B	14	34.6%	21.5%	2 / 1	2	2	19	14
NORTH ROYALTON	22	17.2	24.0	21	179.4	181.1	253.3	165.8	160.2	259.4	86.7%	95.8%	97.6%	95.8%	102.1	B	14	32.5%	25.2%	1 / 4	3	4	29	14
OLMSTED FALLS	24	16.3	21.8	18	174.6	175.0	255.5	144.6	159.7	244.8	86.5%	95.4%	98.3%	95.3%	100.0	F	12	42.7%	32.3%	2 / 2	3	4	32	16
ORANGE	7	12.0	25.6	23	181.0	189.8	260.8	171.7	155.5	267.5	89.0%	91.4%	97.9%	95.1%	105.4	A	24	60.9%	38.5%	1 / 9	4	5	37	16
PAINESVILLE	51	14.9	17.0	1	107.3	91.6	129.9	47.6	78.3	109.5	45.6%	81.1%	79.7%	92.4%	66.7	F	5	14.2%	5.1%	0 / 0	2	5	19	11
PARMA	41	15.7	21.2	3	138.6	143.4	200.1	117.3	111.5	181.8	66.4%	88.7%	92.0%	93.6%	84.6	F	19	19.9%	13.5%	0 / 4	3	4	32	13
REVERE	9	15.3	25.5	24	174.9	187.9	258.5	169.9	180.4	267.1	89.8%	97.1%	97.6%	96.2%	105.1	B	22	51.4%	40.0%	8 / 2	3	4	24	13
RICHMOND HEIGHTS	50	13.6	15.6	2	99.0	111.8	130.1	49.5	55.0	123.6	61.0%	81.4%	82.1%	93.4%	69.1	F	3	15.9%	0.0%	0 / 0	2	3	12	6
RIVERSIDE	40	17.5	20.3	9	161.9	158.8	243.3	140.6	153.8	212.7	70.6%	88.2%	93.0%	94.5%	92.6	F	10	10.9%	8.6%	1 / 0	2	5	24	14
ROCKY RIVER	5	14.6	24.9	24	185.7	191.5	283.0	180.2	187.3	274.1	93.8%	99.0%	98.6%	96.2%	109.4	A	18	64.3%	51.3%	4 / 12	3	4	37	15
SHAKER HEIGHTS	17	13.1	23.0	4	157.6	154.8	200.7	122.5	129.1	171.4	73.4%	95.4%	97.3%	94.9%	89.1	F	64	60.9%	51.1%	9 / 11	6	4	35	16
SHEFFIELD-SHEFFIELD LAKE	45	13.9	19.3	6	156.7	161.9	216.9	128.8	158.3	194.9	71.1%	93.5%	92.1%	94.0%	90.9	F	3	10.5%	1.4%	0 / 0	2	4	19	10
SOLON	1	16.0	25.8	24	194.8	193.7	293.8	190.4	189.2	280.3	95.0%	98.8%	99.0%	96.5%	112.6	A	29	57.9%	50.9%	24 / 15	4	5	38	16
SOUTH EUCLID-LYNDHURST	46	13.8	18.0†	3	132.5	112.1	188.4	91.8	91.4	116.4	57.3%	89.0%	89.9%	94.8%	76.3	F	14†	31.2%†	13.6%†	0† / 0†	3†	3†	21†	15†
STOW-MUNROE FALLS	32	17.8	21.4	7	149.4	158.4	198.6	125.9	153.8	186.0	68.8%	94.2%	96.0%	95.1%	89.6	F	20	44.4%	31.2%	0 / 2	3	4	20	17
STREETSBORO	44	15.7	21.6	9	131.9	149.7	220.2	108.4	156.2	201.6	76.1%	89.5%	93.8%	94.7%	89.1	B	7	16.7%	8.6%	0 / 0	2	3	20	11
STRONGSVILLE	25	16.7	22.3	16	174.0	166.4	242.9	161.8	161.4	245.7	89.0%	96.3%	95.0%	95.2%	99.9	A	25	39.6%	27.8%	0 / 5	3	4	23	15
TWINSBURG	20	17.7	22.0	19	178.7	173.3	245.6	158.2	170.0	254.3	84.1%	98.5%	98.7%	95.7%	100.5	B	17	54.9%	45.1%	2 / 4	4	3	29	15
WARRENSVILLE HEIGHTS	54	13.1	15.5	2	138.4	126.4	123.9	56.9	60.3	76.1	43.2%	86.4%	86.9%	91.2%	67.9	A	2	5.7%	1.4%	0 / 0	2	1	14	8
WEST GEAUGA	16	15.6	21.9	20	182.5	176.2	247.6	139.3	174.4	258.9	92.8%	95.9%	99.4%	94.8%	104.2	A	20	51.6%	34.8%	1 / 0	4	5	21	16
WESTLAKE	14	14.7	23.3	23	176.2	182.0	257.7	167.6	172.0	254.0	85.8%	94.7%	95.8%	95.4%	103.1	A	31	55.2%	44.8%	6 / 1	4	4	33	16
WICKLIFFE	35	13.2	21.0	4	144.0	154.5	193.6	107.5	129.4	238.2	71.0%	91.6%	91.3%	94.2%	88.2	B	6	51.9%	41.7%	0 / 1	2	4	12	13
WILLOUGHBY-EASTLAKE	43	15.5	18.0	1	145.2	145.3	188.9	115.9	132.2	176.9	73.4%	90.1%	93.7%	94.1%	87.4	B	17	22.1%	9.5%	2 / 1	2	2	27	13

*These categories were not used to calculate rankings. **See pg. 71 for explanation of standards met and overall value added.

†Lorain and South Euclid-Lyndhurst school districts were unable to provide information for the 2018-2019 school year. Stats from 2017-2018 were used in their place.

SAFETY STATS 2020

COMMUNITY

COMMUNITY	RANK	Murder	Rape	Agg. robbery	Assault	Burglary	Larceny/Theft	Vehicle theft	Arson	Population	Violent/1,000	Nonviolent/1,000	Part-time officers*	Full-time officers*	Auxiliary officers*
AMHERST	6	0	0	1	7	8	45	7	1	12,097	0.66	5.04	3	20	3
AURORA	13	0	0	0	10	1	138	1	0	15,941	0.63	8.78	6	28	0
AVON	57	0	5	2	66	10	275	9	0	22,786	3.20	12.90	1	42	0
AVON LAKE	5	0	0	1	17	9	80	2	0	23,777	0.76	3.83	7	30	0
BAINBRIDGE TWP.	46	0	2	1	12	30	199	4	0	11,464	1.31	20.32	1	23	0
BATH TWP.	11	0	0	1	4	2	71	0	0	9,669	0.52	7.55	3	21	0
BAY VILLAGE	43	1	5	0	4	5	67	5	0	15,391	0.65	5.00	1	23	21
BEACHWOOD	39	0	1	1	15	6	521	6	0	11,704	1.45	45.54	11	46	0
BEDFORD	37	0	1	8	46	22	105	33	0	12,705	4.33	12.59	0	34	19
BEDFORD HEIGHTS	63	1	3	3	44	37	115	27	0	10,633	4.80	16.83	0	29	4
BEREA	42	0	2	3	135	16	63	6	1	18,859	7.42	4.56	2	29	8
BRECKSVILLE	7	0	0	0	5	9	63	4	0	13,538	0.37	5.61	3	29	0
BROADVIEW HEIGHTS	2	0	0	1	6	6	24	2	0	19,242	0.36	1.66	0	32	0
BROOK PARK	64	0	6	4	59	40	303	40	0	18,721	3.69	20.46	0	36	11
BROOKLYN	72	0	7	11	48	29	497	18	0	10,862	6.08	50.08	0	31	13
BRUNSWICK	21	2	2	1	32	19	177	14	2	34,733	1.07	6.10	5	40	0
CHAGRIN FALLS	9	0	0	0	3	1	19	1	0	4,122	0.73	5.09	5	13	8
CHARDON	61	0	1	1	17	3	136	1	0	5,171	3.67	27.07	7	12	0
CHESTER TWP.	8	0	0	0	6	6	50	3	0	10,317	0.58	5.72	1	14	1
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS	58	4	6	38	201	109	521	67	2	44,865	5.55	15.58	0	105	0
CONCORD TWP.	10	0	0	0	23	2	26	0	0	18,158	1.27	1.54	0	13	0
CUYAHOGA FALLS	65	0	14	4	314	92	863	24	2	49,317	6.73	19.89	0	72	18
EAST CLEVELAND	70	6	1	49	59	115	124	129	7	17,321	6.64	21.65	2	47	1
EASTLAKE	52	0	2	3	64	17	291	18	0	18,229	3.79	17.88	31	24	17
ELYRIA	75	3	32	41	616	209	668	50	7	53,910	12.84	17.33	0	81	0
EUCLID	76	1	32	84	442	230	547	200	8	47,456	11.78	20.76	0	91	29
FAIRVIEW PARK	34	0	0	4	52	8	179	5	0	16,400	3.41	11.71	0	26	22
GARFIELD HEIGHTS	74	1	17	27	220	92	627	93	5	28,001	9.46	29.18	0	50	21
HIGHLAND HEIGHTS	23	0	0	1	5	2	129	2	0	8,396	0.71	15.84	4	23	6
HINCKLEY TWP.	3	0	0	0	5	1	14	0	0	7,927	0.63	1.89	2	12	0
HUDSON	15	0	2	1	6	8	105	7	0	22,287	0.40	5.38	0	30	4
INDEPENDENCE	48	1	0	1	14	1	131	5	0	7,156	2.24	19.14	2	34	0
KIRTLAND	35	0	2	0	7	3	29	1	0	6,818	1.32	4.84	5	12	0
LAKEWOOD	30	0	6	28	56	45	385	53	0	50,553	1.78	9.55	7	94	19
LORAIN	77	6	39	74	1,292	391	1,044	93	15	63,773	22.13	24.20	0	95	40
LYNDHURST	50	0	3	1	28	8	140	1	1	13,630	2.35	11.01	2	29	8
MACEDONIA	44	0	3	0	4	5	179	1	0	11,808	0.59	15.67	0	22	0
MAPLE HEIGHTS	73	7	18	47	217	111	47	63	5	22,539	12.82	10.03	1	29	17

*These categories were not used to calculate rankings.

COMMUNITY	RANK	Murder	Rape	Agg. robbery	Assault	Burglary	Larceny/Theft	Vehicle theft	Arson	Population	Violent/1,000	Nonviolent/1,000	Part-time officers*	Full-time officers*	Auxiliary officers*
MAYFIELD HEIGHTS	40	0	1	4	35	16	393	23	0	18,766	2.13	23.02	2	38	22
MAYFIELD VILLAGE	29	0	0	0	8	2	29	0	0	3,397	2.36	9.13	5	19	6
MEDINA	54	0	8	4	34	20	301	5	0	26,193	1.76	12.45	0	39	29
MENTOR	53	1	9	6	103	29	651	25	0	47,062	2.53	14.98	4	84	0
MENTOR-ON-THE-LAKE	68	0	4	5	28	8	77	0	1	7,410	4.99	11.61	11	9	0
MIDDLEBURG HEIGHTS	14	0	0	1	17	4	93	7	0	15,670	1.15	6.64	0	30	0
MORELAND HILLS	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3,316	0.00	0.90	3	15	0
NORTH OLMSTED	60	0	12	3	44	31	495	13	1	31,888	1.85	16.93	1	48	16
NORTH RIDGEVILLE	20	0	3	1	48	22	79	8	1	32,954	1.58	3.34	0	40	0
NORTH ROYALTON	36	0	6	2	67	22	134	4	1	30,322	2.47	5.31	0	36	11
OAKWOOD VILLAGE	25	0	0	1	8	2	21	3	0	3,692	2.44	7.04	4	16	7
OLMSTED FALLS	16	1	0	1	6	6	18	1	0	8,912	0.90	2.81	8	11	0
OLMSTED TWP.	45	0	3	0	37	6	57	5	0	13,425	2.98	5.07	4	16	0
ORANGE VILLAGE	38	0	0	0	10	3	49	3	0	3,285	3.04	16.74	3	17	0
PAINESVILLE	32	1	0	6	51	27	173	12	2	19,828	2.93	10.79	11	40	0
PAINESVILLE TWP.	41	0	3	3	39	31	193	14	1	20,364	2.21	11.74	1	13	0
PARMA	59	1	27	20	316	140	696	68	6	79,559	4.58	11.44	0	112	27
PARMA HEIGHTS	51	0	4	2	47	25	271	1	0	20,162	2.63	14.73	0	30	2
PEPPER PIKE	12	0	0	1	5	5	21	0	0	6,242	0.96	4.17	1	17	0
RICHFIELD VILLAGE	26	0	0	0	31	5	39	3	0	3,647	3.16	4.79	4	18	0
RICHMOND HEIGHTS	66	1	3	10	34	37	135	21	3	10,449	4.59	18.76	1	23	12
ROCKY RIVER	27	0	2	1	29	13	156	3	1	20,310	1.58	8.52	0	34	12
SAGAMORE HILLS TWP.	4	0	0	0	3	4	29	0	0	10,922	0.27	3.02	5	11	0
SEVEN HILLS	28	0	2	3	6	3	43	1	0	11,690	0.94	4.02	3	17	0
SHAKER HEIGHTS	47	1	7	12	28	41	238	17	0	27,620	1.74	10.72	0	68	0
SHEFFIELD LAKE	69	0	7	0	39	25	80	0	1	9,011	5.10	11.76	3	11	0
SOLON	17	0	0	2	23	19	201	3	0	23,038	1.09	9.68	0	47	14
SOUTH EUCLID	71	0	9	17	196	45	516	47	0	21,688	10.24	28.03	2	38	4
STOW	55	0	10	1	45	59	504	7	1	34,796	1.61	16.41	0	42	10
STREETSBORO	22	0	1	8	15	5	129	20	3	16,395	1.46	9.58	0	29	0
STRONGSVILLE	24	0	2	3	43	24	531	6	0	44,752	1.07	12.54	0	73	0
TWINSBURG	33	1	1	4	70	8	78	3	1	18,915	4.02	4.76	2	35	0
UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS	56	0	2	9	28	18	203	14	0	13,138	2.97	17.89	0	28	11
WARRENSVILLE HEIGHTS	67	0	3	29	101	40	206	94	0	13,258	10.03	25.64	0	28	0
WESTLAKE	19	0	2	0	16	20	266	8	0	32,378	0.56	9.08	5	53	18
WICKLIFFE	62	1	5	1	20	9	165	18	0	12,733	2.12	15.08	4	30	6
WILLOUGHBY	18	0	0	0	40	14	119	2	0	22,770	1.76	5.93	22	43	0
WILLOUGHBY HILLS	49	0	2	0	19	11	71	16	0	9,526	2.20	10.29	9	21	0
WILLOWICK	31	0	2	2	15	6	130	18	0	14,160	1.34	10.88	0	23	0