USA cities ranked by household income (lowest income)

Cities with at least 100,000 residents, ranked by median household income, lowest first.

Rank	City	State	Household income	Population (2020–24)
1	Detroit	Michigan	$39,938	638,530
2	Cleveland	Ohio	$40,801	366,097
3	Jackson	Mississippi	$42,071	146,631
4	Dayton	Ohio	$45,247	136,579
5	Birmingham	Alabama	$46,051	198,173
6	Gainesville	Florida	$46,195	145,702
7	Hartford	Connecticut	$46,411	121,127
8	Rochester	New York	$47,213	208,772
9	Syracuse	New York	$47,819	146,384
10	Akron	Ohio	$48,076	189,247
11	Shreveport	Louisiana	$48,699	180,982
12	Springfield	Missouri	$49,311	169,954
13	Toledo	Ohio	$49,724	267,463
14	Baton Rouge	Louisiana	$49,994	222,771
15	Buffalo	New York	$50,041	276,854
16	College Station	Texas	$50,900	124,570
17	Macon-Bibb County	Georgia	$51,234	156,578
18	Tuscaloosa	Alabama	$51,464	111,038
19	Memphis	Tennessee	$51,736	618,980
20	Waterbury	Connecticut	$51,886	114,869
21	Newark	New Jersey	$52,060	310,178
22	Brownsville	Texas	$52,130	189,177
23	Springfield	Massachusetts	$52,656	154,749
24	Cincinnati	Ohio	$52,909	311,224
25	Athens-Clarke County	Georgia	$52,974	127,345
26	Evansville	Indiana	$53,387	116,116
27	Mobile	Alabama	$53,558	203,416
28	Knoxville	Tennessee	$54,039	195,185
29	Milwaukee	Wisconsin	$54,234	566,973
30	Waco	Texas	$54,365	143,570
31	Lansing	Michigan	$54,382	113,023
32	Rockford	Illinois	$54,752	147,521
33	Las Cruces	New Mexico	$55,422	114,197
34	Augusta-Richmond	Georgia	$55,485	201,528
35	Allentown	Pennsylvania	$55,494	125,976
36	Columbia	South Carolina	$55,529	139,643
37	Hialeah	Florida	$55,594	226,165
38	South Bend	Indiana	$55,786	103,085
39	Paterson	New Jersey	$55,997	158,735
40	St. Louis	Missouri	$56,160	288,512
41	New Orleans	Louisiana	$56,631	371,853

42	Pueblo	Colorado	$56,664	111,561
43	Montgomery	Alabama	$56,811	197,494
44	New Haven	Connecticut	$56,851	134,349
45	Topeka	Kansas	$56,956	125,786
46	New Bedford	Massachusetts	$56,981	100,998
47	Beaumont	Texas	$56,997	113,279
48	Tucson	Arizona	$57,073	547,073
49	Savannah	Georgia	$57,137	147,898
50	Tallahassee	Florida	$57,409	201,875

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-year estimates, 2020–2024 (released January 29, 2026). Values are 2020–2024 averages; dollar figures are in 2024 dollars. Last updated January 29, 2026. https://aifreeforever.com/chart/richest-usa-cities