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Lawrence, IN

Population, town and surrounding area: **43,633**

	City Stats	Best places average
Financial		
Median household income (per year)	\$40,805	\$68,053
Sales tax	6.00%	6.77%
State income tax rate (highest bracket)	3.40%*	n/a
State income tax rate (lowest bracket)	3.40%*	n/a
Auto insurance premiums (Average for the state)	\$664	\$855
Housing		
Median home price	\$89,598	\$315,351
Home price gain (2-5 year gain)	-1.60%	14.88%
Education		
Colleges, universities and professional schools	0	32
Junior colleges and technical institutes	7	15
Student to teacher ratio (grade schools)	16.10	15.37
Quality of life		
Air pollution index (100 is national average; lower is better)	107	90
Personal crime risk (100 is national average; lower is better)	153	69
Property crime risk (100 is national average; lower is better)	203	78
Leisure and culture		
Movie theaters (within 15 miles)	28	27
Restaurants (within 15 miles)	2,841	3,738
Bars (within 15 miles)	317	267
Golf courses (public courses; within 30 miles)	84	72
Libraries (within 15 miles)	43	60
Museums	8	10

(accredited by AAM; within 30 miles)

Weather	City Stats	Best places average
Annual precipitation (inches)	42.85	37.80
High temp in July ° F	84.50°	86.11°
Low temp in Jan ° F	17.00°	26.60°

*Flat Rate.

Average is based only on data for more than 1,300 cities in the Best Places database. Included are cities with population of more than 14,000 with above-average income, population growth and real estate appreciation during the past five years. The data represent the zip codes associated with the town name. The listed populations often include areas outside an incorporated municipality. For instance, the town of Vienna has a population of 14,900, but 61,700 residents have a Vienna postal address.