

# Student Homelessness in Walla Walla

**268**

STUDENTS  
EXPERIENCING  
HOMELESSNESS

**2.9%**

OF ALL STUDENTS  
EXPERIENCE  
HOMELESSNESS

**47%**

OF THESE  
STUDENTS ARE  
PEOPLE OF COLOR

The Anchor Community Initiative (ACI) is a ground level movement that helps local communities bring together all systems that serve youth and young adults to **end youth and young adult homelessness**. To achieve this goal, we need all hands on deck, including schools and colleges.

## How Can Educators Help?

- By **identifying** young people who are experiencing homelessness
- By **learning about resources** that can help these students
- By **connecting these students with services** that can help them find permanent housing

## Be Part of the Solution!

Partner with the Anchor Community Initiative to help end youth and young adult homelessness in Yakima:

- Start a conversation with local Coordinator Samantha Jackle ([sjackle@co.walla-walla.wa.us](mailto:sjackle@co.walla-walla.wa.us)) to begin connecting students to resources
- Create connections with resources in the community who can support students experience homelessness

## Anchor Communities:

Pierce, Spokane, Walla Walla and Yakima Counties

## Who we serve

Unaccompanied young people ages 12-24 who are experiencing homelessness

Data collected from *Schoolhouse Washington Local Data and Outcomes Dashboard*.

