Special Olympics Illinois - Region E

Athletes Served

Total Athletes Served

Region E 2,794 athletes
State 23,197 athletes

12.04% of athletes in the state

Region Participation

Athletes from Region E participate in Alpine Skiing, Athletics, Basketball, Bocce, Bowling, Equestrian, Flag Football, Football (Soccer), Golf, Artistic Gymnastics, Rhythmic Gymnastics, Powerlifting, Snowshoeing, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, and Volleyball. Athletes also participate in MATP, Young Athletes & Unified Champion Schools.

Other Participant Numbers

Young Athletes: 287
Peer Partners: 685
Class A Volunteers: 1,467

Athletes by Gender

33% Female
67% Male

Athletes by Age

8-11yrs 6.39%
12-15yrs 17.52%
16-22yrs 33.93%
23-30yrs 12.35%
31-50yrs 17.99%
51+yrs 11.81%

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Serves the South Chicagoland area of Illinois with local programming in Grundy, Kankakee, South Suburban Cook and Will Counties.

Region Demographics

Mean Household Income**

Region E: $57,704
State: $59,588

Total Population in Region**

Region E: 2,153,296
State: 12,860,000

16.74% of State Population

Eligible for Special Olympics

6.68% of Eligible Population Served

Total Eligible in Region***: 41,798

**Number based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 Census
***Estimated 2% of Total Population have an intellectual disability

Agencies & Competitions

89 Agencies
20 Competitions

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