

# Unemployment in New York City Council Districts

The unemployment rate ranged by City Council district from 5% on the **Upper East Side** of Manhattan (District 4) to 19% in the **Fordham/Morris Heights** area of the Bronx (District 14) in 2013. During the same period the rate was 11% citywide.

The top five City Council districts for highest unemployment were Districts 14, 15, 16, and 17 in the **south and central West Bronx**, and District 10 in **north Manhattan**.

City Council Districts 14, 15, 16, and 17 also were among the top five districts with the greatest number of homeless students, a proxy for those living doubled up in unstable housing situations.

Shelters in districts with high unemployment could serve as locations for City-funded employment programs serving both the shelter population and the surrounding community.

## Unemployment, by City Council District

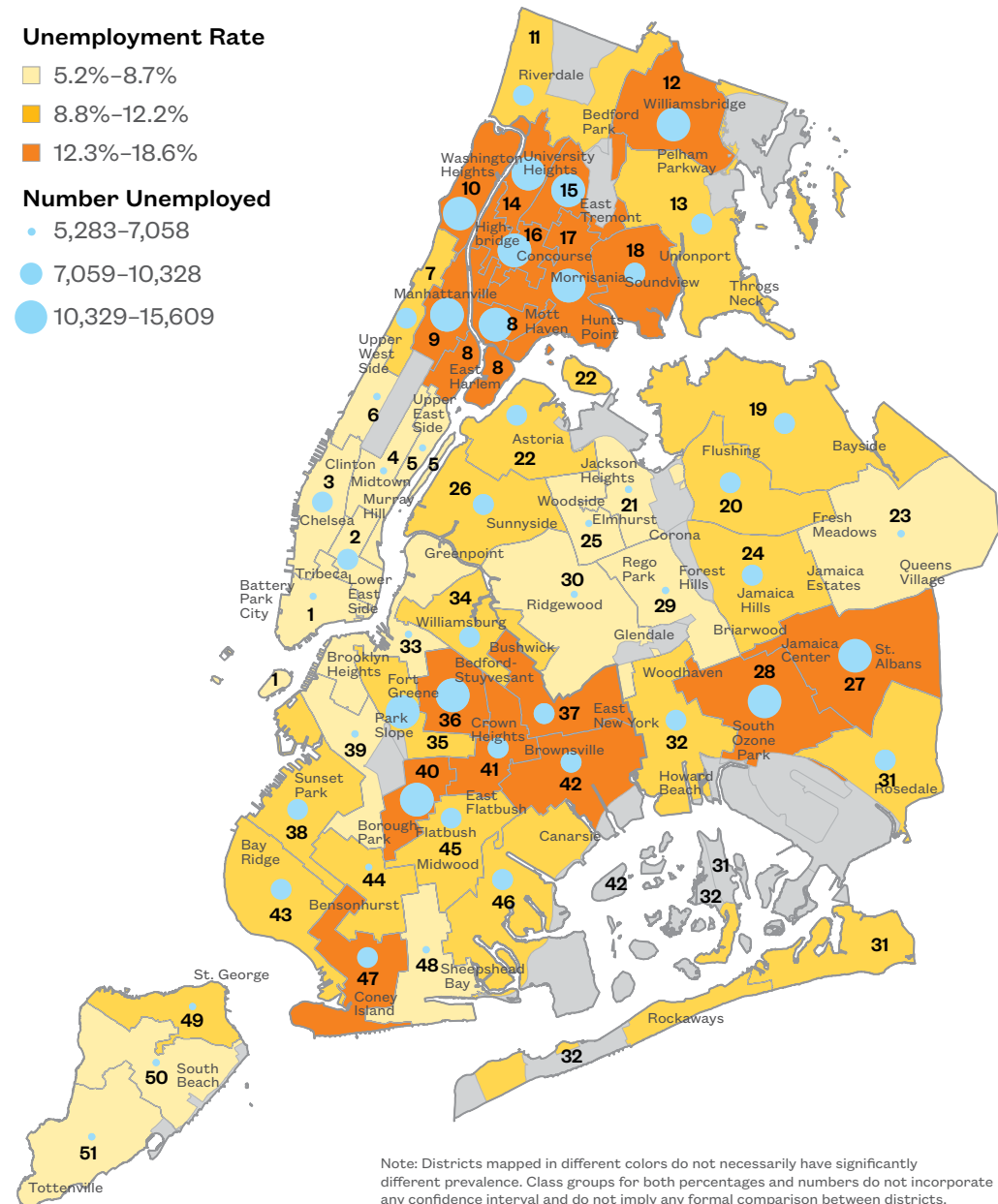
2009–2013 5-year Estimate

### Unemployment Rate

- 5.2%–8.7%
- 8.8%–12.2%
- 12.3%–18.6%

### Number Unemployed

- 5,283–7,058
- 7,059–10,328
- 10,329–15,609



Note: Districts mapped in different colors do not necessarily have significantly different prevalence. Class groups for both percentages and numbers do not incorporate any confidence interval and do not imply any formal comparison between districts. Margin of error for percentage values is between 0.6%–1.3%. Coefficient of variation for number values is 4.3%–7.8%

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

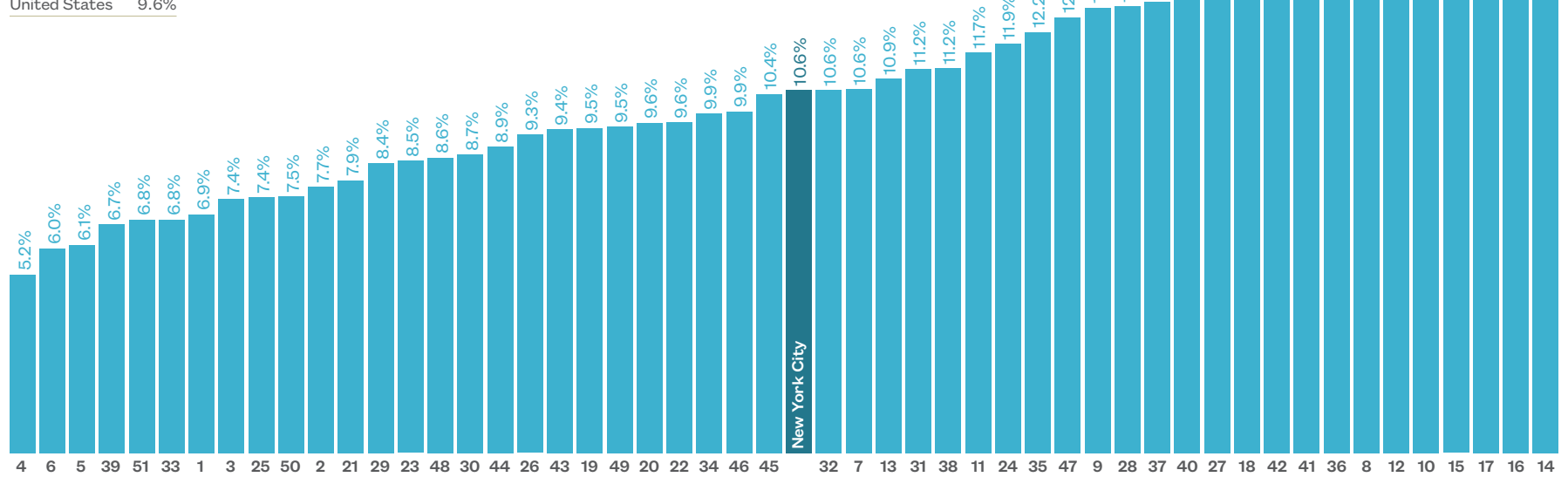
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2009–2013 5-year Estimate

Manhattan	8.8%
Bronx	15.1%
Brooklyn	10.9%
Queens	9.9%
Staten Island	7.9%
New York City	10.6%
New York State	9.2%
United States	9.6%

Note: City Council maps and tables were created using Census block group data, which are only available in five-year estimates. In order to allow for comparisons to be made across multiple geographic levels, five-year estimates are used for all geographies.

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## City Council Districts and Select Neighborhoods

<b>District 1</b> Battery Park, Wall Street, Tribeca, Two Bridges, Bowery	<b>District 8</b> El Barrio/East Harlem, South Bronx	<b>District 15</b> Fordham, Bathgate, Bronxdale, Van Nest, Mount Hope	<b>District 21</b> Elmhurst, East Elmhurst, Corona, Jackson Heights	<b>District 27</b> St. Albans, Hollis, Cambria Heights, Queens Village, Addisleigh Park	<b>District 33</b> Brooklyn Heights, DUMBO, Williamsburg, Greenpoint, Boerum Hill	<b>District 39</b> Cobble Hill, Carroll Gardens, Columbia Waterfront, Gowanus	<b>District 46</b> Flatlands, Georgetown, Marine Park, Bergen Beach, Mill Basin
<b>District 2</b> Lower East Side, East Village, Gramercy Park, Rosehill, Kips Bay	<b>District 9</b> Central Harlem, Morningside Heights, Upper West Side, East Harlem	<b>District 16</b> West Bronx, Morrisania, Highbridge, Melrose	<b>District 22</b> Astoria, Woodside, East Elmhurst, Jackson Heights	<b>District 28</b> Jamaica, South Jamaica, South Ozone Park, Springfield Gardens	<b>District 34</b> Williamsburg, Bushwick, Ridgewood	<b>District 40</b> Prospect-Lefferts, Flatbush, Kensington, Ditmas Park	<b>District 47</b> Bensonhurst, Gravesend, Sea Gate, Coney Island
<b>District 3</b> Soho, West Village, Chelsea, Clinton	<b>District 10</b> Washington Heights, Inwood, Marble Hill	<b>District 17</b> Melrose, Longwood, Hunts Point, Morrisania, Crotona Park East	<b>District 23</b> Bayside Hills, Bellerose, Douglaston, Floral Park, Fresh Meadows	<b>District 29</b> Rego Park, Forest Hills, Kew Gardens, Richmond Hill	<b>District 35</b> Clinton Hill, Prospect Heights, Crown Heights	<b>District 41</b> Bedford-Stuyvesant, Ocean Hill-Brownsville, East Flatbush	<b>District 48</b> Brighton Beach, Brightwater Towers, Luna Park, Madison
<b>District 4</b> Upper East Side, Central Park South, Grand Central, Tudor City	<b>District 11</b> Bedford Park, Kingsbridge, Norwood, Riverdale	<b>District 18</b> Parkchester, Soundview, Castle Hill, Harding Park, Clason Point	<b>District 24</b> Kew Gardens Hill, Pomonok, Utopia, Briarwood	<b>District 30</b> Maspeth, Ridgewood, Glendale, Middle Village, Richmond Hill	<b>District 36</b> Bedford-Stuyvesant, Northern Crown Heights	<b>District 42</b> East New York, Starrett City	<b>District 49</b> St. George, Tompkinsville, Stapleton, Snug Harbor, Livingston
<b>District 5</b> Yorkville, Lenox Hill, Roosevelt Island, Sutton Place	<b>District 12</b> Wakefield, Williamsbridge, Edenwald, Fishbay, Baychester	<b>District 19</b> Bayside, Whitestone, Auburndale, College Point, Little Neck	<b>District 25</b> Jackson Heights, Elmhurst	<b>District 31</b> Laurelton, Rosedale, Springfield Gardens, Bayswater	<b>District 37</b> Bushwick, Cypress Hills, City Line, Oceanhill-Brownsville	<b>District 43</b> Bay Ridge, Bensonhurst, Dyker Heights, Bath Beach	<b>District 50</b> Arden Heights, Annadale, Westerleigh, Oakwood Heights, Oakwood Beach
<b>District 6</b> Upper West Side	<b>District 13</b> Pelham Parkway, Pelham Bay, Country Club, City Island	<b>District 20</b> Flushing, Queensboro Hill, Mitchell Gardens, Kissena Park	<b>District 26</b> Woodside, Sunnyside, Long Island City, Astoria	<b>District 32</b> Belle Harbor, Breezy Point, Broad Channel, Hamilton Beach	<b>District 38</b> Red Hook, Sunset Park, Windsor Terrace	<b>District 44</b> Borough Park, Midwood, Bensonhurst	<b>District 51</b> Arden Heights, Annadale, Bay Terrace, Tottenville, Oakwood
<b>District 7</b> Manhattan Valley, Morningside Heights, Manhattanville	<b>District 14</b> Fordham, Kingsbridge, Morris Heights, West Bronx					<b>District 45</b> Flatbush, East Flatbush, Flatlands, Midwood, Canarsie	