

# County Data Briefs May 2026

## Summary

- In April, 2026, Pennsylvania had 6,572 polling places.
- The three largest types of polling places were religious buildings, government buildings and schools and libraries.
- Demographically, the neighborhoods where polling places are located vary by building type.

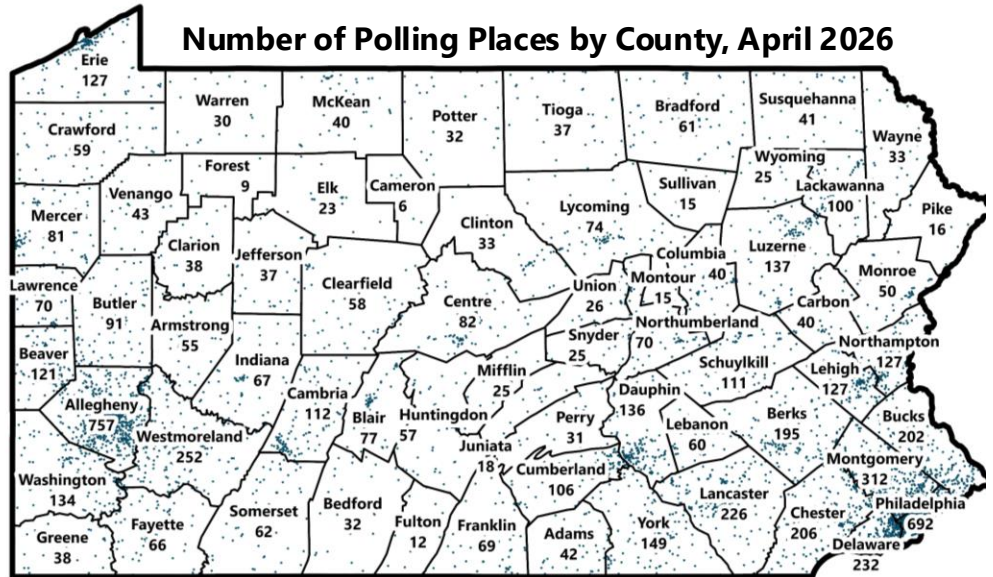
### Methodology

The April 2026 polling location data was obtained from the Bureau of Elections, Pennsylvania Department of State. Based on the building description of where the polling place was located, CCAP coded the buildings into six broad groups. Data for the profile of the neighborhood of the polling place came from the 2024, 5-year Average American Community Survey. U.S. Census Bureau. The neighborhoods where the polling place was located was identified by the street address and the Census Block Group it was in.



# Where Pennsylvanians Vote

According to the In Pennsylvania Bureau of Election, in April 2026, there are 6,572 polling places. The majority of these voting places (72 percent) serviced only one precinct or ward. Twenty-eight percent of the polling places were used by multiple precincts or wards.



# Profile of the Neighborhoods Where Polling Buildings are Located

*Profile of the Census Block Group Where the Polling Building is Located, 2024*

	<b>Religious Bldg.</b> <i>(n=2,018)</i>	<b>Govt. Bldg.</b> <i>(n=1,281)</i>	<b>School and Library Bldg.</b> <i>(n=968)</i>	<b>Public Safety Bldg.</b> <i>(n=892)</i>	<b>Community, Social, &amp; Club Bldg.</b> <i>(n=830)</i>	<b>Commercial &amp; Other Types of Bldg.</b> <i>(n=590)</i>
Population Density	320.0	79.0	920.0	129.2	284.3	178.8
Avg. Voting Age Population	1,129	1,055	1,163	1,049	1,392	1,075
% Population 65+ Years Old	20%	22%	18%	21%	20%	21%
% People of Color	23%	13%	36%	13%	33%	33%
% Households with Children	27%	26%	28%	26%	25%	24%
% College Degree or Higher	36%	28%	41%	28%	34%	33%
Avg. Household Income	\$107,484	\$100,232	\$115,925	\$97,650	\$96,237	\$98,845
% In Pop. Labor Force	63%	61%	64%	62%	60%	59%
% Homeownership Rate	70%	76%	66%	77%	61%	62%
% Lived in Same Home 25+ Years	27%	31%	25%	32%	23%	24%
% Households without a Vehicle	10%	7%	13%	7%	16%	16%