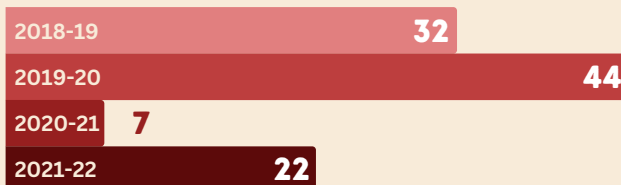
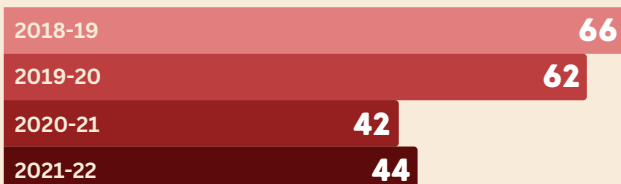
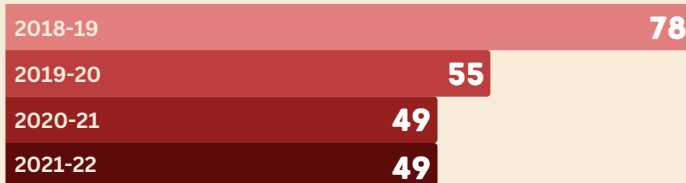


STUDENTS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS

RURAL POLK COUNTY

Students who "lack a fixed, regular and adequate nighttime residence" are experiencing homelessness. This includes youth and families who are doubling up (sharing housing with one or more families or couch surfing), living in transitional or emergency shelters, staying in hotels/motels, or sleeping in cars, camps or a place not designated for sleeping. Some are unaccompanied youth (not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian). A McKinney-Vento liaison in each school district provides support to students experiencing homelessness and reports the number of students served.

STUDENTS IN RURAL POLK COUNTY EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS BY YEAR



On average, per school year in 2018-2022, **213** students in rural Polk County experienced homelessness.

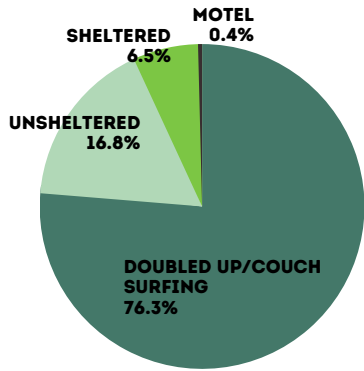


LIVING SITUATIONS OF STUDENTS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS

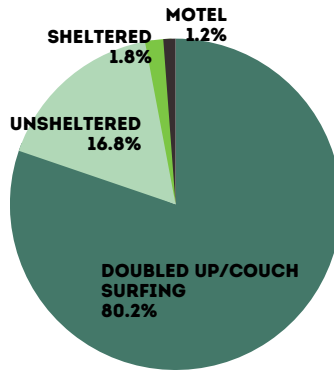
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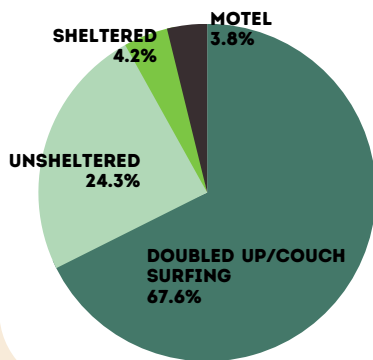
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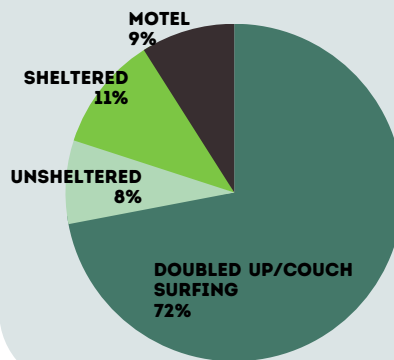
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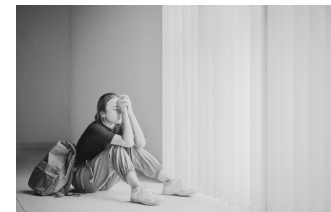


WHO ARE THEY WITH?

191 STUDENTS EXPERIENCED HOMELESSNESS WITH THEIR FAMILY



22 STUDENTS EXPERIENCED HOMELESSNESS AS UNACCOMPANIED YOUTH



(On average, per school year, in 2018-2022 in rural Polk County.)

DATA REPORTED FOR THE 2019-20 SCHOOL YEAR SHOWED 23% OF STUDENTS IN FALLS CITY EXPERIENCED HOMELESSNESS, THE HIGHEST RATE OF STUDENT HOMELESSNESS IN THE STATE OF OREGON THAT YEAR.

