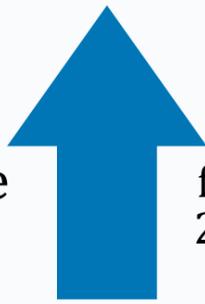


# Fort Smith

2019 Community Survey

**63%**

Employment Rate



from 2009

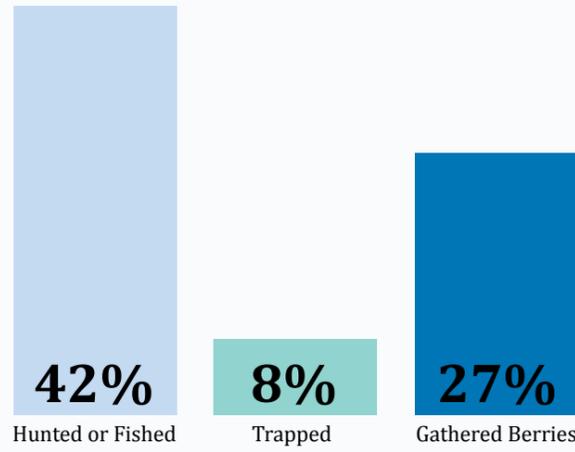
Top 3 Occupations

**Administrative occupations**

**Paraprofessional occupations**

**School teachers**

Traditional Activities



households who consumed 75% of their meat and fish through harvest

**9%**

\*Proportions are based on the Indigenous population

can speak an Indigenous language

**14%**



**49%**

want to learn or improve their Indigenous language skills

Top Language:

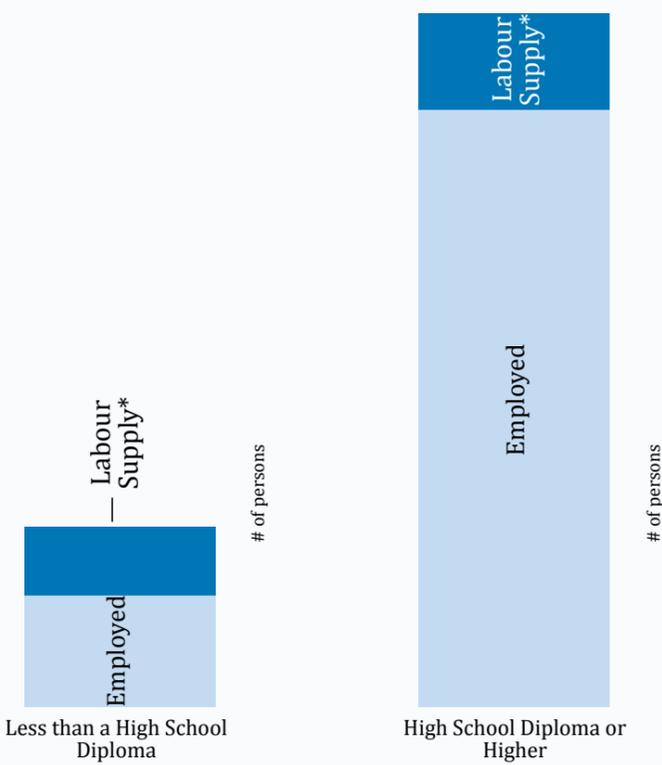
**Cree**

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Indigenous Languages

Labour Force

Employment and Education



\*Unemployed persons and persons not in the labour force who want a job

Financial Security



**15%**

of households had difficulty making ends meet\*

\*Being able to afford food, clothing, transportation, housing, etc.

**20%**

of households were worried about having money for food

Sometimes Worried

Often Worried

Housing

**34%**

of Dwellings have housing problems

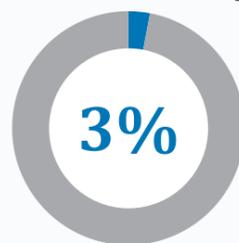


**40%** Rented **60%** Owned

**7%**

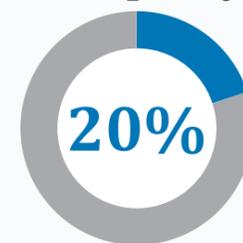
have occupants who can't get their own dwelling

Suitability



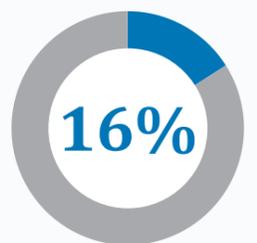
of dwellings do not have enough bedrooms

Adequacy



of dwellings require major repairs

Affordability



of dwellings cost more than 30% of household income

Levels of community **Satisfaction** with:

Employment Opportunities

**52%**

Cost of Living

**57%**

Sense of Belonging

**78%**

Overall, **83%** of households were satisfied with their home community

