



# Obama By The Numbers

*As College Graduates Prepare To Enter The Workforce, A Look At The Economy And Legacy Obama Has Left For Them*

**\$17.5 Trillion:** Total Debt Under Obama As Of May 13, 2014. ([U.S. Treasury Department](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**\$6.8 Trillion:** Amount Of Debt Obama Has Added To The Federal Debt Since Becoming President. ([U.S. Treasury Department](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**\$1.1 Trillion:** Total Student Debt Held By Americans In The First Quarter of 2014. ([Federal Reserve Bank of New York](#), Accessed 5/6/14)

**\$21.4 Billion:** Earnings Lost By 20-To-24-Year Olds Due To The Recession. ([Young Invincibles](#), 1/14)

**16.6 Million:** The Number Of 18-To-24-Year Olds Living At Home With Their Parents In 2013, 55.3 Percent Of All 18-To-24-Year Olds. ([U.S. Census Department](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**6.1 Million:** 18-To-24-Year Olds Below The Poverty Level. ([U.S. Census Department](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**5.8 Million:** Young Adults Neither Working Nor In School. ([Young Invincibles](#), 1/14)

**1.3 Million:** The Increase In The Number Of Americans Working Part-Time In Obama's Economy Since 2008. ([U.S. Census Department](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**1.1 Million:** The Number Of New People Earning At Or Below The Minimum Wage In The Obama Economy Since 2008. ([Bureau Of Labor Statistics](#), Accessed 5/13/14; [Bureau Of Labor Statistics](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**976,000:** The Decline In High-Wage Industry Jobs During Obama's "Recovery" Compared To Before The Recession. ([National Employment Law Project](#), 4/14)

**958,000:** The Decline In Mid-Wage Industry Jobs During Obama's "Recovery" Compared To Before The Recession. ([National Employment Law Project](#), 4/14)

**\$54,938:** Current Gross Federal Debt Per Capita Under Obama. ([U.S. Census Bureau](#), Accessed 5/13/14; [U.S. Treasury Department](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**\$26,501:** The Average Earnings Of 18-To-24-Year-Olds With A Bachelors Degree In 2012. ([U.S. Census Department](#), Accessed 5/9/14)

**\$25,000:** Average Debt Per Student Loan Recipient In 2012. ([Federal Reserve Bank Of New York](#), 4/14)

**\$22,000:** Missed Earnings Per Person By 20-To-24-Year Olds Due To The Recession. ([Young Invincibles](#), 1/14)

**\$2,515:** The Decline In Average Earnings Of 18-To-24-Year Olds With A Bachelor Degree Since 2008. ([U.S. Census Department](#), Accessed 5/9/14; [Bureau Of Labor Statistics](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**\$1,813:** Increased Cost of Public Colleges While Obama's Been President. ([National Center For Education Statistics](#), Accessed 3/6/14)

**89%:** 2014 Graduates Without A Job Lined Up For After Graduation, A 5 Percentage Point Increase From Last Year. ([Accenture 2014 College Graduate Employment Survey](#), 2014)

**69%:** College Students That Have Found It "Difficult" Or "Very Difficult" To Find A Job Or Internship. ([2014 AfterCollege Career Insights Survey](#), 4/28/14)

**61%:** This Year's Graduates That Expect To Find A Full-Time Job In Their Chosen Field. ([Accenture 2014 College Graduate Employment Survey](#), 2014)

**46%:** Recent Graduates That Have Actually Found A Full-Time Job. ([Accenture 2014 College Graduate Employment Survey](#), 2014)

**44%:** Of Recent College Graduates That Work In Positions Not Requiring A College Degree. ([Federal Reserve Bank of New York](#), Accessed 5/6/14)

**28%:** Of This Year's Graduates Have More Than \$30,000 In Debt. ([Accenture 2014 College Graduate Employment Survey](#), 2014)

**23%:** Of Recent College Graduates Working Part-Time. ([Federal Reserve Bank of New York](#), Accessed 5/6/14)

**11.5%:** Student Loans That Are 90 Days Delinquent. ([Federal Reserve Bank of New York](#), Accessed 5/6/14)

**10.6%: Unemployment Rate Of 20-To-24-Year Olds.** ([Bureau Of Labor Statistics](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

**5: Years Of 20-To-24-Year Old Unemployment Being In The Double Digits.** ([Bureau Of Labor Statistics](#), Accessed 5/13/14)

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