MALAYALAM

Number of Speakers: 79,855

Speakers

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3,115

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4,205

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Leading Counties

Pct.

0.964%

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Spoken in 179 Counties

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Spoken in

States

Among the 10 most common languages in



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45 Rank among the 322 languages spoken in the United States

By Percentage

Canadian County, Okla.

Rockland County, N.Y.

Fort Bend County, Texas

Westchester County, N.Y.

Richmond County, N.Y.

Nassau County, N.Y.

DuPage County, Ill.

Bergen County, N.J.

Dallas County, Texas

Queens County, N.Y.

Delaware County, Pa.

Middlesex County, N.J.

Hunterdon County, N.J.

Angelina County, Texas

Brazos County, Texas

Columbia County, Ga.

Cook County. Ill.

Montgomery County, Md.

Philadelphia County, Pa.

Denton County, Texas

County

Indicates the number of divisions where this language was recorded, as well as the number of divisions where the language ranked as one of the most common languages in a given state/county.

	States	Counties
Most common	0	0
2nd most common	0	0
3rd most common	0	1
4th most common	0	0
5th most common	0	1
6th most common	0	0
7th most common	0	0
8th most common	0	1
9th most common	0	2
10th most common	0	2
Total, 1st-5th	0	2
Total, 1st-10th	0	7
Total, any rank	43	179

	By Number of Speakers		
Rank	County	Speakers	Pct.
1	Cook County, Ill.	5,750	0.115%
2	Dallas County, Texas	4,780	0.235%
3	Queens County, N.Y.	4,360	0.209%
4	Nassau County, N.Y.	4,205	0.337%
5	Philadelphia County, Pa.	3,415	0.241%
6	Westchester County, N.Y.	3,115	0.363%
7	Harris County, Texas	3,085	0.099%
8	DuPage County, Ill.	2,290	0.273%
9	Rockland County, N.Y.	2,070	0.783%
10	Bergen County, N.J.	2,060	0.248%
11	Fort Bend County, Texas	1,670	0.510%
12	Richmond County, N.Y.	1,405	0.339%
13	Los Angeles County, Calif.	1,375	0.016%
14	Santa Clara County, Calif.	1,205	0.077%
15	Denton County, Texas	1,190	0.299%
16	Broward County, Fla.	1,105	0.073%
17	Middlesex County, N.J.	1,095	0.156%
18	Middlesex County, Mass.	1,080	0.079%
19	Bronx County, N.Y.	1,040	0.085%
20	Montgomery County, Md.	1,025	0.126%

Notes

- Of the 20 counties with the greatest percentage of speakers of Malayalam, five are located in New York, including four of the top six. Texas is also home to five, while three more are located in New Jersey.
- Malayalam is the 16th most common language spoken in Oklahoma and Texas.
- Malayalam is the third most common language spoken at home in Canadian County, Okla. and the fifth most common language in Angelina County, Texas
- In the United States, 1 of every 3,286 people age five and older speaks Malayalam at home. In New York, this figure is 1 in 921 people, while in Illinois, 1 in 1,234 residents is a Malayalam speaker.
- Within the counties, Canadian County, Okla. has the greatest rate of Malayalam speakers (1 in every 104 residents), followed by Rockland County, N.Y. (1 in every 128 residents) and Fort Bend County, Texas (1 in every 196 residents).

For information on how the data was derived, see Disclaimer For complete breakdown of speakers of Malayalam, see Appendix

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Nationwide Rank: 45th

Leading States

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Rank	State	Speakers	Pct.
1	New York	19,275	0.109%
2	Illinois	9,355	0.081%
3	New Jersey	5,880	0.075%
4	Texas	13,040	0.068%
5	Pennsylvania	5,860	0.051%
6	Oklahoma	1,430	0.044%
7	Maryland	2,180	0.044%
8	Connecticut	945	0.030%
9	Michigan	2,745	0.030%
10	Massachusetts	1,590	0.027%
11	Florida	3,185	0.021%
12	Delaware	150	0.020%
13	Rhode Island	180	0.018%
14	Virginia	1,090	0.016%
15	California	4,675	0.015%
16	Georgia	1,075	0.014%
17	Nevada	215	0.012%
18	Minnesota	520	0.011%
19	Washington	595	0.011%
20	Kansas	265	0.011%
21	Oregon	325	0.010%
22	Colorado	375	0.009%
23	Iowa	255	0.009%
24	Wisconsin	460	0.009%
25	New Hampshire	105	0.009%
26	Ohio	955	0.009%
27	Tennessee	445	0.008%
28	Louisiana	290	0.007%
29	District of Columbia	35	0.006%
30	North Carolina	450	0.006%
31	Kentucky	210	0.006%
32	Missouri	290	0.006%
33	Maine	65	0.005%
34	Indiana	300	0.005%
35	Arizona	245	0.005%
36	South Carolina	175	0.005%
37	New Mexico	75	0.004%
38	Nebraska	65	0.004%
39	Idaho	45	0.004%
40	Alabama	150	0.004%
41	Arkansas	65	0.003%
42	Mississippi	65	0.002%
43	Utah	25	0.001%

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