



1.1.3 Children, young people and young adults

Definition in acc. with Article 7 (1) Social Code Book 8	Number of young people in Germany in 2021
1. Child: any person under the age of 14	11.1 million ~ 12.15% of the total population
2. Adolescent: any person that has turned 14 already but not yet 18	3.1 million ~ 3.67% of the total population
3. Young adult: a person that has turned 18 already but is not yet 27	8.9 million ~ 10.55% of the total population
4. Young person: a person who has not turned 27 yet	23.1 million ~ 27.38% of the total population

Source: Federal Statistical Office (Destatis)