

Grassroots Arts Program - Base County Allotments for Fiscal Year 2025-26
Allocation Chart - August 2025

These figures are based on the Grassroots allocations of \$3,803,708 million for all counties and an additional \$2,500,000 for Tier 1 and Tier 2 counties, and Tier 3 counties with populations of less than 250,000 people (assigned by formula with 20 percent in equal grants to all eligible counties and 80 percent by population base). The state population of 11,107,246 is determined by the 2025 population projection prepared by the State Data Center. Percentages and allotments are rounded to the nearest whole unit.

County	Total Population	2025-26 State Allocation	2025-26 Community Representation Percentage
Alamance	185,255	\$114,754	42% = \$48,698
Alexander	36,525	\$33,049	16% = \$5,362
Alleghany	11,672	\$19,396	17% = \$3,382
Anson	21,453	\$24,769	53% = \$13,051
Ashe	26,578	\$27,584	9% = \$2,498
Avery	17,555	\$22,628	13% = \$2,999
Beaufort	43,904	\$37,102	34% = \$12,495
Bertie	16,543	\$22,072	66% = \$14,564
Bladen	29,807	\$29,358	46% = \$13,542
Brunswick	175,047	\$109,146	18% = \$19,657
Buncombe	283,020	\$85,144	21% = \$17,554
Burke	91,032	\$62,992	23% = \$14,623
Cabarrus	250,391	\$76,205	44% = \$33,438
Caldwell	82,606	\$58,363	17% = \$10,016
Camden	10,720	\$18,873	20% = \$3,864
Carteret	71,314	\$52,160	15% = \$7,805
Caswell	22,460	\$25,322	38% = \$9,517
Catawba	169,918	\$106,328	29% = \$31,364
Chatham	84,127	\$59,199	30% = \$17,590
Cherokee	30,152	\$29,548	12% = \$3,523
Chowan	13,758	\$20,542	39% = \$7,919
Clay	12,108	\$19,635	9% = \$1,823
Cleveland	101,775	\$68,894	30% = \$21,000
Columbus	51,555	\$41,306	39% = \$16,047
Craven	103,335	\$69,751	35% = \$24,722
Cumberland	337,972	\$198,649	61% = \$121,326
Currituck	32,865	\$31,038	16% = \$5,074
Dare	38,274	\$34,010	13% = \$4,322
Davidson	180,480	\$112,131	25% = \$27,771
Davie	45,374	\$37,910	19% = \$7,369
Duplin	50,354	\$40,646	49% = \$19,762

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Durham	344,427	\$101,967	58%	=	\$59,112
Edgecombe	48,556	\$39,658	65%	=	\$25,865
Forsyth	398,434	\$231,863	46%	=	\$107,130
Franklin	83,010	\$58,585	38%	=	\$22,228
Gaston	247,108	\$148,733	36%	=	\$53,135
Gates	10,294	\$18,639	34%	=	\$6,397
Graham	8,023	\$17,391	15%	=	\$2,569
Granville	62,753	\$47,457	46%	=	\$21,780
Greene	20,145	\$24,050	52%	=	\$12,439
Guilford	560,760	\$321,037	54%	=	\$174,808
Halifax	45,806	\$38,147	61%	=	\$23,172
Harnett	147,949	\$94,260	43%	=	\$40,579
Haywood	64,805	\$48,584	11%	=	\$5,454
Henderson	123,515	\$80,837	23%	=	\$18,191
Hertford	18,335	\$23,056	69%	=	\$15,837
Hoke	56,282	\$43,902	63%	=	\$27,528
Hyde	4,588	\$15,504	34%	=	\$5,336
Iredell	209,922	\$128,305	27%	=	\$35,178
Jackson	45,035	\$37,724	25%	=	\$9,397
Johnston	256,176	\$77,790	38%	=	\$29,564
Jones	9,267	\$18,075	36%	=	\$6,594
Lee	70,022	\$51,450	43%	=	\$22,301
Lenoir	53,992	\$42,644	53%	=	\$22,525
Lincoln	99,351	\$67,562	18%	=	\$12,275
Macon	38,878	\$34,341	16%	=	\$5,495
Madison	21,926	\$25,029	10%	=	\$2,538
Martin	20,812	\$24,417	47%	=	\$11,481
McDowell	44,739	\$37,561	16%	=	\$6,182
Mecklenburg	1,198,460	\$335,940	56%	=	\$189,152
Mitchell	14,641	\$21,027	10%	=	\$2,199
Montgomery	26,105	\$27,325	35%	=	\$9,587
Moore	112,620	\$74,852	24%	=	\$18,102
Nash	99,191	\$67,474	53%	=	\$35,639
New Hanover	246,073	\$148,164	26%	=	\$38,366
Northampton	16,243	\$21,907	59%	=	\$13,001
Onslow	218,432	\$132,980	37%	=	\$49,550
Orange	153,852	\$97,503	36%	=	\$34,997
Pamlico	12,889	\$20,064	25%	=	\$5,022
Pasquotank	41,338	\$35,693	47%	=	\$16,710
Pender	70,203	\$51,550	25%	=	\$13,018
Perquimans	13,534	\$20,419	27%	=	\$5,605

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Person	39,906	\$34,906	36%	=	\$12,596
Pitt	176,095	\$109,722	51%	=	\$56,186
Polk	19,818	\$23,871	13%	=	\$3,152
Randolph	148,749	\$94,699	26%	=	\$24,971
Richmond	41,421	\$35,738	45%	=	\$16,172
Robeson	116,081	\$76,753	75%	=	\$57,936
Rockingham	92,415	\$63,752	30%	=	\$18,996
Rowan	154,322	\$97,761	34%	=	\$32,906
Rutherford	65,355	\$48,887	20%	=	\$9,630
Sampson	60,665	\$46,310	50%	=	\$23,097
Scotland	33,154	\$31,197	60%	=	\$18,708
Stanly	65,587	\$49,014	24%	=	\$11,527
Stokes	45,927	\$38,214	12%	=	\$4,458
Surry	71,774	\$52,413	20%	=	\$10,461
Swain	13,700	\$20,510	40%	=	\$8,152
Transylvania	33,581	\$31,432	15%	=	\$4,613
Tyrrell	3,480	\$14,896	44%	=	\$6,506
Union	273,432	\$82,517	33%	=	\$27,628
Vance	41,231	\$35,634	64%	=	\$22,764
Wake	1,238,879	\$347,014	43%	=	\$148,133
Warren	18,701	\$23,257	61%	=	\$14,274
Washington	10,339	\$18,664	54%	=	\$10,163
Watauga	55,065	\$43,234	20%	=	\$8,681
Wayne	119,286	\$78,514	50%	=	\$39,146
Wilkes	66,513	\$49,523	16%	=	\$7,817
Wilson	79,042	\$56,406	55%	=	\$31,006
Yadkin	37,722	\$33,706	19%	=	\$6,556
Yancey	18,586	\$23,194	11%	=	\$2,627