

Vital Statistics Information Box

TOP 25 BABY NAMES IN 2011

Each year the British Columbia Vital Statistics Agency produces a list of the most chosen baby names. The table below provides the top 25 names. Alternate spellings of names that sound alike (such as Catherine, Katherine, and Katharine) are not combined. The complete 2011 list, as well as lists for several previous years can be found at <http://www.vs.gov.bc.ca/babynames>. In 2011, 648 boys' names and 756 girls' names were chosen for five or more newborns.

Baby Boys			Baby Girls	
Rank	Name	Number	Name	Number
1	Liam	261	Emma	255
2	Ethan	246	Olivia	244
3	Mason	238	Sophia	226
4	Lucas	218	Ava	203
5	Benjamin	208	Chloe	184
6	Jacob	199	Emily	180
7	Logan	190	Isabella	177
8	Nathan	188	Ella	144
9	Alexander	184	Abigail	140
10	Owen	184	Sophie	137
11	Noah	175	Hannah	129
12	James	169	Lily	129
13	Jack	165	Madison	124
14	Carter	160	Charlotte	112
15	Matthew	156	Brooklyn	111
16	William	152	Grace	106
17	Ryan	148	Avery	104
18	Samuel	148	Alexis	102
19	Jackson	142	Elizabeth	97
20	Oliver	142	Hailey	97
21	Joshua	133	Mia	93
22	Daniel	131	Amelia	90
23	Evan	127	Maya	90
24	Ryder	127	Claire	84
25	Jayden	124	Zoe	84