

## Savannah Metro Cost of Living Index

### 2nd Quarter 2013

Composite Index (100%)	Grocery (13.56%)	Housing (27.02%)	Utilities (10.30%)	Transport (12.35%)	Health Care (4.60%)	Misc. Goods & Services (32.17%)
91.3	92.4	69.5	110.0	98.1	102.0	98.9

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## Cost of Living Index (COLI) Comparison

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The Council for Community and Economic Research (C2ER) produces the Cost of Living Index which measures relative price levels for consumer goods and services in participating areas. The average for all participating places, both metropolitan and nonmetropolitan, equals 100, and each participant's index is read as a percentage of the average for all places.

City	COLI (Avg = 100)
Atlanta, GA	95.5
Austin, TX	92.1
Charleston, SC	99.6
Charlotte, NC	95.0
Chattanooga, TN	93.7
Chicago, IL	113.4
Greenville, SC	96.5
Jacksonville, FL	93.1
Miami, FL	107.2
San Francisco, CA	159.5
SAVANNAH	91.3
Virginia Beach-Norfolk, VA	99.9

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## Temperatures (F)

### Savannah, GA

	Normal Daily Maximum	Normal Daily Minimum	Normal Daily Mean
Annual	77.2	55.2	66.2
January	60.4	38.0	49.2
February	64.1	40.9	52.5
March	71.0	47.5	59.3
April	77.7	52.9	65.3
May	84.3	61.3	72.8
June	89.5	68.1	78.8
July	92.3	71.8	82.1
August	90.3	71.3	80.8
September	86.0	67.3	76.7

# Savannah Data

October	78.1	56.1	67.1
November	70.5	46.9	58.7
December	62.6	40.1	51.4

NOAA

## Annual Averages

Rainfall (inches)	49.58
Snowfall (inches)	0.4
Wind Speed (MPH)	7.7
Number of Days Sunny or Partly Sunny	214

NOAA

## Hospitals

St. Joseph's/Candler is a private, faith-based, not-for-profit health system featuring two of Georgia's oldest hospitals: St. Joseph's Hospital (305 beds) and Candler Hospital (331 beds). Both hospital facilities are accredited by the Joint Commission. \*Most physicians have privileges at both hospitals.

Hospital	Address	Type	Number of Physicians	# of Beds
Memorial Health	4700 Waters Ave., Savannah, GA 31404	Tertiary acute care, Academic	650	530
Candler Hospital	5353 Reynolds Ave., Savannah, GA 31405	Full service tertiary care, Not for profit	522*	331
St. Joseph's Hospital	11705 Mercy Blvd, Savannah, GA 31419	Full service tertiary care, Not for profit	522*	305

*Individual Hospitals, 2013*

## College Athletics

School	Division	Programs
Georgia Southern University	Division I	Baseball, Basketball, Football, Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Cross-Country, Softball, Swimming & Diving, Track & Field, Volleyball
Savannah State University	Division II	Baseball, Basketball, Football, Track & Field, Cross-Country, Tennis, Volleyball, Golf
Armstrong Atlantic State University	Division II	Baseball, Basketball, Golf, Tennis, Softball, Volleyball, Cross-Country, Soccer
Savannah School of Art and Design (SCAD)	Division III	Cross country, Equestrian, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis,

Track and Field
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*Individual Schools*

## Professional Athletics

Team	League/Division	Sport
Savannah Sand Gnats	Minor League, Single A	Baseball

## Recreational Outlets

Location	Activities
Bacon Park	Golf, softball, tennis, archery, soccer complex, weightlifting center, and Memorial Stadium
Charles C. Brooks Sports Complex	Lighted baseball/softball fields and football/soccer fields
Chatham County Aquatic Center	40,000 SF with 8-lane competition pool, warm-up area, spectator area, pro shop, heated recreation swimming pool, heated 50 meter lap swimming pool
Daffin Park	Baseball, soccer, basketball, tennis, playgrounds, swimming pool, picnic area, lake pavilion and fishing for children
Forsyth Park	30-acres bordering the Historic District with tennis courts, playgrounds, fragrant garden, and fountain
Lake Mayer	75-acres with handicap accessible pavilions, playgrounds, lighted basketball courts, tennis courts, volleyball play areas, lighted hockey rink, fitness courts, dog exercise area, trails, remote-controlled car track, baseball field, fishing, in-line skating, sailing, restrooms and showers
L Scott Stell Community Park	Handicap accessible park with pavilions, lighted basketball and tennis courts, baseball/softball fields, volleyball play area, jogging/bicycle track, fishing, boat ramp, playgrounds, archery range, dog exercise area and restrooms
Old Savannah-Tybee Railroad Historic and Scenic Trail	6.5 mile walking, jogging and bicycle trail with fitness stations and picnic tables
Skidaway Island State Park	500+ acres with camp sites, grills, picnic facilities, swimming pool, nature programs and trails

*Savannah Area Chamber of Commerce*

## Annual Events

Annual Events	Dates
Martin Luther King Jr. Day Parade	January
Savannah Black Heritage Festival	February

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Savannah Irish Festival	February
Tara Feis Irish Celebration	March
St. Patrick's Day	March
Savannah Music Festival	March-April
SCAD International Festival	May
Savannah Shakespeare Festival	May
Savannah Scottish Games	May
Tybee Beach Bum Parade	May
Blessing of Fleet and Seafood Harvest Festival	June
Savannah Asian Festival	June
Fiesta Latina	June
River Street Fireworks	July
Fireworks on the Beach	July
Savannah Jazz Festival	September
Savannah Greek Festival	October
Picnic in the Park	October
Savannah Folk Music Festival	October
Oktoberfest	October
Jewish Food Festival	October
Savannah Film Festival	October
Tybee Pirate Festival	October
Tybee Festival of the Arts	October
Savannah Childrens Book Festival	November
Festival of Trees and Lights	December
Southern Lights	December

*Savannah Convention and Visitors Bureau, [www.savannahvisit.com](http://www.savannahvisit.com)*

## Arts & Cultural Places

Arts & Cultural Places	
Museums	12
Dance Companies	4
Symphony Orchestras	1
Opera Companies	0
Theatre Companies	4
Choirs	1

*SEDA 2007*

## International Associations

International Groups, Associations & Societies
Chinese Benevolent Association
Savannah Council on World Affairs
Filipino American Association of Coastal Georgia
German Heritage Society

## Savannah Data

Indian Association of Savannah
Indonesian Community Heritage Foundation
Islamic Center of Savannah
Italian Society of Savannah
Japan-America Society of Georgia
Joint Chinese and Korean Association
Konichiwa Club
Korean Association of Savannah
L'Alliance de Francaise de Savannah (France)
Latin American Services Organization
Malaysian Association of Georgia
Samoan Church
Savannah Kendo Club (Japanese Martial Arts)
Sri Lanka Group
St. Andrew's Society of Savannah
Tehzeb of Pakistan
Thailand Association of Savannah
The Hibernian Society
The Pulaski Society
Tzu-Chi Foundation
Valdosta Asian Cultural Association, Savannah Chapter
Vietnamese Nationalist Association
Savannah International Cocktail Club (SICC)

*Savannah Department of Cultural Affairs, 2007*