

## Composition of Zipcode 35216

Category	Zip Code
2010 Population	31,855
2010 Households	14,700
2010 Group Quarters	433

## Missionscape: Cultural Bridges

Cultural Bridge	#HHlds	%HHlds
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	11,568	79%
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	9,661	66%
Reading Books	8,984	61%
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	8,901	61%
Controlling Diet		
McDonald's	7,862	53%
Voted in fed/state/local election	7,639	52%
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	7,427	51%

## Getting Informed

More zip information may be found on the [MissionalCorps.org](http://MissionalCorps.org) website and more specific data for each lifestyle segment may be accessed at the ALSBOM Missional Resources web page.

## Getting Involved

To contact us or learn more about church planting in your area, please go to our website: [www.alsbom.org/churchplanting](http://www.alsbom.org/churchplanting)

### NOTES:

The Communities Summary identifies the top three types of communities in the zip code, the number of households, and the percent of the zip code. Communities are comprised of multiple lifestyle segments.

The Lifestyle Summary identifies the top six lifestyle segments in the zip code, the number of households, percent of the zip code households, and the percent of households that are unreached. Lifestyle Segments are individual groups of people with similar living preferences and patterns.

The numbers in the Evangelscape communicate the most compelling reasons why this community needs churches and believers to intercede in missional prayer and activity. This community needs eternal transformation that only comes by way of the gospel and the working of the Holy Spirit.

Churchscape indicators reveal a snapshot of the extent of evangelical presence in the focus community.

Location Composition: Listed are the total number of people and the total number of households in the county.

Cultural bridges are those characteristics that could be used to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group. Various activities, interests, or opinions represented among the consumer behavior characteristics of the lifestyle group offer ways for believers to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group and through that relationship impact them for Christ.

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## Reaching Birmingham, Alabama

# MISSIONAL ZIPCODE DIGEST

## Zipcode 35216 Community Types

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### Rev. 5:9

And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals, because you were slain, and with your blood you purchased for God persons from every tribe and people and language and people and nation."

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Households: 7,020  
Percent: 47.76%

## Upscale Communities

As the wealthiest households in the nation, upscale communities boast high household incomes, significant home values and top educational achievements. Households in these exclusive suburban neighborhoods are headed by predominantly white, college educated, Baby Boom parents. Most adults work as executives and white collar professionals. They are active members of the community in business clubs, environmental groups and the arts.



Households: 3,734  
Percent: 25.4%

## Aspiring Communities

Young, ambitious and culturally diverse, they are the evolving voice of American society. In Aspiring Communities, truth is centered around "me" and everything is interconnected. The majority of people in this group are between the ages of 18 – 34. Sixty percent are renting singles; others live on military bases or in college dorms. Members of Aspiring Communities are four times more likely to be unemployed. Of those who work, most live in or conveniently close to metropolitan areas.



Households: 3,325  
Percent: 22.62%

## Mainstay Communities

The backbone of small towns and second cities, Mainstay Communities are established neighborhoods where residents enjoy strong relational ties. These moderately educated wage earners are employed in well-paying blue collar and professional service jobs. The aging adult population consists of retired American singles and couples. A sense of belonging within the community is a key identity factor for those who live there. Residents go into the city to visit clubs and malls.



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## Top Lifestyle Segments in Zipcode 35216



### Urban Commuter Families (67% Unreached)

Not all families have fled the nation's cities for the far-out suburbs. In Urban Commuter Families, Baby Boomer families and couples are content to live in comfortable, single detached homes in city neighborhoods on the metro fringe. Many of these upscale, college-educated households contain dual-income couples who put in long hours as professionals and managers in retail, health care and education services.

Households: 2,994

Percent: 20.37%



### Stable Careers (72% Unreached)

Stable Careers is a collection of young and ethnically diverse singles living in big-city metros as Los Angeles, CA, Philadelphia, PA and Miami, FL. A quarter of the households are of Hispanic and Asian and are slightly less affluent than others dominated by Generation Y residents. More than half of households have gone to college and most have landed white-collar jobs in retail, health services and professional offices.

Households: 2,059

Percent: 14.01%



### Small-town Success (69% Unreached)

Small-town Success is typically home to the families of the most prominent citizens in their exurban communities. White-collar, college educated and upscale, they live in recently developed subdivisions outside the nation's beltways in the Midwest and West. Most of these households contain white, middle-aged working couples who have positions as executives and professionals in health care, retail and education.

Households: 1,850

Percent: 12.59%

## Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP HHLDS	ZIP %
Unreached	10,450	71.09%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	2,129	14.48%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	2,070	14.08%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	6,251	42.53%

### Suburban Advantage (67% Unreached)

When retirement looms, many Americans downsize their housing, seeking out resort-like communities within short distances to major medical facilities. In Suburban Advantage, empty-nesting couples and retirees have moved to middle-class homes and condo developments in dense retirement communities along the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. Most households have college degrees, and, if they're still in the workforce, hold white collar and managerial jobs.



Households: 1,484

Percent: 10.1%

### Young Cosmopolitans (78% Unreached)

Young Cosmopolitans is a collection of households where many adults are under 35 years old, single and earning above average incomes as white-collar professionals, managers and executives. In their fast-growing cities- including a number of college towns-these upscale young people live in luxury apartments and condos, commuting to work in sporty subcompacts. Nearly half hold college degrees, and they are almost twice the average for grad degrees.



Households: 1,479

Percent: 10.06%

### Status-conscious Consumer (70% Unreached)

A haven for big spenders, Status-conscious Consumers is a cluster of new suburban neighborhoods within a manageable commute to well-paying city jobs. Predominantly white and Asian, these middle-aged Baby Boomer households have turned their college educations into lucrative executive positions in information, finance and other managerial professions. Most of the adults live as couples or in households with few children.



Households: 1,044

Percent: 7.1%

## Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	ZIP	ZIP %
Active Evangelical HHlds	1,865	12.69%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	2,385	16.22%