

## Crime Statistics 2021



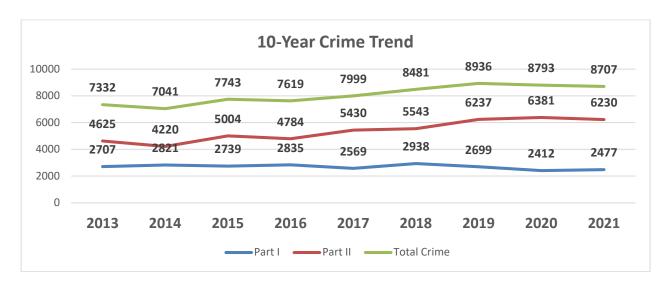
Every year, the Lewisville Police Department participates in the FBI's Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) program. This provides the FBI with up-to-date information on our crime statistics, while giving us an opportunity to evaluate and address any changes in crime types.

Lewisville has a relatively low number of reports among several crime types, so small numerical changes can represent large percentage changes. In looking at reported offenses for 2021, Lewisville saw a slight (1%) decrease in its overall crime rate when compared to 2020. Part I offenses rose slightly by 2.7%, while Part II offenses dropped by 2.4%. Lewisville did have two murders in 2021 and three in 2020. Robberies also dropped by 53% over 2020. Unlawfully carrying weapons continues to be a concern.

In 2021, arrests for unlawfully carrying a weapon increased by 31.4% over 2020. "That increase shows the commitment of our officers to get guns of the street," said Police Chief Kevin Deaver.

"In a year where the majority of cities across the United States and Texas saw drastic increases in crime, specifically violent crime, Lewisville saw a decrease in overall crime," Deaver added. "Lewisville has seen a reduction in crime over the past three years."

Part I offenses consist of most violent crimes (including murder, rape, and robbery) and some property crimes, such as burglary and motor vehicle theft. Part II offenses are mostly non-violent crimes; only arrests are reported for Part II offenses. Please visit www.cityoflewisville.com for the complete UCR Crime Report.



**Kevin Deaver Chief of Police** 

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