WHAT TOLEDO WATCHES

Here, broken down by categories, are the television shows that viewers in the Toledo area enjoy the most, based on program averages from the Nielsen Co.'s May 2009 ratings period.



Top Sitcoms:

- 1. Two and a Half Men, CBS
- 2. The Big Bang Theory, CBS
- 3. Rules of Engagement, CBS
- 4. Surviving Suburbia, ABC
- 5. How I Met Your Mother, CBS
- 6. Ugly Betty, ABC
- 7. The Office, NBC
- 8. Gary Unmarried, CBS
- 9. According to Jim, ABC
- 10. The New Adventures of Old Christine, CBS



Top Daytime Talk Shows:

- 1. Live with Regis and Kelly
- 2. The Oprah Winfrey Show
- 3. The View
- 4. Dr. Phil
- 5. Ellen
- 6. Rachel Ray
- 7. Maury
- 8. The Tyra Banks Show
- 9. Martha (tie)
- 9. The Bonnie Hunt Show (tie)



Top Prime-time Animated **Shows on Fox:**

- 1. Family Guy
- 2. The Simpsons
- 3. King of the Hill
- 4. American Dad
- 5. Sit Down, Shut Up



Top Daytime Soap Operas:

- 1. The Young and the Restless, **CBS**
- 2. The Bold and the Beautiful, **CBS**
- 3. As the World Turns, CBS
- 4. The Guiding Light, CBS
- 5. One Life to Live, ABC (tie) 5. General Hospital, ABC (tie)
- 5. Days of Our Lives, NBC (tie)
- 8. All My Children, ABC
- 9. Doctors, NBC



Top Late-Night Network Programming:

- 1. Late Show with David Letterman, CBS
- 2. ABC News Nightline, ABC
- 3. The Tonight Show with Jay Leno, NBC
- 4. The Late Late Show with Craig Ferguson, CBS
- 5. Jimmy Kimmel Live! ABC



Top "Judge" Shows:

- 1. Judge Judy
- 2. The People's Court
- 3. Judge Joe Brown
- 4. Judge Alex
- 5. Divorce Court

Top Non-Prime-time Game Shows:

- 1. Jeopardy!
- 2. Wheel of Fortune
- 3. The Price is Right
- 4. Who Wants to be a Millionaire
- 5. Deal or No Deal



Top Network Evening News Shows: Top Network Morning Shows:

- 1. ABC World News Now with Charles Gibson
- 2. CBS Evening News with Katie 3. Today, NBC Couric
- 3. NBC Nightly News with Brian Williams
- 4. NewsHour with Jim Lehrer (PBS)



- 1. Good Morning America, ABC 2. The Early Show, CBS



Top Syndicated Entertainment Programs:

- 1. Entertainment Tonight
- 2. The Insider
- 3. TMZ on TV

SOURCE: The Nielsen Co., based on program averages of Toledo-area TV viewers 2 and older during the May 2009 ratings period