

# DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2016	
Total County Population	29,038		25,965	
County Child Population	8,146	28.1%	5,975	23.0%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,788	21.9%	1,352	22.6%
Ages 5-9	2,053	25.2%	1,611	27.0%
Ages 10-14	2,156	26.5%	1,553	26.0%
Ages 15-19	2,149	26.4%	1,459	24.4%

	2000		2016	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	3,401	41.8%	2,147	35.9%
African-American	4,509	55.4%	3,205	53.6%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	26	0.3%	8	0.1%
Asian/Pacific Islander	20	0.2%	26	0.4%
More than One Race	65	0.8%	116	1.9%
Hispanic	122	1.5%	473	7.9%



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	2000	2016
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	343	307
Age 4	365	263

# HEALTH

		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
					Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent				
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2005	3	8.1	1	7.4	2	12.4	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2015	2	7.2	0	0.0	2	12.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	2013-2015	19	2005-2015	-
Children without Health Insurance	Base															
	Current	2011-2015	323	5.6%												
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2005	1	50.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2015	186	70.5%	76	80.0%	101	66.4%	1	50.0%	8	53.3%	2013-2015	53	2005-2015	I
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2005	51	13.8%	16	11.8%	27	17.0%	0	0.0%	8	11.0%				
	Current	2015	36	13.0%	9	9.4%	25	15.4%	0	0.0%	2	11.8%				
Low-Weight Births	Base	2005	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%	0	6.3%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2015	35	12.6%	7	7.3%	28	17.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2013-2015	51	2005-2015	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2005	22	38.8												
	Current	2015	4	9.2	0	0.0	4	16.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2013-2015	31	2005-2015	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2005	65	35.0	12	15.2	46	44.5	0	0.0	7	368.4				
	Current	2015	21	14.4	7	12.5	14	17.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	2013-2015	26	2005-2015	I
Births to Unmarried Teens	Base	2005	53	14.2%	8	5.9%	44	27.3%	0	0.0%	1	1.4%				
	Current	2015	20	7.2%	6	6.3%	14	8.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2013-2015	35		
Mothers who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2015	117	42.2%	59	61.5%	48	29.6%	2	100.0%	8	47.1%				
Adult Diabetes	Base															
	Current	2013	3,813	16.9%									2013	60		
Adult Obesity	Base															
	Current	2013	9,186	44.7%									2013	63		
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2005	90	316.7	59	419.4	30	227.1	0	0.0	1	112.7				
	Current	2015	83	315.9	53	433.6	30	240.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	2015	10		

		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	POVERTY	ABOVE POVERTY	WHITE*	BLACK*	HISPANIC*	ASIAN*	AMERICAN INDIAN*	NATIVE HAWAIIAN*	TWO/MORE RACES*	RANKING YEAR	RANKING
Births to Females with Less Than 12 Years of Education	Base	2005	132	35.5%			14.7%	33.5%	79.5%						
	Current	2015	63	22.7%			13.5%	22.2%	82.4%					2015	63
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2006	30												
	Current	2016	24												
First Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		4.4%											
	Current	2015-2016		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2015-2016	1
English Language Learners	Base	2010-2011 <sup>A</sup>		3.2%											
	Current	2015-2016 <sup>B</sup>		3.6%	3.1%	4.3%	0.2%	0.0%	43.3%	32.1%	0.0%	0.0%	4.7%		
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	Base														
	Current	2015-2016		30.3%	24.5%	52.9%	48.0%	19.2%	38.5%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2015-2016	49
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2015-2016		42.6%	37.0%	64.7%	54.7%	34.3%	46.2%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2015-2016	47
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	Base														
	Current	2015-2016		32.7%	26.7%	46.7%	51.9%	24.7%	13.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2015-2016	54
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2015-2016		15.0%	9.7%	26.9%	33.3%	7.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2015-2016	55
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2008-2009		16.7%											
	Current	2015-2016		1.8%	2.6%	0.7%	2.3%	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2015-2016	44
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2007-2008		3.3%											
	Current	2015-2016 <sup>D</sup>		2.6%	3.5%	1.0%	4.6%	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2015-2016	11
Graduation Rate	Base	2014-2015 <sup>C</sup>		85%	82%	91%	81%	86%	100%	100%	0%	0%	100%		
	Current	2015-2016 <sup>C</sup>		90%	88%	94%	86%	94%	57%	100%	0%	0%	0%	2015-2016	29
Homeless Students	Base	2014-2015		0.3%	0.4%	0.1%									
	Current	2015-2016		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		

<b>Child Care Facilities</b>	June 2017		<b>Average 11<sup>th</sup> Grade: ACT Scores</b>			2015-2016		<b>Number of Early Head Start/Head Start Classrooms</b>		2017	
Total All Child Care Facilities	14		English			16		16		3	
Total All Licensed	10		Math			16		17		10-17 Days	
Center Based Licensed	5		Reading			17		18		18+ Days	
Center Based Exempt	4		Science			18		17		2015-2016	
			Composite			17				25.5%	
										15.7%	

<b>Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2017-2018</b>	Classrooms	Number	Percent
	10	180	68.4%
<b>Direct Certification</b>	2015-2016		
			60.5%

<b>Per Pupil Expenditures (Adjusted for Inflation)</b>	Base Year FY2011	Current Year FY2016
	\$10,820	\$10,955

**\*LEGEND - FULL ETHNIC BREAKDOWN**

- White
- Black or African American
- Hispanic/Latino
- Asian
- American Indian/Alaska Native
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
- Two or More Races

**NOTE: Please refer to the 2017 Education Supplemental Report for additional information concerning chart notes within this section. <sup>A, B, C, D</sup>**

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					Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent				
Child Death Rate	Base	2005	4	80.3	0	0.0	4	147.6	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2015	2	45.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2036.7	2	472.8	2013-2015	55	2005-2015	-
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect	Base	2005	40	5.6												
	Current	2016	70	12.8									2014-2016	48		
Preventable Teen Death Rate	Base	2005	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2015	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2013-2015	33	2005-2015	-
Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	Base	2004-2008	16													
	Current	2010-2015	10													
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	Base	2006	32	9.7												
	Current	2016	16	6.3									2013-2015	58	2006-2016	-
Teens Not Attending School/Not Working	Base	2000	314	18.9%												
	Current	2011-2015	147	12.8%												
Children in Foster Care	Base	2010	23													
	Current	2017	8													
Children Adopted	Base	2010	0													
	Current	2017	4													
ILP Ages 14 and Older	Base															
	Current	2017	2													
Children in Protective Services	Base															
	Current	2017	44													

## ECONOMIC SECURITY

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					Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent				
Persons Living in Poverty	Base	2000	7,032	26.8%	1,808	13.0%	5,032	42.5%	192	36.7%	240	51.3%				
	Current	2011-2015	6,421	26.7%	1,200	10.5%	4,688	42.3%	533	36.7%	451	39.2%	2011-2015	58		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	2,704	37.3%	526	17.0%	2,157	52.9%	21	23.9%	63	73.3%				
	Current	2011-2015	2,583	45.3%	256	12.1%	2,023	68.9%	304	46.3%	254	51.6%	2011-2015	62		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		47.9%												
	Current	2011-2015		56.7%												
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		34.2%												
	Current	2011-2015		45.8%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		33.4%												
	Current	2011-2015		35.9%												

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					Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent				
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	1,409	19.4%												
	Current	2011-2015	1,795	31.5%									2011-2015	64		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2005	23	17.2%												
	Current	2015	8	8.9%									2013-2015	54	2005-2015	1
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	2,492	39.9%	506	17.6%	1,953	60.1%	33	28.7%	26	35.6%				
	Current	2010	2,305	47.5%	441	21.6%	1,753	70.7%	111	34.4%	103	31.8%	2010	57		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	752	50.6%												
	Current	2011-2015	628	56.3%									2011-2015	37		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	2017	51	\$8,841												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2005	768	7.2%												
	Current	2016	718	8.6%									2016	57		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2005*		\$35,843												
	Current	2015		\$32,964												
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2005	137	49.1%	24	21.8%	71	73.2%	0	0.0%	42	60.0%				
	Current	2015	171	61.7%	43	44.8%	115	71.0%	0	0.0%	13	76.5%	2015	39		
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	Base	2015	1,050													
	Current	2016	1,049													
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	Base	2012**	6,563													
	Current	2017**	6,078													
SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	Base	2012	3,386													
	Current	2017	3,179													
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	Base	2012**	6,474													
	Current	2017	6,528													
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	6,440	23.2%												
	Current	2015	6,290	23.4%									2015	55		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	1,600	25.8%												
	Current	2015	1,700	29.6%									2015	61		

The way we refer to population sub-groups throughout the 2017 County Data Profile is intentional in order to be as accurate as possible in representing the data given to us.

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