

DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2015	
Total County Population	14,077		12,672	
County Child Population	4,015	28.5%	3,016	23.8%
By Age:	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Under Age 5	875	21.8%	702	23.3%
Ages 5-9	1,074	26.7%	757	25.1%
Ages 10-14	1,044	26.0%	779	25.8%
Ages 15-19	1,022	25.5%	778	25.8%
Pre-K Children	NUMBER		NUMBER	
Age 3	183		129	
Age 4	191		141	
Diversity of Children	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
White	1,778	44.3%	1,229	40.7%
African-American	2,153	53.6%	1,652	54.8%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	6	0.1%	11	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	8	0.2%	4	0.1%
More than One Race	36	0.9%	48	1.6%
Hispanic	28	0.7%	72	2.4%



HEALTH

Ranking Years:	Note:	BASE YEAR	BASE NUMBER	BASE RATE	CURRENT YEAR	CURRENT NUMBER	CURRENT RATE	RANKING 2014	TREND 2003-14	STATE NUMBER	STATE RATE
● 2010-14	● Subsumed by African American/Other										
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)		2003	3	18.4	2014	2	16.8	62	-	517	8.7
White		2003	0	0.0	2014	1	19.6			212	5.9
African-American		2003	3	35.7	2014	1	15.2			266	14.6
All Other		Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	0	0.0			10	7.8
Hispanic		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0			29	7.3
Children without Health Insurance		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	410	14.1%	67 ●		51,606	4.6%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	98	8.1%			30,178	4.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	287	18.8%			14,529	4.3%
All Other		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	0	0.0%			5,282	12.8%
Hispanic		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	0	0.0%			10,006	14.0%
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care		2003	102	63.4%	2014	91	77.1%	33	-	43,319	75.0%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	42	82.4%			28,032	79.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	47	72.3%			12,461	70.5%
All Other		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	100.0%			935	76.0%
Hispanic		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			1,891	54.9%
Pre-Term Births to All Females		2003	31	19.1%	2014	20	16.8%	63		6,944	11.7%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	8	15.7%			3,724	10.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	12	18.2%			2,771	15.2%
All Other		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0%			110	8.6%
Hispanic		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			339	8.6%

Ranking Years:
● 2010-14

Note: ● Subsumed by African American/Other

	BASE YEAR	BASE NUMBER	BASE RATE	CURRENT YEAR	CURRENT NUMBER	CURRENT RATE	RANKING 2014	TREND 2003-14	STATE NUMBER	STATE RATE
Low-Weight Births	2003	18	11.1%	2014	21	17.6%	65	W	6,025	10.1%
White	2003	7	8.9%	2014	9	17.6%			2,875	8.0%
Black	2003	11	13.3%	2014	12	18.2%			2,756	15.1%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	0	0.0%			110	8.6%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			284	7.2%
Births to Unmarried Teens	2003	21	12.9%	2014	13	10.9%	56	-	4,259	7.2%
White	2003	8	10.1%	2014	5	9.8%			2,099	5.8%
Black	2003	13	15.5%	2014	8	12.1%			1,889	10.4%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	0	0.0%			29	2.3%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	--			242	6.1%
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	2003	4	14.4	2014	4	17.6	45	-	1,359	14.6
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	23.5			681	12.1
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	15.6			553	18.7
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0			9	5.2
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0			116	27.6
Mothers who Breastfed	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	43	39.1%	59		36,697	62.8%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	25	55.6%			24,881	70.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	16	25.4%			8,218	45.9%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	100.0%			950	76.1%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			2,648	68.2%

EDUCATION

Ranking Years:

● 2014-15 ● 2015-16

	BASE YEAR	BASE NUMBER	BASE RATE	CURRENT YEAR	CURRENT NUMBER	CURRENT RATE	RANKING 2014	STATE NUMBER	STATE RATE
Births to Females with Less Than 12 Years of Education	2003	31	19.1%	2014	25	21.0%	56	9,661	16.3%
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	2005	10		2015	9			6,268	
First Grade Retention	2008-2009		3.8%	2015-2016		0.0%			3.7%
English Language Learners, All	2008-2009		0.1%	2015-2016		1.8%			3.2%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	2013-2014		26.0%	2014-2015		20.5%	58 ●		37.9%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	2013-2014		42.7%	2014-2015		37.1%	48 ●		47.9%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	2013-2014		42.6%	2014-2015		30.0%	58 ●		44.0%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	2013-2014		11.6%	2014-2015		10.0%	58 ●		27.2%
Ninth Grade Retention	2008-2009		18.4%	2014-2015		0.0%	1 ●		4.5%
High School Dropout Rate	2007-2008		1.4%	2014-2015		2.3%	67 ●		0.8%
Graduation Rate	Note: Because reliable graduation rates were deemed not available from the Alabama State Department of Education for the 2016 edition of the Data Book, graduation rates have been omitted.								

Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies, All Facilities: July 2016	Total Number	Total Dollars	
	43	\$13,181	
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2016-2017	Classrooms	Number	Percent
	6	108	76.6%
Direct Certification	2015-2016		
	19.4%		

Chronic Absenteeism	2015-2016	
	30.3%	
Per Pupil Expenditures (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2009	Current Year FY2015
	\$12,166	\$12,147
Dollars		
Ranking (FY2015)		2
Number of Early Head Start/Head Start Classrooms	2016	
	2	

Child Care Facilities by Type	July 2016	Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores	2014-2015
Family Child Care Homes	2	English	15
Group Child Care Homes	4	Math	16
Licensed Providers	3	Reading	16
Exempt Centers	0	Science	16
Total Child Care Centers	9	Composite	16

SAFETY

Trending Years:

- 2005-15

	BASE YEAR	BASE NUMBER	BASE RATE	CURRENT YEAR	CURRENT NUMBER	CURRENT RATE	RANKING YEARS	RANKING	TREND 2003-14	STATE NUMBER	STATE RATE
Child Death Rate	2003	2	73.1	2014	1	44.7	2014	52	-	202	22.0
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0				118	23.7
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	86.3				73	28.9
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0				2	12.4
Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0				9	14.4
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect	2004	30	8.6	2015	38	13.9	2015	55		8,656	7.8
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	2005	4	2.5	2015	5	3.9	2015	17	- ●	3,050	6.0
Preventable Teen Death Rate	2003	0	0.0	2014	0	0.0	2014	1	- ●	142	41.3
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	2000	97	12.9%	2010-2014	127	24.3%	2010-2014	66		24,972	9.5%
Children in Foster Care	2010	24		2016	12					5,459	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	4					3,357	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A		2016	8					2,037	
Asian	N/A	N/A		2016	0					10	
American Indian/Alaskan Native	N/A	N/A		2016	0					8	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A		2016	0					4	
Undefined	N/A	N/A		2016	0					43	
Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A		2016	0					6	
ILP Ages 14 and Older	N/A	N/A		2016	5					1,728	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	1					918	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A		2016	4					793	
Asian	N/A	N/A		2016	0					3	
American Indian/Alaskan Native	N/A	N/A		2016	0					5	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A		2016	0					2	
Undefined	N/A	N/A		2016	0					7	
Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A		2016	0					58	
Children Adopted	2010	1		2016	0					503	
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	0					393	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	0					145	
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	0					7	
American Indian/Alaskan Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	0					4	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	0					2	
Undefined	N/A	N/A	N/A								
Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	0					41	N/A

	BASE YEAR	BASE NUMBER	BASE RATE	CURRENT YEAR	CURRENT NUMBER	CURRENT RATE	RANKING YEARS	RANKING	TREND 2003-14	STATE NUMBER	STATE RATE
Persons Living in Poverty	2000	3,719	26.6%	2010-2014	4,256	32.9%	2010-2014	62		889,710	18.9%
White	2000	1,226	15.8%	2010-2014	1,298	19.2%				448,600	13.8%
Black	2000	2,444	39.8%	2010-2014	2,855	49.2%				386,183	31.6%
All Other Races	2000	49	41.5%	2010-2014	4	4.9%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	26	39.4%	2010-2014	73	35.4%				63,543	33.9%
Children in Poverty	2000	1,308	36.2%	2010-2014	1,291	44.5%	2010-2014	62		303,301	27.5%
White	2000	357	22.2%	2010-2014	286	23.7%				127,231	18.3%
Black	2000	931	46.9%	2010-2014	948	62.2%				149,996	45.3%
All Other Races	2000	20	100.0%	2010-2014	4	4.9%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	9	60.0%	2010-2014	42	36.2%				32,072	45.4%
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	2000	339	40.7%	2010-2014	387	45.8%				92,965	31.5%
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	2000	566	37.3%	2010-2014	357	30.9%				86,498	20.3%
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	2000	403	32.0%	2010-2014	399	44.4%				87,945	22.7%
Children in Extreme Poverty	2000	772	21.4%	2010-2014	697	24.1%	2010-2014	58		143,482	13.0%
Homeless Students	2013-2014		0.4%	2015-2016		1.1%					3.2%
Vulnerable Families	2003	9	13.0%	2014	8	17.8%	2014	67	-	1,763	7.3%
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	2000	1,236	39.1%	2010	1,250	50.1%	2010	59		327,504	34.0%
White	2000	275	18.8%	2010	239	23.0%				132,381	21.5%
Black	2000	942	57.1%	2010	975	70.3%				172,073	63.2%
All Other Races	2000	19	41.3%	2010	36	50.0%				23,050	30.3%
Hispanic	2000	16	66.7%	2010	16	47.1%				15,889	27.8%
Employed Mothers with Young Children	2000	286	47.8%	2010-2014	225	36.9%	2010-2014	2		132,809	58.8%
Unemployment Rate	2004	431	8.5%	2016	430	9.1%	2016	60		125,919	5.9%
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	2003	\$31,031	N/A	2014	\$24,836		2014	64		\$44,229	N/A
Medicaid Paid Births	2003	92	60.1%	2014	88	73.9%	2014	61		31,234	52.5%
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	2014	472	N/A	2015	487	N/A	2015	12		132,134	
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	2011	4,074	N/A	2016	3,456	N/A	2016	11		878,848	N/A
Children Under 20	2011	1,996		2016	1,680		2016	13		411,139	N/A
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	2011	4,083		2016	3,462		2016	12		864,645	N/A
Food Insecurity, All Ages	2010	3,710	27.7%	2014	3,190	24.5%	2014	58		911,440	18.8%
Children Under 18	2010	1,060	33.3%	2014	900	31.1%	2014	62		292,330	26.4%
Adult Diabetes	2004	1,149	10.4%	2013	1,700	14.4%	2013	45		492,691	12.5%
Adult Obesity	2011	3,851	39.7%	2013	3,558	36.7%	2013	42		1,223,286	32.4%
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	2013	69	535.0	2014	66	520.9	2014	63		16,689	344.1

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