

DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2015	
Total County Population	18,522		16,759	
County Child Population	4,929	26.6%	3,983	23.8%
By Age:	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Under Age 5	1,113	22.6%	889	22.3%
Ages 5-9	1,201	24.4%	1,025	25.7%
Ages 10-14	1,261	25.6%	1,023	25.7%
Ages 15-19	1,354	27.5%	1,046	26.3%
Pre-K Children	NUMBER		NUMBER	
Age 3	240		163	
Age 4	234		183	
Diversity of Children	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
White	4,106	83.4%	3,232	81.1%
African-American	715	14.5%	532	13.4%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	6	0.1%	6	0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	10	0.2%	13	0.3%
More than One Race	35	0.7%	103	2.6%
Hispanic	51	1.0%	97	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	2	10	2014	0	0.0	1	-	517	8.7
White		2003	1	5.6	2014	0	0.0			212	5.9
African-American		2003	1	45.5	2014	0	0.0			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	0	0.0%	1	●	51,606	4.6%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	0	0.0%			30,178	4.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	0	0.0%			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	177	88.1%	2014	127	74.7%	44	W	43,319	75.0%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	110	73.3%			28,032	79.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	17	89.5%			12,461	70.5%
All Other		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			935	76.0%
Hispanic		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0%			1,891	54.9%
Pre-Term Births to All Females		2003	24	12.0%	2014	10	5.7%	2		6,944	11.7%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	6	3.9%			3,724	10.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	3	14.3%			2,771	15.2%
All Other		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			110	8.6%
Hispanic		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	100.0%			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	20	10.0%	2014	13	7.4%	7	-	6,025	10.1%
White	2003	18	10.1%	2014	9	5.9%			2,875	8.0%
Black	2003	2	9.1%	2014	3	14.3%			2,756	15.1%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	0	-			110	8.6%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	100.0%			284	7.2%
Births to Unmarried Teens	2003	15	7.5%	2014	10	5.7%	12	-	4,259	7.2%
White	2003	10	5.6%	2014	10	6.5%			2,099	5.8%
Black	2003	5	22.7%	2014	0	0.0%			1,889	10.4%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	0	--			29	2.3%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0%			242	6.1%
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	2003	11	30.1	2014	2	6.4	6	-	1,359	14.6
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	8.3			681	12.1
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0			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	87	49.7%	46		36,697	62.8%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	78	51.0%			24,881	70.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	9	42.9%			8,218	45.9%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			950	76.1%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0%			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	40	20.0%	2014	24	13.7%	17	9,661	16.3%
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	2005	29		2015	37			6,268	
First Grade Retention	2008-2009		0.6%	2015-2016		3.8%			3.7%
English Language Learners, All	2008-2009		0.3%	2015-2016		0.5%			3.2%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	2013-2014		37.0%	2014-2015		30.0%	41 ●		37.9%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	2013-2014		38.3%	2014-2015		32.8%	56 ●		47.9%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	2013-2014		51.0%	2014-2015		39.1%	39 ●		44.0%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	2013-2014		31.8%	2014-2015		20.7%	34 ●		27.2%
Ninth Grade Retention	2008-2009		3.6%	2014-2015		1.1%	18 ●		4.5%
High School Dropout Rate	2007-2008		2.1%	2014-2015		1.4%	54 ●		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	
	38	\$11,934	
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2016-2017	Classrooms	Number	Percent
	2	36	19.7%
Direct Certification	2015-2016		
	13.6%		

Chronic Absenteeism	2015-2016	
	31.2%	
Per Pupil Expenditures (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2009	Current Year FY2015
	\$9,742	\$9,024
	Ranking (FY2015)	
	36	
Number of Early Head Start/Head Start Classrooms	2016	
	7	

Child Care Facilities by Type	July 2016	Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores	2014-2015
Family Child Care Homes	2	English	18
Group Child Care Homes	0	Math	18
Licensed Providers	2	Reading	19
Exempt Centers	3	Science	18
Total Child Care Centers	7	Composite	18

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	0	0.0	2014	1	33.5	2014	41	-	202	22.0
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	44.1				118	23.7
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0				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	38	8.9	2015	45	12.5	2015	50		8,656	7.8
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	2005	20	10.4	2015	8	4.6	2015	24	I ●	3,050	6.0
Preventable Teen Death Rate	2003	0	0.0	2014	1	82.6	2014	56	- ●	142	41.3
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	2000	140	14.1%	2010-2014	38	4.4%	2010-2014	6		24,972	9.5%
Children in Foster Care	2010	8		2016	13					5,459	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	13					3,357	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A		2016	0					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	3					1,728	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	3					918	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A		2016	0					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	0		2016	2					503	
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	2					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	3,144	17.3%	2010-2014	3,492	20.8%	2010-2014	35		889,710	18.9%
White	2000	2,535	16.1%	2010-2014	2,479	17.1%				448,600	13.8%
Black	2000	538	25.2%	2010-2014	842	42.8%				386,183	31.6%
All Other Races	2000	71	30.0%	2010-2014	18	43.9%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	29	33.7%	2010-2014	58	47.9%				63,543	33.9%
Children in Poverty	2000	933	21.3%	2010-2014	1,147	30.9%	2010-2014	37		303,301	27.5%
White	2000	731	19.9%	2010-2014	706	22.7%				127,231	18.3%
Black	2000	178	28.8%	2010-2014	328	72.9%				149,996	45.3%
All Other Races	2000	24	27.6%	2010-2014	18	43.9%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	0	0.0%	2010-2014	27	56.3%				32,072	45.4%
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	2000	233	21.9%	2010-2014	339	36.9%				92,965	31.5%
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	2000	400	22.6%	2010-2014	395	25.6%				86,498	20.3%
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	2000	300	19.5%	2010-2014	266	21.3%				87,945	22.7%
Children in Extreme Poverty	2000	369	8.4%	2010-2014	389	10.5%	2010-2014	20		143,482	13.0%
Homeless Students	2013-2014		1.1%	2015-2016		2.3%					3.2%
Vulnerable Families	2003	7	9.0%	2014	6	8.5%	2014	38	-	1,763	7.3%
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	2000	928	23.4%	2010	970	29.7%	2010	23		327,504	34.0%
White	2000	641	18.9%	2010	671	24.1%				132,381	21.5%
Black	2000	268	51.1%	2010	239	65.5%				172,073	63.2%
All Other Races	2000	19	32.8%	2010	60	50.4%				23,050	30.3%
Hispanic	2000	11	28.9%	2010	26	41.3%				15,889	27.8%
Employed Mothers with Young Children	2000	490	52.2%	2010-2014	436	62.6%	2010-2014	55		132,809	58.8%
Unemployment Rate	2004	547	6.9%	2016	448	7.0%	2016	47		125,919	5.9%
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	2003	\$39,520	N/A	2014	\$33,691		2014	50		\$44,229	N/A
Medicaid Paid Births	2003	102	51.0%	2014	98	56.0%	2014	22		31,234	52.5%
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	2014	498	N/A	2015	478	N/A	2015	9		132,134	
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	2011	3,712	N/A	2016	3,609	N/A	2016	13		878,848	N/A
Children Under 20	2011	1,663		2016	1,661		2016	12		411,139	N/A
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	2011	3,741		2016	3,565		2016	13		864,645	N/A
Food Insecurity, All Ages	2010	3,030	17.3%	2014	2,940	17.3%	2014	33		911,440	18.8%
Children Under 18	2010	1,060	26.9%	2014	1,090	29.3%	2014	54		292,330	26.4%
Adult Diabetes	2004	1,314	8.6%	2013	1,941	12.6%	2013	28		492,691	12.5%
Adult Obesity	2011	4,673	36.8%	2013	4,332	33.9%	2013	23		1,223,286	32.4%
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	2013	82	484.9	2014	70	414.8	2014	39		16,689	344.1

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