

DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2015	
Total County Population	23,909		25,859	
County Child Population	5,850	24.5%	5,703	22.1%
By Age:	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Under Age 5	1,428	24.4%	1,268	22.2%
Ages 5-9	1,513	25.9%	1,412	24.8%
Ages 10-14	1,498	25.6%	1,509	26.5%
Ages 15-19	1,411	24.1%	1,514	26.5%
Pre-K Children	NUMBER		NUMBER	
Age 3	268		255	
Age 4	293		246	
Diversity of Children	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
White	5,291	90.2%	4,951	86.8%
African-American	395	6.7%	343	6.0%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	21	0.4%	22	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	7	0.1%	19	0.3%
More than One Race	59	1.0%	198	3.5%
Hispanic	92	1.6%	170	3.0%



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	8	2014	1	4.7	14	-	517	8.7
White		2003	2	8.4	2014	1	5.0			212	5.9
African-American		2003	0	0	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	264	5.0%	48 ●		51,606	4.6%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	216	4.5%			30,178	4.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	48	15.2%			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	182	73.7%	2014	132	63.5%	61	-	43,319	75.0%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	128	64.3%			28,032	79.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	4	57.1%			12,461	70.5%
All Other		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0%			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	19	7.7%	2014	11	5.2%	1		6,944	11.7%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	11	5.5%			3,724	10.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0%			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	0.0%			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	24	9.6%	2014	15	7.1%	6	-	6,025	10.1%
White	2003	22	9.2%	2014	11	5.5%			2,875	8.0%
Black	2003	2	18.2%	2014	2	28.6%			2,756	15.1%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	0	0.0%			110	8.6%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	100.0%			284	7.2%
Births to Unmarried Teens	2003	28	11.2%	2014	17	8.1%	39	-	4,259	7.2%
White	2003	27	11.3%	2014	16	8.0%			2,099	5.8%
Black	2003	1	9.1%	2014	1	14.3%			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	0.0%			242	6.1%
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	2003	11	26.6	2014	6	13.6	27	-	1,359	14.6
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	6	15.9			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	151	71.9%	7		36,697	62.8%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	143	71.5%			24,881	70.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	6	85.7%			8,218	45.9%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	100.0%			950	76.1%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	50.0%			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	82	33.2%	2014	46	21.8%	57	9,661	16.3%
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	2005	12		2015	26			6,268	
First Grade Retention	2008-2009		6.3%	2015-2016		8.7%			3.7%
English Language Learners, All	2008-2009		0.5%	2015-2016		0.4%			3.2%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	2013-2014		44.1%	2014-2015		45.3%	4 ●		37.9%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	2013-2014		48.8%	2014-2015		50.5%	15 ●		47.9%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	2013-2014		42.8%	2014-2015		38.1%	43 ●		44.0%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	2013-2014		28.2%	2014-2015		28.8%	15 ●		27.2%
Ninth Grade Retention	2008-2009		6.5%	2014-2015		3.6%	42 ●		4.5%
High School Dropout Rate	2007-2008		1.9%	2014-2015		0.4%	8 ●		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	
	51	\$10,850	
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2016-2017	Classrooms	Number	Percent
	4	72	29.3%
Direct Certification	2015-2016		
	17.7%		

Chronic Absenteeism	2015-2016	
	45.8%	
Per Pupil Expenditures (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2009	Current Year FY2015
	\$9,921	\$9,199
	Ranking (FY2015)	
	29	
Number of Early Head Start/Head Start Classrooms	2016	
	5	

Child Care Facilities by Type	July 2016	Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores	2014-2015
Family Child Care Homes	2	English	17
Group Child Care Homes	2	Math	18
Licensed Providers	8	Reading	19
Exempt Centers	1	Science	18
Total Child Care Centers	13	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	1	23.1	2014	0	0.0	2014	1	-	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	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	149	26.6	2015	82	15.7	2015	62		8,656	7.8
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	2005	12	4.9	2015	29	11.1	2015	59	- ●	3,050	6.0
Preventable Teen Death Rate	2003	0	0.0	2014	1	59.9	2014	50	- ●	142	41.3
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	2000	192	16.9%	2010-2014	161	14.6%	2010-2014	54		24,972	9.5%
Children in Foster Care	2010	23		2016	34					5,459	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	34					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	9					1,728	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	9					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	4		2016	4					503	
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	4					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	3,672	15.6%	2010-2014	5,370	21.0%	2010-2014	36		889,710	18.9%
White	2000	3,302	15.0%	2010-2014	4,817	20.3%				448,600	13.8%
Black	2000	243	19.5%	2010-2014	341	27.5%				386,183	31.6%
All Other Races	2000	127	37.8%	2010-2014	84	37.2%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	74	33.3%	2010-2014	166	44.3%				63,543	33.9%
Children in Poverty	2000	1,120	21.3%	2010-2014	1,782	34.3%	2010-2014	46		303,301	27.5%
White	2000	988	20.4%	2010-2014	1,606	33.9%				127,231	18.3%
Black	2000	81	26.9%	2010-2014	132	41.8%				149,996	45.3%
All Other Races	2000	51	41.1%	2010-2014	84	37.2%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	32	29.9%	2010-2014	13	23.6%				32,072	45.4%
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	2000	284	20.0%	2010-2014	525	39.4%				92,965	31.5%
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	2000	504	24.8%	2010-2014	556	28.7%				86,498	20.3%
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	2000	332	18.3%	2010-2014	485	25.2%				87,945	22.7%
Children in Extreme Poverty	2000	511	9.7%	2010-2014	488	9.4%	2010-2014	12		143,482	13.0%
Homeless Students	2013-2014		14.6%	2015-2016		9.3%					3.2%
Vulnerable Families	2003	15	13.4%	2014	8	6.6%	2014	19	-	1,763	7.3%
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	2000	971	20.5%	2010	1,335	28.7%	2010	17		327,504	34.0%
White	2000	815	18.7%	2010	1,093	26.0%				132,381	21.5%
Black	2000	123	45.9%	2010	151	60.2%				172,073	63.2%
All Other Races	2000	33	34.4%	2010	91	45.7%				23,050	30.3%
Hispanic	2000	30	44.8%	2010	45	40.2%				15,889	27.8%
Employed Mothers with Young Children	2000	786	64.2%	2010-2014	929	70.4%	2010-2014	66		132,809	58.8%
Unemployment Rate	2004	580	4.8%	2016	573	5.1%	2016	7		125,919	5.9%
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	2003	\$42,059	N/A	2014	\$35,560		2014	44		\$44,229	N/A
Medicaid Paid Births	2003	124	56.6%	2014	136	64.8%	2014	44		31,234	52.5%
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	2014	750	N/A	2015	696	N/A	2015	22		132,134	
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	2011	5,267	N/A	2016	4,346	N/A	2016	20		878,848	N/A
Children Under 20	2011	2,398		2016	1,966		2016	19		411,139	N/A
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	2011	5,273		2016	4,321		2016	20		864,645	N/A
Food Insecurity, All Ages	2010	3,750	14.6%	2014	3,810	14.6%	2014	14		911,440	18.8%
Children Under 18	2010	1,470	27.7%	2014	1,510	28.6%	2014	45		292,330	26.4%
Adult Diabetes	2004	1,797	8.6%	2013	2,685	10.7%	2013	5		492,691	12.5%
Adult Obesity	2011	6,053	30.5%	2013	6,771	33.9%	2013	23		1,223,286	32.4%
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	2013	104	398.2	2014	116	445.5	2014	49		16,689	344.1

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