Choctaw

Rank: 35

DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2015	
Total County Population	15,953		13,170	
County Child Population	4,547	28.5%	2,972	22.6%
By Age:	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Under Age 5	1,104	24.3%	653	22.0%
Ages 5-9	1,074	23.6%	711	23.9%
Ages 10-14	1,205	26.5%	798	26.9%
Ages 15-19	1,164	25.6%	810	27.3%
Pre-K Children	NUMBER		NUMBER	
Age 3	213		125	
Age 4	271		130	
Diversity of Children	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
White	2,127	46.8%	1,573	52.9%
African-American	2,351	51.8%	1,335	44.9%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	5	0.1%	2	0.1%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
More than One Race	24	0.5%	30	1.0%
Hispanic	27	0.6%	29	1.0%

HEALTH

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
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	2003	1	5.6	2014	0	0.0	1	-	517	8.7
White	2003	0	0.0	2014	0	0.0			212	5.9
African-American	2003	1	13.3	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	18	0.6%	2 ●		51,606	4.6%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	13	0.8%			30,178	4.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	5	0.4%			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	131	74.9%	2014	129	81.1%	13	I	43,319	75.0%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	75	84.3%			28,032	79.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	53	77.9%			12,461	70.5%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	50.0%			935	76.0%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			1,891	54.9%
Pre-Term Births to All Females	2003	26	14.7%	2014	25	15.3%	62		6,944	11.7%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	9	10.0%			3,724	10.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	16	22.5%			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%

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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	11.3%	2014	13	7.9%	9	-	6,025	10.1%
White	2003	9	8.8%	2014	4	4.4%			2,875	8.0%
Black	2003	11	14.7%	2014	8	11.1%			2,756	15.1%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	1	50.0%			110	8.6%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	-			284	7.2%
Births to Unmarried Teens	2003	22	12.4%	2014	13	7.9%	37	I	4,259	7.2%
White	2003	5	4.9%	2014	5	5.6%			2,099	5.8%
Black	2003	17	22.7%	2014	7	9.7%			1,889	10.4%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	1	50.0%			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	8	24.5	2014	4	15.5	35	I	1,359	14.6
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	15.5			681	12.1
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	8.1			553	18.7
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	-			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	68	42.5%	56		36,697	62.8%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	43	47.8%			24,881	70.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	24	35.3%			8,218	45.9%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	50.0%			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	29	16.4%	2014	21	12.9%	11		9,661	16.3%
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	2005	8		2015	5				6,268	
First Grade Retention	2008-2009		9.4%	2015-2016		4.3%				3.7%
English Language Learners, All	2008-2009		0.4%	2015-2016		0.1%				3.2%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	2013-2014		30.4%	2014-2015		22.9%	56	●		37.9%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	2013-2014		11.6%	2014-2015		25.5%	58	●		47.9%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	2013-2014		35.7%	2014-2015		23.9%	63	●		44.0%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	2013-2014		5.4%	2014-2015		4.4%	62	●		27.2%
Ninth Grade Retention	2008-2009		4.8%	2014-2015		6.1%	57	●		4.5%
High School Dropout Rate	2007-2008		2.7%	2014-2015		1.6%	60	●		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
5	$1,401

Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2016-2017

Classrooms	Number	Percent
2	36	27.7%

Direct Certification

2015-2016
0.5%

Chronic Absenteeism

2015-2016
34.9%

Per Pupil Expenditures (Adjusted for Inflation)

	Base Year FY2009	Current Year FY2015
Dollars	$9,909	$9,585
Ranking (FY2015)		19

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms

2016
4

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Child Care Facilities by Type	July 2016
Family Child Care Homes	1
Group Child Care Homes	2
Licensed Providers	6
Exempt Centers	0
Total Child Care Centers	9

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores	2014-2015
English	16
Math	16
Reading	17
Science	17
Composite	17

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	65.1	2014	1	45.3	2014	54	-	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	107.7				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	24	6.1	2015	22	8.2	2015	34		8,656	7.8
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	2005	5	3.0	2015	4	3.0	2015	8	- ●	3,050	6.0
Preventable Teen Death Rate	2003	1	85.5	2014	2	221.2	2014	66	- ●	142	41.3
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	2000	93	9.8%	2010-2014	38	5.6%	2010-2014	10		24,972	9.5%
Children in Foster Care	2010	1		2016	1					5,459	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	0					3,357	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A		2016	1					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	1					1,728	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	0					918	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A		2016	1					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	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

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ECONOMIC SECURITY

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	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	3,858	24.5%	2010-2014	2,867	21.5%	2010-2014	38		889,710	18.9%
White	2000	1,192	13.6%	2010-2014	1,077	14.5%				448,600	13.8%
Black	2000	2,584	37.9%	2010-2014	1,787	30.6%				386,183	31.6%
All Other Races	2000	82	44.6%	2010-2014	0	0.0%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	7	4.9%	2010-2014	49	87.5%				63,543	33.9%
Children in Poverty	2000	1,412	34.8%	2010-2014	893	30.7%	2010-2014	34		303,301	27.5%
White	2000	381	20.0%	2010-2014	298	19.3%				127,231	18.3%
Black	2000	980	46.9%	2010-2014	592	44.0%				149,996	45.3%
All Other Races	2000	51	75.0%	2010-2014	0	0.0%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	0	0.0%	2010-2014	19	100.0%				32,072	45.4%
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	2000	442	41.8%	2010-2014	193	29.1%				92,965	31.5%
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	2000	509	35.1%	2010-2014	245	21.2%				86,498	20.3%
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	2000	461	29.6%	2010-2014	367	33.7%				87,945	22.7%
Children in Extreme Poverty	2000	613	15.1%	2010-2014	301	10.3%	2010-2014	17		143,482	13.0%
Homeless Students	2013-2014		1.0%	2015-2016		0.1%					3.2%
Vulnerable Families	2003	10	14.9%	2014	3	4.9%	2014	9	I	1,763	7.3%
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	2000	1,168	32.9%	2010	863	33.4%	2010	35		327,504	34.0%
White	2000	348	19.3%	2010	269	17.8%				132,381	21.5%
Black	2000	811	47.2%	2010	575	55.2%				172,073	63.2%
All Other Races	2000	9	29.0%	2010	19	63.3%				23,050	30.3%
Hispanic	2000	11	57.9%	2010	5	29.4%				15,889	27.8%
Employed Mothers with Young Children	2000	442	50.9%	2010-2014	240	44.4%	2010-2014	6		132,809	58.8%
Unemployment Rate	2004	470	8.6%	2016	391	8.8%	2016	59		125,919	5.9%
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	2003	$35,090	N/A	2014	$34,891		2014	46		$44,229	N/A
Medicaid Paid Births	2003	4	23.5%	2014	104	63.4%	2014	41		31,234	52.5%
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	2014	348	N/A	2015	396	N/A	2015	3		132,134	
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	2011	3,350	N/A	2016	3,193	N/A	2016	10		878,848	N/A
Children Under 20	2011	1,582		2016	1,483		2016	9		411,139	N/A
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	2011	3,373		2016	3,198		2016	10		864,645	N/A
Food Insecurity, All Ages	2010	2,970	21.1%	2014	2,810	20.7%	2014	46		911,440	18.8%
Children Under 18	2010	750	22.9%	2014	750	25.6%	2014	20		292,330	26.4%
Adult Diabetes	2004	1,272	10.2%	2013	1,867	14.8%	2013	49		492,691	12.5%
Adult Obesity	2011	4,136	40.8%	2013	4,207	41.1%	2013	60		1,223,286	32.4%
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	2013	77	574.8	2014	66	495.4	2014	59		16,689	344.1

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