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DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2015	
Total County Population	24,320		21,673	
County Child Population	7,593	31.2%	5,496	25.4%
By Age:	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Under Age 5	1,827	24.1%	1,100	20.0%
Ages 5-9	1,920	25.3%	1,327	24.1%
Ages 10-14	1,904	25.1%	1,491	27.1%
Ages 15-19	1,942	25.6%	1,578	28.7%
Pre-K Children	NUMBER		NUMBER	
Age 3	373		232	
Age 4	346		246	
Diversity of Children	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
White	3,770	49.6%	2,722	49.5%
African-American	3,566	47.0%	2,418	44.0%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	76	1.0%	71	1.3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	24	0.3%	26	0.5%
More than One Race	83	1.1%	173	3.1%
Hispanic	67	0.9%	86	1.6%

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	3.4	2014	3	12.8	53	-	517	8.7
White	2003	1	7.4	2014	1	9.3			212	5.9
African-American	2003	0	0	2014	2	16.7			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	238	4.3%	42 ●		51,606	4.6%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	104	3.8%			30,178	4.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	134	5.2%			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	212	72.4%	2014	181	78.7%	26	-	43,319	75.0%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	87	82.9%			28,032	79.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	87	73.7%			12,461	70.5%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	5	100.0%			935	76.0%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	100.0%			1,891	54.9%
Pre-Term Births to All Females	2003	45	15.4%	2014	27	11.6%	34		6,944	11.7%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	6	5.7%			3,724	10.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	20	16.7%			2,771	15.2%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	20.0%			110	8.6%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	0	0.0%			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	35	11.9%	2014	25	10.7%	40	-	6,025	10.1%
White	2003	10	7.4%	2014	7	6.6%			2,875	8.0%
Black	2003	25	15.8%	2014	18	15.0%			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	0.0%			284	7.2%
Births to Unmarried Teens	2003	51	17.3%	2014	23	9.8%	49	I	4,259	7.2%
White	2003	11	8.1%	2014	7	6.5%			2,099	5.8%
Black	2003	40	25.3%	2014	16	13.3%			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	17	32.7	2014	4	8.2	8	-	1,359	14.6
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	4.7			681	12.1
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	3	14.0			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	105	48.8%	49		36,697	62.8%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	64	64.0%			24,881	70.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	35	32.4%			8,218	45.9%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	4	80.0%			950	76.1%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	2	100.0%			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	67	22.9%	2014	37	15.9%	28		9,661	16.3%
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	2005	21		2015	3				6,268	
First Grade Retention	2008-2009		1.3%	2015-2016		5.3%				3.7%
English Language Learners, All	2008-2009		0.0%	2015-2016		0.2%				3.2%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	2013-2014		25.1%	2014-2015		23.3%	55	●		37.9%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	2013-2014		20.3%	2014-2015		37.7%	47	●		47.9%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	2013-2014		38.6%	2014-2015		32.1%	57	●		44.0%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	2013-2014		11.1%	2014-2015		11.0%	56	●		27.2%
Ninth Grade Retention	2008-2009		7.1%	2014-2015		4.6%	48	●		4.5%
High School Dropout Rate	2007-2008		1.5%	2014-2015		1.7%	61	●		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
217	$58,590

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

Classrooms	Number	Percent
7	126	51.2%

Direct Certification

2015-2016
13.0%

Chronic Absenteeism

2015-2016
30.7%

Per Pupil Expenditures (Adjusted for Inflation)

	Base Year FY2009	Current Year FY2015
Dollars	$9,549	$8,977
Ranking (FY2015)		39

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Classrooms

2016
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Child Care Facilities by Type	July 2016
Family Child Care Homes	5
Group Child Care Homes	1
Licensed Providers	6
Exempt Centers	2
Total Child Care Centers	14

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores	2014-2015
English	16
Math	17
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	1	19.2	2014	2	48.8	2014	58	-	202	22.0
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	52.4				118	23.7
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	60.2				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	29	4.4	2015	30	6.0	2015	18		8,656	7.8
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	2005	11	3.8	2015	9	3.5	2015	14	- ●	3,050	6.0
Preventable Teen Death Rate	2003	3	157.7	2014	1	54.9	2014	44	- ●	142	41.3
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	2000	201	13.4%	2010-2014	143	10.3%	2010-2014	36		24,972	9.5%
Children in Foster Care	2010	6		2016	1					5,459	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	1					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	0					1,728	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	0					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	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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	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	5,131	21.3%	2010-2014	6,496	29.2%	2010-2014	60		889,710	18.9%
White	2000	1,397	10.1%	2010-2014	2,118	17.2%				448,600	13.8%
Black	2000	3,633	37.5%	2010-2014	4,370	46.7%				386,183	31.6%
All Other Races	2000	101	18.3%	2010-2014	8	2.0%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	0	0.0%	2010-2014	86	36.8%				63,543	33.9%
Children in Poverty	2000	1,846	27.0%	2010-2014	2,251	41.2%	2010-2014	59		303,301	27.5%
White	2000	282	8.4%	2010-2014	608	22.4%				127,231	18.3%
Black	2000	1,518	46.7%	2010-2014	1,643	63.2%				149,996	45.3%
All Other Races	2000	46	20.2%	2010-2014	8	2.0%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	0	0.0%	2010-2014	66	56.9%				32,072	45.4%
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	2000	521	28.9%	2010-2014	678	49.9%				92,965	31.5%
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	2000	668	24.9%	2010-2014	534	28.4%				86,498	20.3%
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	2000	657	27.8%	2010-2014	797	35.8%				87,945	22.7%
Children in Extreme Poverty	2000	970	14.2%	2010-2014	1,420	26.0%	2010-2014	62		143,482	13.0%
Homeless Students	2013-2014		0.4%	2015-2016		0.5%					3.2%
Vulnerable Families	2003	20	18.0%	2014	10	10.9%	2014	56	-	1,763	7.3%
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	2000	1,905	31.7%	2010	1,894	39.4%	2010	46		327,504	34.0%
White	2000	510	15.9%	2010	503	19.9%				132,381	21.5%
Black	2000	1,362	51.4%	2010	1,284	62.8%				172,073	63.2%
All Other Races	2000	33	21.6%	2010	107	45.5%				23,050	30.3%
Hispanic	2000	18	33.3%	2010	24	35.8%				15,889	27.8%
Employed Mothers with Young Children	2000	818	57.1%	2010-2014	419	53.1%	2010-2014	23		132,809	58.8%
Unemployment Rate	2004	730	7.5%	2016	710	9.8%	2016	63		125,919	5.9%
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	2003	$37,964	N/A	2014	$31,073		2014	58		$44,229	N/A
Medicaid Paid Births	2003	194	66.7%	2014	169	72.5%	2014	58		31,234	52.5%
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	2014	713	N/A	2015	704	N/A	2015	23		132,134	
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	2011	5,275	N/A	2016	4,402	N/A	2016	21		878,848	N/A
Children Under 20	2011	2,714		2016	2,212		2016	22		411,139	N/A
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	2011	5,356		2016	4,454		2016	21		864,645	N/A
Food Insecurity, All Ages	2010	6,120	26.2%	2014	5,430	24.1%	2014	56		911,440	18.8%
Children Under 18	2010	1,950	32.2%	2014	1,700	30.9%	2014	61		292,330	26.4%
Adult Diabetes	2004	1,784	9.8%	2013	2,914	15.2%	2013	51		492,691	12.5%
Adult Obesity	2011	5,989	36.5%	2013	5,773	35.3%	2013	33		1,223,286	32.4%
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	2013	81	365.1	2014	107	487.5	2014	57		16,689	344.1

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