

DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2015	
Total County Population	41,771		40,844	
County Child Population	11,018	26.6%	9,456	23.2%
By Age:	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
Under Age 5	2,564	23.3%	2,399	25.4%
Ages 5-9	2,859	25.9%	2,315	24.5%
Ages 10-14	2,891	26.2%	2,341	24.8%
Ages 15-19	2,704	24.5%	2,401	25.4%
Pre-K Children	NUMBER		NUMBER	
Age 3	504		487	
Age 4	558		472	
Diversity of Children	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
White	7,150	64.9%	5,663	59.9%
African-American	3,629	32.9%	3,117	33.0%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	33	0.3%	38	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	23	0.2%	50	0.5%
More than One Race	86	0.8%	225	2.4%
Hispanic	96	0.9%	363	3.8%



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	5	11.1	2014	3	6.3	24	-	517	8.7
White		2003	1	3.1	2014	2	6.9			212	5.9
African-American		2003	4	30.1	2014	1	6.3			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	409	4.5%	44 ●		51,606	4.6%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	234	4.2%			30,178	4.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	20	0.6%			14,529	4.3%
All Other		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	97	54.8%			5,282	12.8%
Hispanic		N/A	N/A	N/A	2010-2014	169	46.4%			10,006	14.0%
Females Receiving Adequate/Adequate Plus Prenatal Care		2003	372	82.7%	2014	392	83.6%	4	-	43,319	75.0%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	252	88.4%			28,032	79.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	129	81.6%			12,461	70.5%
All Other		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	4	44.4%			935	76.0%
Hispanic		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	7	41.2%			1,891	54.9%
Pre-Term Births to All Females		2003	77	17.1%	2014	107	22.5%	67		6,944	11.7%
White		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	59	20.3%			3,724	10.3%
Black		N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	45	28.1%			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	3	17.6%			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	51	11.3%	2014	54	11.3%	47	-	6,025	10.1%
White	2003	31	9.7%	2014	25	8.6%			2,875	8.0%
Black	2003	20	15.0%	2014	28	17.5%			2,756	15.1%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	0	0.0%			110	8.6%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	5.9%			284	7.2%
Births to Unmarried Teens	2003	56	12.4%	2014	54	11.3%	59	-	4,259	7.2%
White	2003	29	9.1%	2014	33	11.4%			2,099	5.8%
Black	2003	27	20.3%	2014	20	12.5%			1,889	10.4%
All Other	Subsumed	Subsumed	Subsumed	2014	0	0.0%			29	2.3%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	5.9%			242	6.1%
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	2003	17	22.5	2014	12	15.8	36	-	1,359	14.6
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	9	21.1			681	12.1
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	3	12.2			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	120	26.3%	64		36,697	62.8%
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	97	35.1%			24,881	70.3%
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	13	8.4%			8,218	45.9%
All Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	5	55.6%			950	76.1%
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	5	29.4%			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	112	24.9%	2014	95	20.1%	52	9,661	16.3%
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	2005	20		2015	34			6,268	
First Grade Retention	2008-2009		9.0%	2015-2016		4.1%			3.7%
English Language Learners, All	2008-2009		1.5%	2015-2016		1.8%			3.2%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Reading	2013-2014		33.1%	2014-2015		27.9%	50 ●		37.9%
Aspire-Fourth Grade Math	2013-2014		36.6%	2014-2015		36.9%	49 ●		47.9%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Reading	2013-2014		42.0%	2014-2015		38.3%	42 ●		44.0%
Aspire-Eighth Grade Math	2013-2014		31.5%	2014-2015		25.1%	24 ●		27.2%
Ninth Grade Retention	2008-2009		10.6%	2014-2015		2.3%	29 ●		4.5%
High School Dropout Rate	2007-2008		1.2%	2014-2015		0.9%	40 ●		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	
	219	\$61,887	
Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2016-2017	Classrooms	Number	Percent
	10	180	38.1%
Direct Certification	2015-2016		
	16.9%		

Chronic Absenteeism	2015-2016	
	36.3%	
Per Pupil Expenditures (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2009	Current Year FY2015
	\$9,940	\$8,990
Dollars		
Ranking (FY2015)	38	
Number of Early Head Start/Head Start Classrooms	2016	
	12	

Child Care Facilities by Type	July 2016	Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores	2014-2015
Family Child Care Homes	3	English	16
Group Child Care Homes	8	Math	16
Licensed Providers	9	Reading	17
Exempt Centers	7	Science	17
Total Child Care Centers	27	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	13.0	2014	1	14.0	2014	19	-	202	22.0
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2014	1	25.3				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	40	4.0	2015	87	10.1	2015	42		8,656	7.8
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate	2005	53	11.8	2015	68	17.1	2015	65	- ●	3,050	6.0
Preventable Teen Death Rate	2003	0	0.0	2014	2	70.2	2014	53	- ●	142	41.3
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	2000	252	12.3%	2010-2014	409	21.5%	2010-2014	63		24,972	9.5%
Children in Foster Care	2010	10		2016	48					5,459	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	36					3,357	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A		2016	12					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	11					1,728	
White	N/A	N/A		2016	5					918	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A		2016	6					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	7					503	
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	1					393	
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	2016	6					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	1					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	6,711	16.6%	2010-2014	8,589	21.1%	2010-2014	37		889,710	18.9%
White	2000	3,204	10.7%	2010-2014	4,477	15.6%				448,600	13.8%
Black	2000	3,421	33.1%	2010-2014	3,807	34.2%				386,183	31.6%
All Other Races	2000	86	21.8%	2010-2014	211	44.1%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	11	6.8%	2010-2014	596	57.6%				63,543	33.9%
Children in Poverty	2000	2,426	24.6%	2010-2014	3,321	37.1%	2010-2014	51		303,301	27.5%
White	2000	932	14.5%	2010-2014	1,436	26.0%				127,231	18.3%
Black	2000	1,466	44.6%	2010-2014	1,734	56.5%				149,996	45.3%
All Other Races	2000	28	21.1%	2010-2014	211	44.1%				34,570	24.6%
Hispanic	2000	6	8.6%	2010-2014	256	70.3%				32,072	45.4%
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	2000	687	27.1%	2010-2014	856	36.8%				92,965	31.5%
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	2000	1,029	26.2%	2010-2014	1,113	32.2%				86,498	20.3%
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	2000	710	20.9%	2010-2014	958	30.2%				87,945	22.7%
Children in Extreme Poverty	2000	938	9.5%	2010-2014	1,812	20.2%	2010-2014	53		143,482	13.0%
Homeless Students	2013-2014		0.2%	2015-2016		0.3%					3.2%
Vulnerable Families	2003	29	15.7%	2014	18	8.4%	2014	37	I	1,763	7.3%
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	2000	2,777	32.0%	2010	3,122	40.9%	2010	48		327,504	34.0%
White	2000	1,134	19.1%	2010	1,324	27.1%				132,381	21.5%
Black	2000	1,590	61.0%	2010	1,661	69.7%				172,073	63.2%
All Other Races	2000	53	38.7%	2010	137	37.1%				23,050	30.3%
Hispanic	2000	25	34.7%	2010	100	39.4%				15,889	27.8%
Employed Mothers with Young Children	2000	1,280	59.8%	2010-2014	1,006	58.7%	2010-2014	41		132,809	58.8%
Unemployment Rate	2004	1,145	6.2%	2016	1,080	5.8%	2016	26		125,919	5.9%
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	2003	\$40,056	N/A	2014	\$39,282		2014	27		\$44,229	N/A
Medicaid Paid Births	2003	235	52.5%	2014	344	72.3%	2014	57		31,234	52.5%
WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	2014	1,533	N/A	2015	1,526	N/A	2015	42		132,134	
SNAP Eligible, All Ages	2011	8,858	N/A	2016	7,608	N/A	2016	38		878,848	N/A
Children Under 20	2011	4,438		2016	3,779		2016	39		411,139	N/A
SNAP Recipients, All Ages	2011	8,850		2016	7,566		2016	37		864,645	N/A
Food Insecurity, All Ages	2010	8,120	19.6%	2014	7,750	18.8%	2014	41		911,440	18.8%
Children Under 18	2010	2,520	26.9%	2014	2,590	28.6%	2014	45		292,330	26.4%
Adult Diabetes	2004	2,961	8.6%	2013	4,325	11.4%	2013	9		492,691	12.5%
Adult Obesity	2011	11,170	36.1%	2013	11,637	37.3%	2013	44		1,223,286	32.4%
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	2013	175	424.5	2014	166	403.3	2014	34		16,689	344.1

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