

DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2022	
Total County Population	21,399		18,650	
County Child Population	6,398	29.9%	4,558	24.4%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,358	21.2%	1,084	23.8%
Ages 5-9	1,539	24.1%	1,109	24.3%
Ages 10-14	1,699	26.6%	1,220	26.8%
Ages 15-19	1,802	28.2%	1,145	25.1%

	2000		2022	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	3,089	48.3%	1,947	42.7%
African-American	3,220	50.3%	2,265	49.7%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	8	0.1%	16	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	9	0.1%	74	1.6%
More than One Race	36	0.6%	123	2.7%
Hispanic	34	0.5%	133	2.9%



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Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	274	229
Age 4	293	217

HEALTH

NOTE: The colored cells for "ALL OTHER" represent the heading of "BLACK AND ALL OTHER" for this indicator.		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2011	2	8.2	0	0	2	17.2	0	0	0	0				
	Current	2021	1	4.6	1	9.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	2019-2021	9	2011-2021	–
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2011	29	11.9%	14	11.7%	15	13.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2021	43	19.7%	20	19.8%	22	19.3%	0	0.0%	1	50.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2011	27	11.0%	11	9.1%	16	13.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2021	24	11.0%	8	7.9%	16	14.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2019-2021	54	2011-2021	–
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2011	15	35.7	5	26.3	10	43.5	0	0	0	0				
	Current	2021	6	16.3	2	15	4	18.1	0	0	0	0	2019-2021	60	2011-2021	–
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2011	35	26.2	14	24.7	20	27.7	0	0	1	62.5				
	Current	2021	16	14.5	4	8.4	12	21.4	0	0	0	0	2019-2021	63	2011-2021	–
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2011	33	13.5%	13	10.7%	19	16.4%	0	0.0%	1	25.0%				
	Current	2021	16	7.3%	4	4.0%	12	10.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2019-2021	61	2011-2021	–
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2011	168	70.9%	91	75.2%	73	66.4%	3	100.0%	1	33.3%				
	Current	2021	148	69.8%	73	72.3%	73	67.6%	1	100.0%	1	50.0%	2019-2021	29	2011-2021	–
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2021	134	61.5%	80	79.2%	51	44.7%	1	100.0%	2	100.0%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2021	8	2.7%	5	3.8%			3	1.9%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2011	97	464.8	62	553.9	35	386.8	0	0	0	0				
	Current	2021	91	482.6	58	606.2	33	393.6	0	0	0	0	2021	46		

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NOTE: The colored cells for "TWO OR MORE RACES" represent the heading of "ALL OTHER" for this indicator.		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	POVERTY	ABOVE POVERTY	WHITE*	BLACK*	HISPANIC*	ASIAN*	AMERICAN INDIAN*	NATIVE HAWAIIAN*	TWO/MORE RACES*	RANKING YEAR	RANKING
Births to Females with Less Than 12 Years of Education	Base	2011	50	20.4%			16.5%	23.3%	75.0%				0.0%		
	Current	2021	38	17.4%			11.9%	22.8%	0.0%				0.0%	2021	53
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2012	9												
	Current	2022	11												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.4%											
	Current	2021-2022		6.2%	8.7%	1.4%	2.6%	8.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2021-2022	30
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		41.8%	39.3%	61.9%	33.1%	19.8%	66.7%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	52
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		16.5%	13.8%	38.1%	14.9%	2.9%	33.3%	66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	55
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		37.1%	33.5%	91.7%	28.6%	13.5%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	50.0%	2022-2023	53
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		6.7%	5.5%	25.0%	6.3%	1.2%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	2022-2023	55
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		3.3%											
	Current	2021-2022		14.1%	17.8%	9.0%	9.6%	15.6%	37.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%	2021-2022	63
Graduation Rate	Base	2020-2021		80.5%	78.7%	88.9%	81.5%	79.3%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2021-2022		75.6%	74.2%	80.0%	71.6%	78.4%	50.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2021-2022	63
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		12.1%											
	Current	2021-2022		5.7% ^B	6.9%	2.0%	9.0%	3.7%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2021-2022	37
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		17.2%			9.2%	22.4%	10.9%	11.1%	16.7%	0.0%	10.8%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		0.1%			0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		28.6%	28.2%	29.2%	31.3%	27.8%	21.1%	11.8%	0.0%	100.0%	17.1%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		33.1%	38.6%	24.9%	30.4%	34.5%	38.6%	38.6%	17.6%	75.0%	0.0%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017 ^{***}		0.5%	0.2%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	30.3%	28.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2021-2022 ^{***}		0.8%	0.1%	1.8%	0.0%	0.1%	29.8%	17.6%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2020-2021		1.1%	6.5%	0.0%	1.0%	1.1%	7.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2021-2022		1.9%	3.3%	0.0%	2.0%	1.9%	3.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		9.3%											
	Current	2021-2022		47.0%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2021-2022		59.4%			41.4%	70.7%	43.9%						

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EDUCATION

Child Care Center Capacity		August 2023		Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Slots: 2023		EHS		HS		TOTAL		Career and College Ready Index					
Day Care		440		Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2022-2023		0		108		108		Base Year 2021		Current Year 2022			
Night Care		0				Classrooms		Number		Percent		62.4%		56.0%			
All Centers		440				13		182		79.3%							
Child Care Facilities		August 2023		Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores		First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery						Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)		Base Year FY2017		Current Year FY2022	
Total All Licensed		11		2021-2022		2022-2023						Dollars		\$10,946		\$11,843	
Center Based Licensed		5		English		14		Head Start		2		*LEGEND - FULL ETHNIC BREAKDOWN White Black or African American Hispanic/Latino Asian American Indian/Alaska Native Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander Two or More Races					
Center Based Exempt		1		Math		15		Private School		0							
Family Homes		5		Reading		15		Public School		9							
Group Homes		1		Science		15		Other		2							
Total All Child Care Facilities		12		Composite		15		Total		13							

SAFETY

		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children with Indication of Abuse or Neglect (per 1,000)	Base	2011	42	8.6												
	Current	2022	59	14.1									2020-2022	56		
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2011	1	24.4	0	0	1	48.2	0	0	0	0				
	Current	2021	2	56.7	1	66.1	1	56.9	0	0	0	0	2019-2021	61	2011-2021	—
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2011	1	72.2	1	167.8	0	0	0	0	0	0				
	Current	2021	2	177.8	1	218.3	1	167.2	0	0	0	0	2019-2021	47	2011-2021	—
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	184	13.1%												
	Current	2017-2021	167	20.6%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2012	4	1.8												
	Current	2022	13	6.6									2020-2022	41	2012-2022	—

Children in Foster Care		Children Adopted		ILP Ages 14 and Older: 23-Mar	Children in Protective Services: 23-Mar	Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	
Base Year: 2015	Current Year: 2023	Base Year: 2015	Current Year: 2023	Total	Total	Base Year: 1999-2009	Current Year: 2012-2022
14	15	0	4	1	24	9	6

ECONOMIC SECURITY

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		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE		BLACK		ALL OTHER		HISPANIC		RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		35.3%												
	Current	2017-2021		34.8%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		26.3%												
	Current	2017-2021		20.7%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	970	16.9%												
	Current	2017-2021	482	11.2%									2017-2021	33		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2011		16.7%												
	Current	2021		4.6%									2019-2021	43	2011-2021	–
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,944	39.5%												
	Current	2017-2021	1,450	33.2%									2021	42		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	559	50.0%												
	Current	2017-2021	391	66.5%									2017-2021	21		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	August 2023	109	\$63,120												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2011	1,134	12.4%												
	Current	2022	301	3.4%									2022	52		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2011*	\$36,728													
	Current	2021	\$39,442													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2011	172	70.2%	65	53.7%	101	87.1%	2	50.0%	4	100.0%				
	Current	2021	128	58.7%	44	43.6%	84	73.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2021	51		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	4,820	23.1%												
	Current	2021	2,640	13.8%									2021	20		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	1,270	25.7%												
	Current	2021	1,020	23.4%									2021	49		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly		SNAP Eligible, All Ages		SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20		SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2021	Current Year: 2022	Base Year: 2018***	Current Year: 2023***	Base Year: 2018	Current Year: 2023	Base Year: 2018**	Current Year: 2023**
755	693	4,552	4,400	2,420	2,214	4,491	4,411

The way we refer to population sub-groups throughout the 2023 County Data Profile is intentional in order to be as accurate as possible in representing the data given to us.

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