	2000		2023	
Total County Population		140,415		253,507
County Child Population	37,714	26.9%	58,210	23.0%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	8,621	22.9%	12,860	22.1%
Ages 5-9	9,486	25.2%	14,475	24.9%
Ages 10-14	10,144	26.9%	15,709	27.0%
Ages 15-19	9,463	25.1%	15,166	26.1%

Diversity of Children	2000 Number	2000 Percent	2023 Number	2023 Percent
White	30,652	81.3%	43,317	74.4%
African-American	5,299	14.1%	5,771	9.9%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	204	0.5%	316	0.5%
Asian/Pacific Islander	182	0.5%	713	1.2%
More than One Race	470	1.2%	2,586	4.4%
Hispanic	861	2.3%	5,502	9.5%

ALABAMA kids count

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Pre-K Children	2000 Number	2023 Number
Age 3	1,753	2,623
Age 4	1,806	2,723

HEALTH

NOTE: The colored cells for "ALL OTHER" represent the heading of "BLACK AND ALL OTHER" for this indicator.

		YEAR	NUMBER	RATE	WHITE Number	WHITE Rate	BLACK Number	BLACK Rate	ALL OTHER Number	ALL OTHER Rate	HISPANIC Number	HISPANIC Rate	RANKING YEAR	RANKING	TRENDING YEAR	TRENDING
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2012	7	3.3	4	2.4	3	12.8	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	14	5.5	9	4.8	3	10.9	1	18.9	1	3.2	2020-2022	23	2012-2022	_
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2012	251	11.9%	196	11.6%	40	17.0%	8	17.8%	7	5.2%				
	Current	2022	254	10.0%	193	10.2%	30	10.9%	6	12.2%	25	7.9%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2012	167	7.9%	130	7.7%	28	11.9%	8	17.4%	1	0.7%				
	Current	2022	204	8.1%	145	7.7%	30	10.9%	4	8.2%	25	7.9%	2020-2022	8	2012-2022	_
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	57	16.4	38	13.1	13	27.4	3	28.3	3	88.2				
	Current	2022	34	7.7	15	4.5	5	10.7	0	0.0	14	49.3	2020-2022	10	2012-2022	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	195	16.5	147	16.0	30	20.5	6	12.2	12	19.0				
	Current	2022	123	8.3	73	6.5	18	11.8	0	0.0	32	24.7	2020-2022	6	2012-2022	I
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2012	175	8.3%	131	7.8%	30	12.8%	6	13.0%	8	5.9%				
	Current	2022	110	4.3%	64	3.4%	18	6.6%	0	0.0%	28	8.8%	2020-2022	7	2012-2022	I
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2012	1,711	81.6%	1,407	83.6%	193	82.5%	39	86.7%	72	53.7%				
	Current	2022	1,973	79.0%	1,550	82.7%	199	74.0%	36	75.0%	188	61.2%	2020-2022	21	2012-2022	W
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2022	2,173	85.9%	1,673	88.4%	193	70.4%	41	83.7%	266	84.2%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2022	78	2.5%	65	2.5%			8	1.6%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2012	726	381.7	658	414.5	60	340.4	2	36.4	6	72.1				
	Current	2022	973	394.8	881	430.8	81	399.6	6	64.7	5	40.3	2022	24		

Children Without Health Insurance	2018-2022
Number	2,886
Rate	5.6%

Adult Diabetes: 2020	
Rate	8.7%
Trend	11

Adult Obesity: 2021	
Rate	37.2%
Trend	5

Poor Mental Health Days: 2021	
Number	5.4
Trend	5

Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2023	Rate
	957:1

Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2023	Number
	1,960

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	2012	284	13.5%			9.9%	17.1%	52.2%				13.3%		
	Current	2022	310	12.3%			6.9%	10.6%	46.4%				8.2%	2022	32
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2013	161												
	Current	2023	277												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.3%											
	Current	2022-2023		3.9%	6.4%	2.8%	3.4%	4.8%	4.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	5.1%	2022-2023	18
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		67.3%	57.3%	82.2%	50.8%	26.0%	29.1%	51.7%	89.3%	66.7%	48.6%	2023-2024	8
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		41.3%	29.2%	59.4%	33.0%	7.7%	13.9%	30.4%	78.6%	66.7%	28.5%	2023-2024	22
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		58.4%	45.4%	75.1%	43.0%	17.1%	27.3%	42.9%	50.0%	100.0%	36.3%	2023-2024	12
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		35.7%	22.5%	53.0%	25.3%	5.3%	12.0%	26.2%	0.0%	50.0%	21.6%	2023-2024	3
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.0%											
	Current	2022-2023		0.4%	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%	1.3%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	9
Graduation Rate	Base	2021-2022		86.6%	78.0%	91.6%	87.7%	82.3%	80.7%	92.3%	77.8%	75.0%	91.6%		
	Current	2022-2023		88.1%	82.2%	93.2%	90.9%	79.6%	78.7%	88.2%	72.7%	0.0%	84.9%	2022-2023	49
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		8.0%											
	Current	2022-2023		6.2%[B]	9.1%	3.6%	4.5%	10.4%	12.9%	0.0%	9.1%	0.0%	8.2%	2022-2023	52
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		14.1%			11.7%	26.2%	15.9%	5.0%	15.3%	2.8%	17.5%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		0.3%			0.2%	0.9%	0.4%	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.2%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		29.5%	30.8%	28.4%	30.3%	26.9%	28.5%	17.6%	23.6%	29.0%	29.8%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		15.4%	21.9%	9.8%	14.4%	17.9%	16.9%	3.9%	23.6%	9.7%	20.3%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		3.1%	3.9%	2.7%	0.3%	0.0%	30.7%	22.4%	0.0%	6.3%	0.5%		
	Current	2022-2023***		6.5%	9.1%	4.3%	0.5%	0.2%	47.4%	24.7%	1.6%	9.7%	1.1%		
Homeless Students	Base	2021-2022		0.5%	1.6%	0.2%	0.3%	1.5%	0.5%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	0.8%		
	Current	2022-2023		0.4%	1.0%	0.0%	0.3%	1.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	3.2%	1.1%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		1.6%											
	Current	2022-2023		10.1%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		46.2%			36.8%	78.4%	65.1%						

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Child Care Center Capacity	2024
Day Care	3,963
Night Care	155
All Centers	4,118

Child Care Facilities	May 2024
Total All Licensed	72
Center Based Licensed	45
Center Based Exempt	39
Family Homes	17
Group Homes	10
Total All Child Care Facilities	111

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Slots: 2024

EHS	HS	TOTAL
24	173	197

Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2023-2024

Classrooms	Number	Percent
53	886	34.2%

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores

2022-2023	
English	19
Math	19
Reading	20
Science	19
Composite	19

First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery

2023-2024	
Head Start	1
Private School	0
Public School	45
Other	7
Total	53

Career and College Ready Index

Base Year 2022	Current Year 2023
83.6%	83.7%

Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2018	Current Year FY2023
Dollars	$11,338	$13,337

***LEGEND** - FULL ETHNIC BREAKDOWN

White | Black or African American | Hispanic/Latino | Asian | American Indian/Alaska Native | Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | Two or More Races

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	2012	337	7.8												
	Current	2023	353	6.6									2021-2023	10		
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	9	25.3	7	25.7	2	50.4	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	6	14.2	4	12.8	2	48.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	16	2012-2022	_
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	5	43.0	5	54.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	18	2012-2022	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	689	9.3%												
	Current	2018-2022	897	8.2%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2013	128	6.3												
	Current	2023	128	5.0									2021-2023	44	2013-2023	_

Children in Foster Care		Children Adopted		ILP Ages 14 and Older: March 2024	Children in Protective Services: March 2024	Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act	
Base Year: 2016	Current Year: 2024	Base Year: 2016	Current Year: 2024	Total	Total	Base Year: 1999-2009	Current Year: 2013-2023
170	200	20	28	61	249	268	198

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				
Persons Living in Poverty	Base	2000	14,018	10.1%	9,766	8.1%	3,616	26.8%	636	16.8%	501	21.5%				
	Current	2018-2022	23,445	10.2%	15,665	8.1%	4,549	24.5%	3,231	18.5%	2,973	27.6%	2018-2022	3		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	4,546	13.4%	2,752	9.8%	1,545	33.9%	249	21.7%	158	23.9%				
	Current	2018-2022	6,318	13.0%	3,035	8.1%	1,518	33.0%	1,765	28.0%	1,399	38.4%	2018-2022	2		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		16.1%												
	Current	2018-2022		13.9%												

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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		12.5%												
	Current	2018-2022		12.8%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		12.5%												
	Current	2018-2022		12.6%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	1,782	5.3%												
	Current	2018-2022	2,734	5.6%									2018-2022	5		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2012		8.0%												
	Current	2022		5.6%									2020-2022	20	2012-2022	_
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	6,944	22.3%												
	Current	2018-2022	9,398	19.1%									2022	5		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	4,372	58.7%												
	Current	2018-2022	5,461	61.5%									2018-2022	38		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2024	1,236	$631,623												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2012	6,534	7.7%												
	Current	2023	2,380	2.3%									2023	15		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2012*	$62,289													
	Current	2022	$71,704													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2012	1,013	48.3%	709	42.1%	176	74.9%	20	44.4%	108	80.0%				
	Current	2022	970	38.3%	519	27.4%	198	72.3%	7	14.3%	246	77.8%	2022	12		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	23,570	13.4%												
	Current	2022	34,770	14.9%									2022	5		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	9,720	23.8%												
	Current	2022	7,250	14.7%									2022	2		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly		SNAP Eligible, All Ages		SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20		SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2022	Current Year: 2023	Base Year: 2019***	Current Year: 2024***	Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024	Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024**
3,700	3,925	18,928	19,979	10,294	10,898	20,260	19,331

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