	2000		2023	
Total County Population		65,874		90,441
County Child Population	18,596	28.2%	21,408	23.7%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	4,370	23.5%	4,740	22.1%
Ages 5-9	4,801	25.8%	5,354	25.0%
Ages 10-14	4,882	26.3%	5,685	26.6%
Ages 15-19	4,543	24.4%	5,629	26.3%

Diversity of Children	2000 Number	2000 Percent	2023 Number	2023 Percent
White	13,638	73.3%	14,232	66.5%
African-American	4,213	22.7%	4,940	23.1%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	79	0.4%	46	0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	56	0.3%	143	0.7%
More than One Race	258	1.4%	830	3.9%
Hispanic	312	1.7%	1212	5.7%

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Pre-K Children	2000 Number	2023 Number
Age 3	873	979
Age 4	861	959

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	8	8.3	4	5.7	4	19.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	4	4.4	1	1.6	2	10.0	0	0.0	1	14.3	2020-2022	27	2012-2022	_
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2012	119	12.4%	74	10.6%	40	19.0%	4	21.1%	1	3.4%				
	Current	2022	110	12.0%	67	10.6%	32	16.0%	0	0.0%	11	15.7%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2012	97	10.1%	56	8.0%	36	17.1%	4	21.1%	1	3.4%				
	Current	2022	78	8.5%	45	7.1%	24	12.0%	0	0.0%	9	12.9%	2020-2022	13	2012-2022	_
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	33	19.5	21	18.2	10	25.3	1	7.2	1	11.5				
	Current	2022	17	9.6	10	8.5	6	18.6	0	0.0	1	15.2	2020-2022	11	2012-2022	I
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	114	21.9	78	21.9	33	26.1	2	10.0	1	5.4				
	Current	2022	44	8.3	21	5.9	18	14.3	1	4.9	4	14.2	2020-2022	11	2012-2022	I
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2012	100	10.4%	64	9.1%	33	15.7%	2	10.5%	1	3.4%				
	Current	2022	41	4.5%	18	2.8%	18	9.0%	1	10.0%	4	5.7%	2020-2022	13	2012-2022	I
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2012	711	74.3%	549	78.3%	132	63.2%	15	78.9%	15	53.6%				
	Current	2022	699	78.1%	511	82.0%	140	71.4%	6	60.0%	42	63.6%	2020-2022	13	2012-2022	_
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2022	726	79.6%	520	82.3%	142	71.0%	10	100.0%	54	77.1%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2022	34	2.8%	28	3.2%			1	0.3%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2012	206	256.8	172	289.0	32	193.9	1	49.3	1	46.1				
	Current	2022	296	330.5	241	372.8	51	260.9	2	79.5	2	70.2	2022	8		

Children Without Health Insurance	2018-2022
Number	676
Rate	3.4%

Adult Diabetes: 2020	
Rate	12.0%
Trend	55

Adult Obesity: 2021	
Rate	38.8%
Trend	17

Poor Mental Health Days: 2021	
Number	5.3
Trend	3

Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2023	Rate
	3883:1

Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2023	Number
	228

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	120	12.5%			10.0%	17.1%	46.4%				5.3%		
	Current	2022	78	8.5%			6.0%	7.0%	32.9%				30.0%	2022	12
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2013	91												
	Current	2023	87												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.3%											
	Current	2022-2023		7.0%	11.3%	4.4%	5.9%	10.9%	3.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.4%	2022-2023	42
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		67.8%	61.6%	80.7%	49.1%	43.4%	45.8%	31.3%	100.0%	0.0%	44.2%	2023-2024	6
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		44.5%	38.0%	58.0%	37.1%	18.4%	23.7%	18.8%	100.0%	0.0%	25.7%	2023-2024	16
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		52.5%	43.5%	69.8%	42.7%	17.3%	16.4%	20.0%	37.5%	0.0%	25.0%	2023-2024	23
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		24.5%	15.3%	42.0%	20.0%	3.7%	6.2%	8.3%	75.0%	0.0%	11.7%	2023-2024	21
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		2.8%											
	Current	2022-2023		3.0%	6.3%	1.5%	2.0%	5.4%	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	6.3%	2022-2023	37
Graduation Rate	Base	2021-2022		86.2%	78.8%	93.0%	88.5%	83.5%	65.5%	92.3%	50.0%	100.0%	78.6%		
	Current	2022-2023		86.1%	81.8%	92.0%	87.2%	85.2%	78.9%	100.0%	80.0%	100.0%	79.2%	2022-2023	53
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		6.5%											
	Current	2022-2023		9.9%[B]	13.3%	5.1%	9.0%	10.9%	14.0%	0.0%	20.0%	0.0%	12.5%	2022-2023	62
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		13.7%			10.0%	23.0%	10.8%	7.6%	5.7%	36.4%	12.3%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		0.0%			0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		26.8%	28.4%	24.9%	27.9%	24.5%	24.7%	17.9%	31.3%	22.2%	29.5%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		19.1%	24.8%	12.3%	19.7%	17.4%	17.7%	7.1%	9.4%	33.3%	24.9%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		1.2%	1.7%	1.0%	0.2%	0.0%	24.1%	19.5%	4.9%	12.5%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023***		3.2%	4.4%	1.9%	0.7%	0.0%	45.7%	32.1%	18.8%	22.2%	1.1%		
Homeless Students	Base	2021-2022		0.4%	1.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.6%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%		
	Current	2022-2023		0.6%	1.1%	0.0%	0.4%	1.0%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		1.8%											
	Current	2022-2023		9.8%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		54.1%			43.2%	75.5%	72.3%						

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Child Care Center Capacity	2024
Day Care	1,429
Night Care	11
All Centers	1,440

Child Care Facilities	May 2024
Total All Licensed	29
Center Based Licensed	19
Center Based Exempt	7
Family Homes	8
Group Homes	2
Total All Child Care Facilities	36

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Slots: 2024

EHS	HS	TOTAL
80	125	205

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

Classrooms	Number	Percent
14	234	24.6%

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores

2022-2023	
English	18
Math	18
Reading	19
Science	19
Composite	18

First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery

2023-2024	
Head Start	2
Private School	0
Public School	12
Other	0
Total	14

Career and College Ready Index

Base Year 2022	Current Year 2023
80.0%	80.8%

Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)

	Base Year FY2018	Current Year FY2023
Dollars	$9,989	$11,348

***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	83	4.5												
	Current	2023	159	8.2									2021-2023	11		
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	4	26.2	3	28.1	1	30.7	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	6	37.9	4	37.7	2	55.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	35	2012-2022	_
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	3	56.8	3	84.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	7	127.6	4	110.9	3	221.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	35	2012-2022	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	490	13.6%												
	Current	2018-2022	634	14.1%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2013	51	6.0												
	Current	2023	29	3.1									2021-2023	16	2013-2023	I

Children in Foster Care

Base Year: 2016	Current Year: 2024
26	72

Children Adopted

Base Year: 2016	Current Year: 2024
2	17

ILP Ages 14 and Older: March 2024

Total
15

Children in Protective Services: March 2024

Total
48

Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act

Base Year: 1999-2009	Current Year: 2013-2023
27	15

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	6,187	10.2%	2,978	6.1%	3,107	30.0%	102	7.9%	79	11.2%				
	Current	2018-2022	7,986	9.6%	4,744	7.5%	2,730	17.4%	512	11.4%	426	16.1%	2018-2022	2		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	2,391	14.4%	852	6.8%	1,511	41.6%	28	6.1%	52	21.4%				
	Current	2018-2022	2,500	13.3%	1,459	11.1%	831	21.0%	210	12.5%	200	20.4%	2018-2022	3		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		14.9%												
	Current	2018-2022		8.6%												

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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		15.3%												
	Current	2018-2022		15.1%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		12.8%												
	Current	2018-2022		14.6%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	1,026	6.2%												
	Current	2018-2022	1,098	5.8%									2018-2022	7		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2012		9.2%												
	Current	2022		5.5%									2020-2022	29	2012-2022	_
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	3,546	23.4%												
	Current	2018-2022	4,765	25.0%									2022	17		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	2,181	60.2%												
	Current	2018-2022	3,140	75.4%									2018-2022	3		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2024	408	$207,805												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2012	2,612	7.1%												
	Current	2023	822	2.1%									2023	7		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2012*	$66,695													
	Current	2022	$71,463													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2012	431	45.1%	257	36.8%	147	70.3%	7	36.8%	20	69.0%				
	Current	2022	293	32.0%	146	23.0%	97	48.5%	6	60.0%	44	62.9%	2022	4		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	1,170	14.4%												
	Current	2022	12,330	14.1%									2022	3		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	3,960	21.3%												
	Current	2022	3,440	18.0%									2022	10		

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**
1,270	1,328	8,389	8,415	4,475	4,459	9,036	8,293

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