

| | | 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 | 255 | 22.2% | | | 17.5% | 22.9% | 77.3% | | | | 0.0% | | |
| | Current | 2022 | 177 | 15.1% | | | 9.0% | 13.6% | 55.3% | | | | 0.0% | 2022 | 49 |
| Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services | Base | 2013 | 116 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023 | 139 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| First Grade Retention | Base | 2016-2017 | | 0.8% | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 6.7% | 8.3% | 5.4% | 7.1% | 5.9% | 3.4% | 7.1% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 10.7% | 2022-2023 | 39 |
| ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023-2024 | | 58.1% | 50.3% | 78.9% | 43.8% | 34.8% | 25.5% | 45.0% | 66.7% | 0.0% | 27.6% | 2023-2024 | 29 |
| ACAP-Fourth Grade Math | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023-2024 | | 34.3% | 27.2% | 52.8% | 27.9% | 13.2% | 10.2% | 20.0% | 50.0% | 0.0% | 15.5% | 2023-2024 | 36 |
| ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023-2024 | | 53.5% | 47.7% | 66.0% | 40.5% | 27.1% | 25.4% | 91.7% | 50.0% | 0.0% | 24.5% | 2023-2024 | 21 |
| ACAP-Eighth Grade Math | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023-2024 | | 14.7% | 11.9% | 20.6% | 10.2% | 5.9% | 4.1% | 41.7% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 1.5% | 2023-2024 | 41 |
| Ninth Grade Retention | Base | 2016-2017 | | 0.4% | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 1.6% | 3.8% | 0.5% | 0.8% | 5.2% | 1.4% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 2022-2023 | 18 |
| Graduation Rate | Base | 2021-2022 | | 89.2% | 84.8% | 95.2% | 90.6% | 87.4% | 80.2% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 0.0% | 96.9% | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 91.6% | 89.3% | 95.3% | 93.4% | 85.6% | 86.9% | 90.9% | 0.0% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 2022-2023 | 26 |
| High School Dropout Rate | Base | 2016-2017 | | 6.0% | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 3.2% ^B | 4.0% | 1.8% | 3.2% | 2.3% | 5.6% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 2022-2023 | 20 |
| Suspensions | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 8.5% | | | 8.0% | 11.1% | 7.7% | 2.1% | 6.3% | 15.4% | 8.3% | | |
| 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 | | 31.7% | 32.3% | 30.7% | 33.5% | 29.1% | 27.0% | 19.1% | 36.7% | 16.0% | 30.5% | | |
| Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 24.2% | 28.2% | 17.3% | 25.2% | 22.1% | 22.2% | 14.5% | 10.2% | 56.0% | 26.1% | | |
| English Language Learners | Base | 2016-2017 ^{***} | | 2.7% | 3.6% | 2.3% | 0.0% | 0.1% | 33.7% | 13.9% | 9.3% | 40.0% | 1.4% | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 ^{***} | | 5.4% | 7.3% | 2.0% | 0.1% | 0.4% | 43.3% | 18.3% | 28.6% | 64.0% | 1.7% | | |
| Homeless Students | Base | 2021-2022 | | 1.0% | 2.7% | 0.0% | 0.7% | 2.0% | 0.6% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 1.6% | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 1.1% | 1.7% | 0.0% | 0.8% | 1.9% | 1.1% | 2.3% | 2.0% | 12.0% | 1.9% | | |
| Teachers Teaching Out of Field | Base | 2016-2017 | | 1.4% | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 8.4% | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Direct Certification | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022-2023 | | 63.4% | | | 53.6% | 84.4% | 83.2% | | | | | | |

NOTE: Please refer to the "Chart Notes" within the 2024 Alabama Kids Count Data Book for additional information concerning chart notes within this section. *, **, ***, A, B

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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 | | 22.8% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2018-2022 | | 22.6% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty | Base | 2000 | | 19.2% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2018-2022 | | 21.4% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Children in Extreme Poverty | Base | 2000 | 2,357 | 9.8% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2018-2022 | 1,963 | 9.1% | | | | | | | | | 2018-2022 | 20 | | |
| Vulnerable Families | Base | 2012 | | 12.4% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022 | | 6.8% | | | | | | | | | 2020-2022 | 40 | 2012-2022 | - |
| Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families | Base | 2000 | 6,041 | 28.2% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2018-2022 | 7,312 | 33.1% | | | | | | | | | 2022 | 39 | | |
| Employed Mothers with Young Children | Base | 2000 | 3,100 | 54.9% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2018-2022 | 2,933 | 68.4% | | | | | | | | | 2018-2022 | 18 | | |
| Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | May 2024 | 549 | \$223,397 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unemployment Rate | Base | 2012 | 3,743 | 8.5% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023 | 1,102 | 2.8% | | | | | | | | | 2023 | 43 | | |
| Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation | Base | 2012* | \$45,553 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022 | \$55,487 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Medicaid Paid Births | Base | 2012 | 719 | 62.8% | 471 | 55.6% | 175 | 83.3% | 8 | 61.5% | 65 | 86.7% | | | | |
| | Current | 2022 | 616 | 52.5% | 381 | 44.3% | 121 | 74.7% | 4 | 44.4% | 110 | 77.5% | 2022 | 34 | | |
| Food Insecurity, All Ages | Base | 2010 | 16,400 | 15.8% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022 | 18,100 | 17.5% | | | | | | | | | 2022 | 28 | | |
| Food Insecurity, Children Under 18 | Base | 2010 | 6,000 | 25.4% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2022 | 5,010 | 22.6% | | | | | | | | | 2022 | 32 | | |

| WIC Case Load, Average Monthly | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| Base Year: 2022 | Current Year: 2023 |
| 2,785 | 2,931 |

| SNAP Eligible, All Ages | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Base Year: 2019*** | Current Year: 2024*** |
| 12,140 | 14,783 |

| SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20 | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Base Year: 2019 | Current Year: 2024 |
| 5,905 | 7,343 |

| SNAP Recipients, All Ages | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|
| Base Year: 2019 | Current Year: 2024** |
| 13,296 | 14,292 |

The way we refer to population sub-groups throughout the 2024 County Data Profile is intentional in order to be as accurate as possible in representing the data given to us.

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