	2000		2023	
Total County Population		14,798		11,727
County Child Population	4,828	32.6%	2,873	24.5%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,066	22.1%	616	21.4%
Ages 5-9	1,233	25.5%	695	24.2%
Ages 10-14	1,248	25.8%	598	20.8%
Ages 15-19	1,281	26.5%	964	33.6%

	2000		2023	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	816	16.9%	714	24.9%
African-American	3,898	80.7%	2,017	70.2%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	4	0.1%	1	0.0%
Asian/Pacific Islander	4	0.1%	31	1.1%
More than One Race	27	0.6%	63	2.2%
Hispanic	78	1.6%	47	1.6%

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	2000	2023
Pre-K Children	Number	Number
Age 3	213	124
Age 4	236	127

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	2012	3	22.9	0	0.0	3	29.7	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	2	15.5	1	31.3	1	10.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	58	2012-2022	_
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2012	18	13.7%	2	7.1%	16	15.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	19	14.7%	6	17.6%	13	13.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2012	15	11.5%	0	0.0%	15	14.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	18	14.0%	4	11.8%	14	14.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2020-2022	65	2012-2022	_
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	3	9.6	0	0.0	3	11.1	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	1	5.7	0	0.0	1	5.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	55	2012-2022	_
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2012	12	11.3	0	0.0	12	14.7	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	10	12.4	2	9.0	8	14.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	34	2012-2022	_
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2012	12	9.2%	0	0.0%	12	11.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	10	7.8%	2	5.9%	8	8.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2020-2022	62	2012-2022	_
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2012	98	75.4%	24	85.7%	72	72.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	92	72.4%	27	81.8%	64	68.8%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	2020-2022	38	2012-2022	_
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2022	71	55.0%	29	85.3%	41	43.6%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2022	1	0.5%	0	0.0%			1	0.7%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2012	56	416.5	16	486.8	40	405.6	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	41	345.9	10	320.5	31	377.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2022	9		

Children Without Health Insurance	2018-2022
Number	46
Rate	1.6%

Adult Diabetes: 2020	
Rate	10.3%
Trend	34

Adult Obesity: 2021	
Rate	47.5%
Trend	62

Poor Mental Health Days: 2021	
Number	6.0
Trend	37

Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2023	Rate
	4055:1

Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2023	Number
	113

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	18	13.7%			25.0%	9.9%	0.0%				50.0%		
	Current	2022	10	7.8%			14.7%	5.3%	0.0%				0.0%	2022	3
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2013	21												
	Current	2023	18												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.0%											
	Current	2022-2023		2.0%	2.0%	1.9%	0.0%	1.7%	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	6
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		55.9%	50.6%	70.0%	64.3%	23.1%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2023-2024	36
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		20.7%	12.3%	43.3%	23.2%	5.6%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2023-2024	54
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		44.9%	41.1%	65.0%	36.1%	31.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2023-2024	45
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2023-2024		13.3%	8.4%	38.1%	25.0%	2.9%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	50.0%	2023-2024	45
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		3.3%											
	Current	2022-2023		8.8%	13.7%	3.1%	4.8%	9.0%	0.0%	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	61
Graduation Rate	Base	2021-2022		72.6%	75.0%	67.6%	0.0%	73.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		86.1%	83.3%	100.0%	100.0%	84.5%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%	2022-2023	52
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		10.1%											
	Current	2022-2023		5.1%[B]	6.1%	0.0%	0.0%	5.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2022-2023	40
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		1.6%			0.7%	1.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Expulsions	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		0.1%			0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		25.1%	25.2%	25.0%	24.1%	25.9%	10.5%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	13.3%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		29.7%	37.4%	8.9%	6.4%	36.3%	0.0%	22.2%	0.0%	0.0%	6.7%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	12.5%	16.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023***		1.1%	0.6%	2.4%	3.7%	0.0%	26.3%	11.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2021-2022		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2022-2023		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		29.6%											
	Current	2022-2023		19.7%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2022-2023		72.9%			21.0%	85.8%	57.9%						

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Child Care Center Capacity	2024
Day Care	246
Night Care	12
All Centers	258

Child Care Facilities	May 2024
Total All Licensed	7
Center Based Licensed	4
Center Based Exempt	0
Family Homes	0
Group Homes	3
Total All Child Care Facilities	7

Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Slots: 2024

EHS	HS	TOTAL
160	205	365

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

Classrooms	Number	Percent
5	89	73.6%

Average 11th Grade: ACT Scores

2022-2023	
English	14
Math	15
Reading	15
Science	15
Composite	15

First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery

2023-2024	
Head Start	0
Private School	0
Public School	5
Other	0
Total	5

Career and College Ready Index

Base Year 2022	Current Year 2023
37.2%	66.7%

Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)	Base Year FY2018	Current Year FY2023
Dollars	$13,882	$19,919

***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	13	4.5												
	Current	2023	20	8.7									2021-2023	22		
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	2	90.7	0	0.0	2	111.1	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	67	2012-2022	_
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2012	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2022	1	102.0	0	0.0	1	153.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2020-2022	66	2012-2022	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	114	12.0%												
	Current	2018-2022	142	12.8%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2013	0	0.0												
	Current	2023	0	0.0									2021-2023	1	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
6	10	0	0	2	14	27	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				
Persons Living in Poverty	Base	2000	5,611	38.7%	573	15.4%	5,004	46.9%	34	28.1%	90	51.7%				
	Current	2018-2022	3,285	30.4%	378	15.2%	2,841	34.9%	66	34.9%	13	31.7%	2018-2022	65		
Children in Poverty	Base	2000	2,028	47.7%	55	8.4%	1,965	55.1%	8	25.8%	38	56.7%				
	Current	2018-2022	1,191	52.5%	61	13.6%	1,130	62.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2018-2022	66		
Children Under Age 5 in Poverty	Base	2000		48.6%												
	Current	2018-2022		49.8%												

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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		49.7%												
	Current	2018-2022		59.1%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		44.4%												
	Current	2018-2022		47.5%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	1,008	23.7%												
	Current	2018-2022	710	31.3%									2018-2022	67		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2012		1.8%												
	Current	2022		2.5%									2020-2022	35	2012-2022	_
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,693	48.6%												
	Current	2018-2022	1,359	59.0%									2022	64		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	343	40.7%												
	Current	2018-2022	175	63.6%									2018-2022	31		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2024	31	$12,150												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2012	583	10.7%												
	Current	2023	169	3.7%									2023	58		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2012*	$30,667													
	Current	2022	$35,152													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2012	52	81.3%	4	40.0%	47	90.4%	1	50.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2022	53	41.1%	6	17.6%	46	48.9%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	2022	17		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	4,230	30.5%												
	Current	2022	2,280	18.7%									2022	46		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	990	29.9%												
	Current	2022	990	43.1%									2022	64		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2022	Current Year: 2023
410	445

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2019***	Current Year: 2024***
2,875	2,452

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024
1,465	1,281

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2019	Current Year: 2024**
3,298	2,453

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