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| | 2000 | | 2024 | |
|------------------------------------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| Diversity of Children | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| White | 21,543 | 71.8% | 17,276 | 59.3% |
| African-American | 7,081 | 23.6% | 7,645 | 26.3% |
| American Indian/ Alaskan Native | 113 | 0.4% | 43 | 0.1% |
| Asian/Pacific Islander | 153 | 0.5% | 198 | 0.7% |
| More than One Race | 405 | 1.4% | 1,503 | 5.2% |
| Hispanic | 627 | 2.1% | 2,438 | 8.4% |



HEALTH

| Children Without Health Insurance | 2019-2023 | Adult Diabetes: 2021 | | Adult Obesity: 2022 | | Poor Mental Health Days: 2022 | | Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers: 2024 | Rate |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|---------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-----|---|--------|
| Number | 919 | Rate | 12.0% | Rate | 38.3% | Number | 6.6 | | 613:1 |
| Rate | 3.4% | Trend | 62 | Trend | 15 | Trend | 60 | Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2024 | Number |
| | | | | | | | | | 730 |

| <div><div></div><div>NOTE: The colored cells for "TWO OR MORE RACES" represent the heading of "ALL OTHER" for this indicator.</div></div> | | 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 | 2013 | 234 | 17.4% | | | 14.5% | 17.0% | 58.1% | | | | 5.3% | | |
| | Current | 2023 | 166 | 13.2% | | | 11.7% | 8.0% | 40.6% | | | | 14.3% | 2023 | 40 |
| Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services | Base | 2014 | 147 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024 | 214 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| First Grade Retention | Base | 2016-2017 | | 0.9% | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 8.8% | 11.2% | 6.8% | 9.2% | 9.0% | 6.3% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 10.5% | 2024-2025 | 54 |
| ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 65.4% | 58.9% | 78.4% | 51.1% | 35.3% | 49.9% | 90.0% | 100.0% | 0.0% | 47.3% | 2024-2025 | 17 |
| ACAP-Fourth Grade Math | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 38.4% | 31.3% | 52.8% | 31.3% | 11.4% | 22.6% | 75.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 28.0% | 2024-2025 | 36 |
| ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 58.1% | 48.6% | 73.0% | 43.2% | 23.4% | 36.2% | 100.0% | 100.0% | 0.0% | 27.5% | 2024-2025 | 18 |
| ACAP-Eighth Grade Math | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 20.3% | 13.3% | 31.2% | 14.6% | 2.9% | 12.3% | 25.0% | 66.7% | 0.0% | 3.2% | 2024-2025 | 31 |
| Ninth Grade Retention | Base | 2016-2017 | | 1.1% | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 1.3% | 2.0% | 0.9% | 1.0% | 2.3% | 0.7% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 1.9% | 2024-2025 | 26 |
| Graduation Rate | Base | 2025 | * Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2025 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| High School Dropout Rate | Base | 2025 | * Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2025 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Suspensions | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 9.5% | | | 6.5% | 16.5% | 7.7% | 4.4% | 10.7% | 0.0% | 10.5% | | |
| Expulsions | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 0.0% | | | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | | |
| Chronic Absenteeism (10-17 Days) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 25.9% | 28.2% | 22.3% | 26.3% | 24.8% | 25.0% | 13.3% | 12.5% | 29.2% | 31.3% | | |
| Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 11.8% | 14.8% | 6.9% | 12.7% | 10.0% | 9.5% | 8.1% | 16.7% | 4.2% | 15.6% | | |
| English Language Learners | Base | 2016-2017*** | | 1.5% | 2.0% | 1.2% | 0.1% | 0.1% | 23.1% | 19.1% | 0.0% | 3.3% | 0.8% | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025*** | | 4.1% | 5.1% | 2.6% | 0.2% | 0.1% | 38.0% | 27.2% | 8.3% | 4.2% | 0.8% | | |
| Homeless Students | Base | 2022-2023 | | 1.1% | 1.7% | 0.0% | 1.0% | 1.6% | 0.4% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 3.2% | 1.1% | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 1.7% | 2.8% | 0.0% | 1.4% | 2.4% | 1.7% | 0.6% | 8.3% | 0.0% | 2.3% | | |
| Direct Certification | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024-2025 | | 61.5% | | | 51.2% | 77.9% | 76.8% | | | | | | |

NOTE: Please refer to the "Chart Notes" within the 2025 Alabama Kids Count Data Book for additional information concerning chart notes within this section. *, **, ***, A, B

SAFETY

| Children in Foster Care | | Children Adopted | | ILP Ages 14 and Older: March 2025 | Children in Protective Services: March 2025 | Youth Incarcerations Before & After Juvenile Justice Act | |
|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------|
| Base Year: 2014 | Current Year: 2025 | Base Year: 2014 | Current Year: 2025 | Total | Total | Base Year: 1999-2009 | Current Year: 2014-2024 |
| 244 | 244 | 19 | 28 | 77 | 214 | 140 | 189 |

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NOTE: Please refer to the "Chart Notes" under the indicators within the *2025 Alabama Kids Count Data Book* for additional information concerning chart notes within this section.

| | | 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 | | 23.1% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2019-2023 | | 21.9% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty | Base | 2000 | | 20.1% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2019-2023 | | 22.3% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Children in Extreme Poverty | Base | 2000 | 2,804 | 10.8% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2019-2023 | 3,263 | 13.4% | | | | | | | | | 2019-2023 | 49 | | |
| Vulnerable Families | Base | 2013 | | 7.1% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023 | | 8.4% | | | | | | | | | 2021-2023 | 47 | 2013-2023 | - |
| Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families | Base | 2000 | 6,736 | 29.4% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2019-2023 | 8,280 | 33.6% | | | | | | | | | 2023 | 39 | | |
| Employed Mothers with Young Children | Base | 2000 | 3,061 | 53.9% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2019-2023 | 2,811 | 56.5% | | | | | | | | | 2019-2023 | 51 | | |
| Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers) | Base | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | May 2025 | 612 | \$312,945 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unemployment Rate | Base | 2013 | 4,353 | 9.0% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2024 | 1,610 | 3.2% | | | | | | | | | 2024 | 28 | | |
| Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation | Base | 2013* | \$49,570 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023 | \$51,841 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Medicaid Paid Births | Base | 2013 | 806 | 60.1% | 488 | 53.0% | 249 | 75.7% | 8 | 44.4% | 61 | 82.4% | | | | |
| | Current | 2023 | 710 | 56.4% | 441 | 49.7% | 188 | 72.0% | 6 | 42.9% | 75 | 78.1% | 2023 | 51 | | |
| Food Insecurity, All Ages | Base | 2010 | 20,020 | 17.1% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023 | 21,620 | 18.6% | | | | | | | | | 2023 | 38 | | |
| Food Insecurity, Children Under 18 | Base | 2010 | 6,760 | 25.4% | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Current | 2023 | 5,950 | 24.0% | | | | | | | | | 2023 | 39 | | |
| WIC Case Load, Average Monthly | | SNAP Eligible, All Ages | | SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20 | | SNAP Recipients, All Ages | | | | | | | | | | |
| Base Year: 2023 | Current Year: 2024 | Base Year: 2020*** | Current Year: 2025*** | Base Year: 2020 | Current Year: 2025 | Base Year: 2020 | Current Year: 2025** | | | | | | | | | |
| 2,576 | 2,570 | 16,975 | 17,121 | 8,536 | 8,592 | 16,718 | 16,858 | | | | | | | | | |

The way we refer to population sub-groups throughout the 2025 County Data Profile is intentional in order to be as accurate as possible in representing the data given to us.

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