

DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2024	
Total County Population	18,495		15,863	
County Child Population	4,924	26.6%	3,700	23.3%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,113	22.6%	834	22.5%
Ages 5-9	1,201	24.4%	953	25.8%
Ages 10-14	1,260	25.6%	949	25.6%
Ages 15-19	1,350	27.4%	964	26.1%

	2000		2024	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	4,106	83.4%	2,975	80.4%
African-American	715	14.5%	378	10.2%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	6	0.1%	8	0.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	10	0.2%	42	1.1%
More than One Race	35	0.7%	153	4.1%
Hispanic	51	1.0%	144	3.9%



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2000

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Year	Rank
2000	26
2024	155

HEALTH

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					Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate				
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2013	1	5.2	1	6.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	17	2013-2023	–
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2013	28	14.5%	26	16.4%	2	7.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2023	18	10.5%	11	7.6%	5	25.0%	0	0.0%	2	28.6%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2013	26	13.5%	21	13.2%	5	18.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
	Current	2023	16	9.3%	10	6.9%	5	25.0%	0	0.0%	1	14.3%	2021-2023	16	2013-2023	–
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	8	28.5	6	23.2	1	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.0				
	Current	2023	2	5.3	2	7.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	16	2013-2023	–
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	21	22.0	17	20.8	3	30.9	0	0.0	1	43.5				
	Current	2023	17	17.7	14	18.9	1	10.9	0	0.0	2	62.5	2021-2023	40	2013-2023	–
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2013	13	6.7%	9	5.7%	3	11.1%	0	0.0%	1	16.7%				
	Current	2023	15	8.7%	12	8.3%	1	5.0%	0	0.0%	2	28.6%	2021-2023	22	2013-2023	–
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2013	153	80.5%	130	82.3%	19	73.1%	1	100.0%	3	60.0%				
	Current	2023	129	75.4%	110	76.4%	15	75.0%	0	0.0%	4	57.1%	2021-2023	32	2013-2023	–
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2023	133	77.3%	110	75.9%	17	85.0%	0	0.0%	6	85.7%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2023	5	2.4%	3	1.6%			2	8.3%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2013	82	487.4	73	506.9	8	425.1	1	365.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	81	507.3	70	522.7	11	616.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2023	50		

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	47	Rate	7.5%	Rate	39.2%	Number	6.6	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2024	5322:1
Rate	1.2%	Trend	2	Trend	23	Trend	57 <th>Number</th>		Number
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Births to Females with Less Than 12 Years of Education	Base	2013	27	14.1%			12.7%	18.5%	33.3%				0.0%		
	Current	2023	16	9.3%			9.7%	10.0%	0.0%				0.0%	2023	11
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2014	40												
	Current	2024	57												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.6%											
	Current	2024-2025		6.8%	10.9%	2.7%	7.6%	4.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	6.3%	2024-2025	42
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		61.4%	54.2%	74.6%	46.4%	19.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	2024-2025	30
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		39.8%	31.8%	54.2%	31.5%	2.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	16.7%	2024-2025	35
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		47.9%	41.1%	60.0%	30.7%	19.6%	75.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	14.3%	2024-2025	41
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		12.1%	6.7%	22.0%	7.4%	3.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	51
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		1.1%											
	Current	2024-2025		1.6%	2.4%	0.9%	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	31
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		12.0%			10.5%	20.1%	7.6%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	16.4%		
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		29.5%	32.4%	25.2%	31.3%	24.0%	13.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	26.5%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		12.9%	16.4%	7.6%	13.1%	11.0%	5.7%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0%	18.4%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		0.5%	0.9%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	28.1%	22.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025***		1.2%	1.8%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	43.4%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2022-2023		0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025		0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.2%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		59.8%			53.0%	86.6%	86.8%						

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

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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
10	17	0	6	0	28	13	2

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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		22.6%												
	Current	2019-2023		20.8%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		19.5%												
	Current	2019-2023		17.0%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	369	8.4%												
	Current	2019-2023	455	13.2%									2019-2023	47		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2013		4.9%												
	Current	2023		4.2%									2021-2023	13	2013-2023	-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	928	23.4%												
	Current	2019-2023	906	26.2%									2023	20		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	490	52.2%												
	Current	2019-2023	342	58.1%									2019-2023	48		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2025	83	\$52,128												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2013	544	8.5%												
	Current	2024	224	3.4%									2024	37		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2013*	\$46,644													
	Current	2023	\$49,235													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2013	110	57.0%	84	52.8%	20	74.1%	1	100.0%	5	83.3%				
	Current	2023	67	39.0%	52	35.9%	12	60.0%	0	0.0%	3	42.9%	2023	12		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	3,030	17.3%												
	Current	2023	3,130	19.3%									2023	46		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	1,060	26.9%												
	Current	2023	750	21.6%									2023	27		
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**		
410		431		2,865		2,849		1,335		1,322		2,862		2,840		

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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