

DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000		2024	
Total County Population	31,223		31,874	
County Child Population	8,497	27.2%	8,769	27.5%
By Age:	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under Age 5	1,983	23.3%	2,258	25.7%
Ages 5-9	2,180	25.7%	2,171	24.8%
Ages 10-14	2,156	25.4%	2,222	25.3%
Ages 15-19	2,178	25.6%	2,118	24.2%

	2000		2024	
Diversity of Children	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	6,996	82.3%	5,221	59.5%
African-American	435	5.1%	271	3.1%
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	29	0.3%	32	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	11	0.1%	19	0.2%
More than One Race	86	1.0%	248	2.8%
Hispanic	936	11.0%	2,969	33.9%



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2000

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Pre-K Children

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Age 3

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Age 4

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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	2013	3	7.1	1	3.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	16.9				
	Current	2023	3	6.9	1	3.7	2	285.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	10	2013-2023	-
Pre-Term Births to All Females	Base	2013	42	10.0%	32	10.8%	1	20.0%	0	0.0%	9	7.6%				
	Current	2023	60	13.8%	40	14.9%	1	14.3%	0	0.0%	19	11.9%				
Low-Weight Births, All Races	Base	2013	33	7.8%	18	6.1%	2	40.0%	0	0.0%	13	11.0%				
	Current	2023	45	10.3%	29	10.8%	3	42.9%	0	0.0%	13	8.2%	2021-2023	21	2013-2023	-
Births to Teens Aged 15-17 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	14	24.3	12	22.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	30.3				
	Current	2023	14	22.6	8	17.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	39.0	2021-2023	63	2013-2023	-
Births to Females Aged 10-19 (per 1,000)	Base	2013	43	21.5	32	22.0	0	0.0	1	22.2	10	23.9				
	Current	2023	46	21.0	23	16.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	23	35.0	2021-2023	65	2013-2023	-
Births to Unmarried Females Aged 10-19	Base	2013	29	6.9%	22	7.5%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	6	5.1%				
	Current	2023	37	8.5%	18	6.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	19	11.9%	2021-2023	64	2013-2023	-
Females Receiving Adequate/ Adequate Plus Prenatal Care	Base	2013	300	71.6%	237	80.6%	4	80.0%	3	100.0%	56	47.9%				
	Current	2023	282	67.0%	210	78.7%	3	50.0%	2	100.0%	67	45.9%	2021-2023	61	2013-2023	-
Mothers Who Breastfed	Base															
	Current	2023	270	62.2%	178	66.7%	3	42.9%	1	50.0%	88	55.7%				
Mothers Who Smoked During Pregnancy	Base															
	Current	2023	37	7.1%	35	6.9%			1	5.2%						
Diet-Related Deaths (per 100,000)	Base	2013	121	383.5	112	452.0	9	745.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	125	393.1	112	480.2	8	686.7	1	131.6	4	61.0	2023	25		

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	788	Rate	7.5%	Rate	39.6%	Number	6.2	Children With Serious Emotional Disturbance Receiving MH Services: 2024	6360:1
Rate	9.0%	Trend	2	Trend	26	Trend	23		Number
282									

<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	127	30.2%			19.3%	0.0%	59.0%				33.3%		
	Current	2023	122	29.3%			15.5%	14.3%	55.6%				0.0%	2023	65
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2014	27												
	Current	2024	38												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017	0.7%												
	Current	2024-2025	8.0%		9.0%	7.5%	8.5%	11.8%	8.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	48
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025	59.8%		55.6%	68.1%	41.6%	28.1%	29.2%	50.0%	100.0%	0.0%	14.3%	2024-2025	36
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025	54.0%		48.9%	63.9%	44.3%	18.8%	28.7%	66.7%	66.7%	0.0%	28.6%	2024-2025	7
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025	55.9%		49.3%	66.1%	41.2%	31.8%	25.4%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	20.8%	2024-2025	24
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025	34.6%		27.0%	46.2%	20.9%	31.8%	14.9%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	8.3%	2024-2025	7
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017	0.4%												
	Current	2024-2025	0.0%		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	1
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	7.1%				8.8%	4.9%	4.8%	4.3%	3.2%	0.0%	8.5%		
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	26.9%		27.4%	25.9%	31.9%	26.4%	19.6%	16.7%	20.7%	33.3%	34.6%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025	9.9%		11.2%	7.8%	13.4%	6.9%	5.3%	0.0%	10.3%	0.0%	14.2%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***	9.8%		11.1%	9.1%	0.2%	0.0%	34.0%	5.0%	15.8%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025***	23.5%		28.9%	14.5%	0.2%	1.3%	58.4%	55.6%	20.7%	33.3%	1.6%		
Homeless Students	Base	2022-2023	0.7%		1.1%	0.0%	0.8%	2.8%	0.2%	0.0%	2.9%	0.0%	3.3%		
	Current	2024-2025	0.9%		1.5%	0.0%	1.0%	2.5%	0.4%	0.0%	10.3%	0.0%	3.1%		
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2024-2025	62.5%				50.3%	76.7%	78.2%						

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Child Care Center Capacity		2025		Number of Early Head Start/ Head Start Slots: 2025		EHS		HS		TOTAL		Career and College Ready Index: FY2025					
Day Care		439		Children Participating in First Class Pre-K: 2024-2025		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.						Base Year		Current Year			
Night Care		0				Classrooms		Number		Percent		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.					
All Centers		439				17		248		58.4%							
Child Care Facilities		May 2025		Average 11 th Grade: ACT Scores		First Class Pre-K Sites by Type of Delivery						Per Pupil Expenditures* (Adjusted for Inflation)		Base Year		Current Year FY2025	
Total All Licensed		10		2024-2025		2024-2025						Dollars		* Complete data was unavailable at the time of publication. Data will be incorporated once it becomes available.			
Center Based Licensed		5		English		15		Head Start		1							
Center Based Exempt		0		Math		16		Private School		0							
Family Homes		0		Reading		16		Public School		13							
Group Homes		5		Science		17		Other		3							
Total All Child Care Facilities		10		Composite		16		Total		17							
*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	2014	99	12.9												
	Current	2024	77	9.6									2022-2024	33		
Child Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2013	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	2	30.0	2	49.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2021-2023	18	2013-2023	_
Preventable Teen Death Rate (per 100,000)	Base	2013	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0				
	Current	2023	1	46.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	152.0	2021-2023	29	2013-2023	_
Teens Not Attending School/ Not Working	Base	2000	178	10.6%												
	Current	2019-2023	136	7.2%												
Juvenile Violent Crime Court Petition Rate (per 1,000)	Base	2014	20	5.9												
	Current	2024	7	2.0									2022-2024	23	2014-2024	I

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
83	59	6	23	9	16	130	39

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				
Children Aged 5-11 in Poverty	Base	2000		27.4%												
	Current	2019-2023		32.1%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		20.8%												
	Current	2019-2023		15.0%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	759	10.2%												
	Current	2019-2023	660	8.4%									2019-2023	17		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2013		10.5%												
	Current	2023		11.8%									2021-2023	57	2013-2023	-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	1,545	22.4%												
	Current	2019-2023	2,233	27.8%									2023	26		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	794	50.8%												
	Current	2019-2023	804	51.9%									2019-2023	60		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2025	153	\$108,920												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2013	1,126	8.2%												
	Current	2024	406	2.9%									2024	18		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2013*	\$43,597													
	Current	2023	\$49,682													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2013	286	67.9%	174	59.0%	4	80.0%	1	33.3%	107	90.7%				
	Current	2023	285	65.8%	144	53.9%	5	71.4%	1	50.0%	135	86.0%	2023	60		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	4,750	15.1%												
	Current	2023	5,900	18.4%									2023	35		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	2,190	29.0%												
	Current	2023	1,510	18.8%									2023	16		
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**		
1,280		1,325		4,553		5,067		2,474		2,698		4,182		4,449		

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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