

		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	69	15.9%			13.3%	15.3%	83.3%				6.7%		
	Current	2023	88	21.0%			12.1%	10.0%	62.2%				0.0%	2023	61
Aged 0-3 Receiving Early Intervention Services	Base	2014	35												
	Current	2024	47												
First Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		0.6%											
	Current	2024-2025		3.7%	4.5%	3.0%	5.3%	3.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	8.7%	2024-2025	12
ACAP-Fourth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		46.7%	43.9%	54.4%	36.7%	20.3%	37.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	35.0%	2024-2025	55
ACAP-Fourth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		24.6%	23.3%	27.8%	31.0%	9.5%	8.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	20.0%	2024-2025	54
ACAP-Eighth Grade English Language Arts (ELA)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		32.4%	31.6%	34.1%	23.9%	14.6%	26.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%	2024-2025	59
ACAP-Eighth Grade Math	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		9.9%	8.2%	13.3%	7.8%	2.8%	10.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%	2024-2025	53
Ninth Grade Retention	Base	2016-2017		3.4%											
	Current	2024-2025		8.4%	7.7%	8.8%	3.1%	6.8%	18.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	63
Graduation Rate****	Base	2023-2024		85.7%	83.2%	93.2%	80.0%	88.4%	84.6%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%		
	Current	2024-2025		85.3%	80.2%	94.2%	83.5%	86.6%	82.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	83.3%	2024-2025	62
High School Dropout Rate	Base	2016-2017		10.1%											
	Current	2024-2025		5.2%	7.7%	1.0%	3.5%	6.4%	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2024-2025	54
Suspensions	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		19.6%			17.7%	24.7%	8.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	24.4%		
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		21.9%	23.1%	19.3%	23.0%	22.9%	17.9%	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	15.9%		
Chronic Absenteeism (18+ Days)	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		11.5%	13.3%	7.8%	10.4%	12.9%	8.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	19.6%		
English Language Learners	Base	2016-2017***		1.7%	1.8%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	44.7%	18.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025***		14.1%	8.3%	26.0%	0.1%	0.1%	80.0%	33.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Homeless Students	Base	2022-2023		0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
	Current	2024-2025		0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Teachers Teaching Out of Field	Base	2016-2017		3.4%											
	Current	2024-2025		13.9%											
Direct Certification	Base														
	Current	2024-2025		67.4%			61.0%	78.9%	46.5%						

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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		25.0%												
	Current	2019-2023		20.4%												
Children Aged 12-17 in Poverty	Base	2000		18.4%												
	Current	2019-2023		23.0%												
Children in Extreme Poverty	Base	2000	866	9.7%												
	Current	2019-2023	751	10.8%									2019-2023	34		
Vulnerable Families	Base	2013		9.1%												
	Current	2023		8.2%									2021-2023	55	2013-2023	-
Children Under 18 in Single-Parent Families	Base	2000	2,674	35.8%												
	Current	2019-2023	2,371	33.2%									2023	38		
Employed Mothers with Young Children	Base	2000	1,262	64.8%												
	Current	2019-2023	1,114	74.2%									2019-2023	4		
Children Receiving Child Care Subsidies (All Centers)	Base															
	Current	May 2025	273	\$174,139												
Unemployment Rate	Base	2013	1,246	8.1%												
	Current	2024	506	2.8%									2024	14		
Median Household Income *Adjusted for Inflation	Base	2013*	\$44,318													
	Current	2023	\$50,390													
Medicaid Paid Births	Base	2013	291	70.6%	116	58.9%	161	83.4%	4	36.4%	10	90.9%				
	Current	2023	250	59.5%	74	42.8%	116	72.5%	1	20.0%	59	72.0%	2023	58		
Food Insecurity, All Ages	Base	2010	7,770	22.5%												
	Current	2023	5,980	17.3%									2023	19		
Food Insecurity, Children Under 18	Base	2010	2,160	26.9%												
	Current	2023	1,860	26.0%									2023	43		

WIC Case Load, Average Monthly	
Base Year: 2023	Current Year: 2024
998	1,083

SNAP Eligible, All Ages	
Base Year: 2020***	Current Year: 2025***
5,358	5,220

SNAP Eligible, Children Under 20	
Base Year: 2020	Current Year: 2025
2,788	2,668

SNAP Recipients, All Ages	
Base Year: 2020	Current Year: 2025**
5,278	5,026

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