

Rhode Island Kids Count 2016 Factbook

Indicators of Child Well-Being

Snapshot of Newport, Rhode Island



Census-Based Indicators		1990	2000	2010		
Child population	Newport	5,756	5,199	4,083		
	Rhode Island	225,690	247,822	223,956		
Children in single-parent families	Newport	NA	NA	42%		
	Rhode Island	NA	28%	31%		
			2000	2010-2014		
Median family income	Newport		\$56,431	\$53,750*		
	Rhode Island		\$66,156	\$67,119		
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold	Newport		24.4%	16.4%*		
	Rhode Island		16.9%	20.1%		
Economic Well-Being		2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Cost of rent	Newport	\$1,313	\$1,371	\$1,341	\$1,424	\$1,468
	Rhode Island	\$1,150	\$1,176	\$1,154	\$1,172	\$1,238
Paid Family Leave (total approved TCI claims)	Newport	NA	NA	NA	50	62
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	3,870	4,941
Children in families receiving cash assistance	Newport	9%	6%	7%	5%	6%
	Rhode Island	5%	5%	4%	4%	3%
Children receiving SNAP benefits	Newport	1,402	1,409	1,315	1,277	1,341
	Rhode Island	63,783	64,866	63,971	60,982	59,325
WIC participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Newport	62%	68%	70%	69%	70%
	Rhode Island	68%	69%	66%	65%	59%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Newport	28%	29%	22%	26%	23%
	Rhode Island	36%	35%	39%	39%	28%
Health		2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Newport	1,989	2,009	2,084	2,005	2,246
	Rhode Island	93,691	95,248	96,215	104,532	110,544
Infants born at highest risk	Newport	4%	4%	3%	2%	2%
	Rhode Island	4%	3%	3%	2%	2%
Evidence-Based Family Home Visiting (# of families enrolled)	Newport	NA	NA	13	19	12
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	288	500	823
		2006-2010	2007-2011	2008-2012	2009-2013	2010-2014
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma	Newport	13%	12%	12%	11%	11%
	Rhode Island	16%	16%	15%	14%	13%
Women with delayed prenatal care	Newport	10.2%	9.0%	8.9%	8.6%	9.3%
	Rhode Island	15.6%	15.0%	13.7%	12.8%	12.4%
Infants born with low birthweight	Newport	8.3%	8.3%	7.7%	8.1%	6.8%
	Rhode Island	8.0%	7.9%	7.8%	7.6%	7.5%
Newborn infants exclusively breastfed	Newport	70%	71%	71%	71%	72%
	Rhode Island	59%	61%	62%	64%	66%
Asthma hospitalization rate (per 1,000 children under age 18)	Newport	1.2	1.7	1.4	1.1	1.0
	Rhode Island	2.2	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.6
Teen birth rate (per 1,000 girls ages 15 to 19)	Newport	25.5	23.9	22.0	20.8	16.5
	Rhode Island	27.0	25.5	23.3	21.0	18.6
Safety - Child Welfare		2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Child abuse and neglect indicated victims rate (per 1,000 children)	Newport	28.3	32.1	23.5	28.4	26.9
	Rhode Island	14	13.9	14.0	14.5	13.8
Children with incarcerated parents rate (per 1,000 children)	Newport	13.8	16.2	13.5	14.5	13.2
	Rhode Island	10.9	11.0	11.2	11.8	12.8
Domestic violence incidents with children present	Newport	29%	27%	26%	29%	NA
	Rhode Island	29%	31%	40%	35%	NA

*Estimate has a high margin of error due to small sample size. For more information, please contact Rhode Island KIDS COUNT - (401) 351-9400 - www.rikidscount.org

Safety - Juvenile Justice		2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Youth Violence (# of juvenile arrests for assault and weapons offenses)	Newport	31	21	20	40	NA
	Rhode Island	797	739	660	586	NA
Youth at the Training School	Newport	20	20	18	21	22
	Rhode Island	641	578	482	482	450
Education		2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Children enrolled in Early Intervention (% enrolled)	Newport	NA	NA	NA	5%	6%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	6%	6%
Children enrolled in Early Head Start	Newport	58	58	46	50	54
	Rhode Island	519	522	503	527	582
Children enrolled in Head Start	Newport	119	123	84	79	74
	Rhode Island	2,432	2,432	2,040	2,295	2,233
Licensed early learning centers	Newport	4	4	4	4	4
	Rhode Island	309	314	309	311	317
Licensed family child care homes	Newport	3	2	4	4	1
	Rhode Island	639	585	581	552	497
Licensed early learning centers participating in BrightStars	Newport	0%	0%	75%	50%	100%
	Rhode Island	12%	15%	78%	78%	82%
Licensed family child care homes participating in BrightStars	Newport	0%	0%	25%	50%	0%
	Rhode Island	12%	21%	82%	77%	87%
Children receiving child care subsidies (subsidy use by child residence)	Newport	250	225	204	231	271
	Rhode Island	7,749	7,868	7,696	9,060	9,831
Children enrolled in State Pre-K	Newport	NA	0	18	36	54
	Rhode Island	NA	144	234	306	594
Children receiving preschool special education services	Newport	NA	10%	9%	9%	6%
	Rhode Island	NA	8%	7%	8%	7%
K-12 students receiving special education services (% enrolled)	Newport	NA	NA	NA	17%	17%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	15%	15%
Public school enrollment (total enrollment)	Newport	2,107	2,102	1,996	2,072	2,173
	Rhode Island	142,854	142,481	142,008	141,959	142,014
Public school enrollment (% low-income)	Newport	56%	58%	63%	62%	64%
	Rhode Island	44%	46%	47%	47%	47%
Children enrolled in full-day kindergarten	Newport	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	Rhode Island	64%	68%	70%	81%	88%
Students who are English Language Learners	Newport	3%	2%	3%	5%	5%
	Rhode Island	6%	6%	7%	7%	7%
Student mobility rate	Newport	18%	19%	19%	19%	20%
	Rhode Island	14%	14%	13%	13%	14%
3 rd graders meeting expectations in reading (PARCC)	Newport	NA	NA	NA	NA	37%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	37%
3 rd graders meeting expectations in math (PARCC)	Newport	NA	NA	NA	NA	34%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	36%
7 th graders meeting expectations in reading (PARCC)	Newport	NA	NA	NA	NA	37%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	38%
7 th graders meeting expectations in math(PARCC)	Newport	NA	NA	NA	NA	22%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	25%
Schools identified for intervention	Newport	NA	17%	17%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	0%	10%	10%	12%	12%
Chronic early absence in grades K-3	Newport	16%	13%	17%	12%	11%
	Rhode Island	12%	11%	12%	12%	14%
Chronic absence in high school	Newport	43%	38%	38%	34%	32%
	Rhode Island	25%	25%	24%	24%	26%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Newport	37	20	16	24	18
	Rhode Island	31	30	23	22	19
High school graduation rate	Newport	81%	74%	67%	70%	79%
	Rhode Island	77%	77%	80%	81%	83%