

# Rhode Island Kids Count 2019 Factbook

## Indicators of Child Well-Being

### Snapshot of Charlestown, Rhode Island



Census-Based Indicators		1990	2000	2010		
Child population	Charlestown	1,575	1,712	1,506		
	Rhode Island	225,690	247,822	223,956		
Children in single-parent families	Charlestown	NA	NA	20%		
	Rhode Island	NA	28%	31%		
				<b>2013-2017</b>		
			<b>2000</b>	<b>2017</b>		
Median family income	Charlestown		\$72,074	\$88,520		
	Rhode Island		\$66,156	\$72,430		
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold	Charlestown		4.7%	10.4%**		
	Rhode Island		16.9%	18.9%		
Economic Well-Being		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cost of rent	Charlestown	\$944	\$944	\$972	\$994	\$1,014
	Rhode Island	\$1,393	\$1,480	\$1,509	\$1,561	\$1,621
Paid Family Leave (total approved TCI claims)	Charlestown	29	40	43	41	32
	Rhode Island	3,870	4,941	5,882	6,224	6,760
Children in families receiving cash assistance	Charlestown	1%	<1%	<1%*	<1%	<1%
	Rhode Island	4%	3%	4%*	3%	3%
Children receiving SNAP benefits	Charlestown	205	161	175*	154	143
	Rhode Island	60,982	59,325	60,505	56,580	54,706
WIC participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Charlestown	44%	43%	44%	39%	26%
	Rhode Island	65%	59%	54%	50%	46%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Charlestown	24%	22%	29%	17%	16%
	Rhode Island	39%	40%	40%	NA	NA
Health		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Charlestown	453	454	463*	533	469
	Rhode Island	104,532	110,544	115,899*	120,138	122,915
Evidence-Based Family Home Visiting (# of families enrolled)	Charlestown	0	1	5	5	7
	Rhode Island	500	823	1,043	1,090	1,278
		<b>2009-2013</b>	<b>2010-2014</b>	<b>2011-2015</b>	<b>2012-2016</b>	<b>2013-2017</b>
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma	Charlestown	5%	6%	6%	6%***	5%***
	Rhode Island	14%	13%	12%	12%	11%
Infants born with low birthweight	Charlestown	NA	NA	NA	^	5.9%***
	Rhode Island	7.6%	7.5%	7.4%	7.5%	7.4%
Women with Delayed Prenatal Care	Charlestown	NA	NA	NA	5.9%***	7.1%***
	Rhode Island	12.8%	12.4%	13.5%	14.5%	14.7%
Preterm Births	Charlestown	NA	NA	NA	9.2%***	10.0%
	Rhode Island	10.7%	9.1%	8.9%	9.0%	8.7%
Safety - Child Welfare		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Child abuse and neglect indicated victims rate (per 1,000 children)	Charlestown	12.6	8.6	6.6	8.0	19.3
	Rhode Island	14.5	13.8	12.3	14.6	14.6
Children with incarcerated parents rate (per 1,000 children)	Charlestown	1.3	4.0	2.0	3.3	1.3
	Rhode Island	11.8	12.8	12.7	12.7	11.8
Domestic violence incidents with children present	Charlestown	34%	30%	27%	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	35%	28%	27%	NA	NA

\*Data for this time period has comparison limitations that are described in the full indicator; please consult the 2017 Rhode Island Kids Count Factbook.

\*\*Estimate has a high margin of error due to small sample size.

\*\*\*The data are statistically unstable and percentages should be interpreted with caution.

^The data are unreliable and rates are not reported and should not be calculated.

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Safety - Juvenile Justice		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Youth Violence (# of juvenile arrests for assault and weapons offenses)	Charlestown	1	0	0	NA	0
	Rhode Island	586	548	570	NA	641
Youth at the Training School	Charlestown	1	3	1	0	1
	Rhode Island	482	450	408	358	272
Education		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Children enrolled in Early Intervention (% enrolled)	Charlestown	5%	5%	5%	3%	4%
	Rhode Island	6%	6%	6%	6%	7%
Children enrolled in Early Head Start (% of low-income children <age 3 enrolled)	Charliho	NA	NA	NA	4%	4%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	5%	5%
Children enrolled in Head Start or State Pre-K (% of low-income children age 4 enrolled)	Charliho	NA	NA	NA	19%	24%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	41%	44%
Licensed early learning centers	Charlestown	4	4	5	4	4
	Rhode Island	311	317	321	316	315
Licensed family child care homes	Charlestown	2	1	2	4	3
	Rhode Island	552	497	488	478	457
Licensed early learning centers with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Charlestown	25%	50%	40%	75%	75%
	Rhode Island	17%	17%	18%	20%	21%
Licensed family child care homes with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Charlestown	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Children receiving child care subsidies (subsidy use by child residence)	Charlestown	8	17	9*	15	10
	Rhode Island	9,060	9,831	8,445*	10,429	10,171
Children receiving preschool special education services	Charliho	10%	11%	12%	9%	10%
	Rhode Island	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%
K-12 students receiving special education services (% enrolled)	Charliho	10%	10%	10%	11%	12%
	Rhode Island	15%	15%	14%	15%	15%
Public school enrollment (total enrollment)	Charliho	3,305	3,237	3,270	3,211	3,218
	Rhode Island	141,959	142,014	142,142	142,949	143,247
Public school enrollment (% low-income)	Charliho	21%	20%	19%	17%	20%
	Rhode Island	47%	47%	48%	47%	47%
Students who are English Learners	Charliho	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
	Rhode Island	7%	7%	7%	8%	9%
Student mobility rate	Charliho	11%	12%	8%	8%	8%
	Rhode Island	13%	14%	14%	14%	13%
Third graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Charliho	NA	NA	NA	NA	59%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	40%
Third graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Charliho	NA	NA	NA	NA	48%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	35%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Charliho	NA	NA	NA	NA	50%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	28%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Charliho	NA	NA	NA	NA	45%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	23%
Schools identified for intervention	Charliho	0%	0%	0%	0%	14%
	Rhode Island	12%	12%	10%	8%	8%
Chronic early absence in grades K-3	Charliho	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%
	Rhode Island	12%	14%	11%	13%	13%
Chronic absence in high school	Charliho	11%	14%	12%	13%	14%
	Rhode Island	24%	26%	26%	28%	27%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Charliho	22	20	15	10	11
	Rhode Island	22	19	17	14	15
High school graduation rate	Charliho	92%	90%	88%	90%	88%
	Rhode Island	81%	83%	83%	84%	84%
College enrollment (% of high school graduates immediately enrolling)	Charliho	NA	57%	61%	61%	NA
	Rhode Island	NA	59%	59%	61%	NA