

# Rhode Island Kids Count 2020 Factbook

## Indicators of Child Well-Being

### Snapshot of Central Falls, Rhode Island



Census-Based Indicators		1990	2000	2010		
Child population	Central Falls	4,810	5,531	5,644		
	Rhode Island	225,690	247,822	223,956		
Children in single-parent families	Central Falls	NA	NA	49%		
	Rhode Island	NA	28%	31%		
				<b>2014-2018</b>		
Median family income	Central Falls	\$28,798	\$30,754			
	Rhode Island	\$66,156	\$74,540			
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold	Central Falls	40.9%	44.9%**			
	Rhode Island	16.9%	18.2%			
Economic Well-Being		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Cost of rent	Central Falls	\$1,414	\$1,370	\$1,370	\$1,410	\$1,436
	Rhode Island	\$1,480	\$1,509	\$1,561	\$1,621	\$1,651
Paid Family Leave (total approved TCI claims)	Central Falls	69	93	73	72	107
	Rhode Island	4,941	5,882	6,224	6,760	7,175
Children in families receiving cash assistance	Central Falls	7%	8%*	8%	6%	6%
	Rhode Island	3%	4%*	3%	3%	3%
Children receiving SNAP benefits	Central Falls	3,349	3,441*	3,171	2,867	2,529
	Rhode Island	59,325	60,505	56,580	54,706	50,825
WIC participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Central Falls	71%	65%	60%	54%	58%
	Rhode Island	59%	54%	50%	46%	47%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Central Falls	57%	67%	NA	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	40%	40%	NA	NA	NA
Health		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Central Falls	5,080	5,330*	5,519	5,735	5,418
	Rhode Island	110,544	115,899*	120,138	122,915	117,987
Evidence-Based Family Home Visiting (# of families enrolled)	Central Falls	64	64	70	86	91
	Rhode Island	823	1,043	1,090	1,278	1,294
		<b>2010-2014</b>	<b>2011-2015</b>	<b>2012-2016</b>	<b>2013-2017</b>	<b>2014-2018</b>
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma	Central Falls	36%	36%	35%	33%	33%
	Rhode Island	13%	12%	12%	11%	11%
Infants born with low birthweight	Central Falls	7.7%	7.8%	8.2%	8.2%	8.6%
	Rhode Island	7.5%	7.4%	7.5%	7.4%	7.5%
Women with Delayed Prenatal Care	Central Falls	15.8%	17.1%	18.1%	18.6%	19.8%
	Rhode Island	12.4%	13.5%	14.5%	14.7%	15.9%
Preterm Births	Central Falls	8.8%	9.3%	8.9%	9.0%	10.3%
	Rhode Island	9.1%	8.9%	9.0%	8.7%	8.7%
Safety - Child Welfare		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Child abuse and neglect indicated victims rate (per 1,000 children)	Central Falls	26.8	25.7	30.8	23.4	25.3
	Rhode Island	13.8	12.3	14.6	14.6	13.9
Children with incarcerated parents rate (per 1,000 children)	Central Falls	18.1	29.9	21.6	20.0	17.7
	Rhode Island	12.8	12.7	12.7	11.8	10.5
Domestic violence incidents with children present	Central Falls	28%	26%	36%	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	28%	27%	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.

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<b>Safety - Juvenile Justice</b>		<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>
Youth Violence (# of juvenile arrests for assault and weapons offenses)	Central Falls	23	29	NA	22	NA
	Rhode Island	548	570	NA	618	NA
Youth at the Training School	Central Falls	30	30	13	17	11
	Rhode Island	450	408	358	272	246
<b>Education</b>		<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>
Children enrolled in Early Intervention (% enrolled)	Central Falls	9%	7%	6%	6%	8%
	Rhode Island	6%	6%	6%	7%	7%
Children enrolled in Early Head Start (% of low-income children <age 3 enrolled)	Central Falls	NA	NA	16%	10%	11%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	5%	5%	5%
Children enrolled in Head Start or State Pre-K (% of low-income children age 4 enrolled)	Central Falls	NA	NA	92%	78%	63%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	41%	44%	45%
Licensed early learning centers	Central Falls	4	4	4	3	3
	Rhode Island	317	321	316	315	329
Licensed family child care homes	Central Falls	20	17	17	16	18
	Rhode Island	497	488	478	457	460
Licensed early learning centers with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Central Falls	25%	25%	25%	0%	33%
	Rhode Island	17%	18%	20%	21%	25%
Licensed family child care homes with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Central Falls	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Children receiving child care subsidies (subsidy use by child residence)	Central Falls	422	433*	425	405	381
	Rhode Island	9,831	8,445*	10,429	10,171	10,580
Children receiving preschool special education services	Central Falls	7%	13%	11%	11%	12%
	Rhode Island	7%	8%	8%	8%	9%
K-12 students receiving special education services (% enrolled)	Central Falls	20%	20%	21%	20%	20%
	Rhode Island	15%	14%	15%	15%	15%
Public school enrollment (total enrollment)	Central Falls	2,657	2,589	2,518	2,695	2,878
	Rhode Island	142,014	142,142	142,949	143,247	143,557
Public school enrollment (% low-income)	Central Falls	81%	81%	76%	91%	95%
	Rhode Island	47%	48%	47%	47%	48%
Students who are Multilingual Learners/ English Learners	Central Falls	22%	27%	29%	33%	48%
	Rhode Island	7%	7%	8%	9%	10%
Student mobility rate	Central Falls	27%	27%	27%	29%	25%
	Rhode Island	14%	14%	14%	13%	13%
Third graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Central Falls	NA	NA	NA	12%	26%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	40%	48%
Third graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Central Falls	NA	NA	NA	13%	14%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	35%	36%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Central Falls	NA	NA	NA	<5%	6%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	28%	36%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Central Falls	NA	NA	NA	1%	<5%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	23%	24%
Schools identified for intervention	Central Falls	75%	75%	75%	0%	20%
	Rhode Island	12%	10%	8%	8%	7%
Chronic early absence in grades K-3	Central Falls	18%	20%	22%	24%	21%
	Rhode Island	14%	11%	13%	13%	14%
Chronic absence in high school	Central Falls	48%	40%	37%	32%	33%
	Rhode Island	26%	26%	28%	27%	26%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Central Falls	17	8	20	16	6
	Rhode Island	19	17	14	15	15
High school graduation rate	Central Falls	81%	70%	78%	75%	71%
	Rhode Island	83%	83%	84%	84%	84%
College enrollment (% of high school graduates immediately enrolling)	Central Falls	35%	37%	38%	44%	NA
	Rhode Island	59%	59%	61%	67%	NA