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		BASELINE DATA	LATEST DATA	CHANGE SINCE BASELINE*	BASELINE DATA	LATEST DATA	CHANGE SINCE BASELINE*	RANKING**	
ECONOMIC SECURITY	CHILDREN IN POVERTY (below 100% of the federal poverty level)	24.4 % 2016	21.2 % 2021	⊘	52.6 % 2016	43.9 % 2021	•	117 of 120	
	CHILDREN IN LOW-INCOME FAMILIES (below 200% of the federal poverty level)	48% 2012-16	43 % 2017-21	•	68% 2012-16	71 % 2017-21	8	115 of 120	
	CHILDREN LIVING IN FOOD INSECURE HOUSEHOLDS	17.9 % 2019	15.2 % 2021		30.5 % 2019	24.7 % 2021	•	113 of 120	
\$ \$ \$	HIGH RENTAL COST BURDEN	47 % 2012-16	44% 2017-21	•	68 % 2012-16	58% 2017-21	•	112 of 117	
School district level data & rankings	KINDERGARTENERS READY TO LEARN	51.4 % SY 2017-18	46% SY 2022-23	×	19.2% SY 2017-18	34% SY 2022-23	⊘	145 of 170	
EDUCATION	FOURTH GRADE STUDENTS PROFICIENT IN READING	46% SY 2021-22	48% SY 2022-23		28% SY 2021-22	23% SY 2022-23	×	163 of 170	
	EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS PROFICIENT IN MATH	36% SY 2021-22	36% SY 2022-23		18% SY 2021-22	S+ SY 2022-23	N/A		
Ter	HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GRADUATING ON TIME	90.3% SY 2017-18	91.4% SY 2022-23		92.7 % SY 2017-18	92.7 % SY 2022-23		94 of 167	





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HEALTH	SMOKING DURING PREGNANCY	18.1 % 2014-16	14.2 % 2019-21	•	42.5 % 2014-16	32.2 % 2019-21	⊘	116 of 120	
	LOW-BIRTHWEIGHT BABIES	8.8 % 2014-16	8.8 % 2019-21		8.1 % 2014-16	9.5 % 2019-21	×	86 of 120	
	CHILDREN UNDER 19 WITH HEALTH INSURANCE	96.7 % 2016	96.1% 2021	×	97.0 % 2016	97.2 % 2021	•	3 of 120	
	TEEN BIRTHS (rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19)	31.7 2014-16	22.8 2019-21	⊘	49.6 2014-16	50.8 2019-21	×	118 of 120	
FAMILY & COMMUNITY	BIRTHS TO MOTHERS WITHOUT A HIGH SCHOOL DEGREE	14.3 % 2014-16	12.7 % 2019-21	•	18.4 % 2014-16	17.2 % 2019-21	✓	91 of 120	
	CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE (rate per 1,000 children ages 0-17)	43.7 2015-17	50.1 2020-22	×	26.1 2015-17	84.9 2020-22	×	110 of 120	
	CHILDREN EXITING FOSTER CARE TO REUNIFICATION	36 % 2015-17	32 % 2020-22	×	42 % 2015-17	41% 2020-22	×	21 of 110	
	YOUTH INCARCERATED IN THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM (rate per 1,000 children ages 10-19)	20.5 2015-17	13.2 2020-22	⊘	36.6 2015-17	42.6 2020-22	×	109 of 109	





