

Simpson County



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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	✓	24.6% 2016	20.8% 2021	✓	38 of 120
	CHILDREN IN LOW-INCOME FAMILIES (below 200% of the federal poverty level)	48% 2012-16	43% 2017-21	✓	50% 2012-16	42% 2017-21	✓	34 of 120
	CHILDREN LIVING IN FOOD INSECURE HOUSEHOLDS	17.9% 2019	15.2% 2021	✓	17.6% 2019	11.1% 2021	✓	15 of 120
	HIGH RENTAL COST BURDEN	47% 2012-16	44% 2017-21	✓	44% 2012-16	37% 2017-21	✓	30 of 117
EDUCATION	KINDERGARTENERS READY TO LEARN	51.4% SY 2017-18	46% SY 2022-23	✗	51.7% SY 2017-18	45% SY 2022-23	✗	89 of 170
	FOURTH GRADE STUDENTS PROFICIENT IN READING	46% SY 2021-22	48% SY 2022-23	✓	56% SY 2021-22	59% SY 2022-23	✓	21 of 170
	EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS PROFICIENT IN MATH	36% SY 2021-22	36% SY 2022-23	=	39% SY 2021-22	32% SY 2022-23	✗	91 of 163
	HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GRADUATING ON TIME	90.3% SY 2017-18	91.4% SY 2022-23	✓	94.9% SY 2017-18	95.6% SY 2022-23	✓	42 of 167

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HEALTH 	SMOKING DURING PREGNANCY	18.1% 2014-16	14.2% 2019-21		19.8% 2014-16	11.2% 2019-21	15 of 120
	LOW-BIRTHWEIGHT BABIES	8.8% 2014-16	8.8% 2019-21		9.7% 2014-16	10.6% 2019-21	102 of 120
	CHILDREN UNDER 19 WITH HEALTH INSURANCE	96.7% 2016	96.1% 2021		96.6% 2016	96.3% 2021	25 of 120
	TEEN BIRTHS (rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19)	31.7 2014-16	22.8 2019-21		29.9 2014-16	24.3 2019-21	42 of 120
FAMILY & COMMUNITY 	BIRTHS TO MOTHERS WITHOUT A HIGH SCHOOL DEGREE	14.3% 2014-16	12.7% 2019-21		11.6% 2014-16	9.8% 2019-21	25 of 120
	CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE (rate per 1,000 children ages 0-17)	43.7 2015-17	50.1 2020-22		40.6 2015-17	37.8 2020-22	32 of 120
	CHILDREN EXITING FOSTER CARE TO REUNIFICATION	36% 2015-17	32% 2020-22		25% 2015-17	30% 2020-22	72 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		19.0 2015-17	8.7 2020-22	43 of 109

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