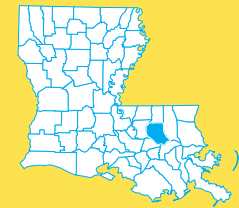


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Opportunities for Growth

- Only 39% of low-income Livingston Parish children ages 3-4 had a publicly funded early care and education seat in 2021, a rate that was 19 percentage points below the statewide average.
- Only 9% of Livingston Parish children ages 0-6 were screened for lead poisoning in 2017.
- Just 2% of low-income infants and toddlers had access to a publicly funded early care and education seat.

Areas of Strength

- Livingston Parish has one of the lowest rates of child poverty in the state, with an estimated 16% of all children living in poverty in 2021.
- Livingston Parish's average ACT score (19.1) for high school seniors was the state's fourth-highest in 2022.
- The teen birth rate in Livingston Parish decreased by 58% between 2010 and 2021, and remained below the state average.

Population

Total: 142,282
Children ages 0-17: 37,141

Child Population by Race & Ethnicity

American Indian*: 73 (0.2%)
Asian*: 297 (0.8%)
Black*: 3,574 (9.6%)
Hispanic: 3,401 (9.2%)
White*: 27,591 (74.3%)
Two or more races*: 2,080 (5.6%)
Another race not listed here*: 125 (0.3%)

*Non-Hispanic

	Louisiana		Livingston		Rank
	Baseline Data	Latest Data	Baseline Data	Latest Data	
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING					
Child poverty	27%	27%	17%	16%	2nd
Population below the ALICE threshold	46%	51%	41%	40%	3rd
Median household income	\$43,000	\$52,000	\$53,000	\$72,000	2nd
Children under age 6 with all available parents in the labor force	67%	68%	70%	71%	20th
Unemployment	7.5%	3.7%	7.2%	2.8%	3rd
FITAP participation	0.9%	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%	
SNAP participation	33.1%	33.7%	21.5%	21.7%	
WIC participation (children 0-5)	48.9%	37.9%	34.9%	23.5%	
CCAP participation (children 0-12)	4.7%	2.8%	2.4%	0.5%	

HEALTH					
Early & adequate prenatal care	79.7%	75%	79.6%	74.6%	32nd
Low birthweight babies	10.8%	11.4%	8.5%	8.5%	6th
Infant Mortality <i>rate per 1,000</i>	8.4	7.7	6.4	6.4	18th
Children with health insurance	94%	96%	94%	96%	8th
Children insured by Medicaid or LaCHIP	724,614	783,707	17,993	23,375	
Children who have completed the 7-vaccine series by age 2	73%	74%	72%	79%	11th
Children screened for lead poisoning (children 0-6)	13%	15%	9%	9%	35th
Percent of screened children who had lead poisoning (children 0-6)	n.a.	3.4%	n.a.	2.6%	11th

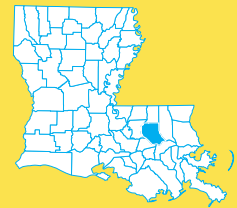
More information about data sources, definitions and timeframes is available in the Definitions and Sources section on page 155. Visit datacenter.aecf.org for additional data, including numbers of events and data disaggregated by race.

I.n.e. – low number events are not reported

n.a. – data was not available

S – estimates are suppressed when unreliable or the coefficient of variation is greater than 30%.

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	Louisiana		Livingston		Rank
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EDUCATION					
Children living in homes with a computer and broadband	n.a.	90%	n.a.	94%	
Low-income children in a publicly funded ECE seat (ages 0-2)	n.a.	11%	n.a.	2%	53rd
Low-income children in a publicly funded ECE seat (ages 3-4)	n.a.	58%	n.a.	39%	62nd
Per-pupil spending in public schools	\$12,083	\$12,818	\$9,648	\$10,835	58th
Public school enrollment (PK-12)	702,480	685,606	24,708	26,954	
English language learners	1.8%	4.7%	0.9%	4.7%	
Children with disabilities	12%	13%	13%	13%	
4th graders scoring at Mastery or above in English Language Arts	23%	41%	32%	52%	9th
8th graders scoring at Mastery or above in math	10%	21%	14%	27%	20th
High school students graduating on time	67%	84%	75%	91%	26th
Average ACT scores for seniors	20.1	18.1	20.7	19.1	4th
FAMILY, COMMUNITY AND SAFETY					
Children living in a grandparent-headed household	11%	10.6%	9%	9%	
Children under OJJ supervision or in custody <i>rate per 1,000</i>	9.8	7.7	6.8	8.6	
in custody	2.5	1.7	0.6	0.3	
under supervision	7.4	5.8	6.1	8.2	
Victims of child abuse/neglect: ages 0-17 <i>rate per 1,000</i>	8.9	6.6	17.4	6.7	
ages 0-2	16	20.1	33.7	22.4	
ages 3-5	10	5.1	21.1	4.7	
ages 6-10	7.8	4.5	14.5	4.3	
ages 11-13	6.5	4	13.0	3.0	
ages 14-17	5.8	2.8	10.5	3.8	
Child abuse/neglect investigations	18,378	16,656	844	730	
valid	36%	31%	48%	25%	
invalid	59%	62%	47%	64%	
Children in foster care ages 0-17 <i>rate per 1,000</i>	7.0	5.4	13.6	7.6	
Foster care entries	3,676	2,384	245	99	
Foster care exits	3,651	2,620	176	157	
Teen birth rate <i>rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19</i>	48.0	24.5	43.6	18.1	6th