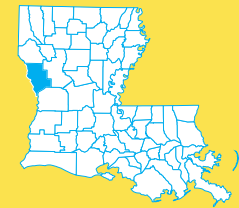


# Sabine



## Opportunities for Growth

- Births to Sabine women who received early and adequate prenatal care fell by 9.6 percentage points between 2011 and 2021, from 84.2% to 74.6%.
- In 2021, 8% of low-income infants and toddlers had a publicly funded early care and education seat.
- Only 82% of Sabine children lived in homes with broadband access and a computer, eight percentage points lower than the statewide average.

## Areas of Strength

- The rate of low birthweight babies in Sabine decreased from 15% in 2010 to 9% in 2021.
- The percentage of Sabine Parish children who were fully immunized by age two rose by nine percentage points between 2014 and 2021.
- The teen birth rate in Sabine Parish decreased by 56% between 2010 and 2021, from 77.5 to 34.1 births per 1,000 females age 15-19.

## Population

**Total:** 22,155  
**Children ages 0-17:** 5,091

## Child Population by Race & Ethnicity

**American Indian\*:** 487 (9.6%)  
**Asian\*:** 15 (0.3%)  
**Black\*:** 982 (19.3%)  
**Hispanic:** 208 (4.1%)  
**White\*:** 2,925 (57.5%)  
**Two or more races\*:** 444 (8.7%)  
**Another race not listed here\*:** 30 (0.6%)

\*Non-Hispanic

	Louisiana		Sabine		Rank
	Baseline Data	Latest Data	Baseline Data	Latest Data	
<b>ECONOMIC WELL-BEING</b>					
Child poverty	27%	27%	34%	29%	35th
Population below the ALICE threshold	46%	51%	49%	56%	40th
Median household income	\$43,000	\$52,000	\$37,000	\$45,000	35th
Children under age 6 with all available parents in the labor force	67%	68%	46%	55%	49th
Unemployment	7.5%	3.7%	7.0%	3.3%	13th
FITAP participation	0.9%	0.3%	0.8%	0.3%	
SNAP participation	33.1%	33.7%	36.3%	39.9%	
WIC participation (children 0-5)	48.9%	37.9%	50.0%	45.1%	
CCAP participation (children 0-12)	4.7%	2.8%	2.6%	1.2%	

<b>HEALTH</b>					
Early & adequate prenatal care	79.7%	75%	84.2%	74.6%	32nd
Low birthweight babies	10.8%	11.4%	15.0%	9.0%	9th
Infant Mortality <i>rate per 1,000</i>	8.4	7.7	7	9.9	49th
Children with health insurance	94%	96%	93%	94%	55th
Children insured by Medicaid or LaCHIP	724,614	783,707	3,728	4,008	
Children who have completed the 7-vaccine series by age 2	73%	74%	65%	74%	34th
Children screened for lead poisoning (children 0-6)	13%	15%	20%	15%	14th
Percent of screened children who had lead poisoning (children 0-6)	n.a.	3.4%	n.a.	5.1%	34th

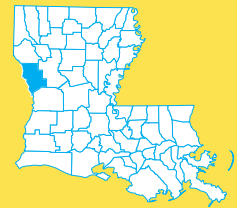
More information about data sources, definitions and timeframes is available in the Definitions and Sources section on page 155. Visit [datacenter.aecf.org](http://datacenter.aecf.org) for additional data, including numbers of events and data disaggregated by race.

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		Sabine		Rank
	Baseline Data	Latest Data	Baseline Data	Latest Data	
<b>EDUCATION</b>					
Children living in homes with a computer and broadband	n.a.	90%	n.a.	82%	
Low-income children in a publicly funded ECE seat (ages 0-2)	n.a.	11%	n.a.	8%	31st
Low-income children in a publicly funded ECE seat (ages 3-4)	n.a.	58%	n.a.	89%	13th
Per-pupil spending in public schools	\$12,083	\$12,818	\$11,563	\$12,125	39th
Public school enrollment (PK-12)	702,480	685,606	4,323	3,994	
English language learners	1.8%	4.7%	0.6%	0.3%	
Children with disabilities	12%	13%	13%	11%	
4th graders scoring at Mastery or above in English Language Arts	23%	41%	24%	37%	35th
8th graders scoring at Mastery or above in math	10%	21%	12%	32%	12th
High school students graduating on time	67%	84%	84%	>95%	1st
Average ACT scores for seniors	20.1	18.1	19.1	18.1	18th
<b>FAMILY, COMMUNITY AND SAFETY</b>					
Children living in a grandparent-headed household	11%	10.6%	11%	8%	
Children under OJJ supervision or in custody <i>rate per 1,000</i>	9.8	7.7	16.7	26.7	
in custody	2.5	1.7	1.3	2.8	
under supervision	7.4	5.8	15.4	23.1	
Victims of child abuse/neglect: ages 0-17 <i>rate per 1,000</i>	8.9	6.6	15.3	6.5	
ages 0-2	16	20.1	23.8	16.3	
ages 3-5	10	5.1	23.1	5.7	
ages 6-10	7.8	4.5	16.5	5.6	
ages 11-13	6.5	4	8.3	5.6	
ages 14-17	5.8	2.8	7.9	3.1	
Child abuse/neglect investigations	18,378	16,656	273	176	
valid	36%	31%	43%	31%	
invalid	59%	62%	55%	66%	
Children in foster care ages 0-17 <i>rate per 1,000</i>	7.0	5.4	12.2	8.2	
Foster care entries	3,676	2,384	47	12	
Foster care exits	3,651	2,620	38	16	
Teen birth rate <i>rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19</i>	48.0	24.5	77.5	34.1	43rd

Child investigation data and confirmed child victim data for Sabine Parish includes data for De Soto & Sabine because investigation data is reported by the case worker's office location, and some offices serve multiple parishes.