

Rhode Island Kids Count 2023 Factbook

Indicators of Child Well-Being

Snapshot of Jamestown, Rhode Island



Census-Based Indicators		1990	2000	2010	2020	
Child population	Jamestown	1,123	1,238	1,043	871	
	Rhode Island	225,690	247,822	223,956	209,785	
					2017-2021	
Median family income	Jamestown				\$250,000+	
	Rhode Island				\$87,553	
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold	Jamestown				NA	
	Rhode Island				15.2%	
Economic Well-Being		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Cost of rent	Jamestown	\$1,014^^	\$1,060^^	\$1,075^^	\$1,148^^	\$1,234^^
	Rhode Island	\$1,854	\$1,859	\$1,845	\$1,894	\$1,996
Paid Family Leave (total approved TCI claims)	Jamestown	27	23	23	10	6
	Rhode Island	6,760	7,175	8,083	6,057	7,208
Children in families receiving cash assistance	Jamestown	1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%
	Rhode Island	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Children receiving SNAP benefits	Jamestown	41	26	33	21	21
	Rhode Island	54,706	50,825	43,660	43,511	46,097
WIC participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Jamestown	15%	8%	6%	16%	8%
	Rhode Island	46%	47%	48%	45%	40%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Jamestown	17%	11%	NA	NA	4%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Health		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Jamestown	158	134	156	144	147
	Rhode Island	122,915	117,987	118,858	119,426	122,739
Evidence-Based Family Home Visiting (# of families enrolled)	Jamestown	0	0	0	1	1
	Rhode Island	1,278	1,294	1,244	1,317	1,038
First Connections Family Home Visiting (# receiving a visit)	Jamestown	6	1	6	6	7
	Rhode Island	2,657	2,235	2,891	3,391	3,101
Child overweight and obesity	Jamestown	16%	18%	21%	NA	21%
	Rhode Island	30.0%	31.0%	35.0%	NA	NA
Babies	Jamestown	22	26	29	28	19
	Rhode Island	9,952	9,614	9,590	9,892	9,691
		2013-2017	2014-2018	2015-2019	2016-2020	2017-2021
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma	Jamestown	***	***	***	***	***
	Rhode Island	11%	11%	11%	12%	11%
Infants born with low birthweight	Jamestown	***	***	***	***	***
	Rhode Island	7.4%	7.5%	7.7%	7.7%	7.5%
Women with delayed prenatal care	Jamestown	9.5%^	11.2	***	***	8.2%^
	Rhode Island	14.7%	15.9%	16.1%	15.8%	15.9%
Preterm births	Jamestown	***	***	***	***	***
	Rhode Island	8.7%	8.7%	8.9%	9.0%	9.0%
Safety - Child Welfare		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Child neglect and abuse indicated victims rate (per 1,000 children)	Jamestown	4.8	3.8	1.0	1.9	3.4
	Rhode Island	14.6	13.9	12.0	11.3	11.4
Children with incarcerated parents rate (per 1,000 children)	Jamestown	3.8	1.9	0.0	0.0	2.3
	Rhode Island	11.8	10.5	8.1	7.6	8.7
Domestic violence arrests with children present	Jamestown	13%	NA	50%	20%	NA
	Rhode Island	25%	NA	26%	24%	NA

NA - Estimate could not be computed due to insufficient number of observations.

**Estimate has a high margin of error due to small sample size.

***The data are statistically unreliable and rates are not reported and should not be calculated.

^The data are statistically unstable and percentages should be interpreted with caution.

^^Rhode Island Rent Survey data are not available. Average rent reported is the HUD Fair Market Rent.

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Safety - Juvenile Justice		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Youth Violence (# of juvenile violent crime/weapons offenses arrests)	Jamestown	2	1	0	1	NA
	Rhode Island	618	522	328	439	NA
Youth in the Juvenile Justice System (# of youth at the RI Training School during the year)	Jamestown	0	0	0	0	0
	Rhode Island	272	246	191	137	164
Education		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Children enrolled in Early Intervention (% enrolled)	Jamestown	7%	1%	2%	7%	5%
	Rhode Island	7%	7%	7%	6%	6%
Children enrolled in Early Head Start (% of low-income children <age 3 enrolled)	Jamestown	NA	NA	24%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	3%	3%	3%
Children enrolled in Head Start or RI Pre-K (% of low-income children ages 3 and 4 enrolled)	Jamestown	NA	NA	NA	NA	15%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	25%
Licensed early learning centers	Jamestown	1	1	1	1	1
	Rhode Island	315	329	317	313	320
Licensed family child care homes	Jamestown	1	1	1	1	1
	Rhode Island	457	460	403	397	392
Licensed early learning centers with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Jamestown	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	21%	25%	25%	25%	26%
Licensed family child care homes with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Jamestown	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Children receiving child care subsidies (subsidy use by child residence)	Jamestown	5	3	1	2	2
	Rhode Island	10,171	10,580	7,016	6,063	5,981
Children receiving preschool special education services	Jamestown	10%	7%	6%	5%	4%
	Rhode Island	8%	9%	8%	7%	8%
K-12 students receiving special education services (% enrolled)	Jamestown	18%	18%	12%	12%	19%
	Rhode Island	15%	15%	15%	16%	16%
Public school enrollment (total enrollment)	Jamestown	507	489	462	444	418
	Rhode Island	143,247	143,557	139,184	138,566	137,452
Public school enrollment (% low-income)	Jamestown	8%	7%	5%	4%	7%
	Rhode Island	47%	48%	46%	41%	45%
Students who are Multilingual Learners/ English Learners	Jamestown	0%	0%	<1%	<1%	1%
	Rhode Island	9%	10%	11%	11%	12%
Student mobility rate	Jamestown	7%	6%	11%	6%	9%
	Rhode Island	13%	13%	10%	14%	13%
Third graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Jamestown	63%	82%	NA	82%	76%
	Rhode Island	40%	48%	NA	40%	37%
Third graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Jamestown	63%	80%	NA	72%	73%
	Rhode Island	35%	36%	NA	25%	35%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Jamestown	63%	54%	NA	59%	51%
	Rhode Island	28%	36%	NA	29%	29%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Jamestown	58%	45%	NA	53%	55%
	Rhode Island	23%	24%	NA	16%	21%
Schools identified for intervention	North Kingstown^^	0%	0%	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	8%	7%	NA	NA	7%
Chronic early absence in grades K-3	Jamestown	5%	8%	7%	3%	10%
	Rhode Island	13%	14%	16%	22%	30%
Chronic absence in high school	Jamestown	NA	NA	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	27%	26%	26%	34%	38%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Jamestown	1	0	1	1	>1
	Rhode Island	15	15	10	1	13
High school graduation rate	Jamestown	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	84%	84%	84%	84%	83%
College enrollment (% of high school graduates immediately enrolling)	Jamestown	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	67%	67%	61%	59%	63%

^^Starting in the 2015-2016 school year, students from Jamestown can choose to attend high school in Narragansett or North Kingstown. Prior to that, Jamestown students attended high school in North Kingstown.