

Rhode Island Kids Count 2023 Factbook

Indicators of Child Well-Being

Snapshot of Little Compton, Rhode Island



Census-Based Indicators		1990	2000	2010	2020	
Child population	Little Compton	750	780	654	568	
	Rhode Island	225,690	247,822	223,956	209,785	
					2017-2021	
Median family income	Little Compton				\$94,045	
	Rhode Island				\$87,553	
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold	Little Compton				1.6%*	
	Rhode Island				15.2%	
Economic Well-Being		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Cost of rent	Little Compton	\$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)	Little Compton	8	**	**	6	10
	Rhode Island	6,760	7,175	8,083	6,057	7,208
Children in families receiving cash assistance	Little Compton	1%	0%	<1%	<1%	1%
	Rhode Island	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Children receiving SNAP benefits	Little Compton	37	34	32	27	23
	Rhode Island	54,706	50,825	43,660	43,511	46,097
WIC participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Little Compton	20%	13%	21%	22%	15%
	Rhode Island	46%	47%	48%	45%	40%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Little Compton	3%	4%	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Health		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Little Compton	172	162	172	165	157
	Rhode Island	122,915	117,987	118,858	119,426	122,739
Evidence-Based Family Home Visiting (# of families enrolled)	Little Compton	0	1	1	1	1
	Rhode Island	1,278	1,294	1,244	1,317	1,038
First Connections Family Home Visiting (# receiving a visit)	Little Compton	3	2	4	3	1
	Rhode Island	2,657	2,235	2,891	3,391	3,101
Child overweight and obesity	Little Compton	19%^^	24%	24%	NA	25%
	Rhode Island	30%	31%	35%	NA	NA
Babies born	Little Compton	6	8	11	15	7
	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	Little Compton	^	^	^	^	^
	Rhode Island	11%	11%	11%	12%	11%
Infants born with low birthweight	Little Compton	^	^	^	^	^
	Rhode Island	7.4%	7.5%	7.7%	7.7%	7.5%
Women with delayed prenatal care	Little Compton	16.9%	19.7%^^	21.1%^^	^	14.3%^^
	Rhode Island	14.7%	15.9%	16.1%	15.8%	15.9%
Preterm births	Little Compton	13.3%	13.4%^^	12.7%^^	14.3%^^	^
	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)	Little Compton	9.2	1.5	0.0	6.1	7.0
	Rhode Island	14.6	13.9	12.0	11.3	11.4
Children with incarcerated parents rate (per 1,000 children)	Little Compton	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0
	Rhode Island	11.8	10.5	8.1	7.6	8.7
Domestic violence arrests with children present	Little Compton	38%	NA	0%	25%	NA
	Rhode Island	25%	NA	26%	24%	NA

*Estimate has a high margin of error..

**Data for any town with less than six approved suppressed by the Rhode Island Department of claims are Labor and Training.

^The data are unreliable and rates are not reported and should not be calculated. ^^The data are statistically unstable and rates or 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)	Little Compton	0	0	0	0	NA
	Rhode Island	618	522	328	439	NA
Youth in the Juvenile Justice System (# of youth at the RI Training School during the year)	Little Compton	0	0	0	0	0
	Rhode Island	272	246	191	137	164
Education		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Children enrolled in Early Intervention (% enrolled)	Little Compton	4%	3%	0%	0%	3%
	Rhode Island	7%	7%	7%	6%	6%
Children enrolled in Early Head Start (% of low-income children <age 3 enrolled)	Little Compton	NA	NA	0%	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)	Little Compton	NA	NA	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	25%
Licensed early learning centers	Little Compton	1	1	1	1	1
	Rhode Island	315	329	317	313	320
Licensed family child care homes	Little Compton	0	0	0	0	0
	Rhode Island	457	460	403	397	392
Licensed early learning centers with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Little Compton	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)	Little Compton	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Children receiving child care subsidies (subsidy use by child residence)	Little Compton	3	2	1	2	0
	Rhode Island	10,171	10,580	7,016	6,063	5,981
Children receiving preschool special education services	Little Compton	10%	10%	9%	7%	3%
	Rhode Island	8%	9%	8%	7%	8%
K-12 students receiving special education services (% enrolled)	Little Compton	14%	18%	15%	12%	21%
	Rhode Island	15%	15%	15%	16%	16%
Public school enrollment (total enrollment)	Little Compton	244	237	209	209	201
	Rhode Island	143,247	143,557	139,184	138,566	137,452
Public school enrollment (% low-income)	Little Compton	12%	13%	14%	10%	12%
	Rhode Island	47%	48%	46%	41%	45%
Students who are Multilingual Learners/ English Learners	Little Compton	<1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	9%	10%	11%	11%	12%
Student mobility rate	Little Compton	6%	2%	4%	8%	10%
	Rhode Island	13%	13%	10%	14%	13%
Third graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Little Compton	64%	58%	NA	78%	74%
	Rhode Island	40%	48%	NA	40%	37%
Third graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Little Compton	57%	58%	NA	83%	79%
	Rhode Island	35%	36%	NA	25%	35%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Little Compton	55%	37%	NA	52%	57%
	Rhode Island	28%	36%	NA	29%	29%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Little Compton	61%	43%	NA	24%	30%
	Rhode Island	23%	24%	NA	16%	21%
Schools identified for intervention	Portsmouth^^	0%	0%	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	8%	7%	NA	NA	7%
Chronic early absence in grades K-3	Little Compton	6%	6%	6%	5%	14%
	Rhode Island	13%	14%	16%	22%	30%
Chronic absence in high school	Portsmouth^^	13%	NA	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	27%	26%	26%	34%	38%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Little Compton	<1	1	1	3	4
	Rhode Island	15	15	10	1	13
High school graduation rate	Portsmouth^^	96%	94%	92%	95%	94%
	Rhode Island	84%	84%	84%	84%	83%
College enrollment (% of high school graduates immediately enrolling)	Portsmouth^^	84%	78%	80%	74%	75%
	Rhode Island	67%	67%	61%	59%	63%

^^Students from Little Compton attend high school in Portsmouth.