

# Rhode Island Kids Count 2021 Factbook

## Indicators of Child Well-Being

### Snapshot of Scituate, Rhode Island



Census-Based Indicators		1990	2000	2010		
Child population	Scituate	2,426	2,635	2,272		
	Rhode Island	225,690	247,822	223,956		
Children in single-parent families	Scituate	NA	NA	16%		
	Rhode Island	NA	28%	31%		
				<b>2015-2019</b>		
Median family income	Scituate	\$90,466	\$124,167			
	Rhode Island	\$66,156	\$79,684			
Children living in families below the federal poverty threshold	Scituate	4.3%	2.8%			
	Rhode Island	16.9%	17.0%			
Economic Well-Being		2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Cost of rent	Scituate	\$972^^	\$994^^	\$1,014^^	\$1,060^^	\$1,075^^
	Rhode Island	\$1,624	\$1,653	\$1,666	\$1,667	\$1,660
Paid Family Leave (total approved TCI claims)	Scituate	64	78	67	81	98
	Rhode Island	5,882	6,224	6,760	7,175	8,083
Children in families receiving cash assistance	Scituate	<1%*	<1%	1%	1%	<1%
	Rhode Island	4%*	3%	3%	3%	2%
Children receiving SNAP benefits	Scituate	171*	151	144	132	117
	Rhode Island	60,505	56,580	54,706	50,825	43,660
WIC participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Scituate	25%	23%	31%	29%	25%
	Rhode Island	54%	50%	46%	47%	48%
School Breakfast Program participation (% income-eligible children participating)	Scituate	10%	6%	8%	11%	11%
	Rhode Island	40%	NA	NA	NA	NA
Health		2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Children under age 19 receiving Medical Assistance	Scituate	608*	639	371	382	377
	Rhode Island	115,899*	120,138	122,915	117,987	118,858
Evidence-Based Family Home Visiting (# of families enrolled)	Scituate	0	1	0	1	0
	Rhode Island	1,043	1,090	1,278	1,294	1,244
		<b>2011-2015</b>	<b>2012-2016</b>	<b>2013-2017</b>	<b>2014-2018</b>	<b>2015-2019</b>
Births to mothers with less than a high school diploma	Scituate	3%	***	***	***	3%^
	Rhode Island	12%	12%	11%	11%	11%
Infants born with low birthweight	Scituate	NA	5.5%^	5.3%^	5.4%^	6.3%
	Rhode Island	7.4%	7.5%	7.4%	7.5%	7.7%
Women with Delayed Prenatal Care	Scituate	NA	14.8%	13.5%	16.1%	16.3%
	Rhode Island	13.5%	14.5%	14.7%	15.9%	16.1%
Preterm Births	Scituate	NA	8.8%	8.6%	8.5%	9.3%
	Rhode Island	8.9%	9.0%	8.7%	8.7%	8.9%
Safety - Child Welfare		2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Child neglect and abuse indicated victims rate (per 1,000 children)	Scituate	7.9	4.8	6.2	7.0	4.0
	Rhode Island	12.3	14.6	14.6	13.9	12.0
Children with incarcerated parents rate (per 1,000 children)	Scituate	0.9	2.6	0.9	2.6	1.8
	Rhode Island	12.7	12.7	11.8	10.5	8.1
Domestic violence incidents with children present	Scituate	33%	29%	50%	NA	NA
	Rhode Island	27%	27%	25%	NA	NA

\*Data for this time period has comparison limitations that are described in the full indicator; please consult the 2017 Rhode Island Kids Count Factbook.

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

\*\*\*The data are 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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<b>Safety - Juvenile Justice</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
Youth Violence (# of juvenile arrests for assault and weapons offenses)	Scituate	0	NA	3	2	NA
	Rhode Island	570	NA	618	522	NA
Youth in the Juvenile Justice System (# of youth at the RI Training School during the year)	Scituate	0	0	0	0	0
	Rhode Island	408	358	272	246	191
<b>Education</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
Children enrolled in Early Intervention (% enrolled)	Scituate	9%	10%	11%	10%	14%
	Rhode Island	6%	6%	7%	7%	7%
Children enrolled in Early Head Start (% of low-income children <age 3 enrolled)	Scituate	NA	NA	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	3%
Children enrolled in Head Start or RI Pre-K (% of low-income children age 4 enrolled)	Scituate	NA	NA	NA	NA	0%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	NA	NA	33%
Licensed early learning centers	Scituate	1	1	1	1	1
	Rhode Island	321	316	315	329	317
Licensed family child care homes	Scituate	4	3	1	1	0
	Rhode Island	488	478	457	460	403
Licensed early learning centers with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Scituate	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	18%	20%	21%	25%	25%
Licensed family child care homes with high-quality rating (4 or 5 stars)	Scituate	0%	0%	0%	0%	NA
	Rhode Island	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Children receiving child care subsidies (subsidy use by child residence)	Scituate	17*	24	20	14	10
	Rhode Island	8,445*	10,429	10,171	10,580	7,016
Children receiving preschool special education services	Scituate	10%	7%	8%	11%	8%
	Rhode Island	8%	8%	8%	9%	8%
K-12 students receiving special education services (% enrolled)	Scituate	11%	12%	12%	11%	13%
	Rhode Island	14%	15%	15%	15%	15%
Public school enrollment (total enrollment)	Scituate	1,305	1,269	1,231	1,226	1,197
	Rhode Island	142,142	142,949	143,247	143,557	139,184
Public school enrollment (% low-income)	Scituate	18%	16%	18%	11%	11%
	Rhode Island	48%	47%	47%	48%	46%
Students who are Multilingual Learners/ English Learners	Scituate	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	7%	8%	9%	10%	11%
Student mobility rate	Scituate	7%	7%	6%	5%	5%
	Rhode Island	14%	14%	13%	13%	10%
Third graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Scituate	NA	NA	48%	70%	70%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	40%	48%	48%
Third graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Scituate	NA	NA	44%	56%	56%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	35%	36%	36%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in reading (RICAS)	Scituate	NA	NA	19%	50%	50%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	28%	36%	36%
Eighth graders meeting expectations in math (RICAS)	Scituate	NA	NA	19%	29%	29%
	Rhode Island	NA	NA	23%	24%	24%
Schools identified for intervention	Scituate	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Rhode Island	10%	8%	8%	7%	7%
Chronic early absence in grades K-3	Scituate	19%	15%	7%	6%	9%
	Rhode Island	11%	13%	13%	14%	16%
Chronic absence in high school	Scituate	22%	33%	12%	10%	24%
	Rhode Island	26%	28%	27%	26%	26%
Suspension rate (per 100 students)	Scituate	2	4	4	7	5
	Rhode Island	17	14	15	15	10
High school graduation rate	Scituate	94%	97%	91%	94%	92%
	Rhode Island	83%	84%	84%	84%	84%
College enrollment (% of high school graduates immediately enrolling)	Scituate	81%	79%	78%	76%	NA
	Rhode Island	59%	61%	67%	67%	NA