

Mississippi State Data (2011-2012)



Per Capita Income

\$20,521

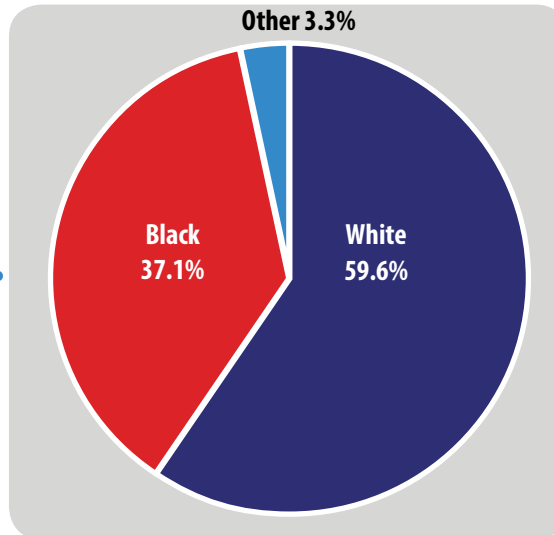
% of Kids Living in Poverty

32%

Percent of Kids Living in Single-Parent Households

49%

Racial Breakdown of Mississippi



School Districts in Mississippi

of Students in Public Schools: 490,619
Total School Funding: \$4,483,191,303

Graduation Rate

74%

% of Students Receiving Free/Reduced Lunch

70%

Per Pupil Funding

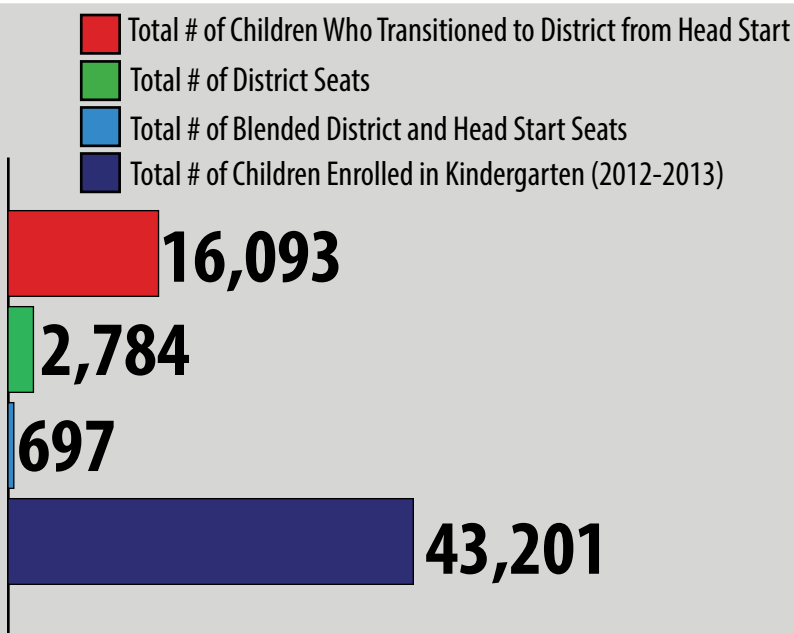
\$7,926



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The State of Public PreK Education in Mississippi



56% of Kindergarteners in the state did not have access to public preK. They may have been served in a private childcare program.

Summary of District PreK Data (2011-2012)

# of Regular School Year Programs	50	# of Children	3,441
# of Classrooms	180	# of Programs Requiring Teachers to Have Specialized Training in ECE (no other credentials allowed)	14 (28%)
# of Full-Day Programs	45 (90%)	# of Programs Requiring Assistant Teachers to Have an Associate's Degree with Specialized Training in ECE	1 (2%)
# of Regular Year-Only Programs	47	Staff-to-Child Ratio of 1:10 or Fewer	48 (96%)
# of School Year and Summer Programs	3	Maximum Class Size of 20 or Fewer	48 (96%)
# of Full-Time Teachers	179	# Assessing All 5 Early Learning Domains	12 (24%)
# of Part-Time Teachers	6	# Using the MDE Standards	49 (98%)
# of Full-Time Assistants	184	# Using Title I Solely or in Conjunction with Other Source	46 (92%)
# of Part-Time Assistants	7		

Collaboration Data

# of Districts Sharing Resources with Head Start	54 of 73 surveyed	# of Districts with Blended Head Start	13
# of Districts Sharing Resources with Private Childcare	24 of 73 surveyed	# of Districts with Onsite Partner PreK	23