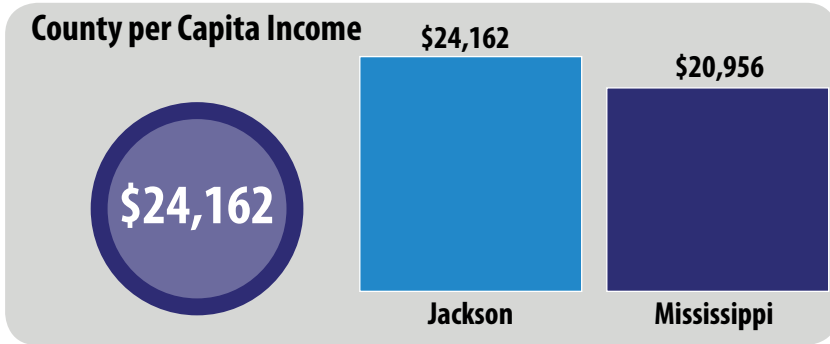
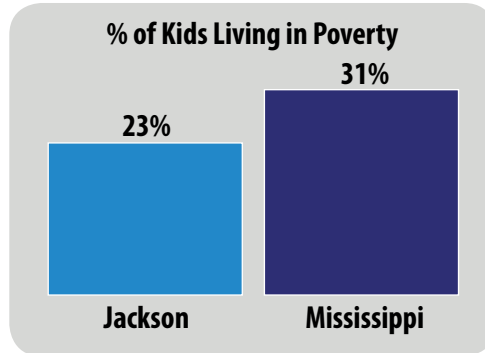


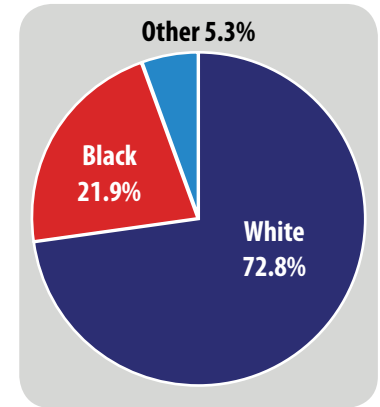
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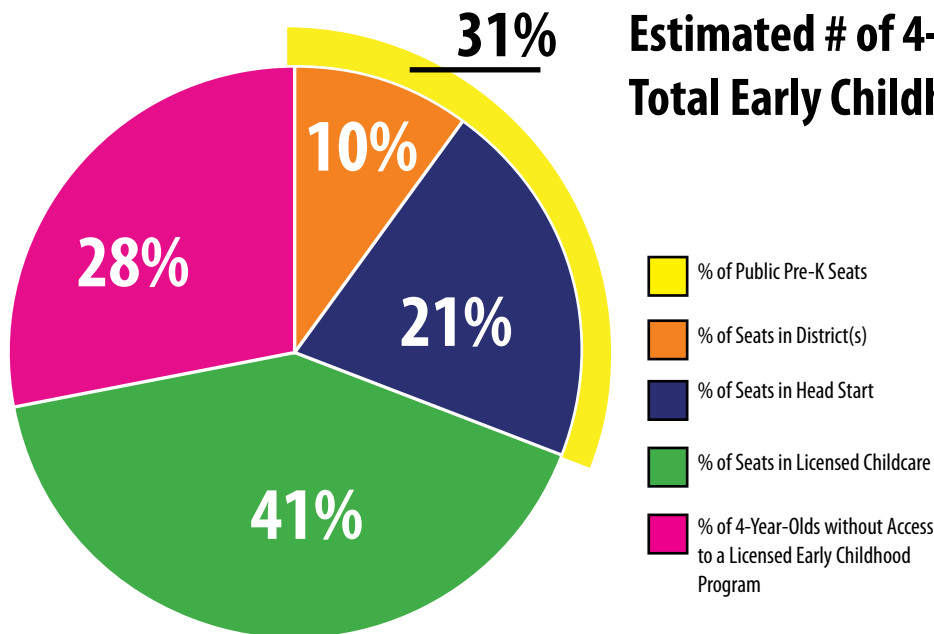
Percent of Kids Living in Single-Parent Households



Racial Breakdown of the County



Licensed Early Childhood Program Access for 4-Year-Olds in Jackson County



Estimated # of 4-Year-Olds: 1,816
Total Early Childhood Program Seats: 1,319

School Districts in Jackson County:

- Ocean Springs School District
- Jackson County School District
- Moss Point School District
- Pascagoula Separate School District

Head Start Partner:

Jackson County CAC

Total # of Licensed Childcare

Centers Serving 4-Year-Olds: 44

These numbers reflect the capacity of programs (available seats), not enrollment.



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The State of Licensed Childcare in Jackson County

624 4-Year-Old Enrollment

\$99.11 Avg. Tuition Cost per Week

739 Capacity of Licensed Childcare Sector to Serve 4-Year-Olds

78 # of 4-Year-Olds Served by Childcare Certificates

14 # of Centers in QRIS Serving 4-Year-Olds

44 Total # of Centers

Breakdown of Enrollment by Stars

- 1 ★★★★★
- 1 ★★★★
- 4 ★★★
- 0★★
- 7★
- 1 Not Rated

| Center | School District Affiliation | 4-Yr.-Old Enrollment | 4-Yr.-Old Capacity | Hours | Tuition Cost per Week | Financial Assistance | Accreditation or QRIS Rating | Meals | Types of Philosophy | Curriculum | Assessment |
|---|-------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| A BEARY SPECIAL PLACE | Moss Point School District | <5 | 14 | 6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | \$90.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Evening Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| ABC CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER OF OCEAN SPRINGS | Ocean Springs School District | 14 | 16 | 6:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. | \$125.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Evening Snack, Special Meal Request | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| ALL GOD'S CHILDREN LEARNING CENTER | Pascagoula School District | 10 | 10 | 5:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$90.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 1-Star Center | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | | | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| BELLA'S DAY CARE AND AFTERSCHOOL CARE LLC | not reported | <5 | <5 | 5:00 A.M. - 11:30 P.M. | | | | | | | |

The State of Licensed Childcare in Jackson County, continued

| Center | School District Affiliation | 4-Yr.-Old Enrollment | 4-Yr.-Old Capacity | Hours | Tuition Cost per Week | Financial Assistance | Accreditation or QRIS Rating | Meals | Types of Philosophy | Curriculum | Assessment |
|--|-------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|--|--|-------------------------------------|
| BETHEL CHRISTIAN ACADEMY | Jackson County | 12 | 13 | 5:00 A.M. to 5:30 p. m. | | Does Not Accept Childcare Certificates | | Breakfast, Lunch, Evening Snack | Child Development Focus | A BEKA | |
| BIG POINT CHILD CARE CENTER | Jackson County | 12 | 12 | 8:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. | | Does Not Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack | Academic Emphasis, Religious | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| BILLIE'S CHILD CARE | Pascagoula School District | 8 | 10 | 5:30 a.m - 5:30 P.M. | \$100.00 | Does Not Accept Childcare Certificates | | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | | | |
| BLOSSMAN YMCA PRESCHOOL CHILD CARE CENTER | Ocean Springs School District | 8 | 20 | 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$120.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 1-Star Center | Morning Snack, Lunch, Evening Snack | | | |
| CASWELL SPRINGS UNITED METHODIST PRESCHOOL | Jackson County | 30 | 41 | 5:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$100.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | NECPA Accreditation | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Mixed-Age Grouping, Religious | A BEKA | Ages and Stages |
| CHILDREN'S HOUSE MONTESSORI SCHOOL | Jackson County | 13 | 13 | 8:30 A.M. - 2:30 P.M. (Mon. Thurs.), 8:30 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. (Fri.) | \$70.00 | | | Morning Snack, Afternoon Snack | Religious | Montessori | |
| CHRISTUS VICTOR PRE-SCHOOL | Ocean Springs School District | 10 | 10 | 8:30 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. (Mon., Weds., & Fri.), 8:30 A.M. - 2:30 P.M. (Tues. & Thurs.) | | Does Not Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack | Child Development Focus, Mixed-Age Grouping, Religious | Creative Curriculum, HighReach Learning, Montessori, Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |

The State of Licensed Childcare in Jackson County, continued

| Center | School District Affiliation | 4-Yr.-Old Enrollment | 4-Yr.-Old Capacity | Hours | Tuition Cost per Week | Financial Assistance | Accreditation or QRIS Rating | Meals | Types of Philosophy | Curriculum | Assessment |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| EARLY ADVENTURES LEARNING CENTER | Pascagoula School District | 15 | 15 | 6:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | \$110.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Academic Emphasis | HighReach Learning, Using the Early Learning Guidelines | |
| EASTLAWN CHILD DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY | Jackson County | 9 | 11 | 6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | \$120.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 1-Star Center | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus, Religious | WEE Learn | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| FAITHFULLY YOURS LEARNING CENTER | Jackson County | 6 | 6 | 6:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M. | \$95.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 4-Star Center | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| FIRST BAPTIST EARLY EDUCATION CENTER | Jackson County | 16 | 16 | 8:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. (Mon., Weds., & Fri.), 8:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. (Tues. & Thurs.) | | Does Not Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack | Child Development Focus, Religious | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| FIRST BAPTIST GAUTIER CHILD CARE | Jackson County | 15 | 15 | 7:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$110.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 1-Star Center | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Evening Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| FIRST BAPTIST VANCELAVE PRESCHOOL | Jackson County | 32 | 32 | 8:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. | \$35.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack | Academic Emphasis, Religious | A BEKA | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| FIRST STEP DAYCARE | Moss Point School District | 19 | 19 | 6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 3-Star Center | Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, USDA Food Program | Academic Emphasis | Creative Curriculum | |

The State of Licensed Childcare in Jackson County, continued

| Center | School District Affiliation | 4-Yr.-Old Enrollment | 4-Yr.-Old Capacity | Hours | Tuition Cost per Week | Financial Assistance | Accreditation or QRIS Rating | Meals | Types of Philosophy | Curriculum | Assessment |
|---|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CHILDCARE AND PRESCHOOL | Pascagoula School District | 11 | 24 | 6:30 A.M. - 5:30 p. m. | \$134.00 | | QRIS Participant; 1-Star Center | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus, Religious | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | |
| FUTURE SCHOLARS LEARNING CENTER | Jackson County | 20 | 20 | 6:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | | | | | | | |
| GULF COAST TODDLERS | Jackson County | 21 | 21 | 5:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$110.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 1-Star Center | Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Evening Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| HIGHWAY 90 DAY CARE, INC. | Jackson County | 10 | 10 | 6:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. | \$85.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 3-Star Center | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Evening Snack, Special Meal Request | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | Between the Lions, Creative Curriculum | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist, Get Ready to Read! |
| IN THE ZONE CHILD CARE SERVICES | Jackson County | 45 | 45 | 5:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$120.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus, Mixed-Age Grouping, Religious | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| INGALLS AVENUE WEEKDAY PRESCHOOL | Jackson County | 29 | 29 | 6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | \$127.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Child Development Focus, Religious | Using the Early Learning Guidelines, WEE Learn | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| JACK AND JILL OF VANCLEAVE | Jackson County | 17 | 17 | 6:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | \$90.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | |
| JACK AND JILL PRESCHOOL AND NURSERY | Jackson County | 15 | 15 | 6:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | | |

The State of Licensed Childcare in Jackson County, continued

| Center | School District Affiliation | 4-Yr.-Old Enrollment | 4-Yr.-Old Capacity | Hours | Tuition Cost per Week | Financial Assistance | Accreditation or QRIS Rating | Meals | Types of Philosophy | Curriculum | Assessment |
|---|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|---|---|---|
| LEARNING DEPOT CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER | Jackson County | 14 | 16 | 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$120.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Evening Snack | Child Development Focus, Montessori | HighReach Learning, Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| LIL' INSPIRATIONS | Jackson County | <5 | <5 | 6:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | | | | | | | |
| LITTLE FEET LEARNING CENTER, LLC | Jackson County | 16 | 16 | 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Afternoon Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus, Religious | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| LITTLE HOUSE OF WONDERS | Jackson County | 6 | 6 | 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$95.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | | | | |
| LITTLE PEOPLE LEARNING CENTER | Jackson County | 11 | 15 | 5:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | \$95.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Evening Snack, USDA Food Program | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | Between the Lions, Creative Curriculum, Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist, Get Ready to Read! |
| LITTLE STARTERS PRESCHOOL | Jackson County | <5 | <5 | 6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | | | QRIS Participant; 1-Star Center | | | | |
| MAGNOLIA BLOSSOMS | Jackson County | 30 | 30 | 5:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$100.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | A BEKA | |
| MARY'S LITTLE LAMBS | Jackson County | 20 | 20 | 6:00 A.M.- 5:30 P.M. | \$90.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | | Creative Curriculum, HighReach Learning | |

The State of Licensed Childcare in Jackson County, continued

| Center | School District Affiliation | 4-Yr.-Old Enrollment | 4-Yr.-Old Capacity | Hours | Tuition Cost per Week | Financial Assistance | Accreditation or QRIS Rating | Meals | Types of Philosophy | Curriculum | Assessment |
|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|--|--|--|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| MERRY-GO-ROUND KINDERGARTEN & NURSERY | Moss Point School District | <5 | 24 | 6:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | \$85.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 3-Star Center, NECPA Accreditation | Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Evening Snack | | HighReach Learning, Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| MGCCC CENTER FOR CHILD DEVELOPMENT | Jackson County/ Pascagoula School District | 5 | 5 | 6:30 A.M. - 3:30 p.m & 5:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M. (Mon. - Thurs.), 6:30 A.M. - 3:30 P.M. (Fri.) | | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 5-Star Center | Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Child Development Focus | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| NEW BEGINNINGS LEARNING CENTER | Moss Point School District/ Jackson County | 8 | 14 | 6:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. | \$90.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | QRIS Participant; 3-Star Center | Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Child Development Focus, Religious | A BEKA, Creative Curriculum, HighReach Learning | Ages and Stages, Get Ready to Read! |
| OCEAN SPRINGS ACADEMY | Jackson County | 9 | 14 | 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | \$115.00 | Does Not Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack, Lunch | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus | | |
| SONSHINE INN | Jackson County | 11 | 11 | 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack | Religious, Other | | |
| ST. JOHN'S PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN | Jackson County | 12 | 34 | 8:30 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. | \$55.00 | Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates | | | Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus, Religious | Using the Early Learning Guidelines | Early Learning Guidelines Checklist |
| ST. PAUL UNITED METHODIST PRESCHOOL | Jackson County | 39 | 39 | 8:25 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. (Mon. & Fri.), 8:25 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. (Tues. - Thurs.) | | | | | | | |

The State of Licensed Childcare in Jackson County, continued

| Center | School District Affiliation | 4-Yr.-Old Enrollment | 4-Yr.-Old Capacity | Hours | Tuition Cost per Week | Financial Assistance | Accreditation or QRIS Rating | Meals | Types of Philosophy | Curriculum | Assessment |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|-------|---------------------|------------|------------|
| STEPPING STONES LEARNING CENTER | Jackson County | 11 | 11 | 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | | | | | | | |
| T & B'S LEARNING FACTORY | Jackson County | 16 | 16 | 6:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | | | | | | | |
| TATTLE TALES LEARNING CENTER | Jackson County | <5 | <5 | 5:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. | | | | | | | |

The State of Public Pre-K Education in Ocean Springs School District (2014-2015)

Ocean Springs School District

K-12 School Funding: \$49,130,841.13

of Students in District: 5,767

District Rating



Instructional Expenditure per Pupil



% of Students Receiving Free/Reduced Lunch



2015-2016 Access to Full-Year, Regular Education Pre-K



On school registrations collected by MDE, parents indicated the following about Kindergarteners in the district:



24% of kids attended licensed childcare during their 4-year-old year.



21% of kids stayed at home during their 4-year-old year.



22% of kids attended private school during their 4-year-old year.



7% of parents did not respond to the survey.

Pre-K District Data

Total # of Students Served in the Classroom: 35*
Funding Sources: IDEA Part B

Total Expenditure:
Cost per Child:

Summer Program: Yes
Length of Day:
Length of Year:

| Quality Benchmarks for Full-Year, Regular Education Programs | | | |
|--|---|---------------|-----------------|
| NIEER STANDARDS | QUALITY BENCHMARKS | DISTRICT DATA | MEETS STANDARD? |
| Early learning standards used | Comprehensive | | |
| Teacher qualifications: | | | |
| -Degree | Bachelor's degree | | |
| -Specialization | Early Childhood Education | | |
| Assistant teacher degree | CDA or equivalent | | |
| Teacher in-service | 15 hrs/yr | | |
| Max class size | 20 or lower | | |
| Staff:child ratio | 1:10 | | |
| Screenings/referral and support services | vision, hearing, speech or other services | | |
| Meals | At least 1 per day | | |
| Monitoring | Site visits | | |

*Ocean Springs School District operated at pre-K program exclusively for students with special needs.

The State of Public Pre-K Education in Jackson County School District (2014-2015)

Jackson County School District

K-12 School Funding: \$76,559,457.16

of Students in District: 9,384

District Rating



Instructional Expenditure per Pupil



% of Students Receiving Free/Reduced Lunch



2015-2016 Access to Full-Year, Regular Education Pre-K

71

598

=

669

5-Year-Olds in Public Kindergarten 2015-2016

89% of Kindergarteners in the district did not have access to public pre-K.

Total # of District Seats

Total # of Children Who Transitioned to District from Head Start

Total # of Blended District & Head Start Seats Total # of Kindergarteners in Districts with No Access to Public Pre-K

On school registrations collected by MDE, parents indicated the following about Kindergarteners in the district:



18% of kids attended licensed childcare during their 4-year-old year.



46% of kids stayed at home during their 4-year-old year.



20% of kids attended private school during their 4-year-old year.



3% of parents did not respond to the survey.

Pre-K District Data

Total # of Students Served in the Classroom: 27*
Funding Sources:

Total Expenditure:
Cost per Child:

Summer Program:
Length of Day:
Length of Year:

| Quality Benchmarks for Full-Year, Regular Education Programs | | | |
|--|--------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| NIER STANDARDS | QUALITY BENCHMARKS | DISTRICT DATA | MEETS STANDARD? |
| Early learning standards used | Comprehensive | MDE 4-Year-Old Standards | |
| Teacher qualifications: | | | |
| -Degree | Bachelor's degree | | |
| -Specialization | Early Childhood Education | | |
| Assistant teacher/teacher aide | CD or equivalent | | |
| Teacher in-service | 15 hrs/yr | | |
| Max class size | 20 or lower | | |
| Staff:child ratio | 1:10 | | |
| Screenings/referral and support services | Vision, hearing, social skills | | |
| Meals | At least 1 per day | | |
| Monitoring | Site visits | | |

*Jackson County School District operated at pre-K program exclusively for students with special needs.

The State of Public Pre-K Education in Moss Point School District (2014-2015)

Moss Point School District
 K-12 School Funding: \$25,819,388.79
 # of Students in District: 2,183



2015-2016 Access to Full-Year, Regular Education Pre-K



33% of Kindergarteners in the district did not have access to public pre-K.

■ Total # of District Seats
 ■ Total # of Children Who Transitioned to District from Head Start
■ Total # of Blended District & Head Start Seats
 ■ Total # of Kindergarteners in Districts with No Access to Public Pre-K

On school registrations collected by MDE, parents indicated the following about Kindergarteners in the district:



20% of kids attended licensed childcare during their 4-year-old year.



29% of kids stayed at home during their 4-year-old year.



0% of kids attended private school during their 4-year-old year.



0% of parents did not respond to the survey.

Pre-K District Data

Total # of Students Served in the Classroom: _____
 Total Expenditure: _____ Cost per Child: _____
 Summer Program: _____
 Length of Day: _____
 Length of Year: _____
 Funding Sources: _____

| Quality Benchmarks for Full-Year, Regular Education Programs | | | |
|--|---|---------------|-----------------|
| NIEER STANDARDS | QUALITY BENCHMARKS | DISTRICT DATA | MEETS STANDARD? |
| Early learning standards used | Comprehensive | | |
| Teacher qualifications: -Degree | Bachelor's Degree | | |
| -Specialization | Early Childhood Education | | |
| Assistant teacher grade | Classroom or equivalent | | |
| Teacher in-service | 15 hrs/yr | | |
| Max class size | 20 or lower | | |
| Staff:child ratio | 1:10 | | |
| Screenings/referral and support services | Vision hearing, speech or social skills | | |
| Meals | At least 1 per week | | |
| Site visits to monitor program quality by the Dept. of Education | Site visits by MDE | | |

NO FULL-YEAR PROGRAM

The State of Public Pre-K Education in Pascagoula Separate School District (2014-2015)

Pascagoula Separate School District

K-12 School Funding: \$89,589,659.24
of Students in District: 7,132

District Rating



Instructional Expenditure per Pupil



% of Students Receiving Free/Reduced Lunch



2015-2016 Access to Full-Year, Regular Education Pre-K



48% of Kindergarteners in the district did not have access to public pre-K.

On school registrations collected by MDE, parents indicated the following about Kindergarteners in the district:



12% of kids attended licensed childcare during their 4-year-old year.



28% of kids stayed at home during their 4-year-old year.



6% of kids attended private school during their 4-year-old year.



3% of parents did not respond to the survey.

Pre-K District Data

Total # of Students Served in the Classroom: 128
Funding Sources: Local District Funds, IDEA Funds

Total Expenditure: \$754,520
Cost per Child: \$5,894.69

Summer Program: No
Length of Day: 7.25 hours
Length of Year: August-May

| Quality Benchmarks for Full-Year, Regular Education Programs | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
| NIEER STANDARDS | QUALITY BENCHMARKS | DISTRICT DATA | MEETS STANDARD? |
| Early learning standards used | Comprehensive | MDE 4-Year-Old Standards | ✓ |
| Teacher qualifications: -Degree | Bachelor's Degree | Bachelor's Degree | ✓ |
| -Specialization | Early Childhood Education | Elementary Education | |
| Assistant teacher degree | CDA or equivalent | Highly Qualified Paraprofessionals | |
| Teacher in-service | 15 hrs/yr | 15 hrs/yr | ✓ |
| Max class size | 20 or lower | 16 | ✓ |
| Staff:child ratio | 1:10 | 1:10 | ✓ |
| Screenings/referral and support services | Vision, health, support services | Parent education & parent conferences | |
| Meals | At least 1 per day | At least 1 per day | ✓ |
| Monitoring | Site visits | No monitoring | |
| | | | 6/10 |