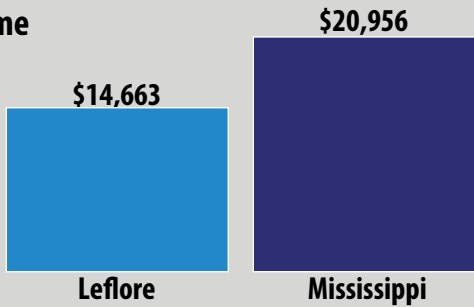


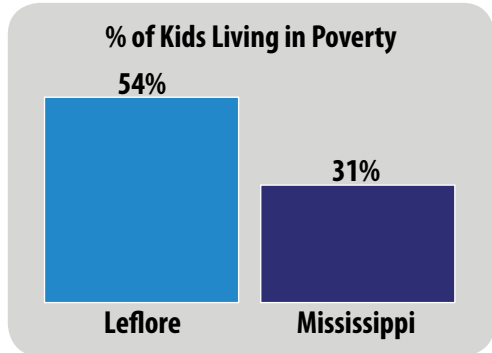
Leflore County Data (2014-2015)



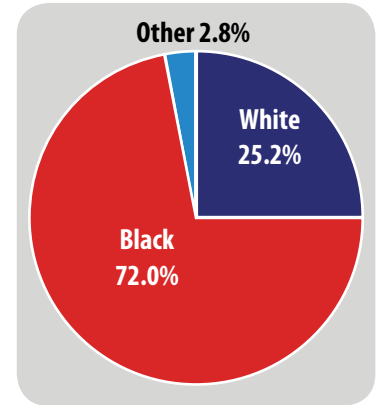
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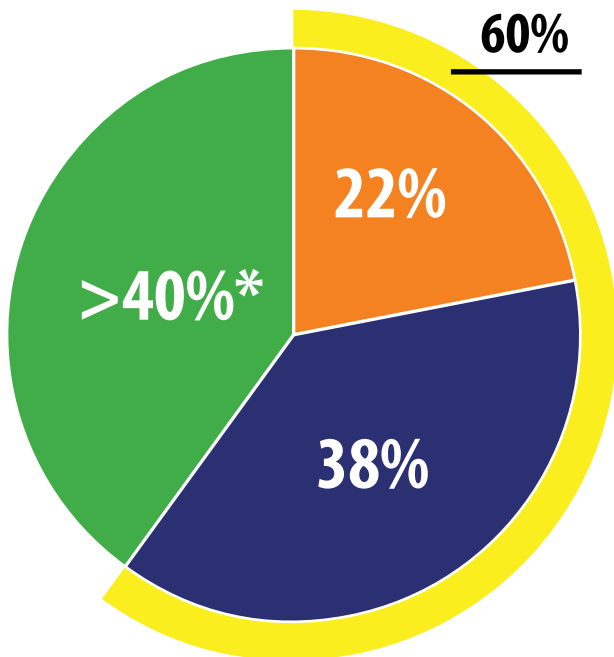
Percent of Kids Living in Single-Parent Households



Racial Breakdown of the County



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



Estimated # of 4-Year-Olds: 492

Total Early Childhood Program Seats: 503

*The licensed care sector has the capacity to serve 42% of the 4-year-old children in Leflore County.

- % of Public Pre-K Seats
- % of Seats in District(s)
- % of Seats in Head Start
- % of Seats in Licensed Childcare
- % of 4-Year-Olds without Access to a Licensed Early Childhood Program

School Districts in Leflore County:

Greenwood Public School District
Leflore County School District

Head Start Partner:

MS Action for Progress, Inc.

Total # of Licensed Childcare Centers Serving 4-Year-Olds: 17

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



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The State of Licensed Childcare in Leflore County

157 4-Year-Old Enrollment

\$74.00 Avg. Tuition Cost per Week

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

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

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

17 Total # of Centers

Breakdown of Enrollment by Stars



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
ABC LEARNING CENTER #2	Leflore	41	41	6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.							
AGAPE LOVE LEARNING & DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER	Leflore	8	15	6:30 A.M. - 11:00 P.M.	\$70.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, Evening Snack	Child Development Focus		
BOUNTIFUL BLESSING	Not Reported	<5	<5	6:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.	\$55.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack	Child Development Focus	Creative Curriculum	
BRIGHT BEGINNINGS DAYCARE	Not Reported	5	11	7:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.	\$75.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, Evening Snack	Child Development Focus		Early Learning Guidelines Checklist
CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY	Leflore	9	9	7:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.				Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch			
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN KINDERGARTEN	Leflore	14	16	7:45 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.				Morning Snack	Child Development Focus, Religious	A BEKA	

The State of Licensed Childcare in Leflore 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
GWEN'S KINDERGARTEN & DAY CARE, INC.	Leflore	5	6	7:45 A.M. - 5:15 P.M.	\$75.00						
HIS KIDS CHILD CARE CENTER	Leflore	<5	16	7 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.	\$78.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, USDA Food Program			
HPCOC CHILD DEVELOPMENT DAY CARE CENTER #2	Leflore	<5	<5	6:30 A.M. - 11:45 P.M.	\$72.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, USDA Food Program	Child Development Focus		
JKN/HOB'S INC.	Leflore	13	13	6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.	\$79.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, USDA Food Program	Child Development Focus		
LEARNING TREE, INC.	Leflore	<5	8	6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.	\$90.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Special Meal Request, USDA Food Program	Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus, Montessori	Montessori	
MVSU DEVELOPMENT CENTER	Leflore	12	20	7:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.	\$55.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates	QRIS Participant; 3-Star Center	Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Evening Snack, USDA Food Program	Child Development Focus	Using the Early Learning Guidelines	Not Applicable
PAT'S PLAYLAND DAYCARE	Leflore	<5	<5	6:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.	\$68.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, USDA Food Program	Child Development Focus		

The State of Licensed Childcare in Leflore County, continued

PRECIOUS MOMENTS LEARNING DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY	Not Reported	14	14	6:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.	\$76.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates	QRIS Participant; 1-Star Center	Breakfast, Lunch	Child Development Focus	Creative Curriculum, Using the Early Learning Guidelines	Early Learning Guidelines Checklist
ST. JOHN'S PRESCHOOL & WDM	Leflore	9	9	7:30 A.M.- 5:30 P.M.	\$83.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Morning Snack, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Special Meal Request, USDA Food Program	Academic Emphasis, Religious	A BEKA	Ages and Stages
SUSIE M. BROOKS CHILDCARE	Leflore	8	12	6:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.	\$90.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack, Special Meal Request, USDA Food Program	Academic Emphasis, Child Development Focus, Montessori	Montessori	
THE EDUCATION STATION II	Leflore	5	8	Not Reported	\$70.00	Willing to Accept Childcare Certificates		Breakfast, Lunch, USDA Food Program	Child Development Focus		

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

Greenwood Public School District

K-12 School Funding: \$25,109,670.29

of Students in District: 2,877

District Rating



Instructional Expenditure per Pupil



% of Students Receiving Free/Reduced Lunch



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



26% 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:



10% of kids attended licensed childcare during their 4-year-old year.



12% 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: 64
Funding Sources: Title I

Total Expenditure: \$360,749
Cost per Child: \$5,636.70

Summer Program: No
Length of Day: 7 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	48 hours college coursework	
Teacher in-service	15 hrs/yr	No in-service required	
Max class size	20 or lower	18	✓
Staff:child ratio	1:10	1:8	✓
Screenings/referral and support services	Vision, health, support services	Vision & support services	
Meals	At least 1 per day	At least 1 meal/day	✓
Site visits to monitor program quality by the Dept. of Education	Site visits by MDE	Site visits	✓
			6/10

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

Leflore County School District

K-12 School Funding: \$24,330,787.40

of Students in District: 2,498

District Rating



Instructional Expenditure per Pupil



% of Students Receiving Free/Reduced Lunch



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



35% 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:



NO DATA REPORTED

Pre-K District Data

Total # of Students Served in the Classroom: 35
Funding Sources: Title I & Local District Funds

Total Expenditure: \$148,000
Cost per Child: \$4,228.57

Summer Program: No
Length of Day: 8 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	Early Childhood	✓
Assistant teacher degree	CDA or equivalent	Highly Qualified Paraprofessional	✓
Teacher in-service	15 hrs/yr	18 hours/year	✓
Max class size	20 or lower	20	✓
Staff:child ratio	1:10	1:10	✓
Screenings/referral and support services	Vision, health, support services	Vision, hearing, health, parent education, parent conferences, & home visits	✓
Meals	At least 1 per day	At least 1 meal/day	✓
Site visits to monitor program quality by the Dept. of Education	Site visits by MDE	Site visits	✓
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