

Dickson County

Population	50,582
Child Percent of Population	23.1%
Percent of Children Living in Poverty	21.1%
Child Population by Race/Ethnicity	11,692
White, Including Hispanic	93.5%
Black, Including Hispanic	6.3%
Native American/Alaskan	0.4%



Asian/Pacific Islander	0.9%
Hispanic, All Races	5.3%

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Where there is no % sign, rate is per 1,000 unless otherwise noted.

Safe	Year	Dickson County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Reported Child Abuse/Neglect Cases	2014	575	4.9%	4.5%	109%	41
<i>Substantiated Child Abuse/Neglect Cases</i>	2014	47	4.0	5.4	74%	12
Juvenile Court Referrals	2014	828	7.1%	5.2%	137%	62
Commitment to State Custody	2014	51	3.9	3.7	105%	39
Remaining in State Custody	2014	99	7.6	4.8	158%	64
Youth who Abuse Illicit Drugs or Alcohol	2012-14	204	5.0%	4.8%	104%	70

Healthy	Year	Dickson County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
<i>Children without Health Insurance</i>	2014	712	5.8%	6.0%	97%	39
Children on TennCare	2014	6,124	45.1%	46.0%	98%	23
People on TennCare	2014	10,278	20.3%	20.8%	98%	24
<i>Teen (15-17) Pregnancy</i>	2014	12	13.1	16.1	81%	29
Adequate Prenatal Care	2014	398	63.7%	56.6%	113%	26
Low Birthweight Babies	2014	60	9.6%	8.9%	108%	71
Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Births	2014	10	16.0	12.3	130%	59
Students Measured as Overweight/Obese	2014	3,324	40.3%	38.3%	105%	32
Neonatal Deaths (in first 28 days)	2014	1	1.6	4.3	37%	31
<i>Infant Mortality (in first year)</i>	2014	2	3.2	6.9	46%	26
<i>Child (1-14) Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i>	2014	1	10.9	18.7	58%	41
<i>Teen (15-19) Violent Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i>	2014	2	61.8	40.8	151%	71

Educated	Year	Dickson County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
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Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Math	2014	2,163	57.8%	51.3%	113%	14
<i>Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Reading</i>	2014	2,227	57.6%	49.5%	116%	8
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Science	2014	2,920	75.5%	63.6%	119%	8
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Social Studies	2014	3,527	91.3%	85.0%	107%	11
<i>High School Graduation Rate</i>	2014	517	90.7%	87.2%	104%	58
School-Age Special Education Participation	2014	1,224	14.8%	12.1%	122%	77
Cohort High School Dropouts	2014	37	5.5%	5.9%	93%	72
Event High School Dropouts	2014	41	1.7%	3.4%	50%	36
<i>School Suspensions</i>	2014	53	0.6%	5.6%	11%	27

Nurtured/Supported	Year	Dickson County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
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Free/Reduced Price Lunch Eligibility	2014	4,430	53.7%	59.7%	90%	14
TN Early Intervention Service Participation	2014	37	21.3	17.5	122%	63
Children Receiving SNAP	2014	3,889	33.3%	35.7%	93%	19
People Receiving SNAP	2014	10,232	20.2%	20.6%	98%	27
Children Receiving Families First/TANF	2014	384	3.3%	5.8%	57%	8
WIC Program Participation	2014	1,236	41.7%	36.0%	116%	37

Engaged	Year	Dickson County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
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<i>Youth Unemployment</i>	2014	190	20.4%	19.3%	106%	47

Indicators in italics were used to compute the index.