

2013 Early Childhood Profile

Adair County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

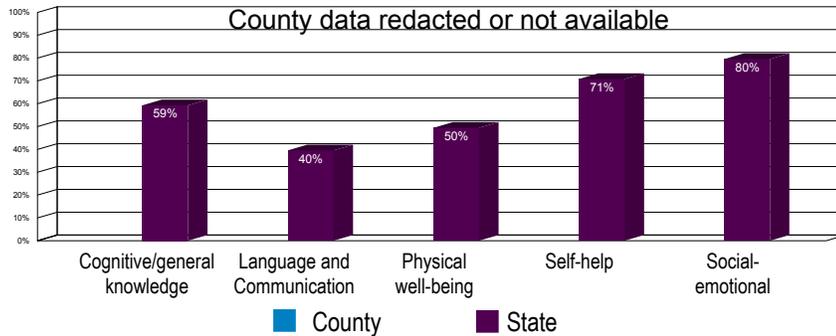
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

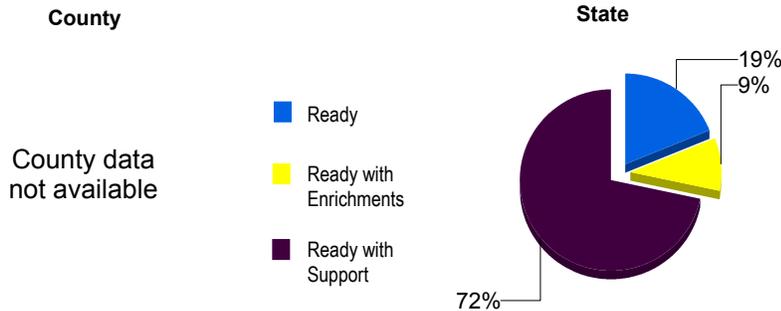
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	687
Number of children 3-4 years old	432
Percent of children below 100% poverty	14.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	39.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	52.9%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	65
Number of child care spaces in the county	428
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	320
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	302
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	18
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	111
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	62
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	49
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	72
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	6
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	66
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	229

Third Grade Assessment Results

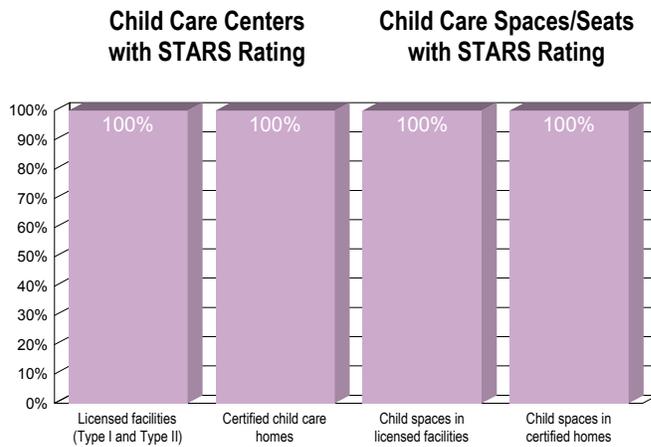
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	36.1%	42.8%
Reading	44.4%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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Category	STARS	Not STARS
Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	5	0
Certified child care homes	1	0
Child spaces in licensed facilities	422	0
Child spaces in certified homes	6	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	15
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	2
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	6
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	4

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,119	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	203	14.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	540	39.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	81	9.8% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	59	1.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	220	3.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	143	22.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	99	43* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	48	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	51	8.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,884
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	454
Children receiving child care subsidies	320
Families served by the First Steps program	43
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	65

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Community Early Childhood Council

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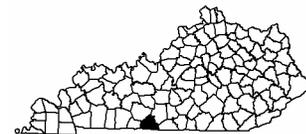
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Allen County

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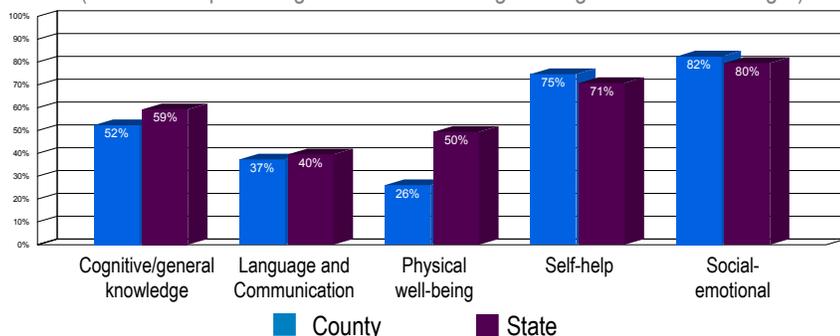
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	233
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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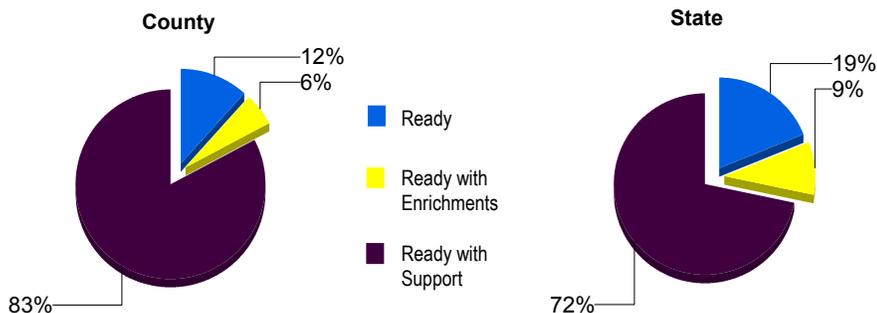
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	770
Number of children 3-4 years old	517
Percent of children below 100% poverty	43.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	53.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	66.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	64
Number of child care spaces in the county	284
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	85
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	83
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	135
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	28
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	82
Other	25
Head Start enrollment	44
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	3
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	41
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	240

Third Grade Assessment Results

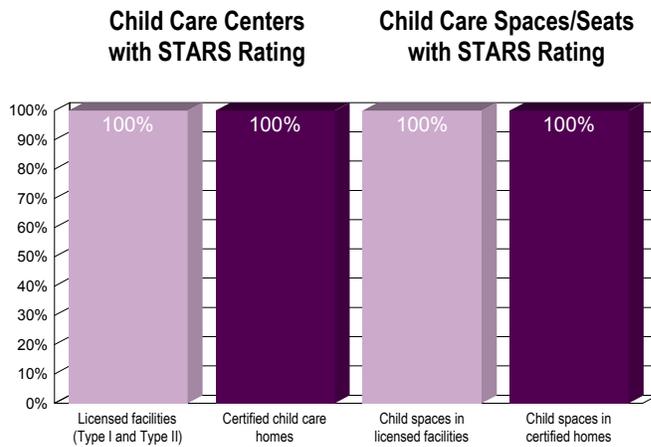
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Math	43.3%	42.8%
Reading	49.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	4	0	272	0
Not STARS	0	2	0	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,287	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	659	43.7%
Children living below 150% poverty line	810	53.7%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	122	2.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	417	5.3%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	195	25.3%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	109	49*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	55	7.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	91	12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,950
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	367
Children receiving child care subsidies	85
Families served by the First Steps program	60
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	64

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Community Early Childhood Council

Allen/Logan/Simpson CECC

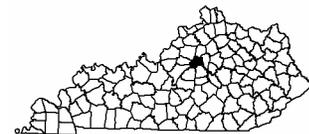
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Anderson County



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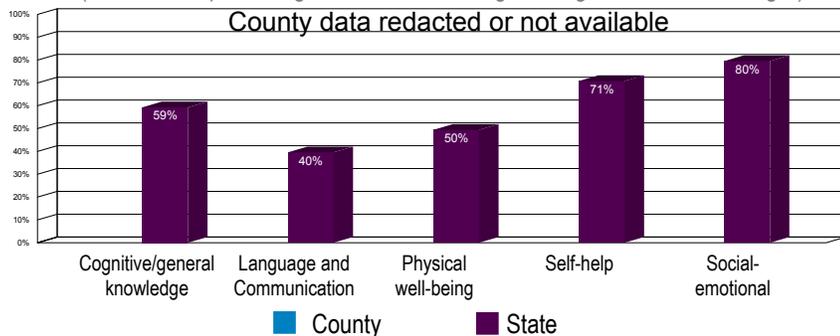
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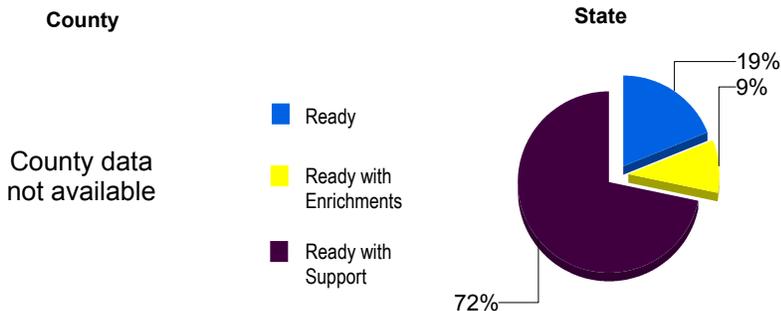
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Highlights

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Number of children 3-4 years old	586
Percent of children below 100% poverty	26.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	30.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	39.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	40
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,114
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	174
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	142
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	8
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	6
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	18
Public preschool enrollment	190
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	95
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	66
Other	29
Head Start enrollment	38
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	38
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	279

Third Grade Assessment Results

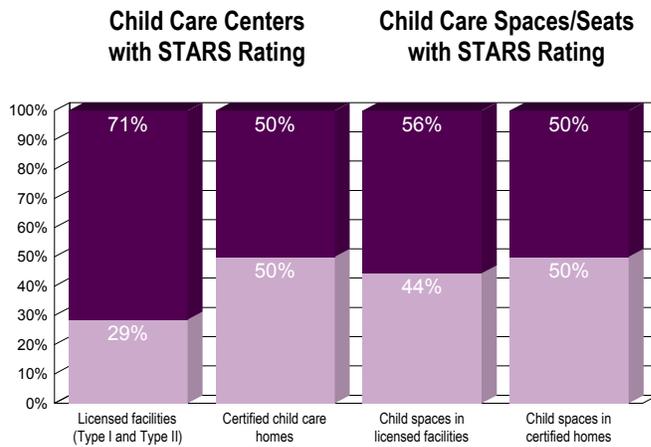
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Reading	57.8%	49.4%

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	Child Care Centers with STARS Rating	Child Care Spaces/Seats with STARS Rating	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	4	1	489	6
Not STARS	10	1	613	6

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	13
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	13
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	4

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,397	6.5% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	441	26.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	502	30.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	38	3.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	80	1.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	297	3.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	115	13.7% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	111	53* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	73	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	90	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,532
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	259
Children receiving child care subsidies	174
Families served by the First Steps program	42
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	40

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Community Early Childhood Council

Anderson County CECC

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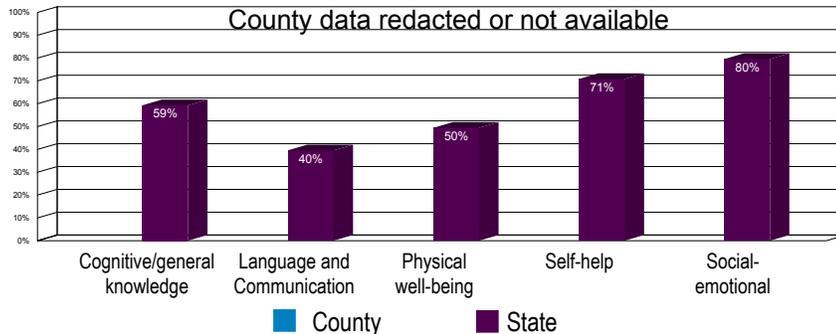
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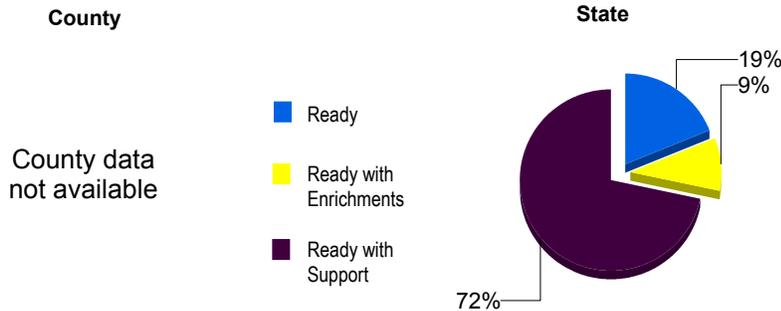
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Highlights

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Number of children 3-4 years old	187
Percent of children below 100% poverty	23.8%
Below 150% poverty	35.2%
Below 200% poverty	67.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	3
Number of child care spaces in the county	215
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	44
CCAP at Licensed Centers	35
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	5
CCAP at Registered Providers	4
Public preschool enrollment	111
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	92
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	19
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	37
3s and 4s with disabilities	10
3s and 4s income eligible	27
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	92

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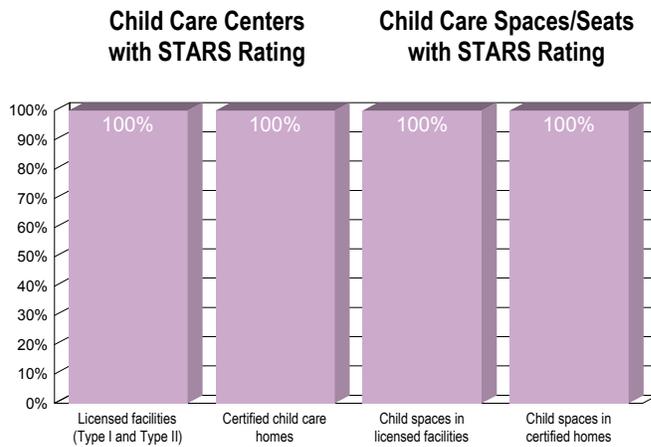
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Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	450	5.5% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	113	23.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	167	35.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	39	10.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	0	0.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	132	3.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	39	14.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	51	68* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	37	13.0% 9.0%
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Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	101
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Four Rivers CECC (Ballard, Carlisle, Fulton, Hickman)

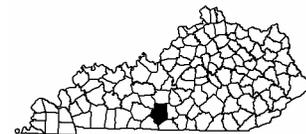
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Barren County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

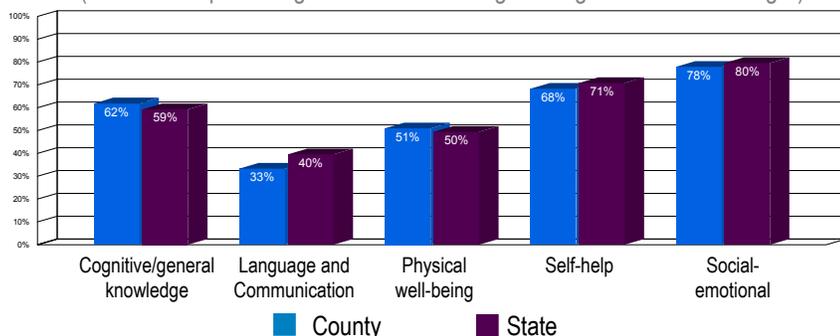
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	5
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	312
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

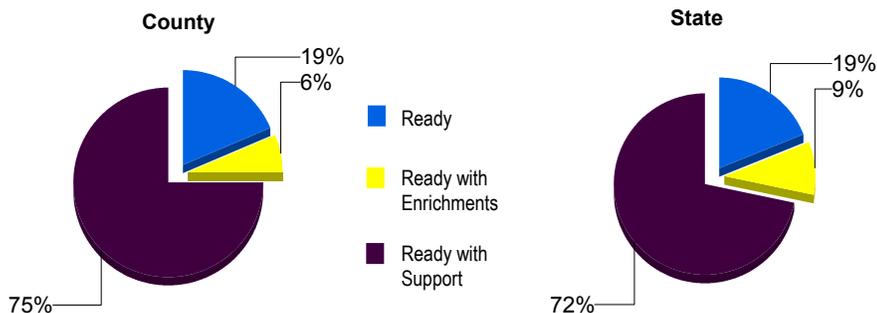
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,548
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,124
Percent of children below 100% poverty	33.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	53.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	64.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	63
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,628
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	507
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	497
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	8
Public preschool enrollment	451
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	215
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	185
Other	51
Head Start enrollment	82
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	12
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	70
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	670

Third Grade Assessment Results

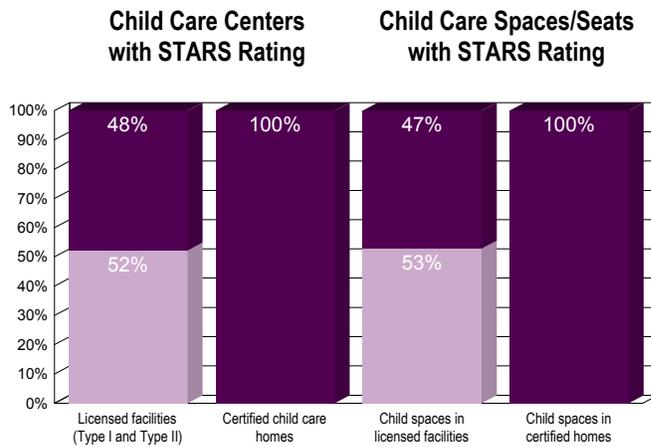
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	43.7%	42.8%
Reading	49.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	12	0	854	0
Not STARS	11	2	762	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	7
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	3
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	5
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	21

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,672	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,080	33.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,705	53.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	182	7.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	223	2.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	746	4.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	430	25.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	283	71 * 50 *
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	139	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	188	11.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,015
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	829
Children receiving child care subsidies	507
Families served by the First Steps program	84
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	63

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Bath County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

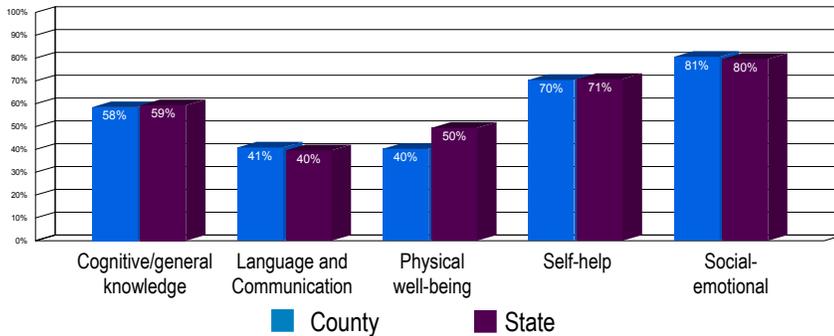
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	2
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	159
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

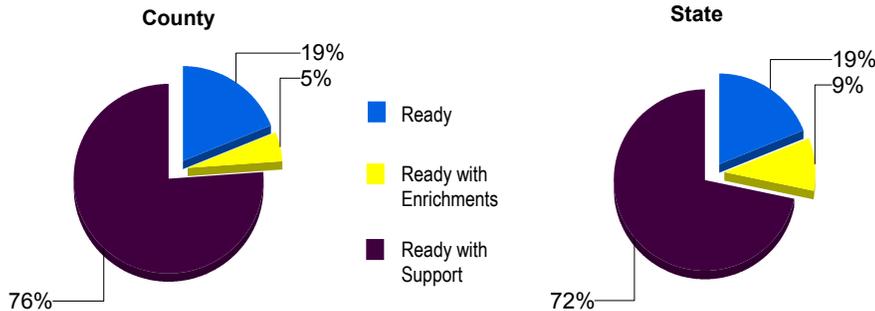
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	460
Number of children 3-4 years old	355
Percent of children below 100% poverty	36.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	61.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	70.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	32
Number of child care spaces in the county	319
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	190
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	185
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	5
Public preschool enrollment	67
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	18
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	41
Other	8
Head Start enrollment	81
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	81
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	185

Third Grade Assessment Results

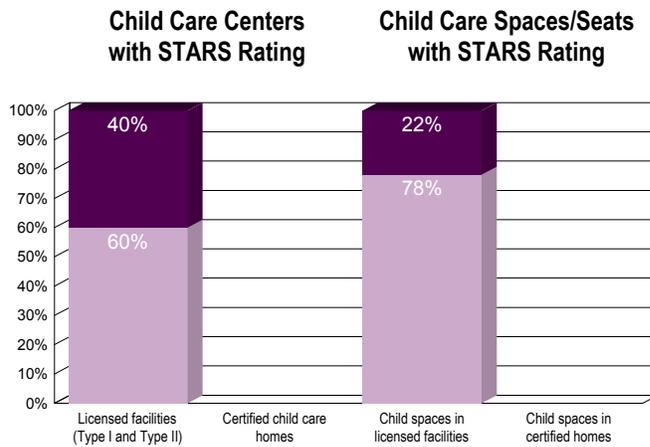
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	40.9%	42.8%
Reading	44.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	249	0
Not STARS	2	0	70	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	2
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	3
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	815	6.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	398	36.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	671	61.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0	0.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	76	2.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	137	3.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	137	26.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	91	87* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	58	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	60	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,684
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	233
Children receiving child care subsidies	190
Families served by the First Steps program	32
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	32

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Bell County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

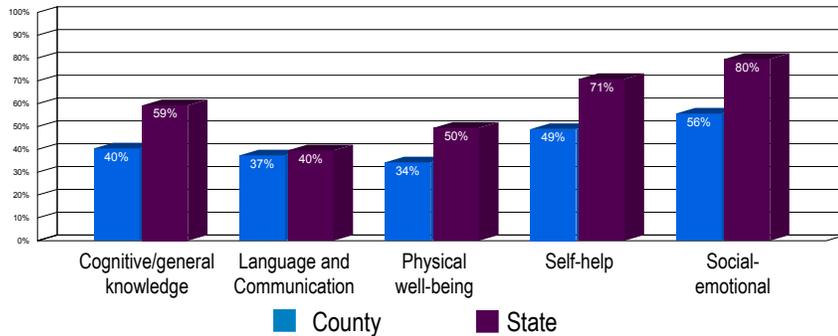
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	131
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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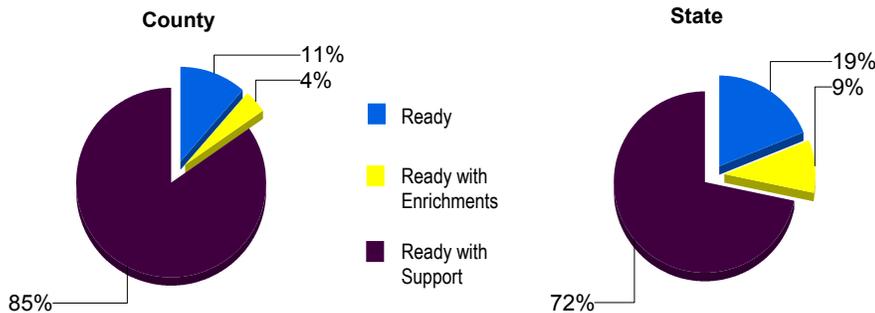
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	995
Number of children 3-4 years old	677
Percent of children below 100% poverty	41.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	54.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	63.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	104
Number of child care spaces in the county	575
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	251
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	215
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	25
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	11
Public preschool enrollment	132
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	62
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	53
Other	17
Head Start enrollment	163
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	22
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	137
Other	4
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	363

Third Grade Assessment Results

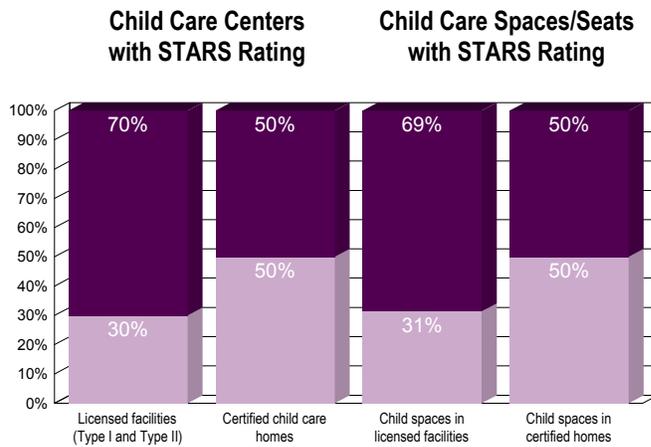
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	County	State
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Reading	45.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Child Care Centers with STARS Rating	Child Care Spaces/Seats with STARS Rating
STARS	3	177
Not STARS	7	386

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	8
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	12

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,672	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	795	41.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,045	54.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	227	14.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	103	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	195	1.8% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	321	28.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	225	78* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	110	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	138	12.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,291
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	627
Children receiving child care subsidies	251
Families served by the First Steps program	33
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	104

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Boone County

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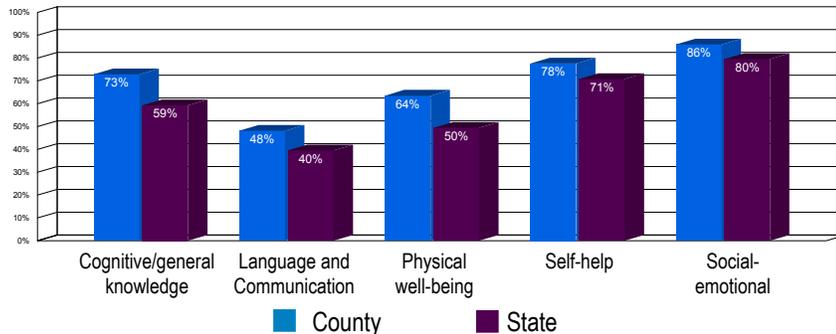
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	85
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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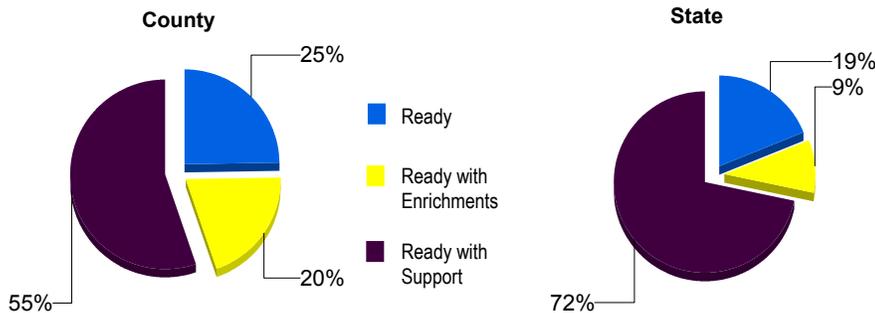
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	5,285
Number of children 3-4 years old	3,774
Percent of children below 100% poverty	11.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	18.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	27.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	271
Number of child care spaces in the county	7,633
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1748
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1653
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	68
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	27
Public preschool enrollment	437
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	270
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	167
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	66
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	66
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	1,565

Third Grade Assessment Results

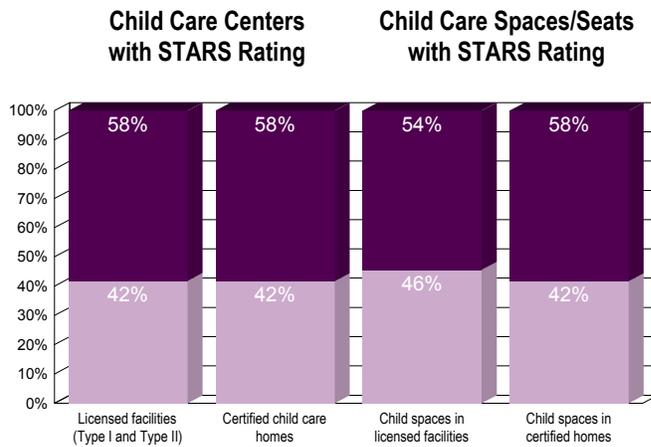
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Math	51.7%	42.8%
Reading	60.2%	49.4%

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STARS	28	5	3,450	30
Not STARS	39	7	4,111	42

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	23
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	44
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	25
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	31

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	9,059	7.4% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,199	11.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,962	18.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	160	2.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	195	0.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	3,266	7.8% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	608	13.5% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	377	34* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	296	6.0% 9.0%
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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	6,529
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,008
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,748
Families served by the First Steps program	369
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	271

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Bourbon County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

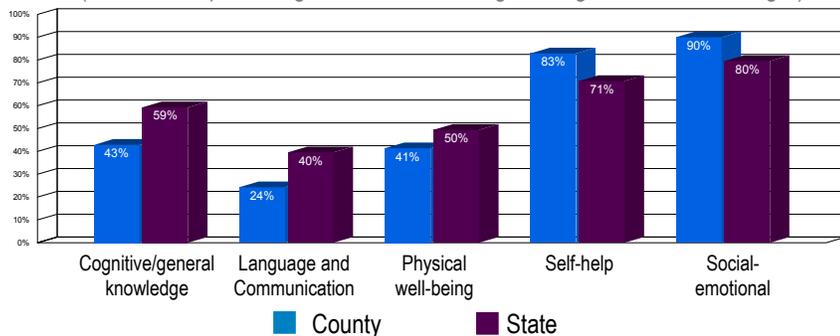
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	70
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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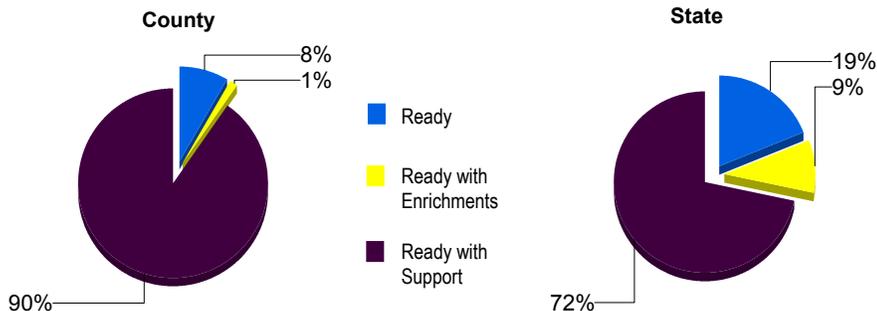
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	721
Number of children 3-4 years old	508
Percent of children below 100% poverty	28.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	39.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	45.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	55
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,291
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	370
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	338
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	1
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	31
Public preschool enrollment	135
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	25
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	65
Other	45
Head Start enrollment	193
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	24
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	169
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	261

Third Grade Assessment Results

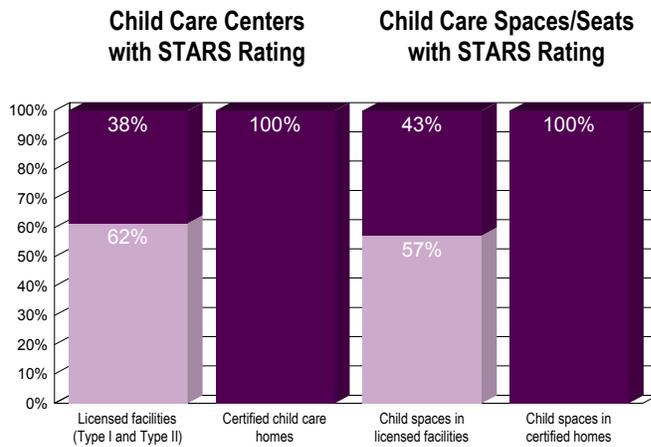
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	41.9%	42.8%
Reading	49.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	8	0	730	0
Not STARS	5	3	543	18

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	8
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	6
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	2
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	20
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,229	6.1% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	388	28.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	543	39.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	143	13.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	82	1.7% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	587	7.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	188	25.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	116	62* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	67	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	82	11.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,873
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	326
Children receiving child care subsidies	370
Families served by the First Steps program	41
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	55

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Boyd County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

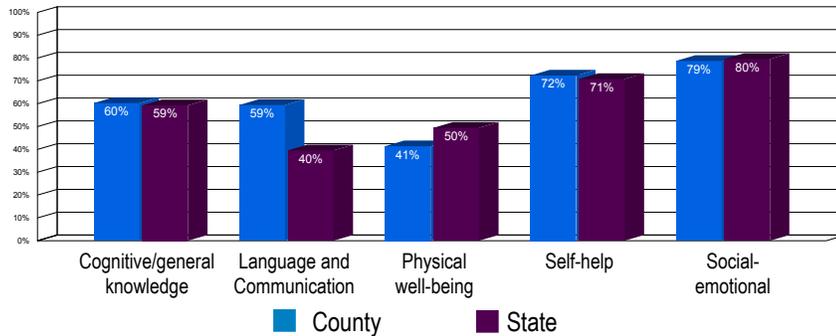
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	5
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	249
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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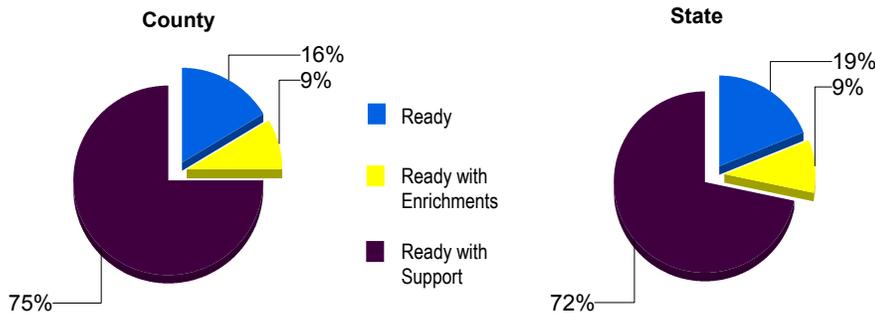
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,705
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,153
Percent of children below 100% poverty	30.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	39.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	48.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	37
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,644
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	671
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	667
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	1
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	3
Public preschool enrollment	140
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	73
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	34
Other	33
Head Start enrollment	320
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	61
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	251
Other	8
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	578

Third Grade Assessment Results

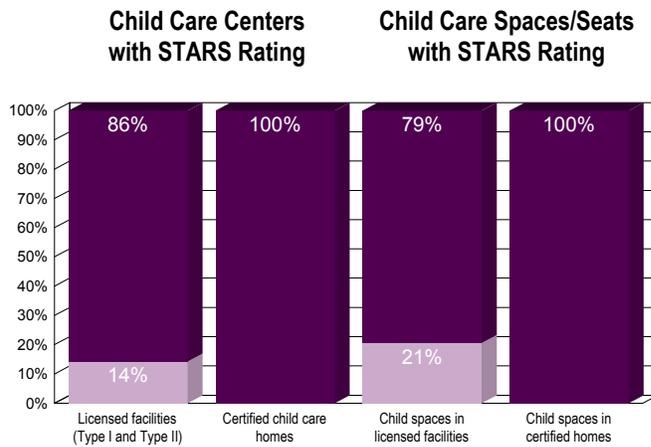
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	County	State
Math	55.5%	42.8%
Reading	55.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	338	0
Not STARS	18	1	1,300	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	7
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	13
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	10
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,858	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,042	30.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,324	39.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	160	6.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	229	2.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	496	2.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	287	18.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	231	55* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	177	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	248	15.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,628
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	582
Children receiving child care subsidies	671
Families served by the First Steps program	101
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	37

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Boyle County

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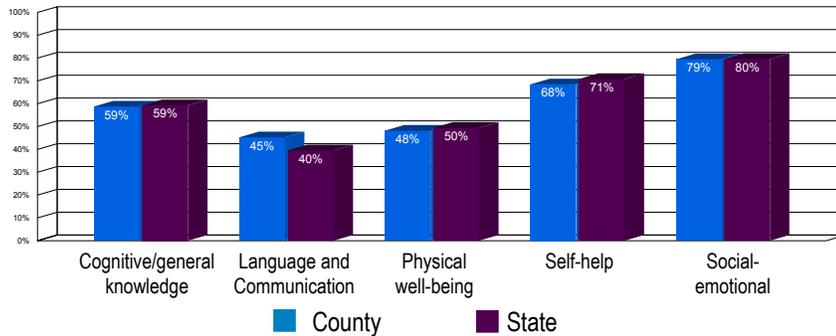
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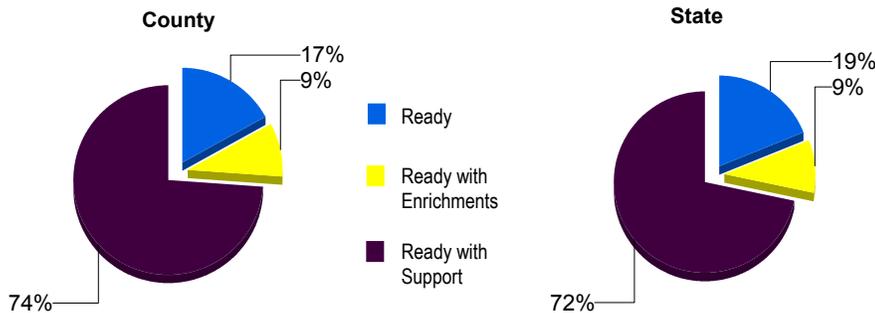
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	849
Number of children 3-4 years old	653
Percent of children below 100% poverty	32.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	37.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	52.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	45
Number of child care spaces in the county	992
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	398
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	297
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	47
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	54
Public preschool enrollment	232
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	70
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	145
Other	17
Head Start enrollment	18
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	18
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	344

Third Grade Assessment Results

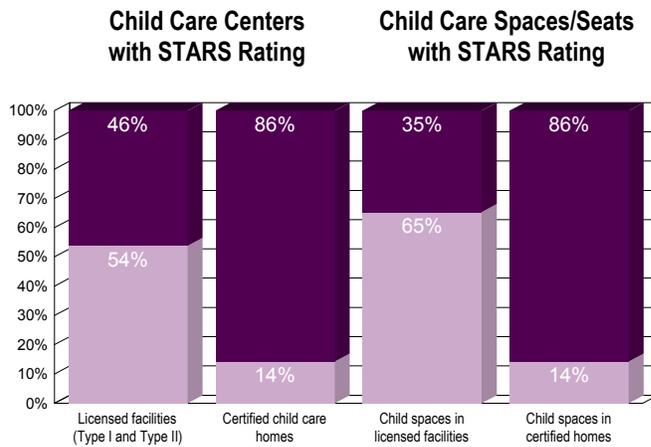
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Math	56.5%	42.8%
Reading	61.1%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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Not STARS	6	6	329	36

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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,502	5.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	629	32.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	736	37.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	32	2.4% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	71	1.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	542	5.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	176	19.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	128	41 * 50 *
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	70	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	96	10.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,397
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	377
Children receiving child care subsidies	398
Families served by the First Steps program	38
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	45

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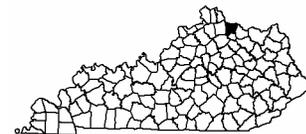
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Bracken County



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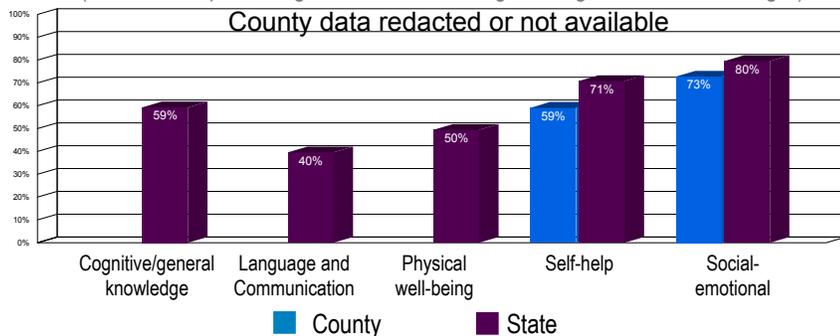
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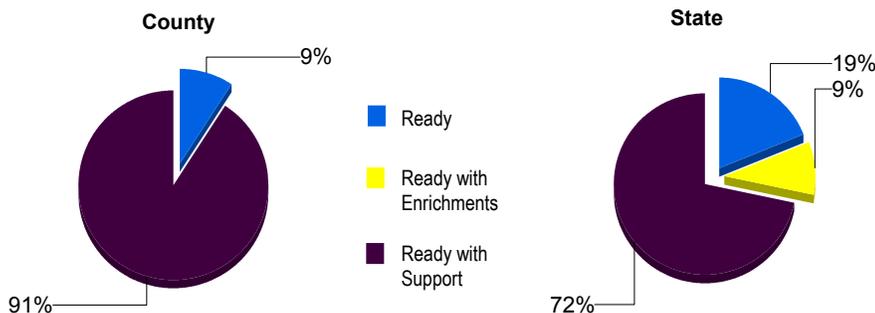
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	325
Number of children 3-4 years old	262
Percent of children below 100% poverty	38.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	61.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	64.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	22
Number of child care spaces in the county	160
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	112
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	110
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	2
Public preschool enrollment	66
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	47
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	19
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	18
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	3
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	15
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	112

Third Grade Assessment Results

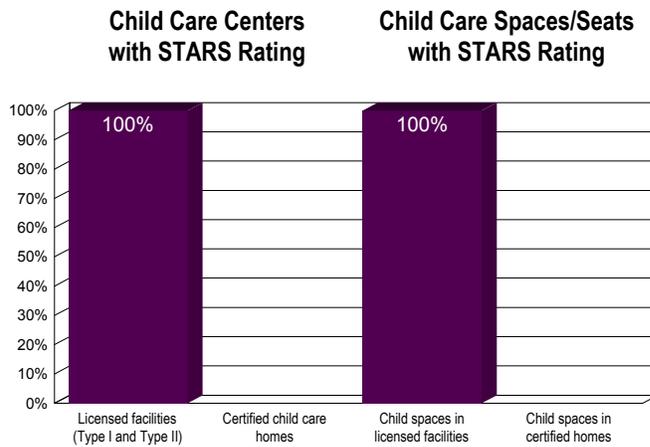
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Reading	44.1%	49.4%

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STARS	0	0	0	0
Not STARS	4	0	160	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
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Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	587 6.9%	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	253 38.2%	29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	407 61.5%	41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	61 2.8%	1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	54 1.8%	5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	62 17.5%	20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	46 52*	50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	34 10.0%	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	54 15.0%	12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	894
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	139
Children receiving child care subsidies	112
Families served by the First Steps program	33
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	22

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

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Breathitt County



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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

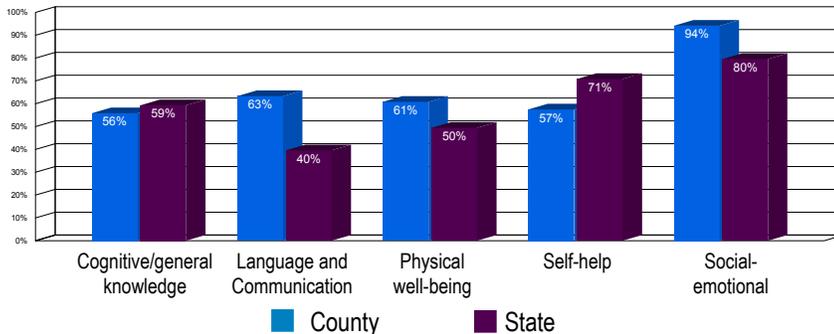
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	2
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Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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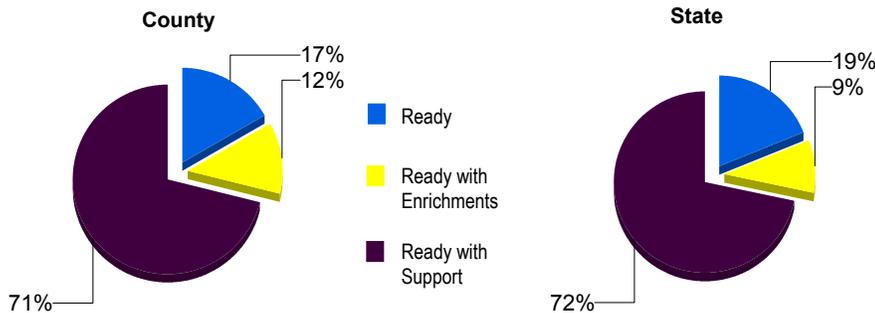
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	478
Number of children 3-4 years old	347
Percent of children below 100% poverty	46.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	55.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	69.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	156
Number of child care spaces in the county	125
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	28
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	26
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	2
Public preschool enrollment	225
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	129
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	68
Other	28
Head Start enrollment	60
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	8
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	51
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	197

Third Grade Assessment Results

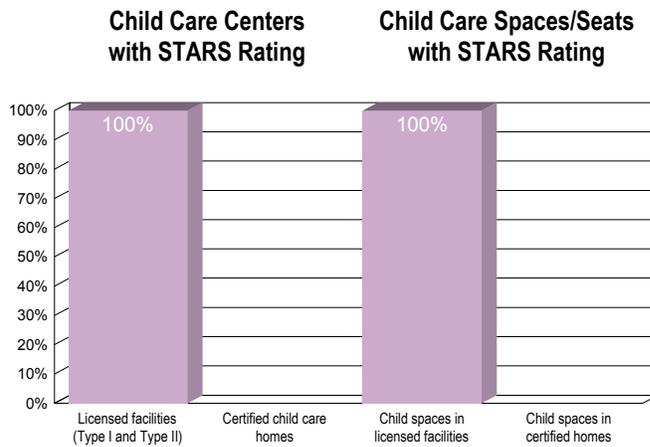
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	County	State
Math		42.8%
Reading		49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	3	0	125	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	9
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	4
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	825	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	480	46.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	570	55.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	49	6.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	43	1.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	107	2.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	173	31.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	94	62* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	49	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	65	12.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,286
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	369
Children receiving child care subsidies	28
Families served by the First Steps program	43
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	156

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Community Early Childhood Council

United 4 Kids CECC (Lee, Wolfe, Owsley, Breathitt)

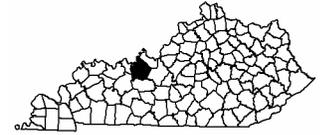
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Breckinridge County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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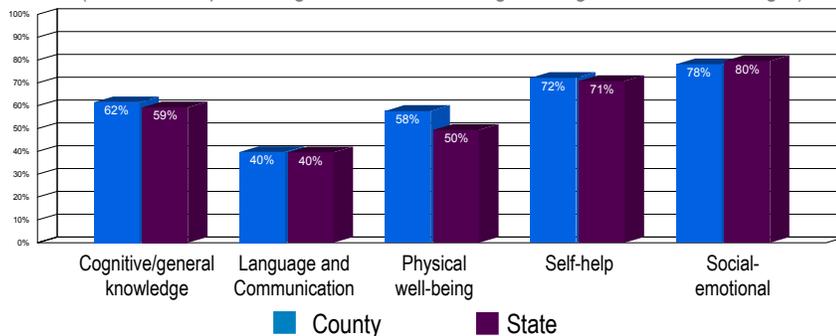
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	5
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	234
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

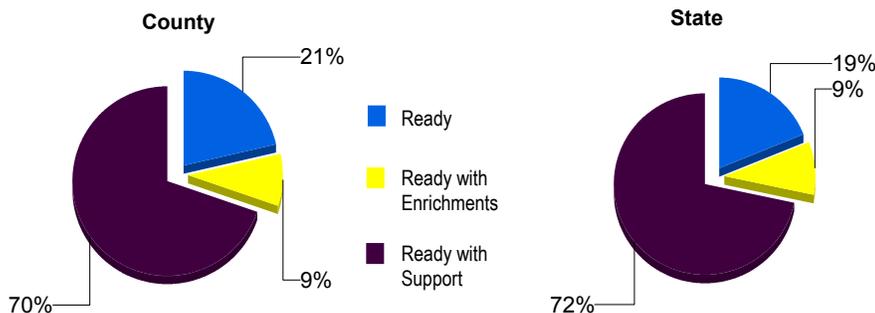
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	710
Number of children 3-4 years old	512
Percent of children below 100% poverty	21.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	31.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	46.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	71
Number of child care spaces in the county	372
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	79
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	73
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	1
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	5
Public preschool enrollment	27
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	15
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	12
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	134
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	17
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	113
Other	4
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	239

Third Grade Assessment Results

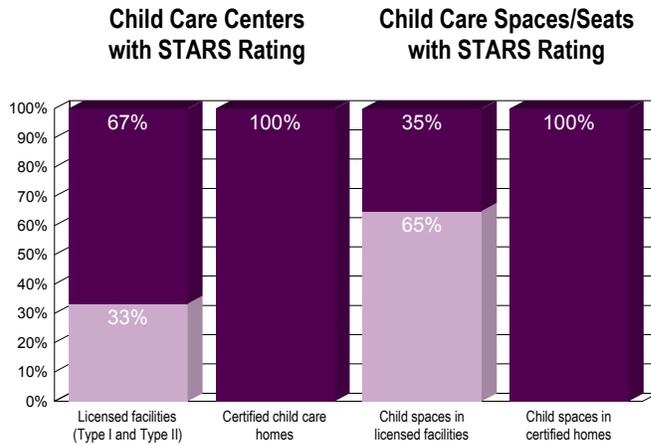
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	47.5%	42.8%
Reading	50.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	238	0
Not STARS	4	1	128	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	2
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	5
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,222	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	300	21.1% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	447	31.4% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	55	5.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	15	0.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	172	2.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	173	25.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	79	44* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	49	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	83	12.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,936
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	441
Children receiving child care subsidies	79
Families served by the First Steps program	43
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	71

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Community Early Childhood Council

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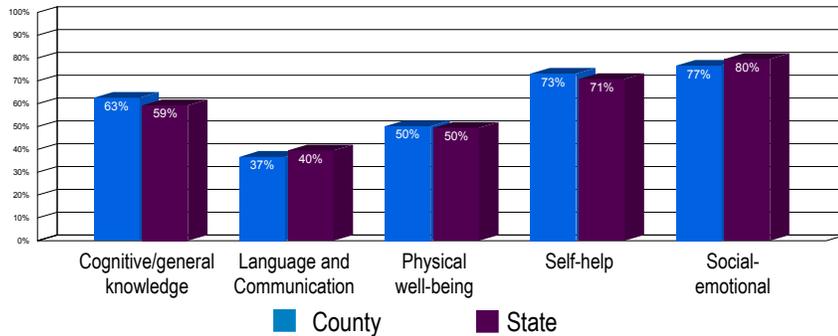
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	351
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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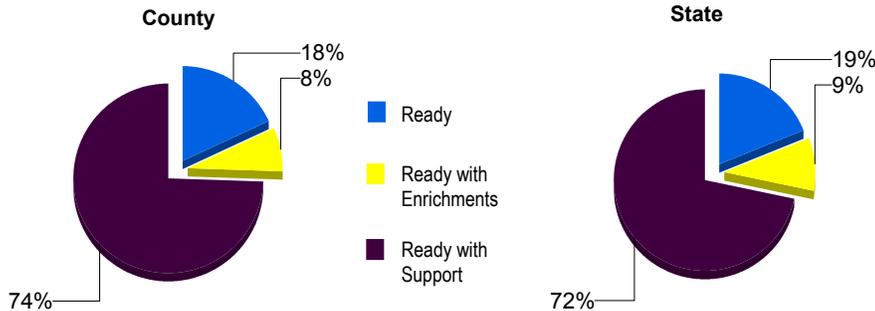
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	2,531
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,946
Percent of children below 100% poverty	17.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	34.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	44.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	99
Number of child care spaces in the county	3,319
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1288
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1194
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	25
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	35
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	34
Public preschool enrollment	388
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	163
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	225
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	92
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	2
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	89
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	899

Third Grade Assessment Results

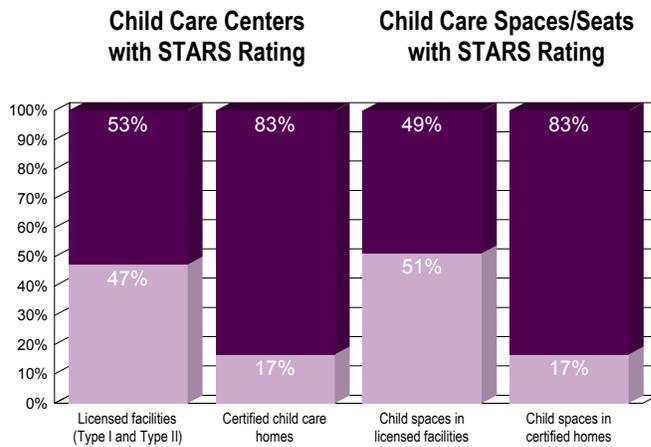
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Not STARS	20	5	1,602	30

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Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	5

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	4,477	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	928	17.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,806	34.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	50	1.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	236	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	739	2.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	296	13.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	226	30* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	197	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	257	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,955
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,017
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,288
Families served by the First Steps program	194
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	99

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Community Early Childhood Council

Rural KIPDA CECC (Bullitt, Shelby, Spencer, Henry, Oldham, Trimble)

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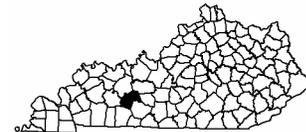
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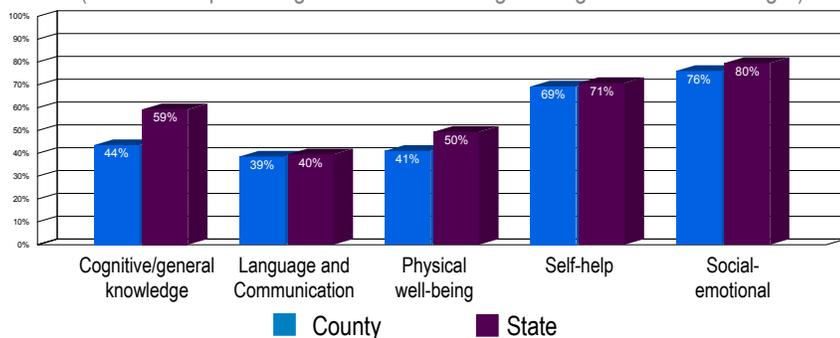
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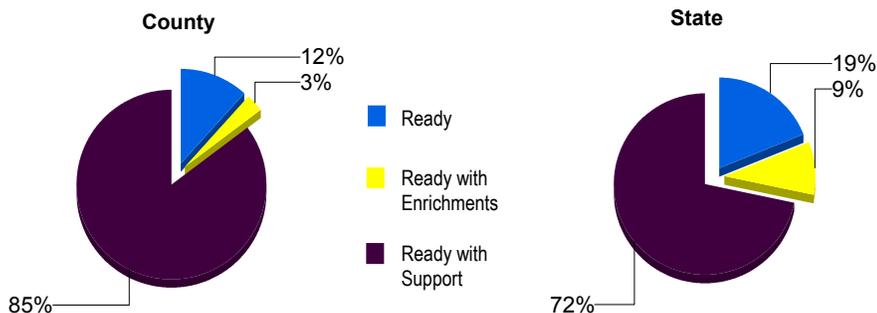
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Highlights

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Number of children 3-4 years old	345
Percent of children below 100% poverty	30.3%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	44.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	59.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	12
Number of child care spaces in the county	126
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	88
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	79
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	9
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	65
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	28
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	31
Other	6
Head Start enrollment	34
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	1
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	33
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	137

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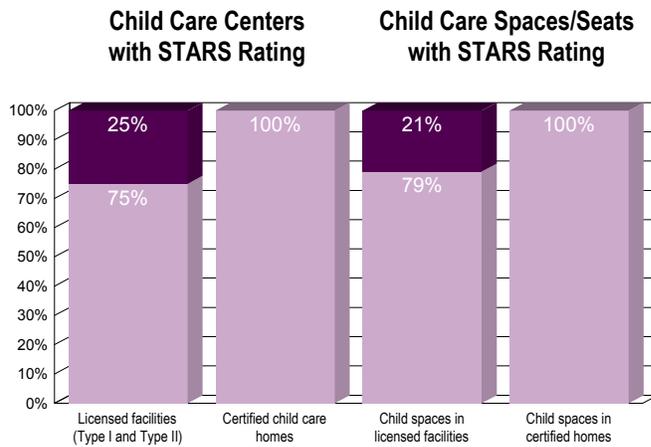
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STARS	3	1	95	6
Not STARS	1	0	25	0

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	3

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	852	6.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	291	30.3% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	431	44.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	43	6.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	86	2.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	92	1.8% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	120	23.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	79	69* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	55	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	76	15.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,395
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	256
Children receiving child care subsidies	88
Families served by the First Steps program	30
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	12

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

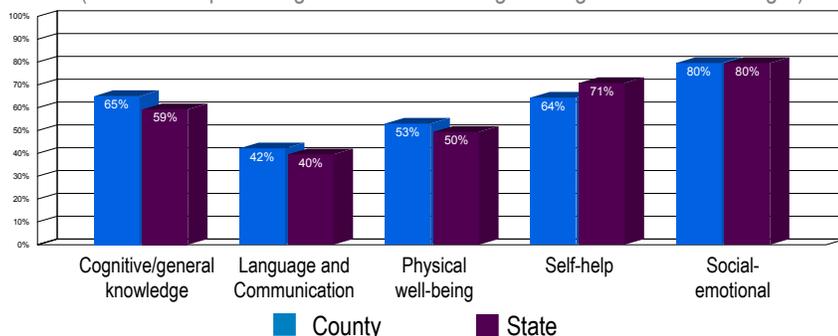
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	166
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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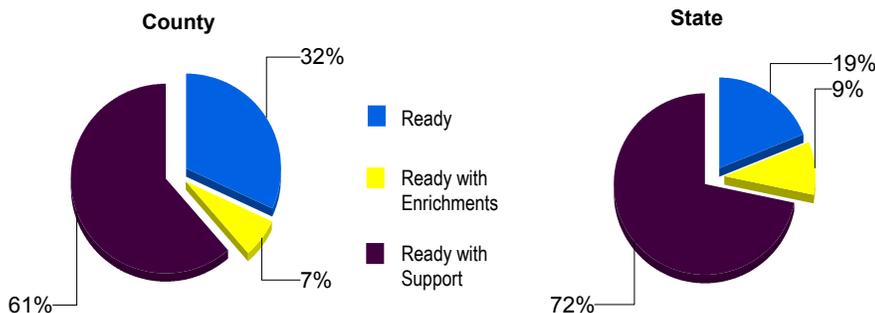
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	476
Number of children 3-4 years old	342
Percent of children below 100% poverty	40.2%
Below 150% poverty	45.3%
Below 200% poverty	53.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	61
Number of child care spaces in the county	264
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	72
CCAP at Licensed Centers	72
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	0
CCAP at Registered Providers	0
Public preschool enrollment	98
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	29
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	69
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	34
3s and 4s with disabilities	0
3s and 4s income eligible	34
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	155

Third Grade Assessment Results

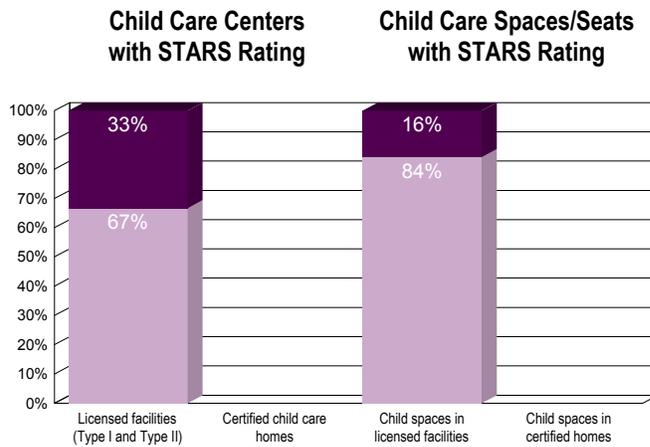
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	49.0%	42.8%
Reading	50.3%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	4	0	222	0
Not STARS	2	0	42	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	7
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	4
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	10

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	818	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	360	40.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	406	45.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	31	5.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	redacted	redacted 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	179	3.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	81	18.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	80	66* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	41	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	67	15.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,236
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	239
Children receiving child care subsidies	72
Families served by the First Steps program	27
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	61

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Calloway County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

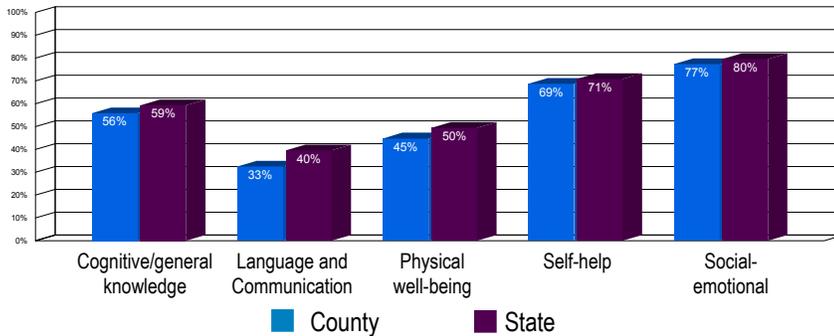
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	2
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	163
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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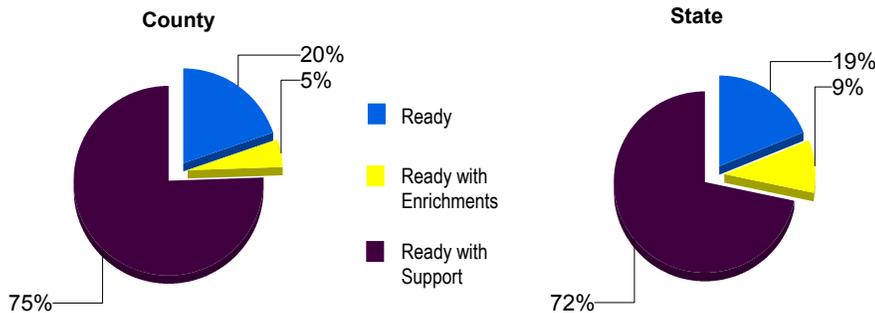
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,171
Number of children 3-4 years old	778
Percent of children below 100% poverty	18.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	33.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	50.9%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	84
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,818
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	594
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	576
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	18
Public preschool enrollment	223
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	75
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	122
Other	26
Head Start enrollment	112
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	12
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	100
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	362

Third Grade Assessment Results

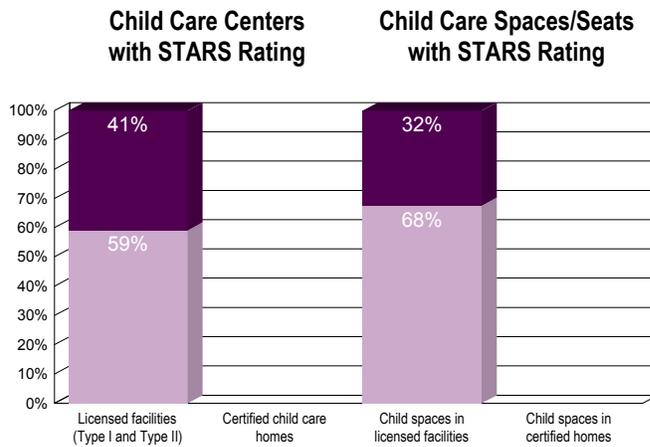
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	58.4%	42.8%
Reading	64.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	13	0	1,228	0
Not STARS	9	0	590	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	9
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	8
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	7
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,949	5.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	381	18.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	700	33.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	23	1.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	71	1.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,074	7.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	137	11.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	127	23* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	80	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	118	10.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,348
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	504
Children receiving child care subsidies	594
Families served by the First Steps program	99
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	84

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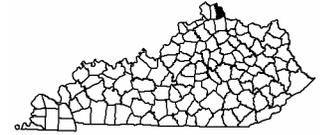
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Campbell County

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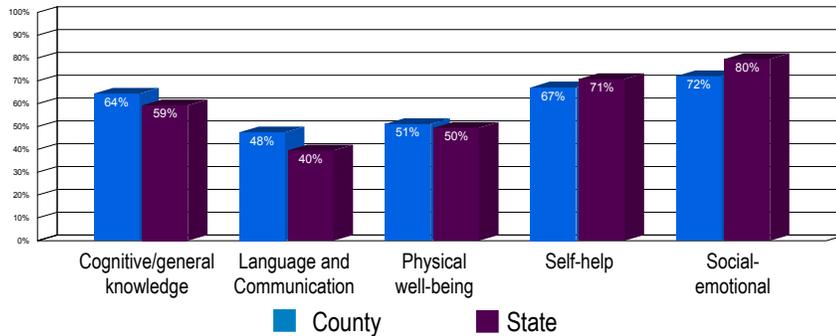
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	12
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	730
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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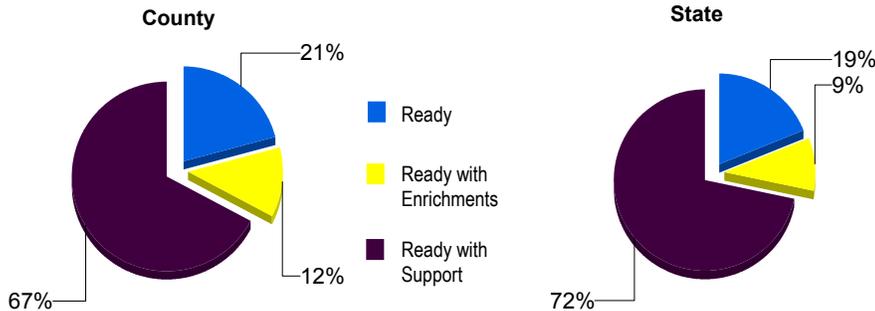
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	3,488
Number of children 3-4 years old	2,260
Percent of children below 100% poverty	18.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	25.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	36.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	235
Number of child care spaces in the county	3,745
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1484
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1377
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	76
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	31
Public preschool enrollment	497
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	283
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	139
Other	75
Head Start enrollment	173
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	7
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	166
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	930

Third Grade Assessment Results

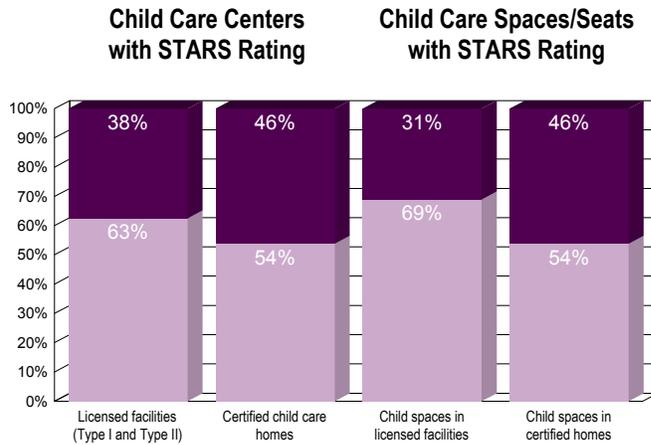
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Reading	53.9%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	30	7	2,528	42
Not STARS	18	6	1,139	36

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	22
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	12
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	16
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	31
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	13
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	27

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	5,748	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,222	18.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,707	25.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	145	3.9% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	208	1.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,788	5.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	510	18.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	369	38* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	189	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	265	9.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	5,485
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	710
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,484
Families served by the First Steps program	225
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	235

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Carlisle County

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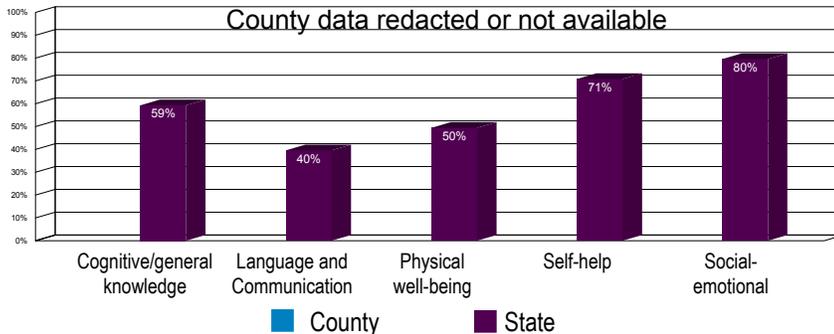
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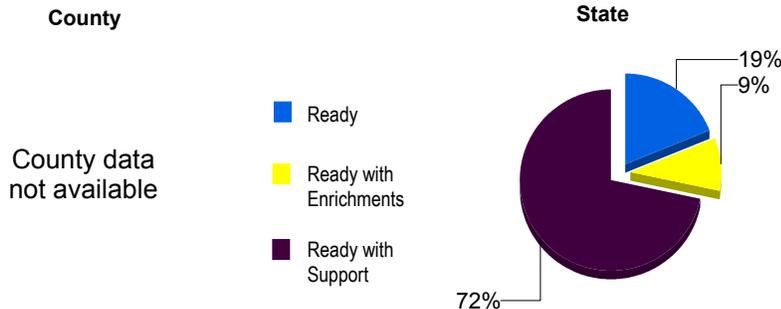
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	160
Number of children 3-4 years old	140
Percent of children below 100% poverty	26.6%
Below 150% poverty	38.3%
Below 200% poverty	50.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	10
Number of child care spaces in the county	30
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	13
CCAP at Licensed Centers	8
CCAP at Licensed Homes	2
CCAP at Certified Homes	0
CCAP at Registered Providers	3
Public preschool enrollment	55
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	41
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	8
Other	6
Head Start enrollment	19
3s and 4s with disabilities	2
3s and 4s income eligible	17
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	63

Third Grade Assessment Results

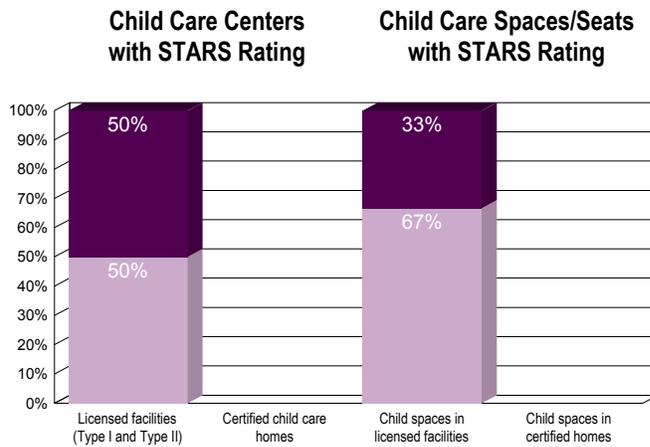
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Reading	46.4%	49.4%

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STARS	1	0	20	0
Not STARS	1	0	10	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	300 5.9%	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	105 26.6%	29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	151 38.3%	41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	31 2.7%	1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	58 2.9%	5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	37 20.1%	20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	13 29*	50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	17 9.0%	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	19 10.0%	12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	457
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	105
Children receiving child care subsidies	13
Families served by the First Steps program	10
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	10

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

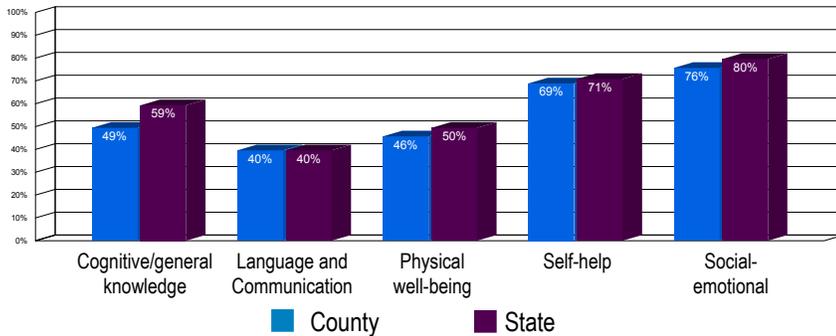
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	164
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

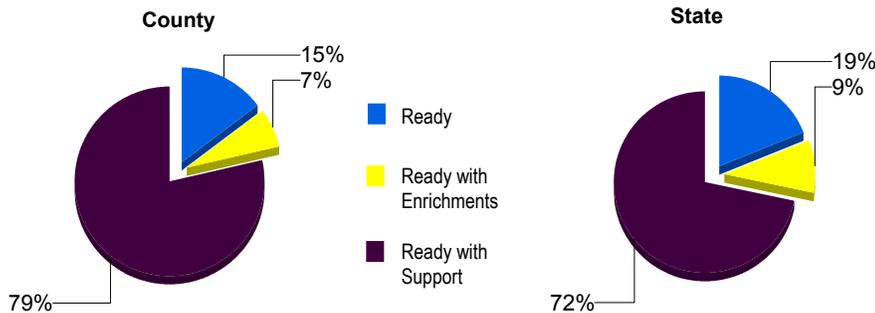
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	530
Number of children 3-4 years old	308
Percent of children below 100% poverty	40.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	55.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	65.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	67
Number of child care spaces in the county	174
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	0
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	47
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	21
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	26
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	105
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	17
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	87
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	173

Third Grade Assessment Results

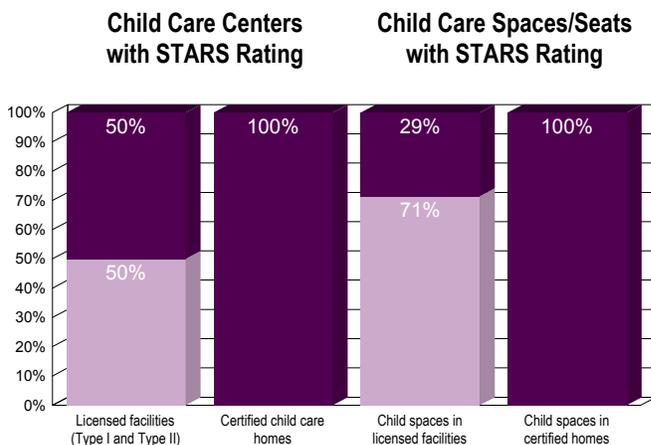
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	33.1%	42.8%
Reading	46.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	0	120	0
Not STARS	1	1	48	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	838	7.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	346	40.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	469	55.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	14	2.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	60	2.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	313	7.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	156	29.7% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	91	87* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	41	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	58	11.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,376
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	157
Children receiving child care subsidies	0
Families served by the First Steps program	29
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	67

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Carter County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

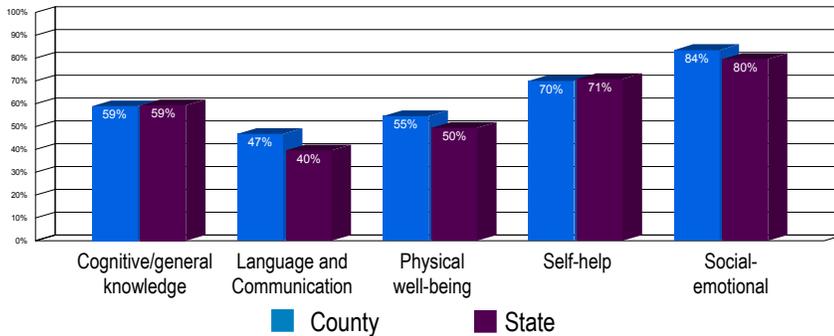
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	6
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	370
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

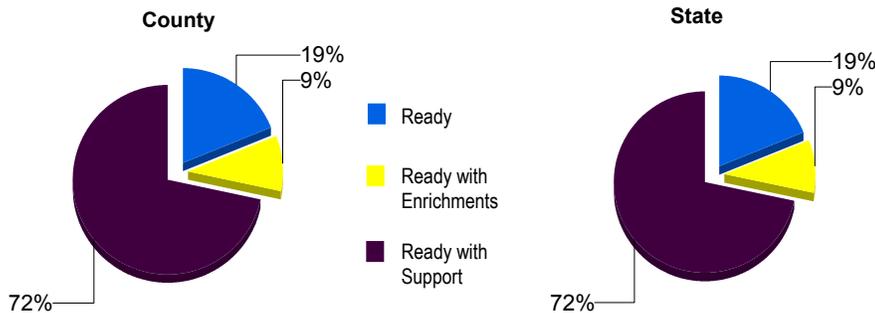
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	996
Number of children 3-4 years old	697
Percent of children below 100% poverty	29.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	49.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	60.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	63
Number of child care spaces in the county	336
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	176
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	150
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	16
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	10
Public preschool enrollment	203
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	49
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	62
Other	92
Head Start enrollment	143
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	20
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	123
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	414

Third Grade Assessment Results

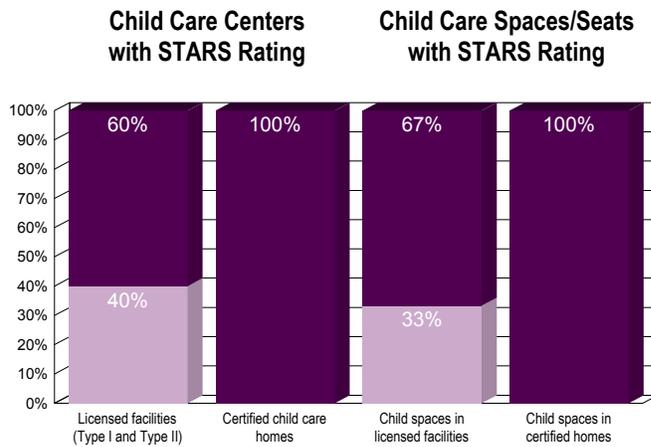
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	County	State
Math	35.0%	42.8%
Reading	49.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	108	0
Not STARS	3	2	216	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	5
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	8
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,693	6.1% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	527	29.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	895	49.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	204	13.8% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	133	2.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	120	1.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	192	19.9% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	136	46* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	93	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	128	13.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,361
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	566
Children receiving child care subsidies	176
Families served by the First Steps program	55
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	63

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Casey County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

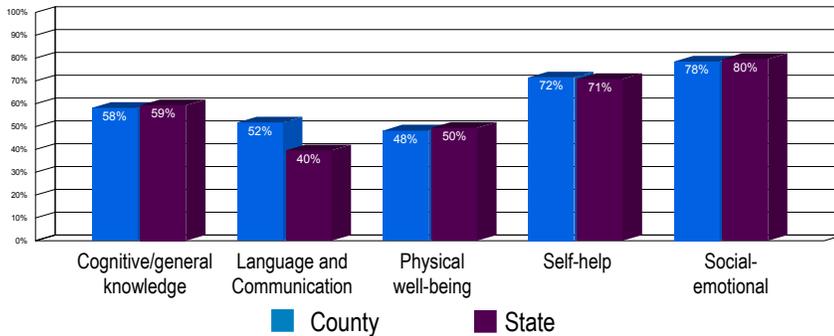
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	3
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	172
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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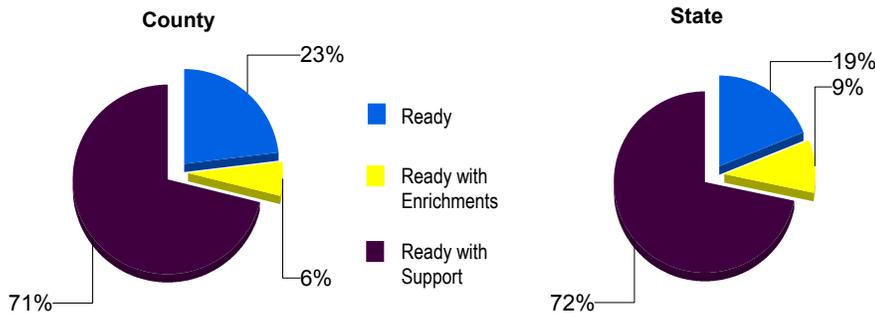
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	642
Number of children 3-4 years old	379
Percent of children below 100% poverty	41.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	60.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	67.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	55
Number of child care spaces in the county	333
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	125
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	123
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	2
Public preschool enrollment	63
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	19
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	44
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	67
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	6
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	60
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	168

Third Grade Assessment Results

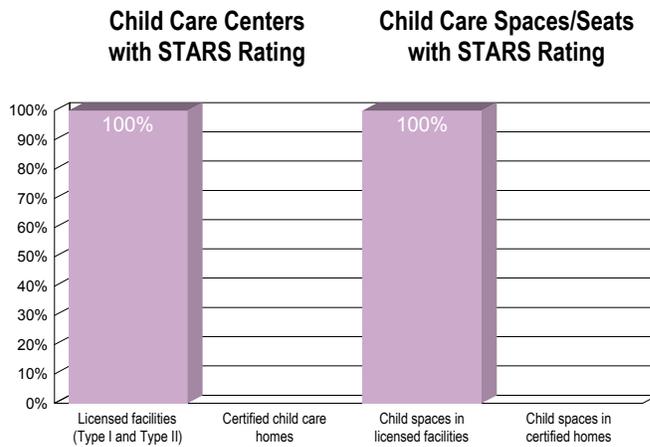
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Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	7	0	333	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	8
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	9
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	10
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	2

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,021	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	517	41.6%
Children living below 150% poverty line	755	60.7%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	45	1.2%
Households with a non-English language in home	140	2.3%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	198	33.8%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	82	55*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	47	8.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	59	10.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,914
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	384
Children receiving child care subsidies	125
Families served by the First Steps program	32
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	55

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Christian County



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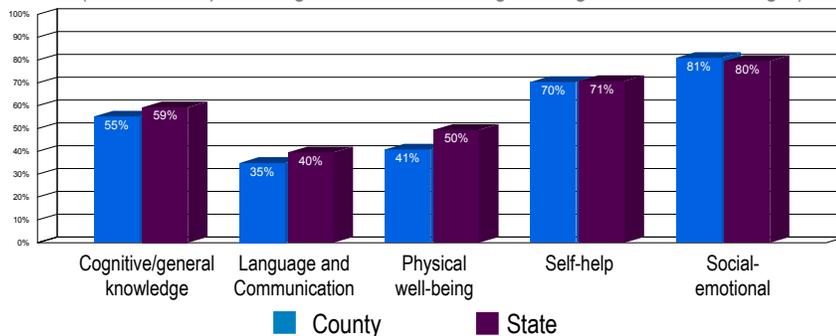
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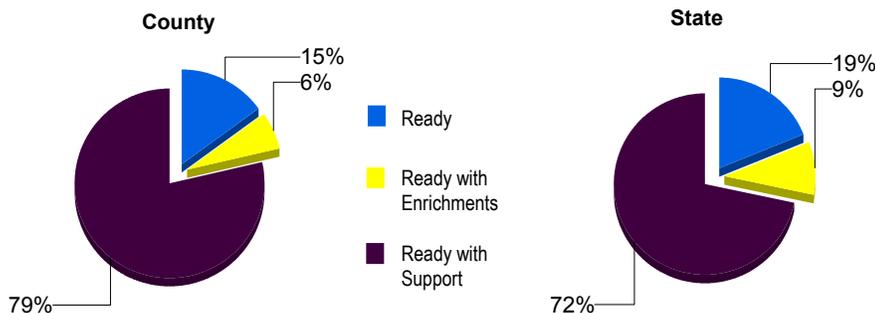
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	4,275
Number of children 3-4 years old	2,860
Percent of children below 100% poverty	35.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	53.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	68.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	104
Number of child care spaces in the county	2,738
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1832
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1412
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	22
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	220
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	178
Public preschool enrollment	398
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	117
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	268
Other	13
Head Start enrollment	282
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	13
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	269
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	860

Third Grade Assessment Results

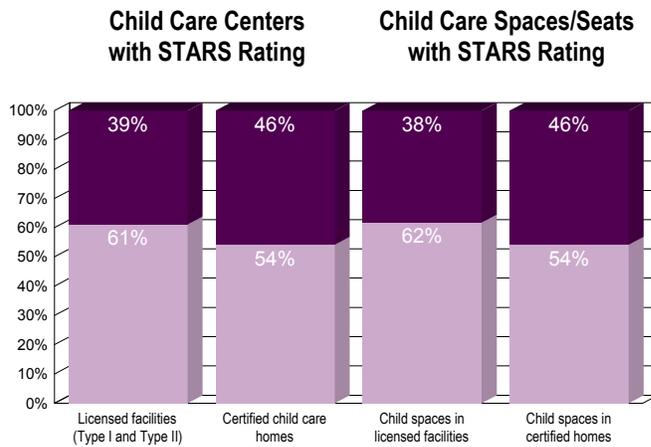
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Not STARS	14	11	992	66

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	21
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	43
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	19
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	27

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	7,135	9.7% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	2,861	35.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	4,312	53.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	159	4.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	88	0.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,945	7.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	822	17.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	561	86* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	438	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	581	12.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	6,510
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	980
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,832
Families served by the First Steps program	158
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	104

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

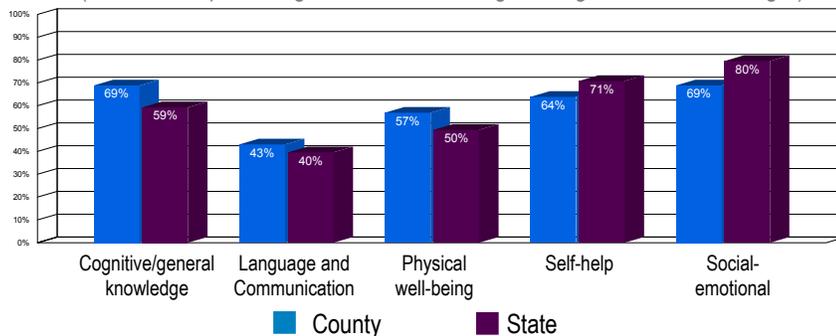
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	4
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	202
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

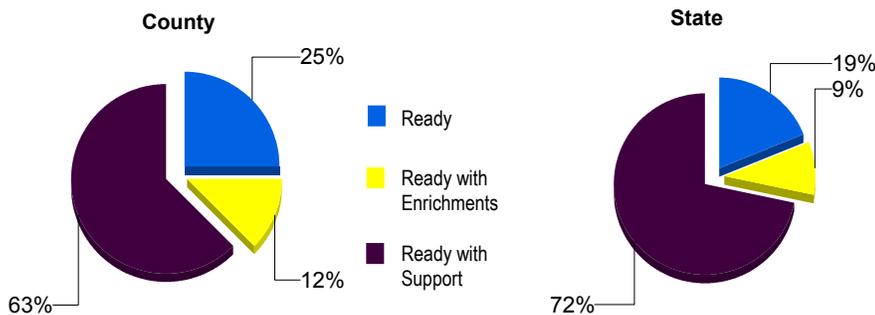
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,320
Number of children 3-4 years old	896
Percent of children below 100% poverty	26.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	41.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	47.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	134
Number of child care spaces in the county	2,237
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	811
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	776
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	9
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	26
Public preschool enrollment	155
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	95
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	49
Other	11
Head Start enrollment	153
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	28
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	123
Other	2
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	404

Third Grade Assessment Results

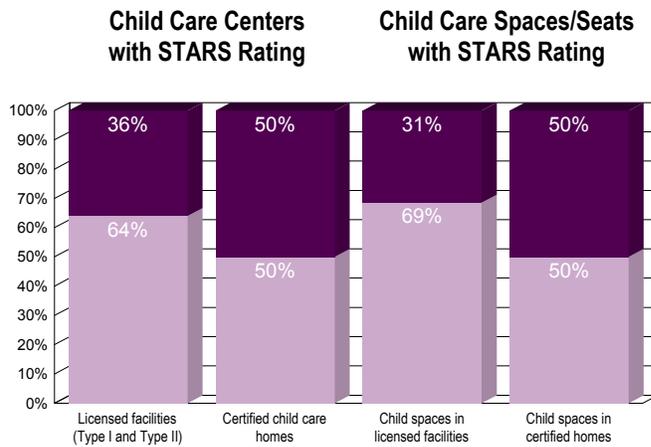
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	46.2%	42.8%
Reading	52.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Child Care Centers with STARS Rating	Child Care Spaces/Seats with STARS Rating
STARS	16	1,526
Not STARS	9	699

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	11
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	14
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	7
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	22
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	25
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,216	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	685	26.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,071	41.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	88	5.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	106	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	622	4.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	292	21.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	175	53* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	145	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	216	16.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,421
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	422
Children receiving child care subsidies	811
Families served by the First Steps program	84
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	134

KIDS NOW Initiative

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

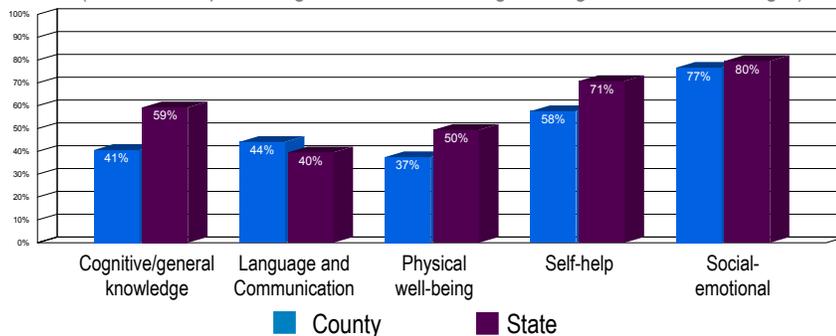
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	7
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	283
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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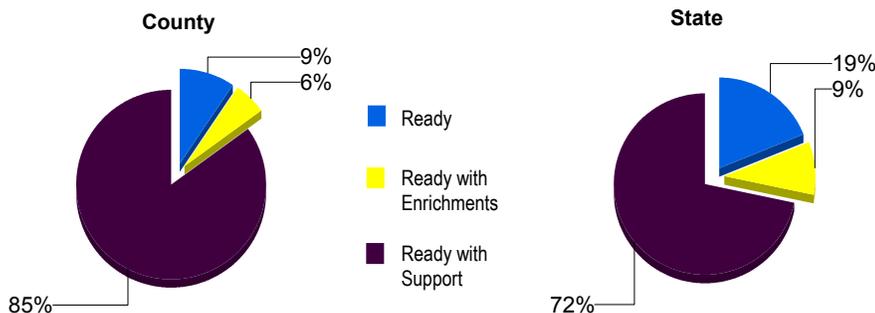
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	743
Number of children 3-4 years old	557
Percent of children below 100% poverty	63.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	70.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	74.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	127
Number of child care spaces in the county	297
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	35
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	29
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	6
Public preschool enrollment	115
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	59
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	43
Other	13
Head Start enrollment	192
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	35
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	154
Other	3
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	280

Third Grade Assessment Results

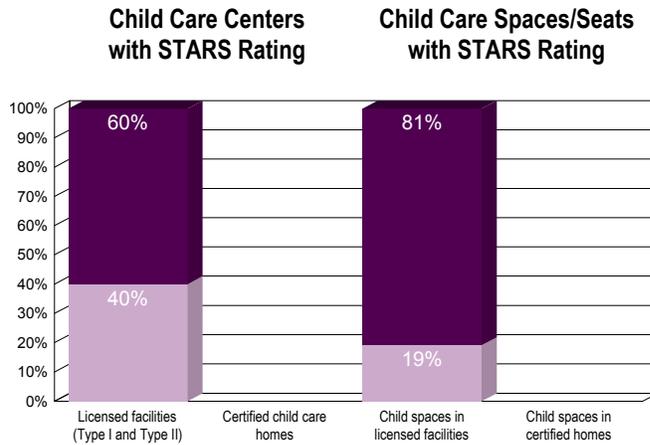
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	County	State
Math	25.1%	42.8%
Reading	46.1%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	57	0
Not STARS	3	0	240	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,300	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	937	63.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,040	70.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	111	9.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	119	2.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	72	1.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	323	38.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	163	67* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	91	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	106	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,510
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	508
Children receiving child care subsidies	35
Families served by the First Steps program	45
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	127

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Clinton County

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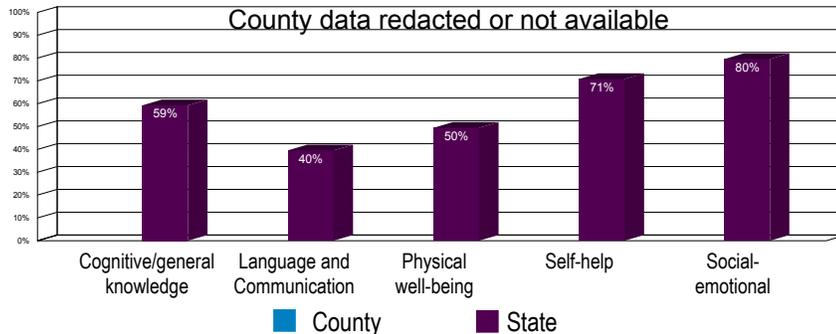
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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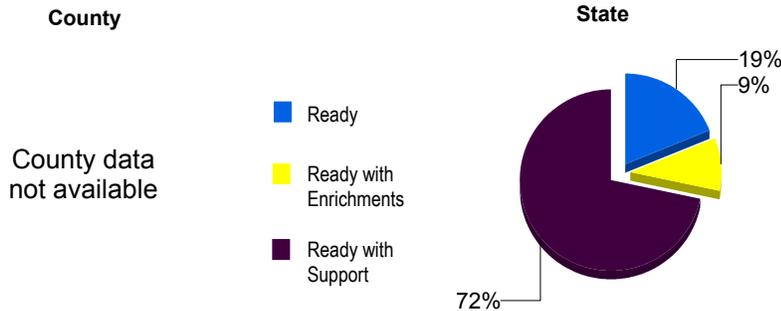
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	391
Number of children 3-4 years old	264
Percent of children below 100% poverty	44.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	74.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	84.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	22
Number of child care spaces in the county	208
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	96
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	82
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	14
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	90
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	38
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	35
Other	17
Head Start enrollment	40
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	5
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	35
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	152

Third Grade Assessment Results

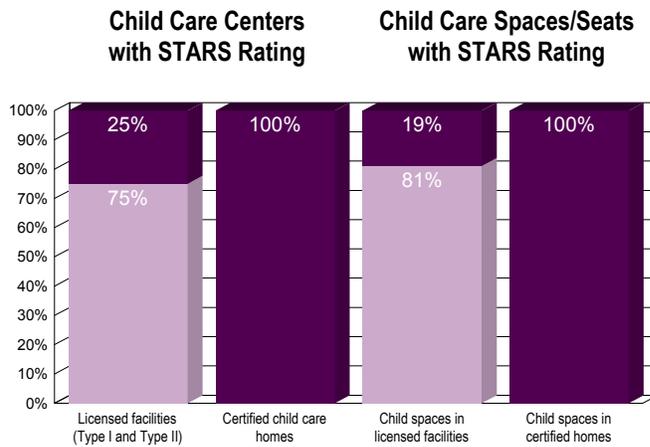
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	County	State
Math	34.1%	42.8%
Reading	36.4%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	154	0
Not STARS	1	3	36	18

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	3
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	655	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	338	44.1%
Children living below 150% poverty line	568	74.2%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0	0.0%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	18	0.7%
Households with a non-English language in home	85	2.1%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	133	31.4%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	71	74*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	38	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	44	10.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,282
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	324
Children receiving child care subsidies	96
Families served by the First Steps program	23
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	22

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Crittenden County

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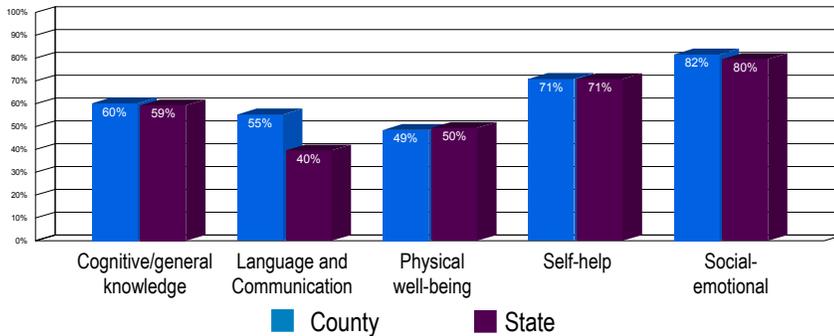
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	103
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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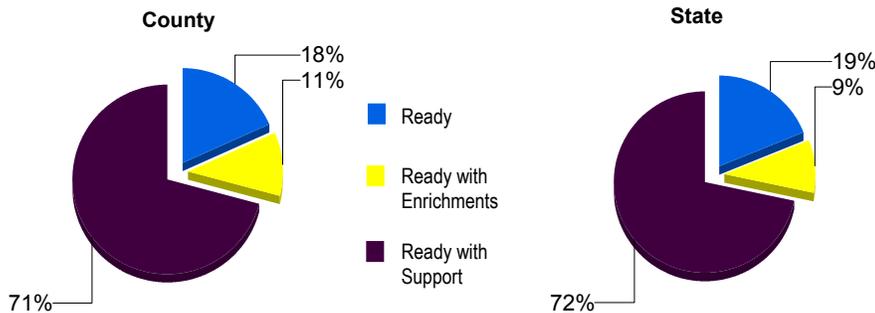
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	357
Number of children 3-4 years old	245
Percent of children below 100% poverty	21.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	43.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	52.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	33
Number of child care spaces in the county	244
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	40
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	40
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	62
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	25
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	27
Other	10
Head Start enrollment	49
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	49
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	102

Third Grade Assessment Results

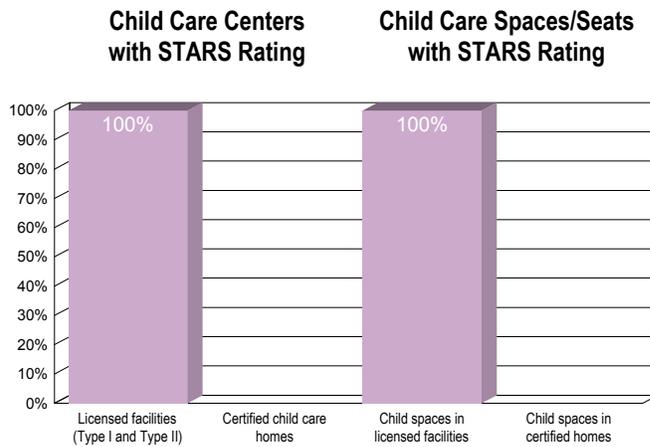
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STARS	4	0	244	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	4
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	4

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	602	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	146	21.0%
Children living below 150% poverty line	304	43.8%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	31	1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	237	6.1%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	106	30.1%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	39	46*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	35	10.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	48	14.0%

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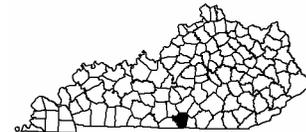
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Cumberland County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

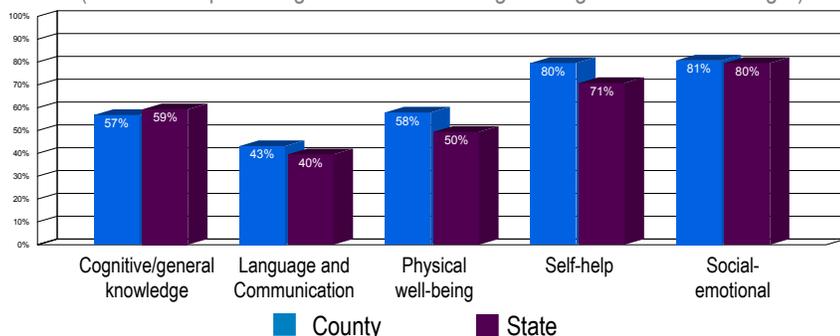
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	88
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

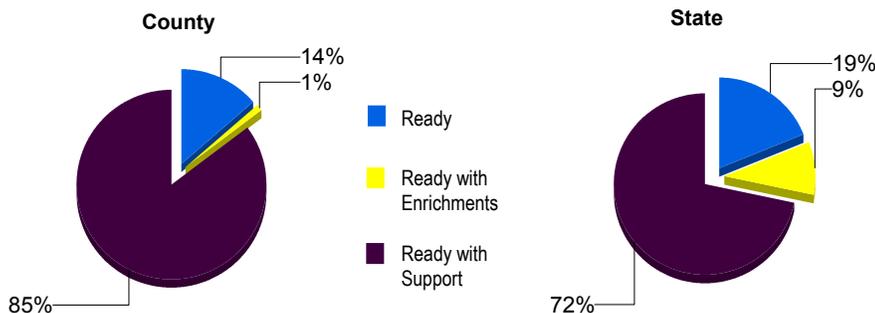
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	246
Number of children 3-4 years old	184
Percent of children below 100% poverty	10.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	58.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	74.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	14
Number of child care spaces in the county	201
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	100
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	86
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	6
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	6
Public preschool enrollment	13
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	8
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	5
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	60
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	14
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	44
Other	2
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	96

Third Grade Assessment Results

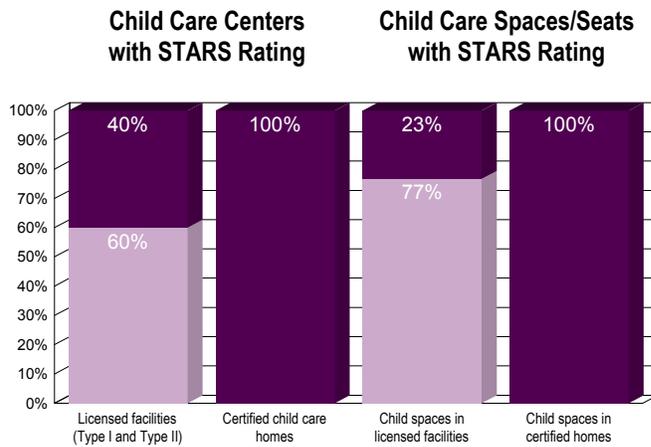
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	18.7%	42.8%
Reading	36.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	3	0	145	0
Not STARS	2	2	44	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	430 6.3%	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	48 10.9%	29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	260 58.8%	41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0 0.0%	4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	redacted	redacted 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	57 2.1%	5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	63 26.0%	20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	47 62*	50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	33 14.0%	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	43 18.0%	12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	817
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	191
Children receiving child care subsidies	100
Families served by the First Steps program	9
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	14

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Daviess County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

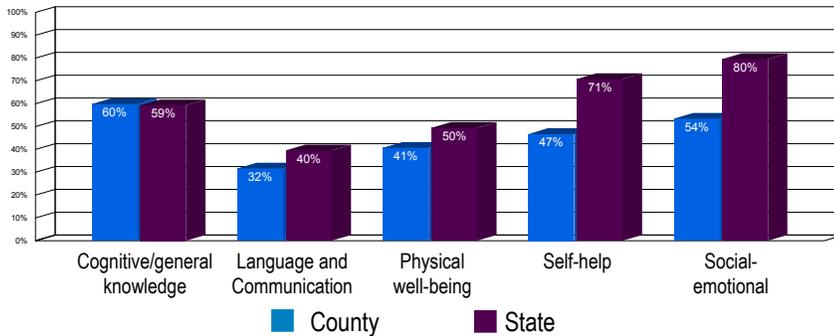
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	11
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	768
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

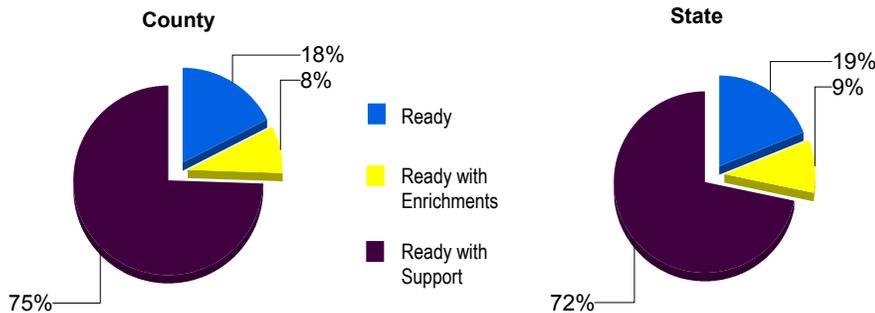
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	3,903
Number of children 3-4 years old	2,769
Percent of children below 100% poverty	22.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	31.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	43.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	185
Number of child care spaces in the county	5,271
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1879
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1832
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	43
Public preschool enrollment	812
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	309
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	434
Other	69
Head Start enrollment	383
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	59
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	323
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	1,242

Third Grade Assessment Results

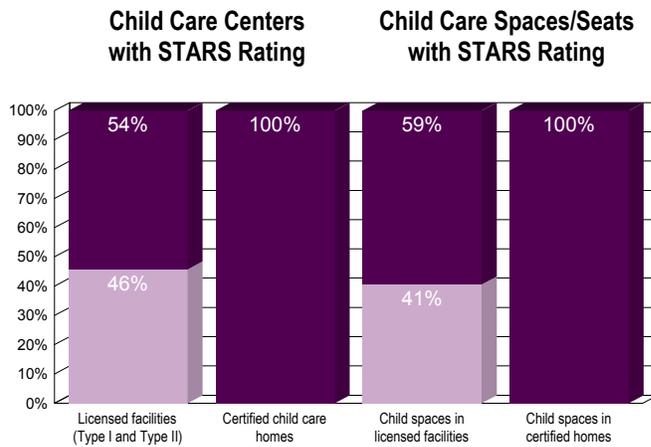
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	49.3%	42.8%
Reading	55.5%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	27	0	2,131	0
Not STARS	32	4	3,116	24

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	18
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	7
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	22
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	32
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	19
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	34

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	6,672	6.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,718	22.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	2,383	31.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	276	5.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	615	2.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,508	4.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	654	16.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	523	55* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	354	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	529	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	8,922
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,553
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,879
Families served by the First Steps program	304
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	185

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Edmonson County

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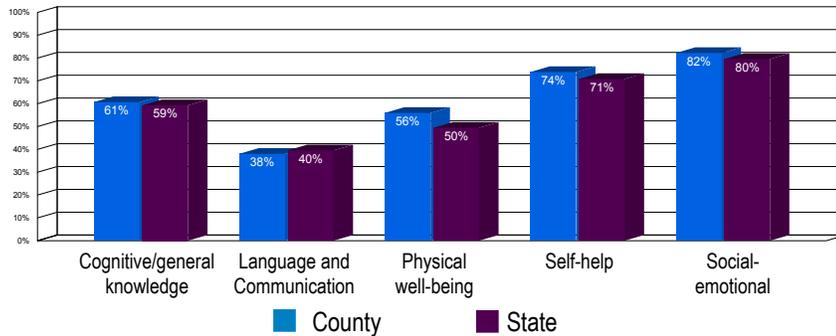
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	84
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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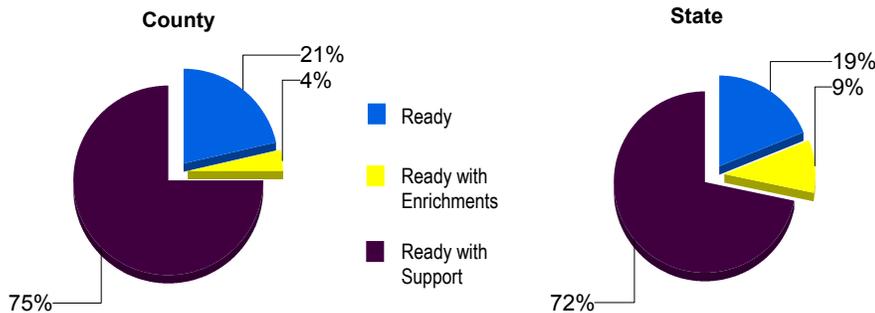
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	391
Number of children 3-4 years old	272
Percent of children below 100% poverty	23.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	53.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	64.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	10
Number of child care spaces in the county	158
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	82
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	82
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	111
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	77
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	34
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	32
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	3
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	29
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	142

Third Grade Assessment Results

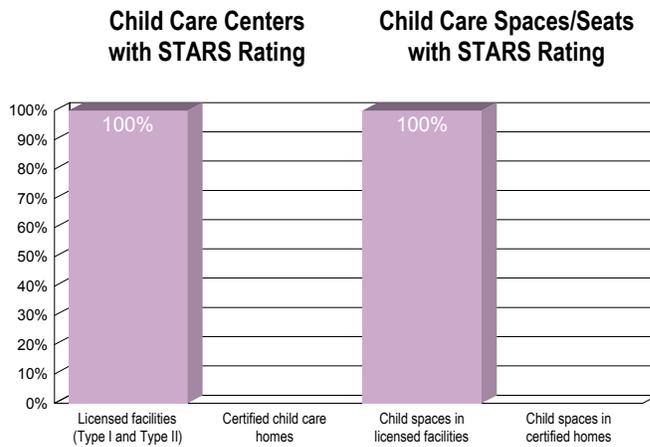
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	County	State
Math	45.8%	42.8%
Reading	51.4%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	158	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	3

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	663	5.5% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	198	23.1% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	454	53.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	19	3.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	37	1.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	197	4.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	53	15.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	51	44* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	30	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	53	15.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,161
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	245
Children receiving child care subsidies	82
Families served by the First Steps program	23
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	10

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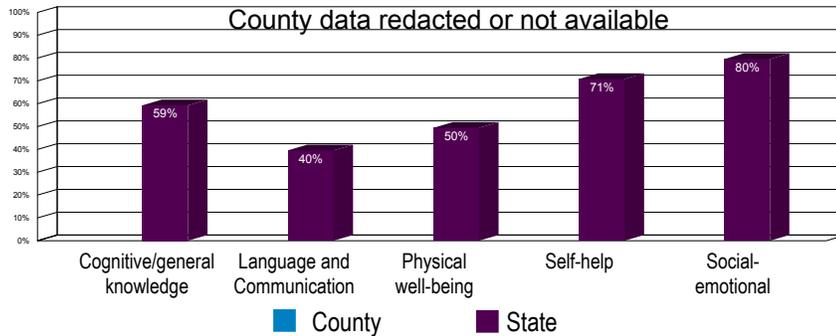
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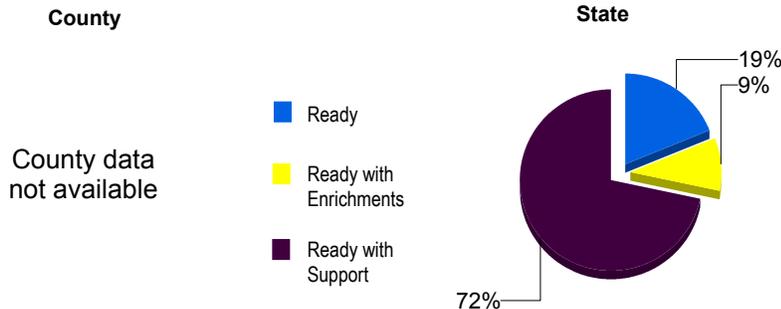
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	235
Number of children 3-4 years old	183
Percent of children below 100% poverty	59.9%
Below 150% poverty	77.2%
Below 200% poverty	84.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	13
Number of child care spaces in the county	89
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	7
CCAP at Licensed Centers	4
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	0
CCAP at Registered Providers	3
Public preschool enrollment	11
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	7
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	4
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	49
3s and 4s with disabilities	2
3s and 4s income eligible	47
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	99

Third Grade Assessment Results

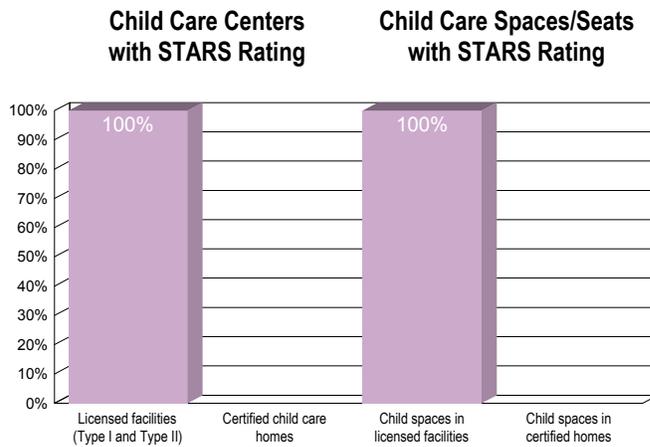
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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	418	5.4% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	333	59.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	429	77.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	12	3.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	53	3.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	133	5.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	66	29.9% 20.6%
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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	919
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	166
Children receiving child care subsidies	7
Families served by the First Steps program	14
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	13

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Estill County

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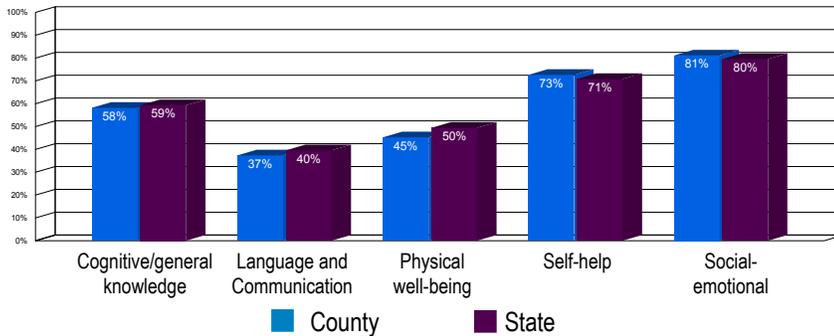
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	201
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

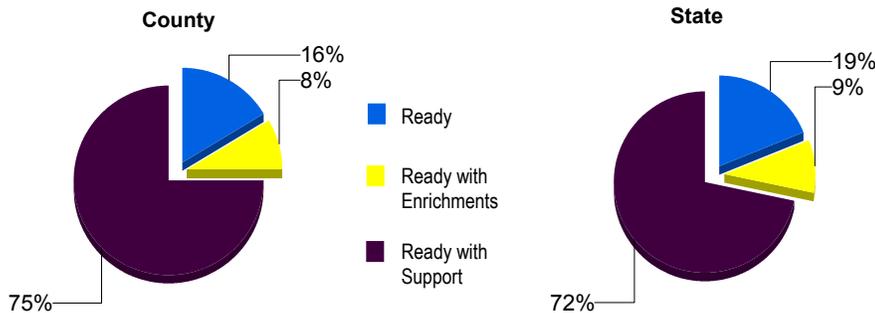
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	469
Number of children 3-4 years old	365
Percent of children below 100% poverty	58.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	69.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	81.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	49
Number of child care spaces in the county	230
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	231
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	214
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	17
Public preschool enrollment	93
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	20
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	55
Other	18
Head Start enrollment	41
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	40
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	196

Third Grade Assessment Results

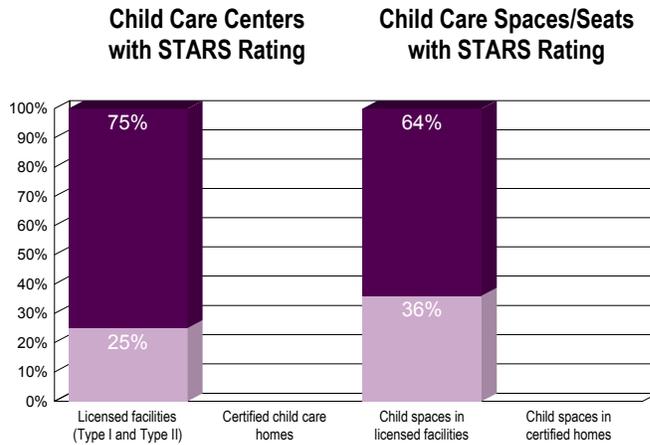
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	31.2%	42.8%
Reading	38.1%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	0	83	0
Not STARS	3	0	147	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	3
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	9
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	834	5.7% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	605	58.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	713	69.4% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	126	15.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	85	2.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	183	3.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	146	26.5% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	94	71 * 50 *
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	57	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	56	10.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,013
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	282
Children receiving child care subsidies	231
Families served by the First Steps program	10
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	49

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Community Early Childhood Council

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Fayette County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

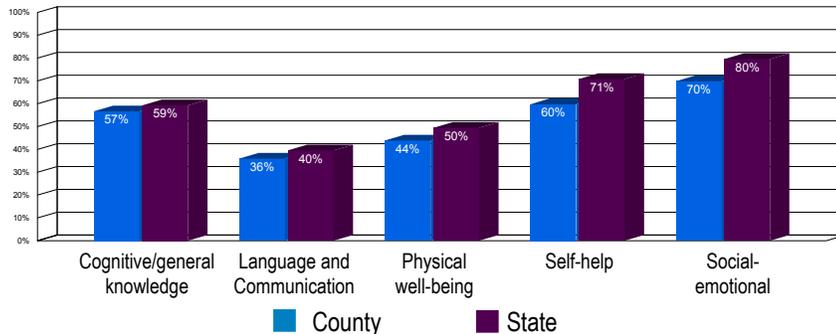
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	189
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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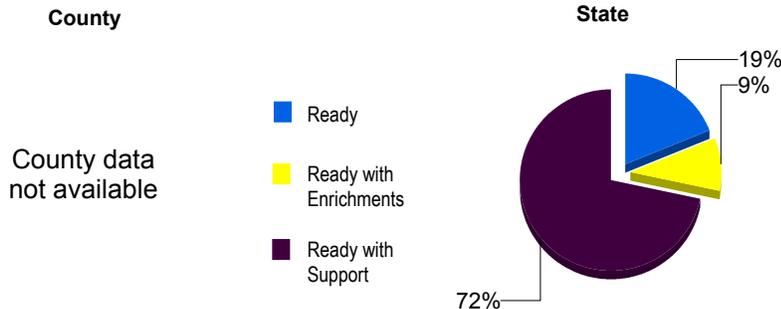
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	11,530
Number of children 3-4 years old	7,622
Percent of children below 100% poverty	26.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	35.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	44.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	522
Number of child care spaces in the county	19,382
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	7333
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	6606
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	141
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	295
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	291
Public preschool enrollment	964
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	351
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	612
Other	1
Head Start enrollment	703
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	59
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	640
Other	4
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	3,357

Third Grade Assessment Results

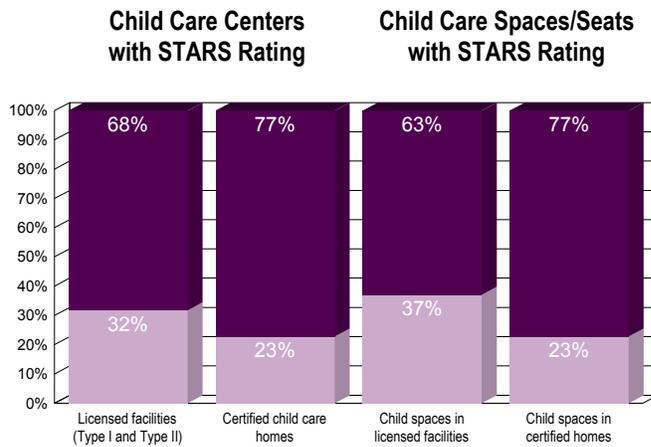
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	46.4%	42.8%
Reading	52.3%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	61	8	7,111	48
Not STARS	131	27	12,061	162

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	122
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	50
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	94
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	140
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	79
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	23

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	19,152	6.4% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	5,828	26.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	7,599	35.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	209	1.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	1,019	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	13,838	11.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	2,358	19.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	1,161	37* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	1,072	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	1,380	11.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	19,640
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	2,945
Children receiving child care subsidies	7,333
Families served by the First Steps program	770
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	522

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Fleming County



Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

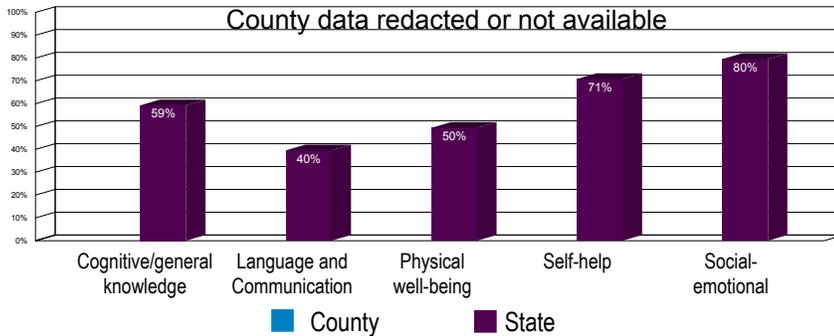
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	4
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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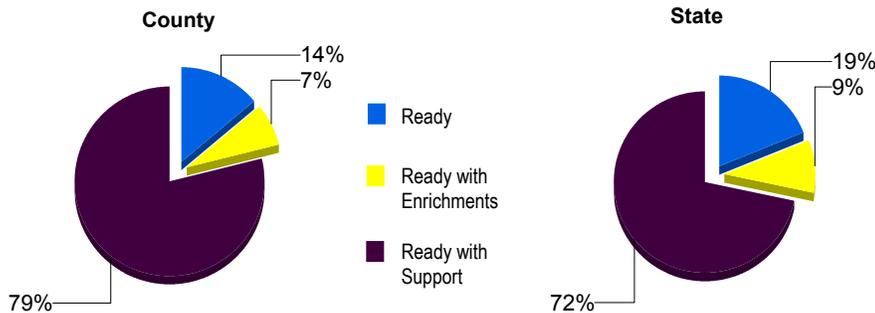
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	584
Number of children 3-4 years old	373
Percent of children below 100% poverty	14.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	31.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	55.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	34
Number of child care spaces in the county	371
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	111
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	75
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	27
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	4
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	5
Public preschool enrollment	39
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	12
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	26
Other	1
Head Start enrollment	158
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	19
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	134
Other	5
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	145

Third Grade Assessment Results

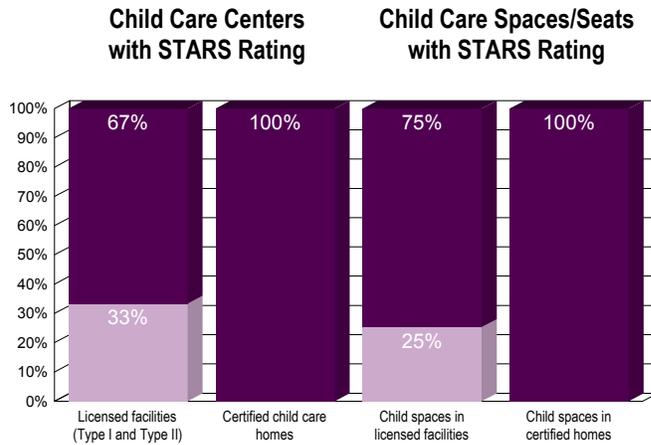
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	28.9%	42.8%
Reading	48.3%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	91	0
Not STARS	4	2	268	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	7
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	9
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	957	6.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	155	14.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	334	31.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	49	6.9% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	56	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	245	4.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	154	25.9% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	70	50* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	55	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	84	14.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,406
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	320
Children receiving child care subsidies	111
Families served by the First Steps program	35
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	34

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Floyd County

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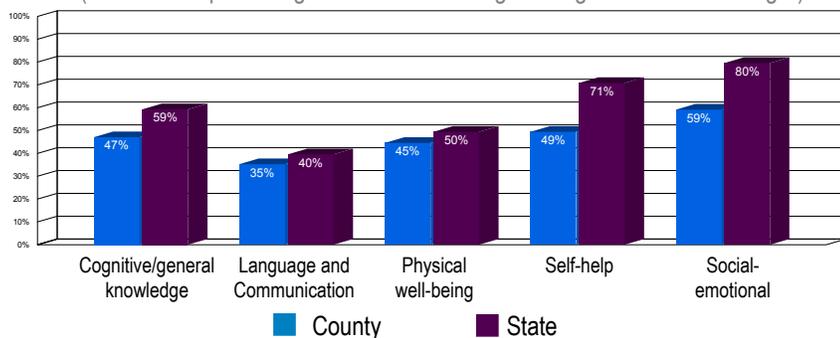
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	8
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	516
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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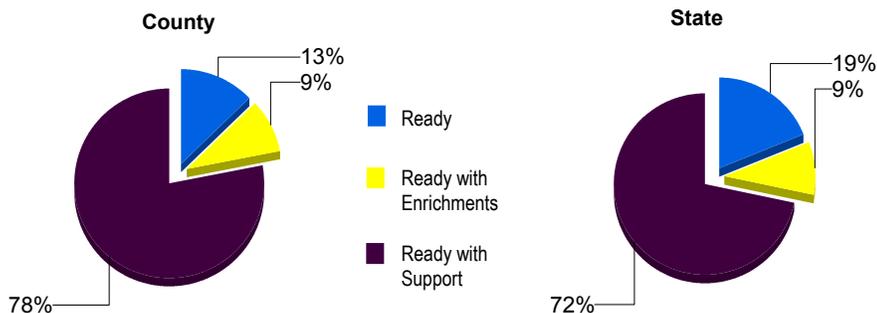
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,485
Number of children 3-4 years old	991
Percent of children below 100% poverty	44.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	58.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	69.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	193
Number of child care spaces in the county	423
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	150
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	125
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	16
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	9
Public preschool enrollment	52
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	33
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	14
Other	5
Head Start enrollment	233
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	32
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	201
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	526

Third Grade Assessment Results

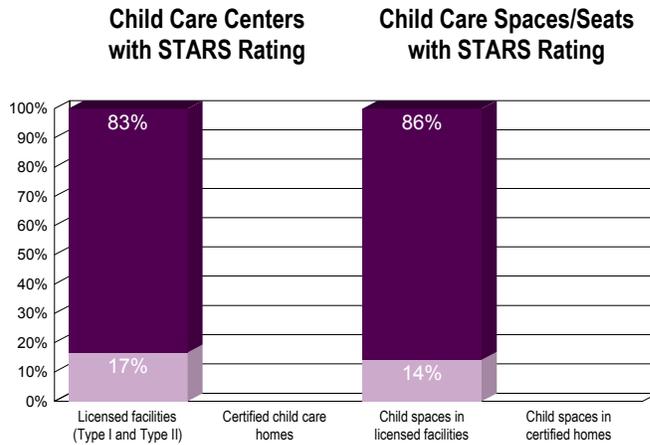
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STARS	2	0	60	0
Not STARS	10	0	363	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	3
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	3

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,476	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,266	44.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,677	58.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	124	5.9% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	146	1.7% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	186	1.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	493	29.7% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	270	70* 50*
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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	5,948
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	838
Children receiving child care subsidies	150
Families served by the First Steps program	115
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	193

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Franklin County



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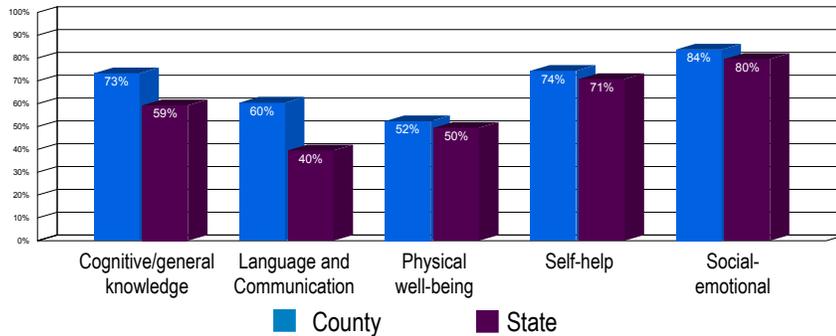
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	86
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

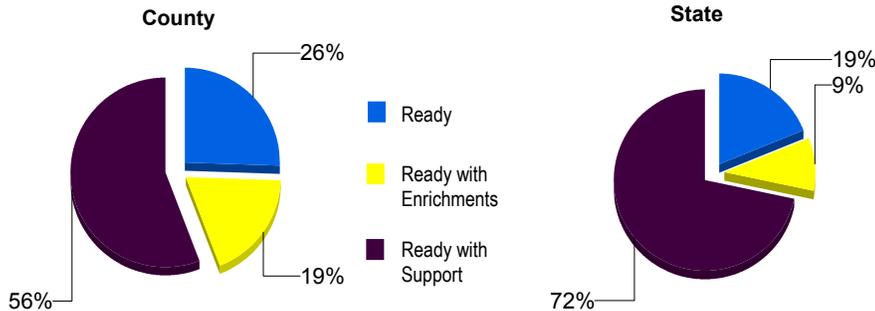
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,707
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,242
Percent of children below 100% poverty	27.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	33.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	57.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	107
Number of child care spaces in the county	3,808
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1190
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1096
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	24
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	70
Public preschool enrollment	194
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	108
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	75
Other	11
Head Start enrollment	110
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	3
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	107
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	580

Third Grade Assessment Results

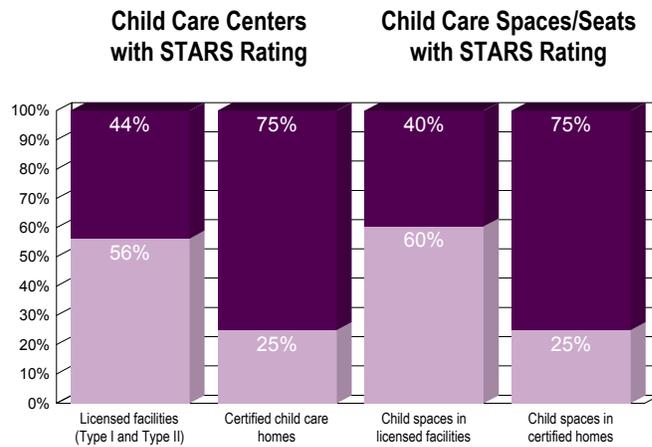
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	42.2%	42.8%
Reading	50.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	18	1	2,288	6
Not STARS	14	3	1,496	18

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	18
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	16
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	24
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	35
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	16
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	28

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,949	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,000	27.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,219	33.4% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	122	5.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	91	0.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,191	5.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	316	17.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	243	48* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	200	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	234	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,724
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	493
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,190
Families served by the First Steps program	91
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	107

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Community Early Childhood Council

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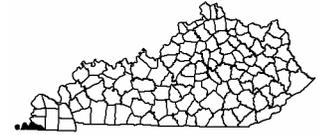
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Fulton County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

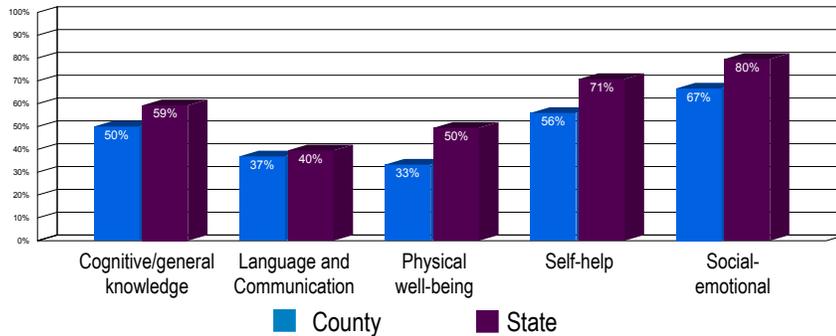
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	2
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	84
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

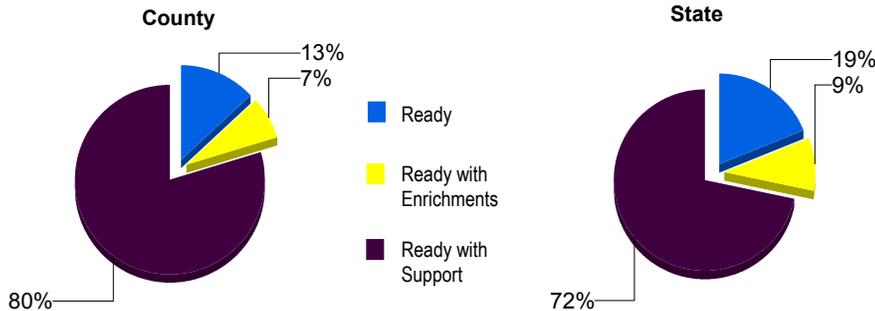
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	255
Number of children 3-4 years old	162
Percent of children below 100% poverty	61.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	70.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	72.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	21
Number of child care spaces in the county	160
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	73
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	58
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	15
Public preschool enrollment	82
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	37
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	23
Other	22
Head Start enrollment	54
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	12
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	42
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	77

Third Grade Assessment Results

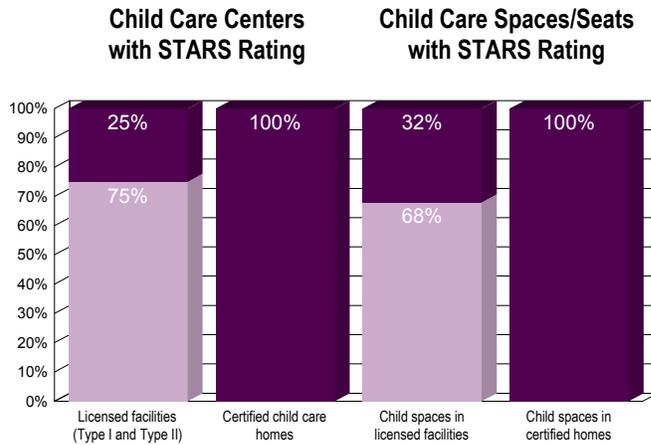
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	27.8%	42.8%
Reading	35.4%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	106	0
Not STARS	1	1	50	4

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	417	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	278	61.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	320	70.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	31	9.9% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	17	1.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	132	4.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	55	20.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	34	59* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	34	13.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	49	18.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	848
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	76
Children receiving child care subsidies	73
Families served by the First Steps program	23
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	21

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Community Early Childhood Council

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Gallatin County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

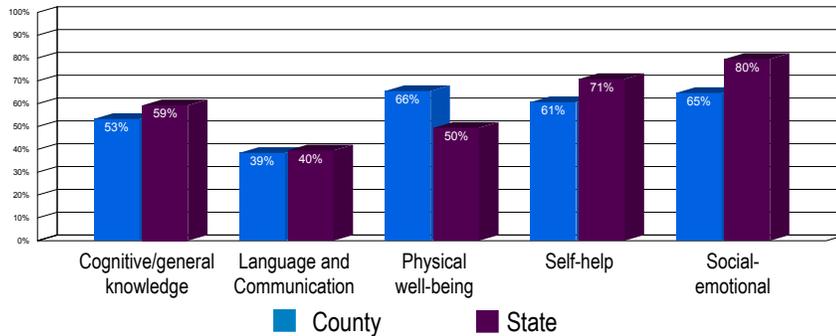
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	122
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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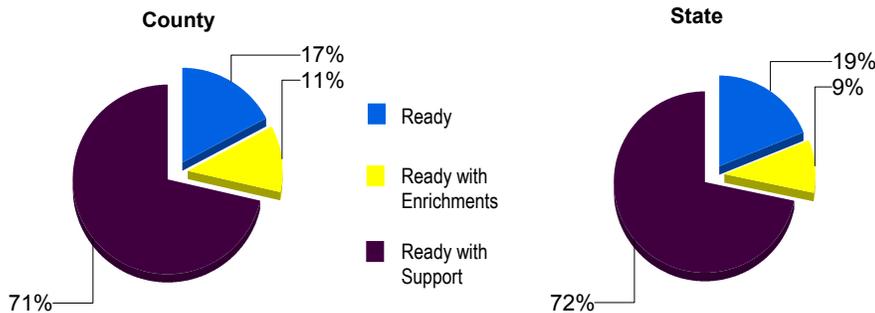
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	350
Number of children 3-4 years old	245
Percent of children below 100% poverty	27.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	39.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	55.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	36
Number of child care spaces in the county	199
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	188
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	183
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	5
Public preschool enrollment	61
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	13
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	48
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	16
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	2
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	14
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	140

Third Grade Assessment Results

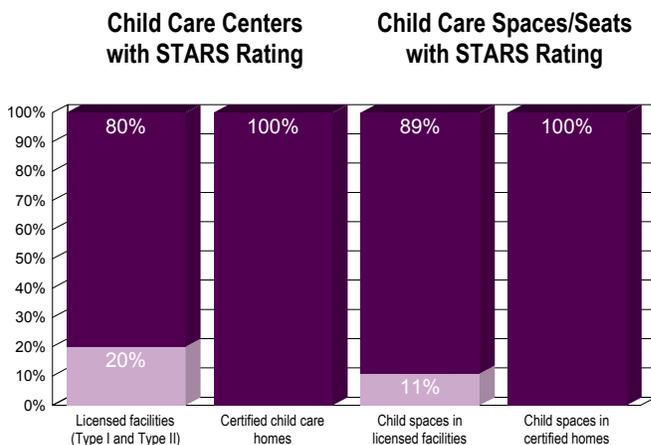
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	County	State
Math	26.1%	42.8%
Reading	42.9%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	0	21	0
Not STARS	4	1	172	6

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Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	595	6.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	185	27.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	263	39.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	74	3.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	117	3.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	107	28.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	65	64* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	24	6.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	30	8.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,014
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	144
Children receiving child care subsidies	188
Families served by the First Steps program	18
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	36

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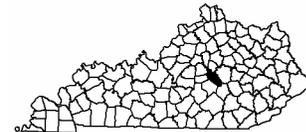
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Garrard County

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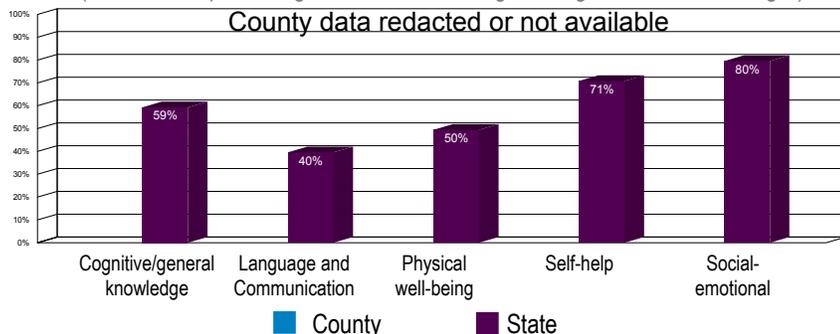
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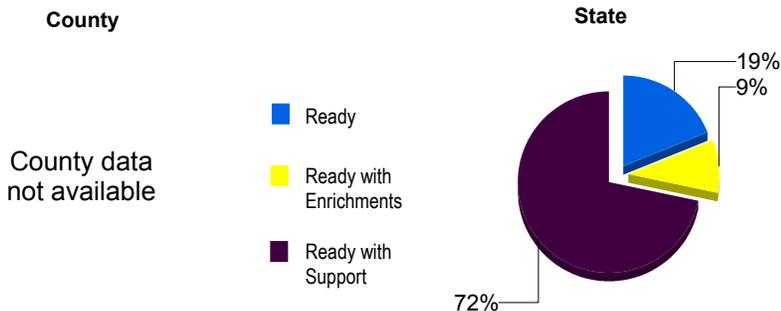
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	557
Number of children 3-4 years old	459
Percent of children below 100% poverty	42.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	54.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	63.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	21
Number of child care spaces in the county	352
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	202
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	192
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	8
Public preschool enrollment	140
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	26
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	59
Other	55
Head Start enrollment	37
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	37
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	191

Third Grade Assessment Results

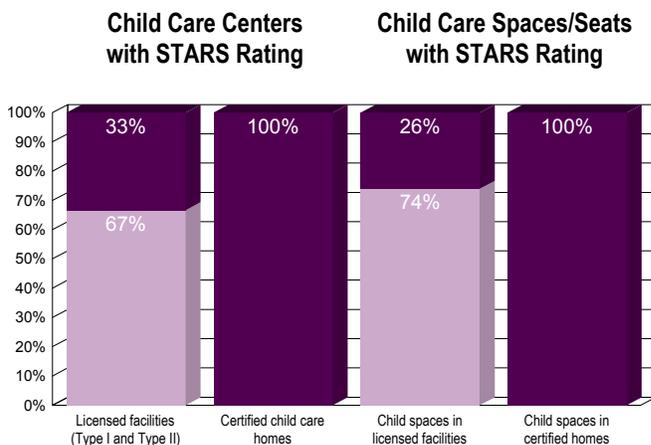
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Math	48.4%	42.8%
Reading	53.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	4	0	256	0
Not STARS	2	1	90	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	2
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	2

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,016	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	471	42.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	604	54.4% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	53	6.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	94	2.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	155	2.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	119	20.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	89	54* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	67	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	81	13.0% 12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,513
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	271
Children receiving child care subsidies	202
Families served by the First Steps program	36
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	21

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

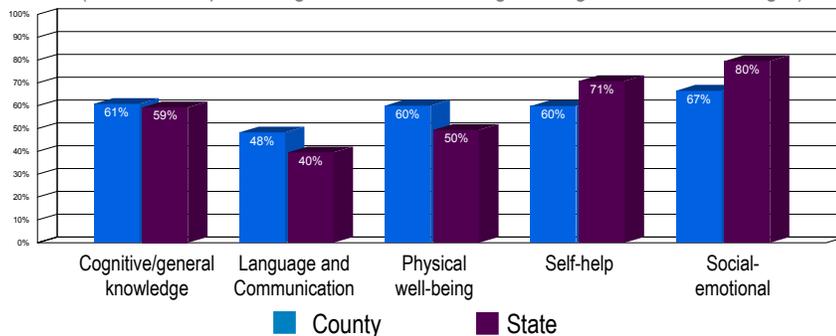
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	5
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	383
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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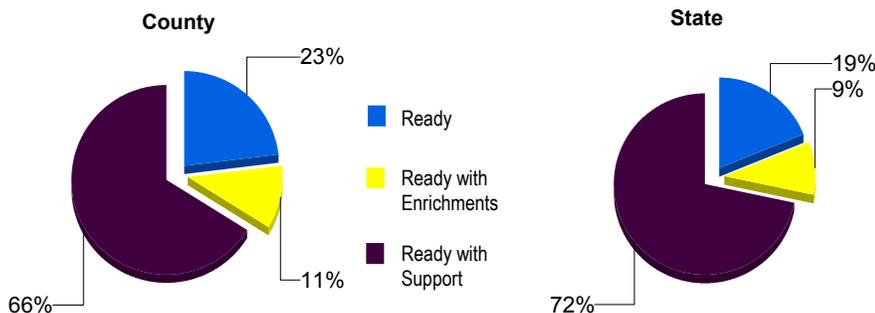
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,089
Number of children 3-4 years old	789
Percent of children below 100% poverty	24.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	35.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	56.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	75
Number of child care spaces in the county	608
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	496
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	466
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	28
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	2
Public preschool enrollment	117
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	50
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	60
Other	7
Head Start enrollment	116
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	17
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	99
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	390

Third Grade Assessment Results

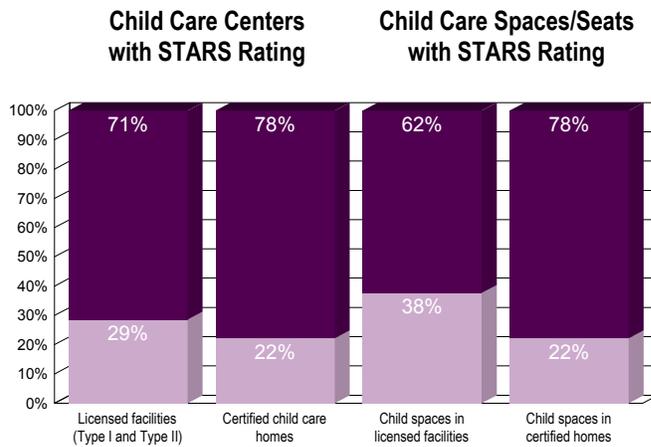
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	County	State
Math	35.8%	42.8%
Reading	42.3%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

Early child care facilities can voluntarily participate in the STARS for KIDS NOW rating. A higher quality rating means better child-to-caregiver ratios, program curriculum, child care staff training, program regulatory compliance, and personnel policies.



	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	2	209	12
Not STARS	5	7	345	42

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	10
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	3
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	7

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,878	7.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	551	24.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	787	35.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	16	1.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	103	1.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	497	5.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	232	20.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	171	64* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	86	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	120	10.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,009
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	451
Children receiving child care subsidies	496
Families served by the First Steps program	68
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	75

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Graves County

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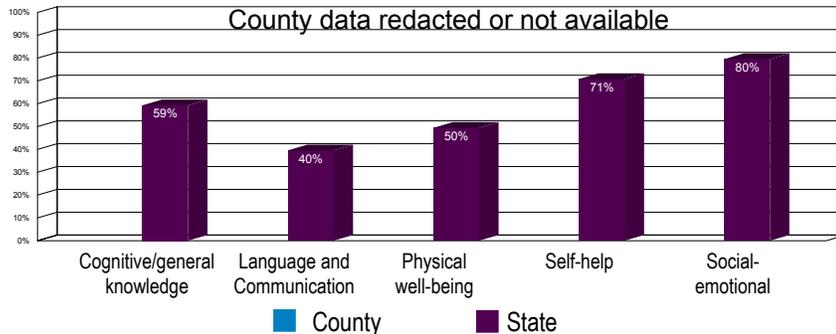
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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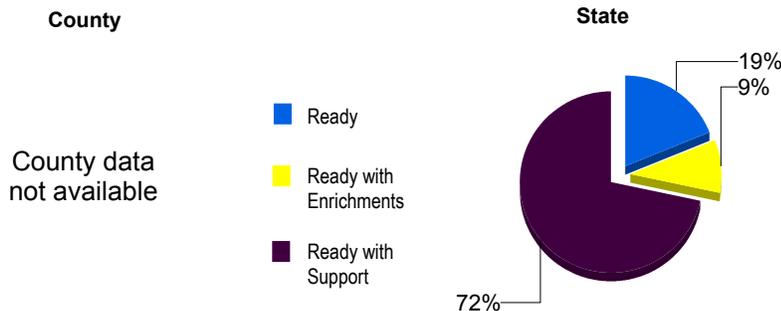
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,498
Number of children 3-4 years old	995
Percent of children below 100% poverty	33.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	43.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	51.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	54
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,296
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	640
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	611
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	27
Public preschool enrollment	301
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	141
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	126
Other	34
Head Start enrollment	128
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	13
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	115
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	465

Third Grade Assessment Results

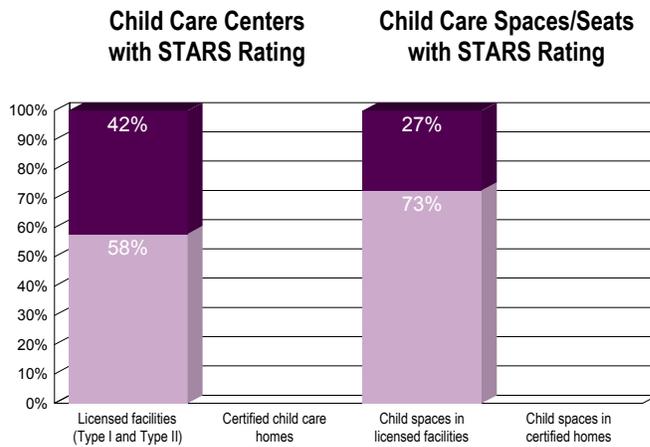
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Math	47.0%	42.8%
Reading	55.2%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	11	0	943	0
Not STARS	8	0	353	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	5
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	9
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	14
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,493	6.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	915	33.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,179	43.4% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	259	13.8% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	74	0.8% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,022	6.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	426	27.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	193	54* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	123	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	174	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,642
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	771
Children receiving child care subsidies	640
Families served by the First Steps program	128
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	54

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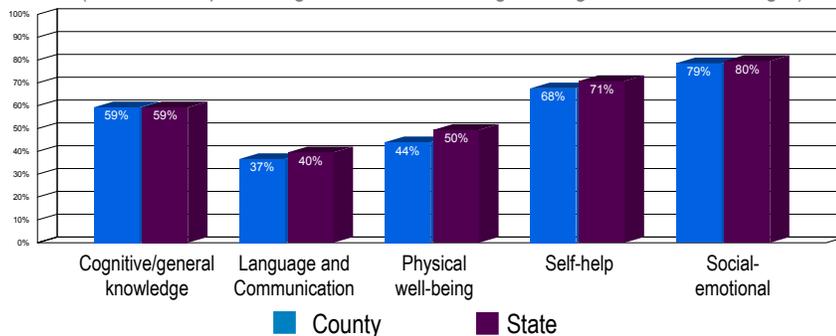
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	327
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	53,480

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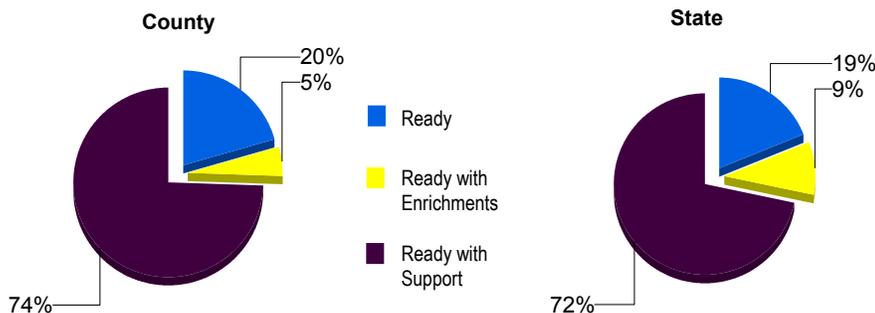
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	939
Number of children 3-4 years old	667
Percent of children below 100% poverty	31.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	45.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	64.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	63
Number of child care spaces in the county	905
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	316
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	312
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	4
Public preschool enrollment	163
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	101
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	61
Other	1
Head Start enrollment	158
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	10
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	147
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	322

Third Grade Assessment Results

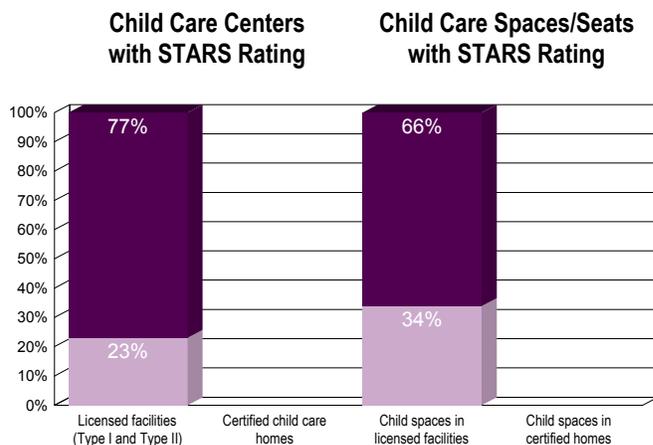
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Reading	56.1%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	307	0
Not STARS	10	0	598	0

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Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
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Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,606	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	594	31.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	866	45.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	67	1.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	155	1.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	222	21.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	149	60* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	82	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	133	13.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,036
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	523
Children receiving child care subsidies	316
Families served by the First Steps program	84
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	63

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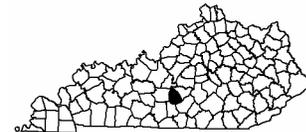
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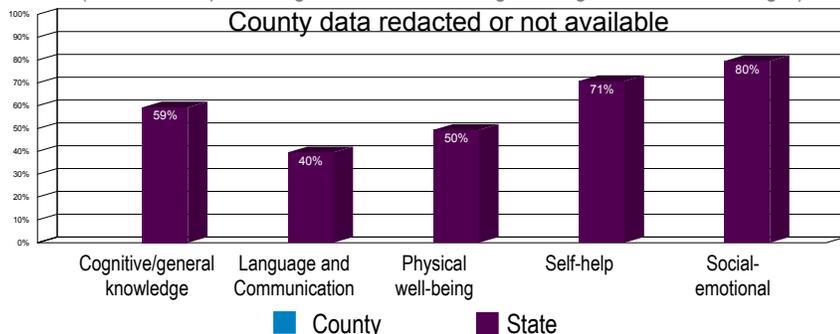
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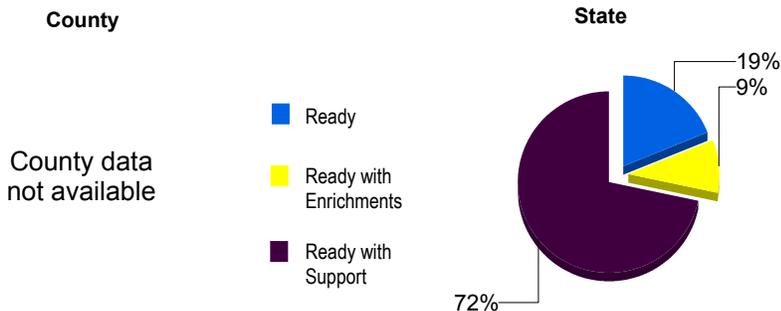
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Highlights

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Number of children 3-4 years old	282
Percent of children below 100% poverty	25.3%
Below 150% poverty	46.3%
Below 200% poverty	65.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	43
Number of child care spaces in the county	124
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	107
CCAP at Licensed Centers	89
CCAP at Licensed Homes	7
CCAP at Certified Homes	7
CCAP at Registered Providers	4
Public preschool enrollment	26
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	15
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	6
Other	5
Head Start enrollment	80
3s and 4s with disabilities	10
3s and 4s income eligible	69
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	140

Third Grade Assessment Results

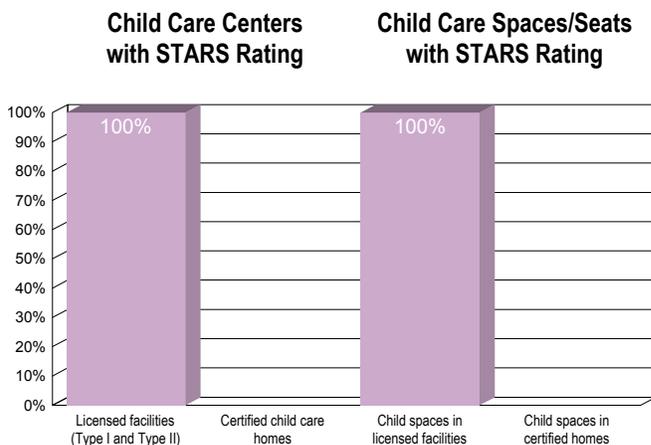
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Math	51.2%	42.8%
Reading	53.5%	49.4%

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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	4
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	648	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	204	25.3% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	374	46.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	34	1.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	107	2.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	68	18.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	52	48* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	28	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	40	11.0% 12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,077
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	291
Children receiving child care subsidies	107
Families served by the First Steps program	18
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	43

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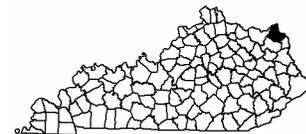
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Greenup County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

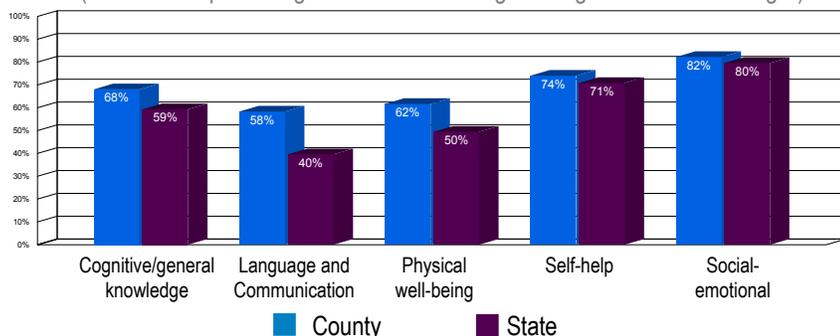
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	2
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	235
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

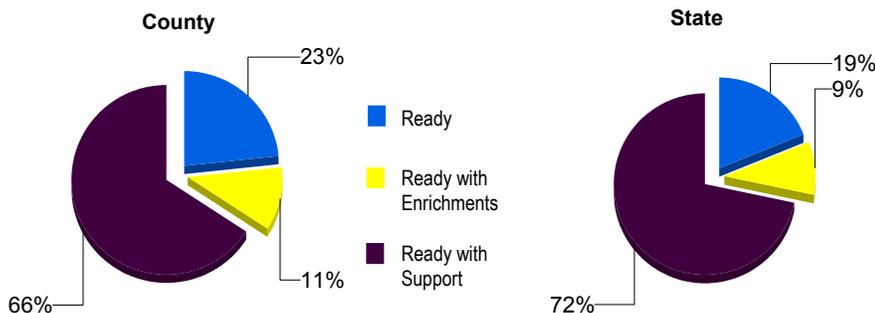
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,167
Number of children 3-4 years old	840
Percent of children below 100% poverty	27.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	41.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	51.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	53
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,035
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	302
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	296
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	1
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	5
Public preschool enrollment	108
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	46
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	32
Other	30
Head Start enrollment	166
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	34
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	131
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	562

Third Grade Assessment Results

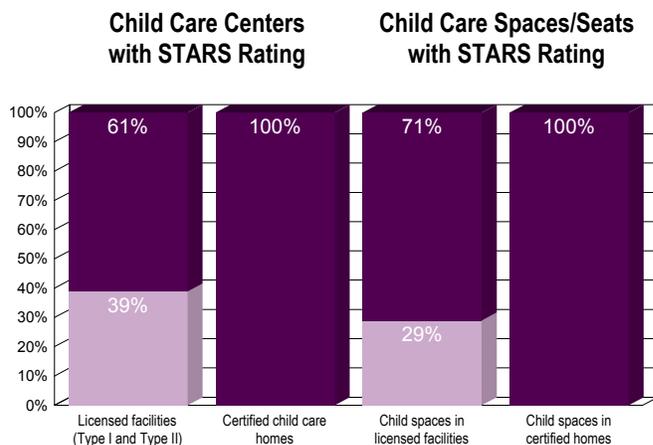
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	44.1%	42.8%
Reading	57.9%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

Early child care facilities can voluntarily participate in the STARS for KIDS NOW rating. A higher quality rating means better child-to-caregiver ratios, program curriculum, child care staff training, program regulatory compliance, and personnel policies.



	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	7	0	298	0
Not STARS	11	1	731	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	7
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	7
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,007	5.4% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	688	27.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,017	41.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	69	3.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	181	2.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	356	2.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	176	16.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	136	38* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	102	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	142	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,250
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	489
Children receiving child care subsidies	302
Families served by the First Steps program	63
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	53

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Community Early Childhood Council

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Hancock County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

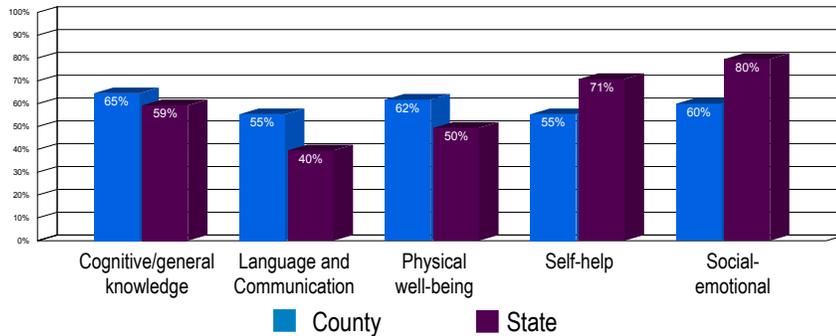
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	110
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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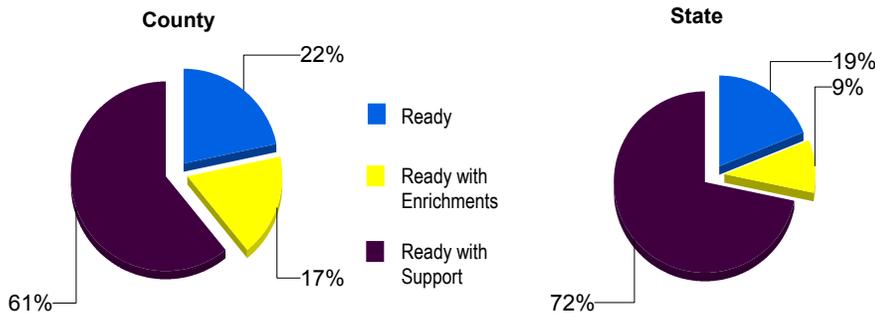
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	333
Number of children 3-4 years old	221
Percent of children below 100% poverty	17.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	21.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	50.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	21
Number of child care spaces in the county	164
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	3
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	1
Public preschool enrollment	62
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	16
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	46
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	30
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	6
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	24
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	127

Third Grade Assessment Results

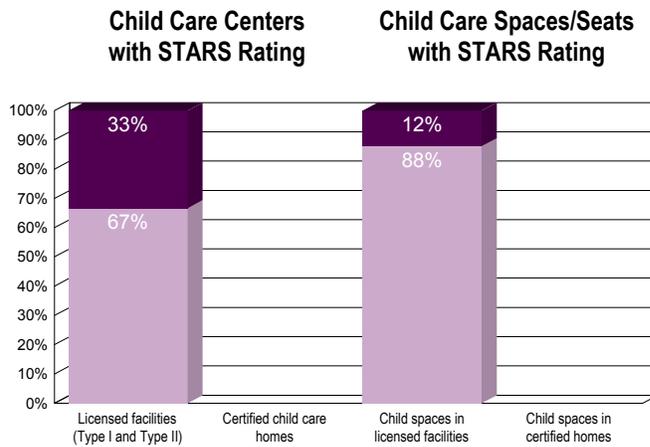
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	County	State
Math	41.2%	42.8%
Reading	48.9%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	2	0	144	0
Not STARS	1	0	20	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	2
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	6

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	554	6.5% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	118	17.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	143	21.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	20	3.8% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	29	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	54	1.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	44	13.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	46	52* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	30	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	47	14.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	738
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	133
Children receiving child care subsidies	3
Families served by the First Steps program	7
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	21

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Hancock County CECC

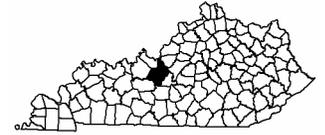
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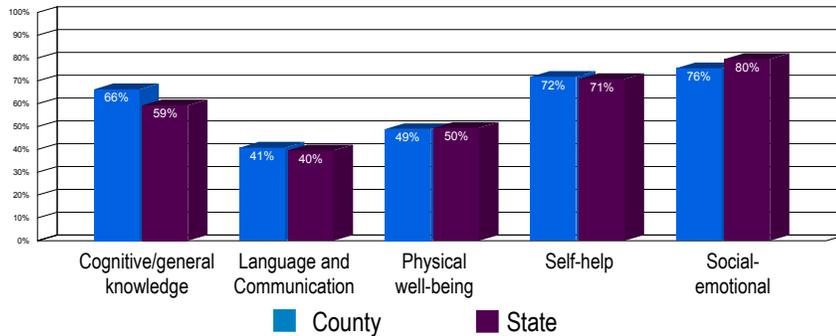
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	184
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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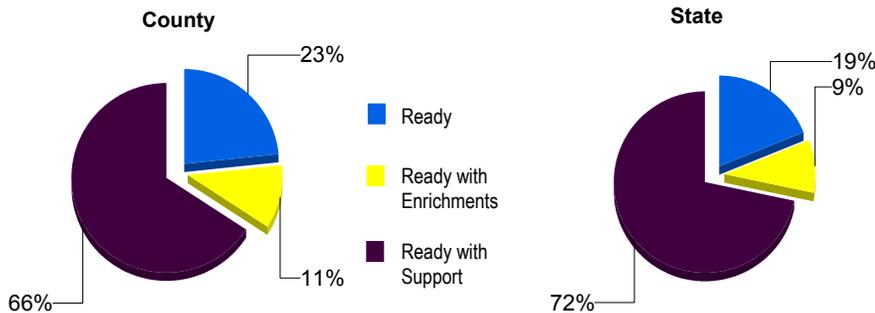
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	4,541
Number of children 3-4 years old	3,170
Percent of children below 100% poverty	26.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	40.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	53.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	112
Number of child care spaces in the county	5,256
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	2404
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	2161
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	28
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	88
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	127
Public preschool enrollment	564
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	260
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	302
Other	2
Head Start enrollment	60
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	1
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	59
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	1,367

Third Grade Assessment Results

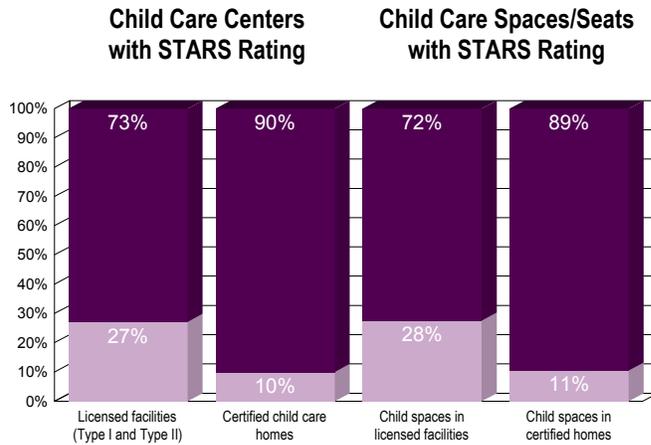
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Reading		49.4%

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STARS	16	2	1,417	12
Not STARS	43	18	3,725	102

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	43
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	5
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	17
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	49
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	33
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	20

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	7,711	7.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	2,335	26.1% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	3,584	40.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	68	1.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	270	1.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	3,355	8.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	586	12.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	536	53* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	350	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	496	10.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	7,892
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,385
Children receiving child care subsidies	2,404
Families served by the First Steps program	319
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	112

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Community Early Childhood Council

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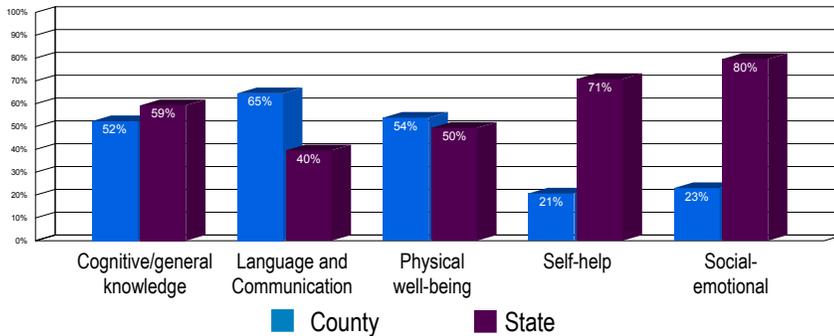
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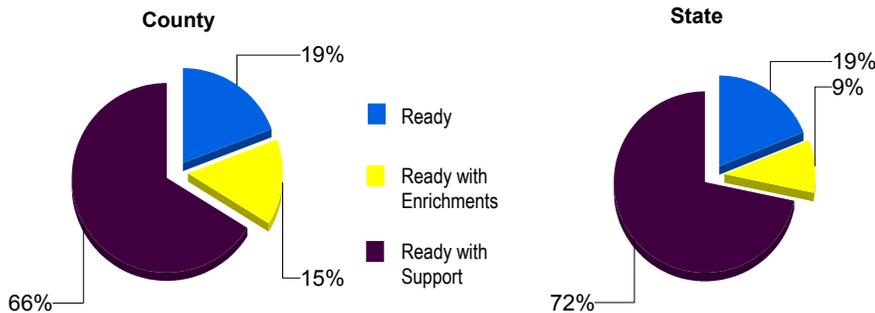
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,109
Number of children 3-4 years old	744
Percent of children below 100% poverty	52.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	59.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	73.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	112
Number of child care spaces in the county	282
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	198
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	152
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	29
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	5
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	12
Public preschool enrollment	285
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	140
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	87
Other	58
Head Start enrollment	199
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	20
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	170
Other	9
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	415

Third Grade Assessment Results

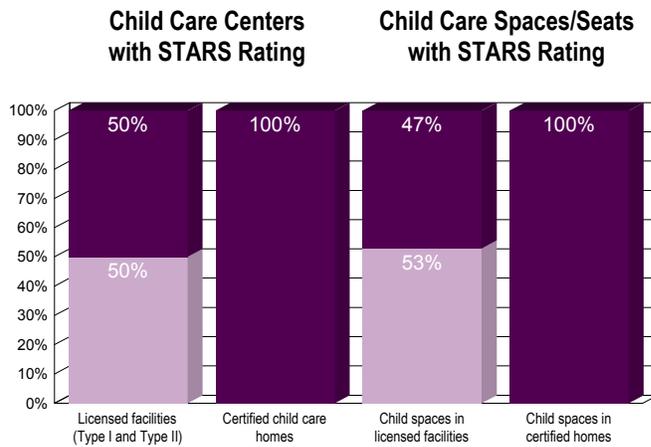
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Not STARS	3	1	130	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	2
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,853	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,102	52.1%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,256	59.4%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	263	16.1%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	87	1.3%
Households with a non-English language in home	280	2.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	379	31.5%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	270	92*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	137	11.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	155	13.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,166
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	634
Children receiving child care subsidies	198
Families served by the First Steps program	50
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	112

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Harrison County



Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

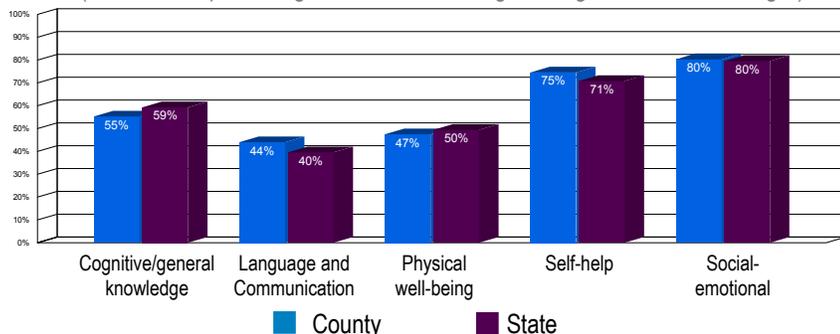
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	259
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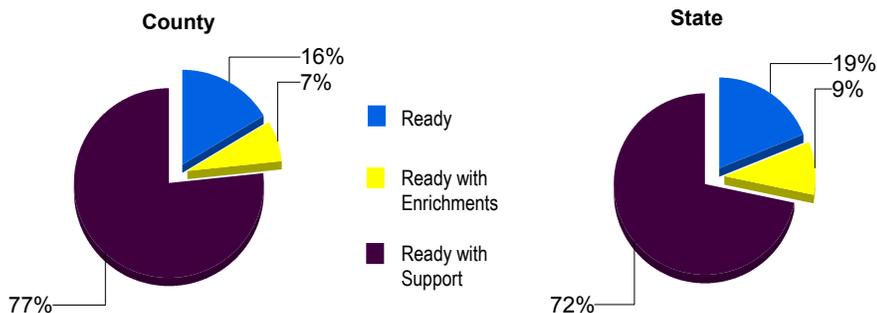
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	658
Number of children 3-4 years old	495
Percent of children below 100% poverty	37.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	45.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	57.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	60
Number of child care spaces in the county	525
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	190
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	178
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	1
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	11
Public preschool enrollment	59
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	28
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	31
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	153
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	32
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	118
Other	3
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	248

Third Grade Assessment Results

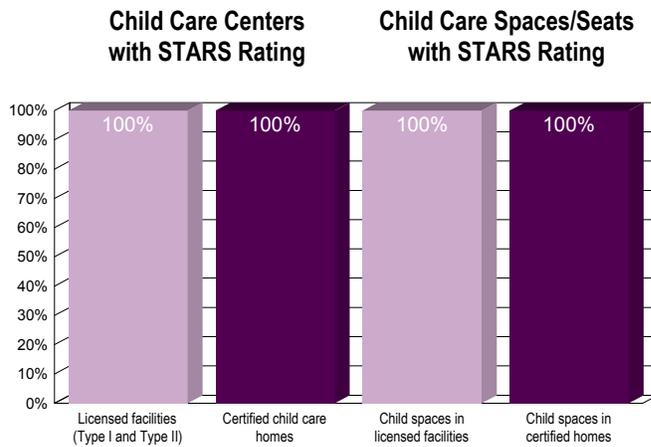
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	County	State
Math	37.6%	42.8%
Reading	45.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	9	0	519	0
Not STARS	0	1	0	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	6
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	4
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,153	6.1% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	500	37.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	597	45.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	73	7.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	49	1.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	254	3.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	159	21.7% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	132	69* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	79	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	104	14.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,729
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	263
Children receiving child care subsidies	190
Families served by the First Steps program	37
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	60

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Community Early Childhood Council

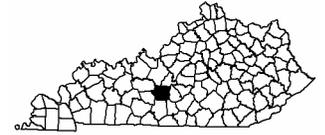
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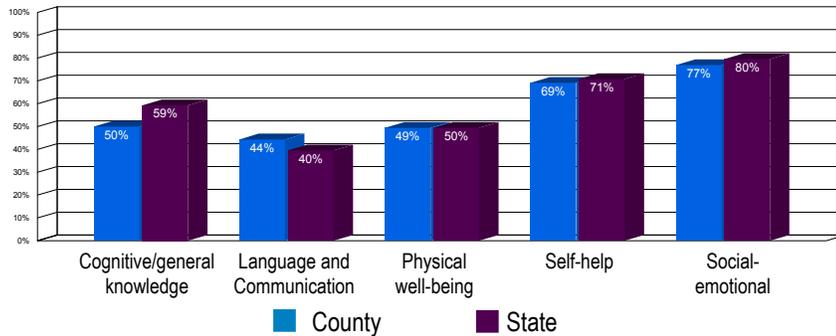
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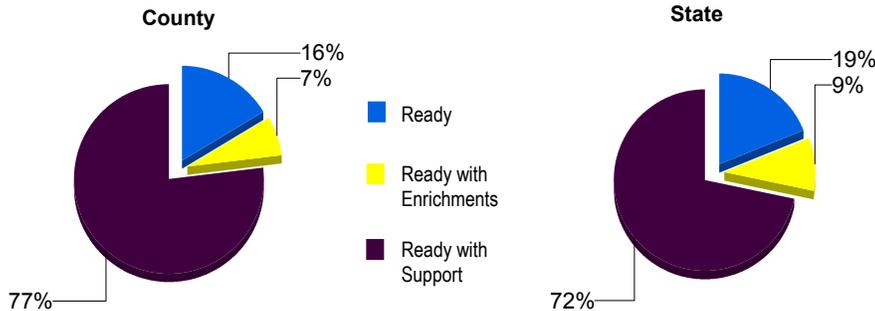
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	669
Number of children 3-4 years old	477
Percent of children below 100% poverty	41.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	68.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	77.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	20
Number of child care spaces in the county	88
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	82
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	76
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	6
Public preschool enrollment	116
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	70
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	46
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	40
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	8
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	32
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	175

Third Grade Assessment Results

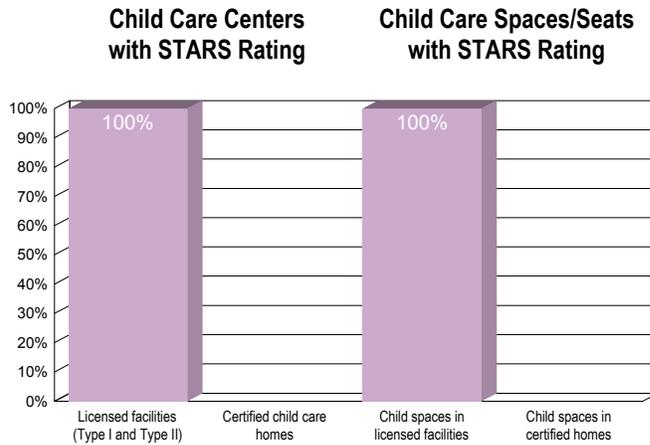
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Reading	49.3%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	88	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	3
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	3

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,146	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	536	41.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	880	68.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	59	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	376	5.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	299	40.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	109	56* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	70	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	82	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,973
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	405
Children receiving child care subsidies	82
Families served by the First Steps program	54
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	20

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Henderson County

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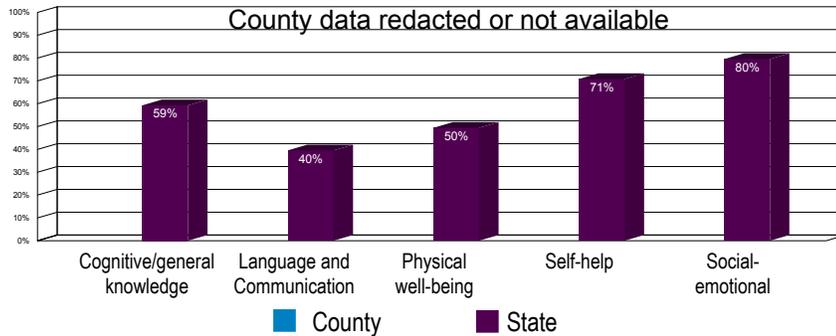
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Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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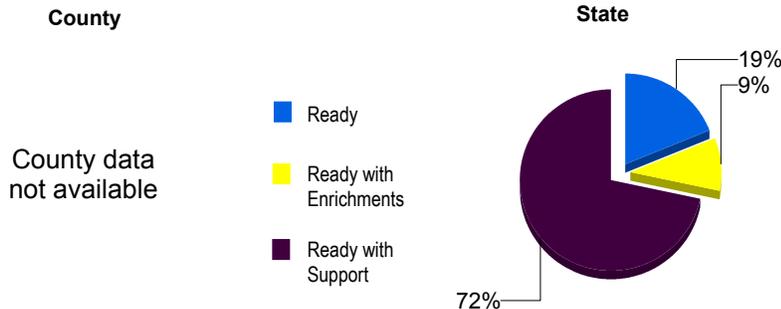
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,838
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,225
Percent of children below 100% poverty	29.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	41.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	51.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	74
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,618
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	622
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	605
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	15
Public preschool enrollment	364
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	89
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	229
Other	46
Head Start enrollment	71
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	5
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	66
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	577

Third Grade Assessment Results

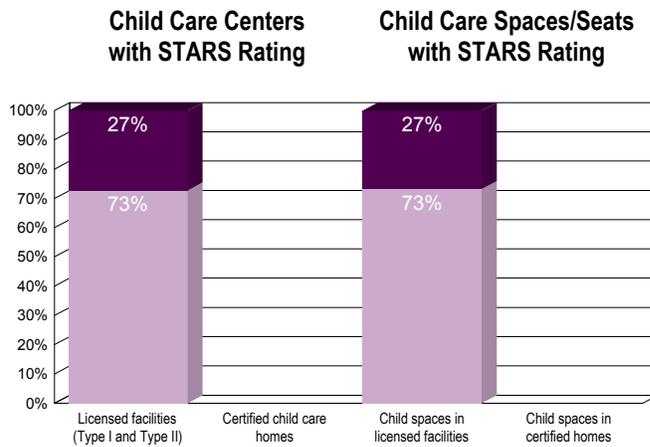
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Not STARS	6	0	433	0

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Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	9
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	7
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	51
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	31
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	18

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	3,063	6.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,037	29.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,471	41.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	128	5.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	145	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	729	3.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	360	20.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	278	65* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	213	12.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	236	13.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,307
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	722
Children receiving child care subsidies	622
Families served by the First Steps program	93
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	74

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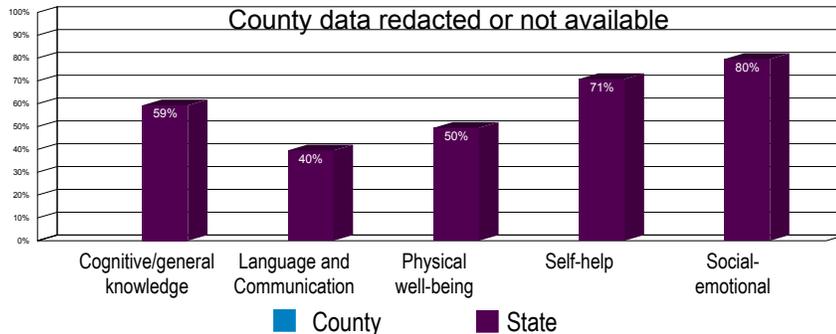
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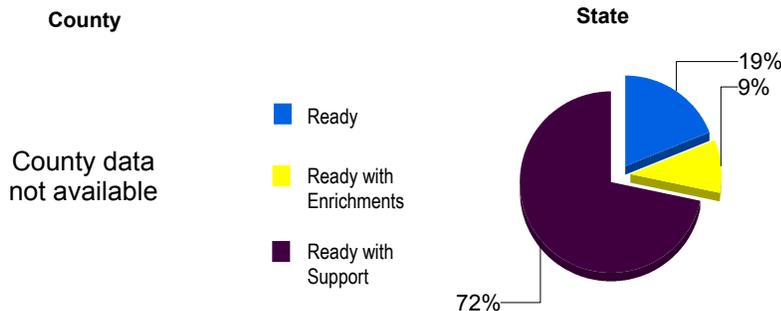
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Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	31
Number of child care spaces in the county	681
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	201
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	178
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	10
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	3
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	10
Public preschool enrollment	121
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	37
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	80
Other	4
Head Start enrollment	25
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	3
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	21
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	197

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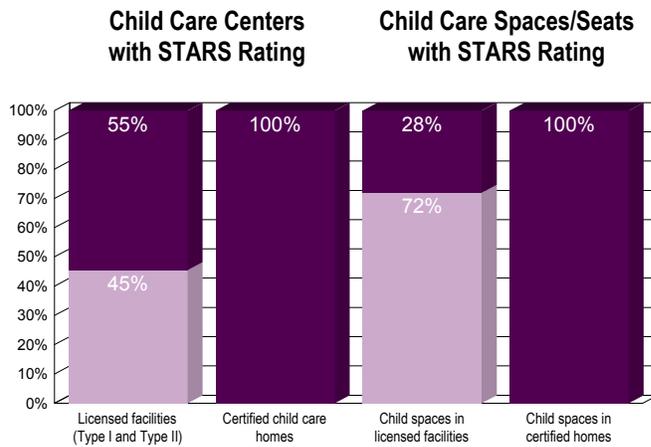
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Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	904	5.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	431	42.1% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	654	63.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	53	6.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	36	1.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	221	3.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	116	20.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	85	58* 50*
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Hickman County



Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

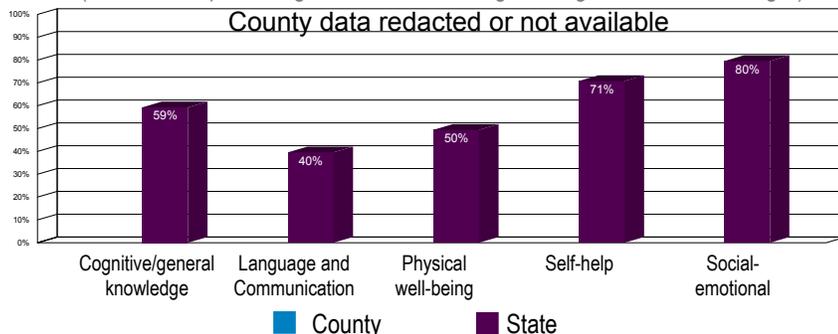
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

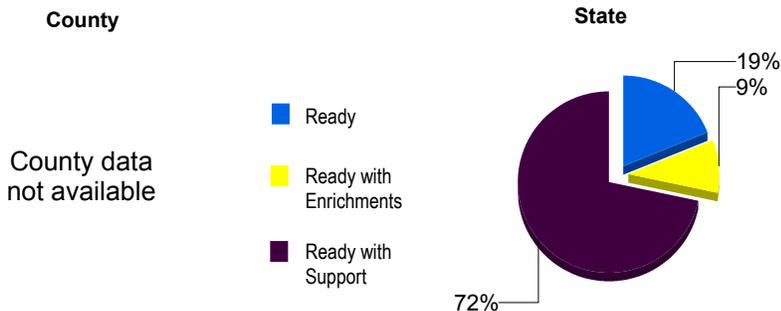
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	137
Number of children 3-4 years old	114
Percent of children below 100% poverty	48.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	70.1%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	82.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	17
Number of child care spaces in the county	96
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	14
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	8
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	6
Public preschool enrollment	73
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	48
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	11
Other	14
Head Start enrollment	25
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	6
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	19
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	75

Third Grade Assessment Results

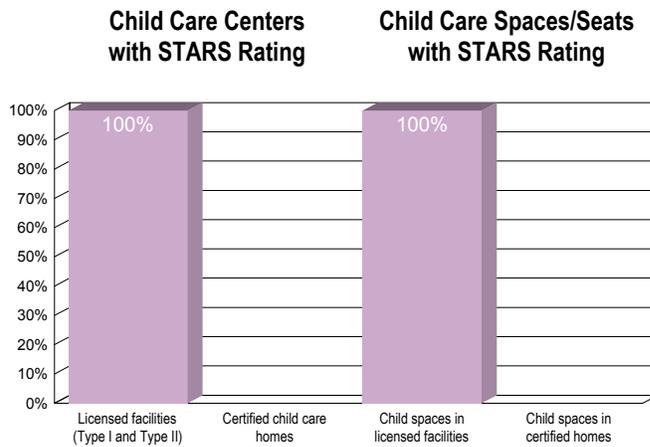
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	28.2%	42.8%
Reading	28.2%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	96	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

The Commonwealth supports the early care and education workforce with training, scholarships, credentials, and other professional development programs. The counts below are for 2011-2012.

Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	251	5.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	135	48.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	195	70.1% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0	0.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	0	0.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	26	1.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	35	23.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	21	42* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	9	6.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	20	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	408
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	75
Children receiving child care subsidies	14
Families served by the First Steps program	7
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	17

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Hopkins County



Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

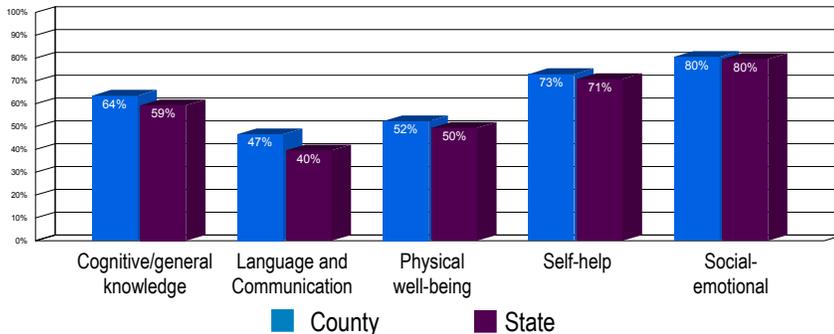
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	9
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	625
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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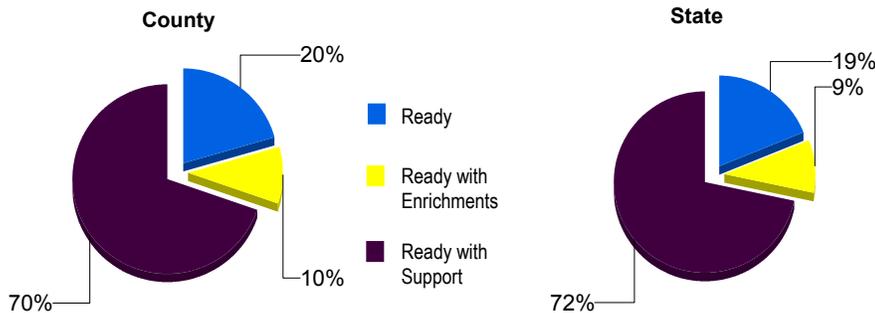
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,735
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,238
Percent of children below 100% poverty	36.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	48.1%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	55.9%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	99
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,458
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	680
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	641
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	37
Public preschool enrollment	302
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	115
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	182
Other	5
Head Start enrollment	194
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	193
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	634

Third Grade Assessment Results

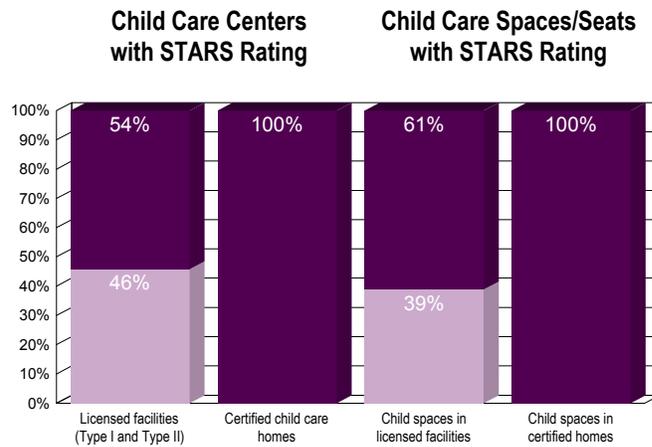
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	49.8%	42.8%
Reading	51.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	11	0	562	0
Not STARS	13	2	884	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	7
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	4
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	6
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	14
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	3
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	8

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,973	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,386	36.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,818	48.1% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	50	2.1% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	174	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,006	5.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	400	21.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	274	62* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	194	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	292	16.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,447
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	714
Children receiving child care subsidies	680
Families served by the First Steps program	74
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	99

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Jackson County



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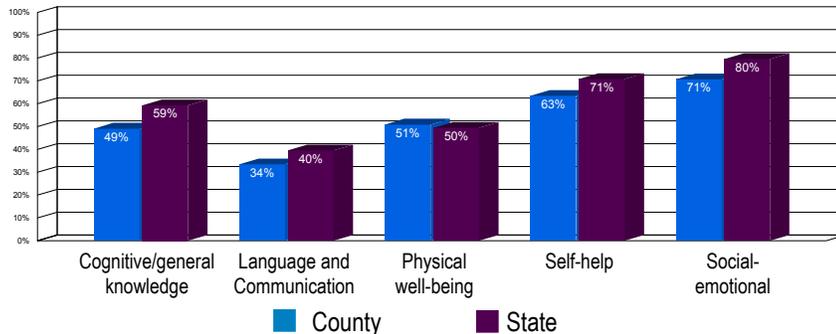
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	3
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	167
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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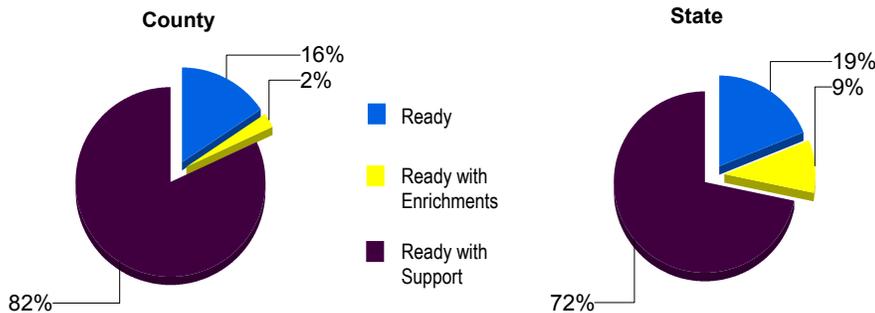
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	449
Number of children 3-4 years old	363
Percent of children below 100% poverty	61.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	64.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	78.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	41
Number of child care spaces in the county	56
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	29
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	17
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	9
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	1
Public preschool enrollment	105
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	82
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	15
Other	8
Head Start enrollment	80
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	0
Other	80
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	215

Third Grade Assessment Results

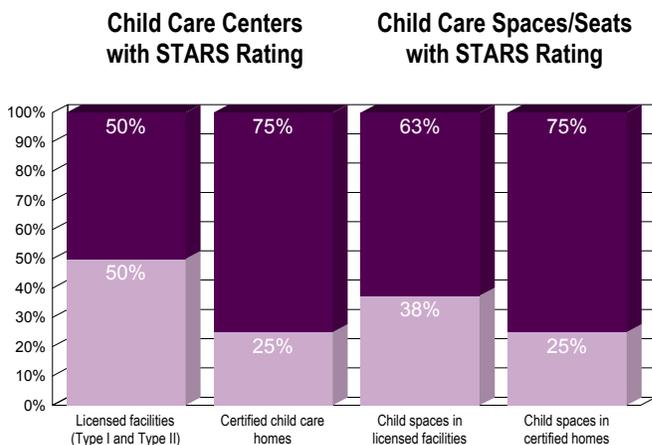
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	County	State
Math	37.6%	42.8%
Reading	41.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	1	12	6
Not STARS	1	3	20	18

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	6
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	6
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	812	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	608	61.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	637	64.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	21	2.9% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	34	1.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	79	1.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	136	27.4% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	86	59* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	55	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	54	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,785
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	348
Children receiving child care subsidies	29
Families served by the First Steps program	25
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	41

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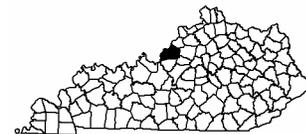
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Jefferson County

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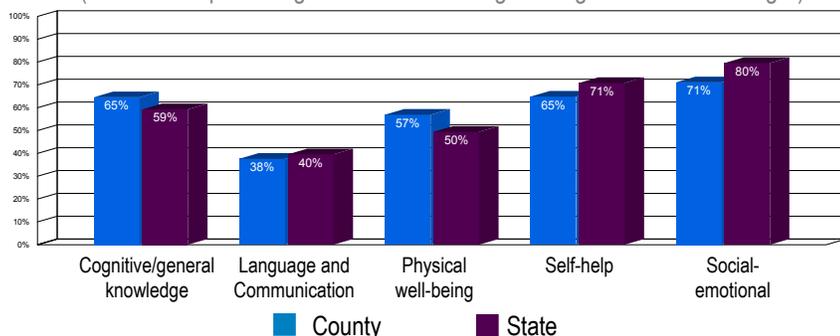
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	7,550
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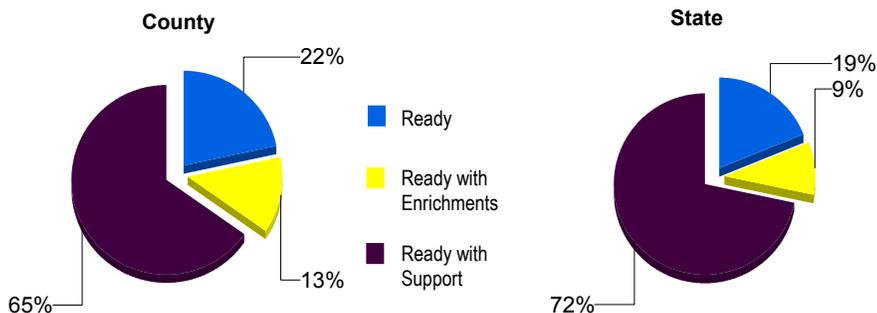
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	29,503
Number of children 3-4 years old	19,727
Percent of children below 100% poverty	27.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	38.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	49.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	659
Number of child care spaces in the county	46,779
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	22548
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	19088
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	202
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	2010
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	1248
Public preschool enrollment	3226
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	841
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	2291
Other	94
Head Start enrollment	1847
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	213
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	1634
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	7,659

Third Grade Assessment Results

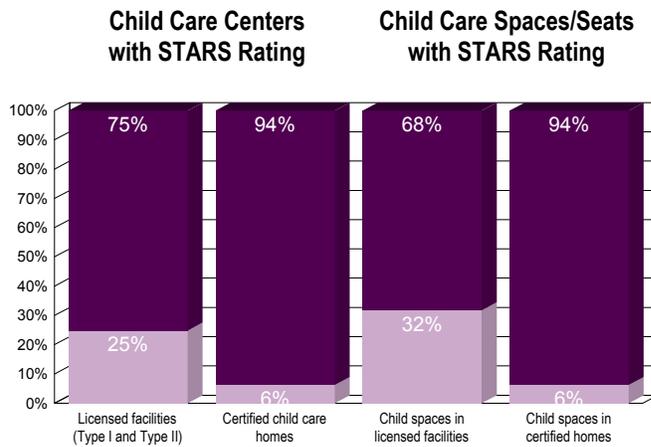
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Not STARS	387	179	31,122	1,074

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	107
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	171
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	76
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	131

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	49,230	6.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	15,620	27.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	21,994	38.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	2,123	6.8% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	2,774	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	24,614	8.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	6,075	19.5% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	3,513	50* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	2,940	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	3,517	11.0% 12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	65,731
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	8,782
Children receiving child care subsidies	22,548
Families served by the First Steps program	2,108
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	659

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

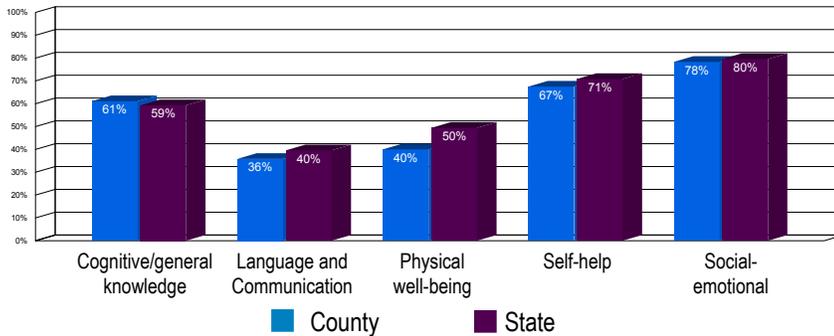
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	642
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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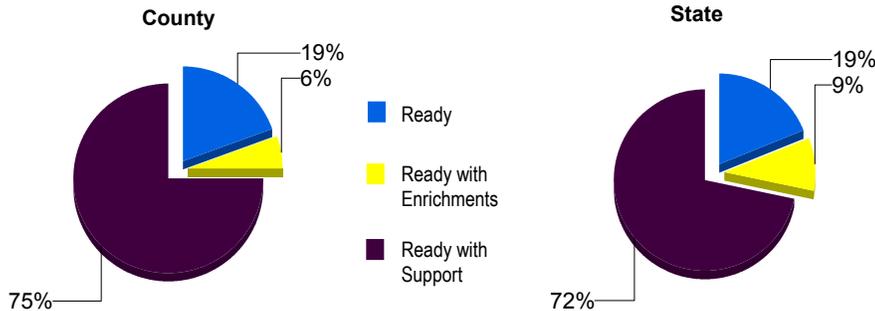
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	2,117
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,458
Percent of children below 100% poverty	27.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	40.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	51.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	39
Number of child care spaces in the county	2,557
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1182
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1097
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	11
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	21
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	53
Public preschool enrollment	311
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	101
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	191
Other	19
Head Start enrollment	63
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	63
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	635

Third Grade Assessment Results

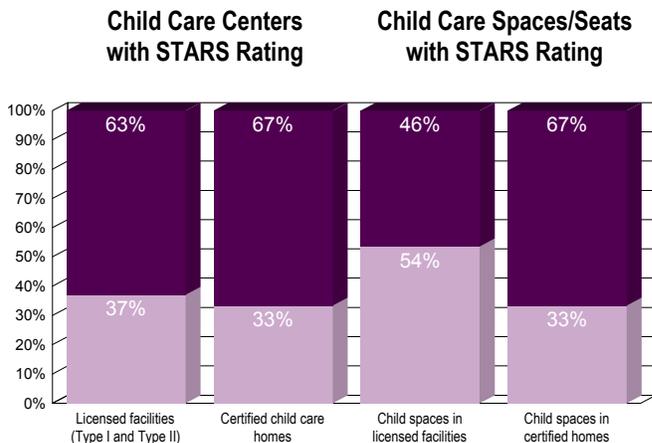
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	36.2%	42.8%
Reading	50.4%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	10	1	1,360	6
Not STARS	17	2	1,179	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	13
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	10
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	13
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	14
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	15
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	3

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	3,575	7.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,090	27.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,613	40.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	91	3.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	111	0.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	955	5.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	375	18.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	240	43* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	171	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	243	12.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,089
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	715
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,182
Families served by the First Steps program	148
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	39

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Johnson County

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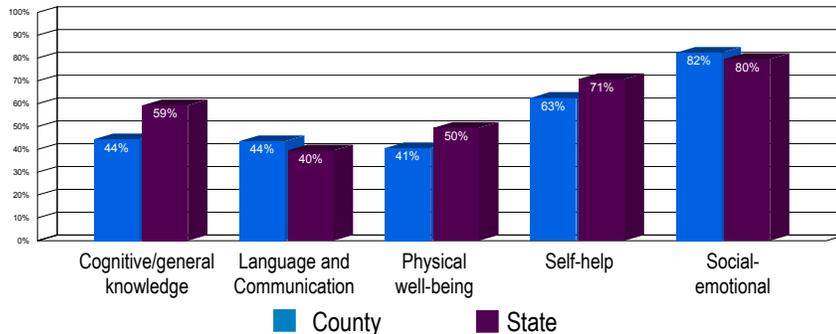
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	227
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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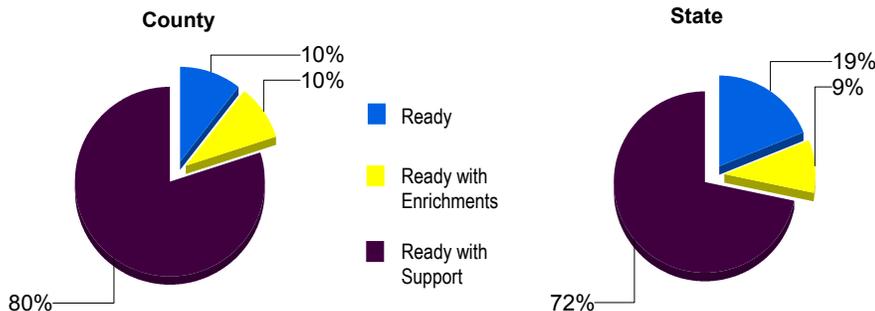
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	825
Number of children 3-4 years old	535
Percent of children below 100% poverty	36.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	52.1%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	68.9%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	167
Number of child care spaces in the county	655
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	233
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	228
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	5
Public preschool enrollment	16
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	15
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	1
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	148
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	22
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	122
Other	4
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	352

Third Grade Assessment Results

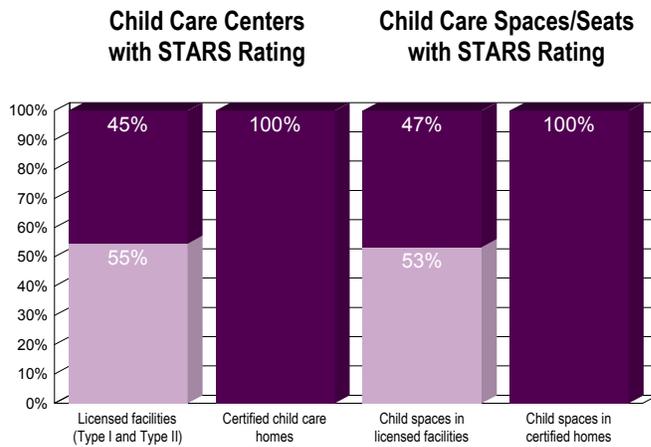
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	48.5%	42.8%
Reading	53.3%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	6	0	343	0
Not STARS	5	2	300	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	2
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	6
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	10
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	11
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	2

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,360	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	588	36.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	846	52.1% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	10	0.7% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	190	3.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	95	1.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	252	29.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	102	48* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	96	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	156	18.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,029
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	598
Children receiving child care subsidies	233
Families served by the First Steps program	62
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	167

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Kenton County

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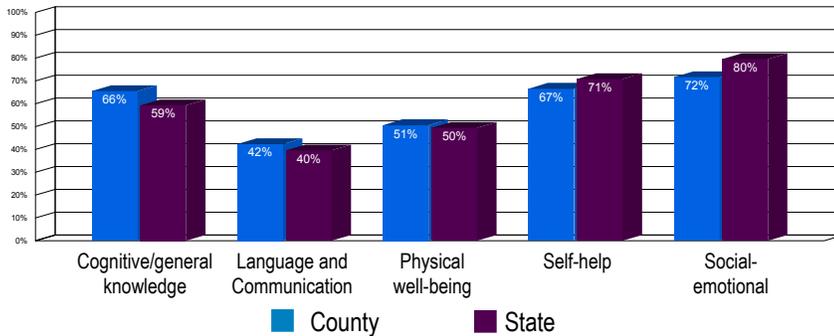
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	22
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	1,867
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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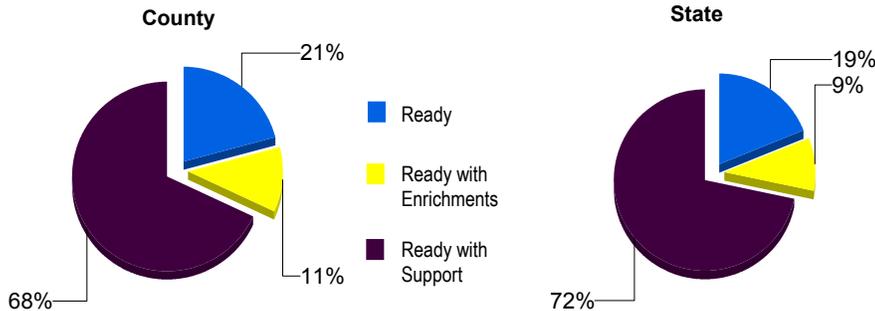
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	7,097
Number of children 3-4 years old	4,605
Percent of children below 100% poverty	23.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	35.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	44.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	599
Number of child care spaces in the county	8,516
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	3698
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	3152
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	14
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	431
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	101
Public preschool enrollment	930
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	444
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	466
Other	20
Head Start enrollment	172
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	1
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	171
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	1,858

Third Grade Assessment Results

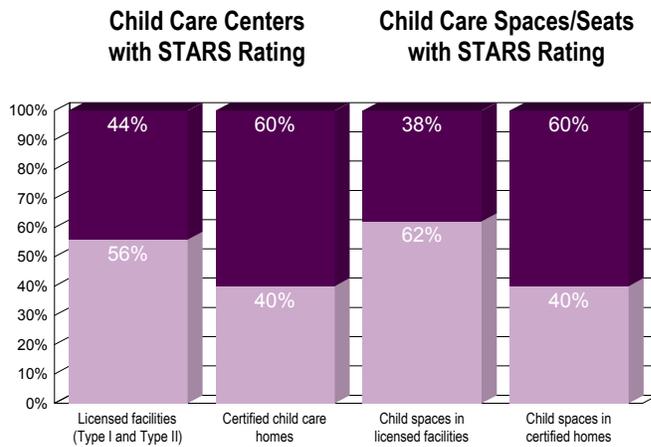
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	County	State
Math	47.8%	42.8%
Reading	49.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	52	16	5,148	96
Not STARS	41	24	3,128	144

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	71
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	29
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	54

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	11,702	7.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	3,242	23.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	4,850	35.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	342	4.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	680	1.7% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	3,549	5.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	1,290	20.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	737	49* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	469	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	599	9.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	12,455
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,513
Children receiving child care subsidies	3,698
Families served by the First Steps program	515
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	599

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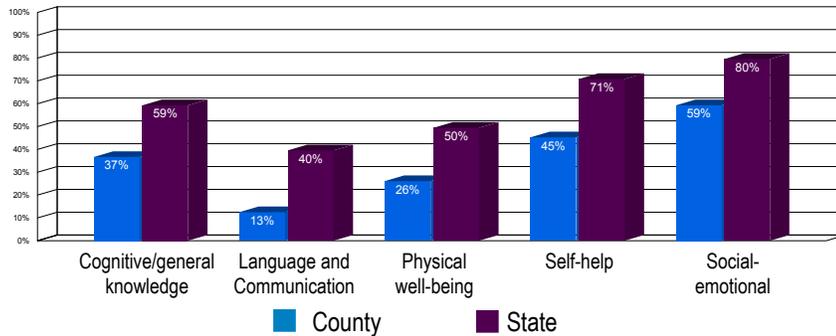
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Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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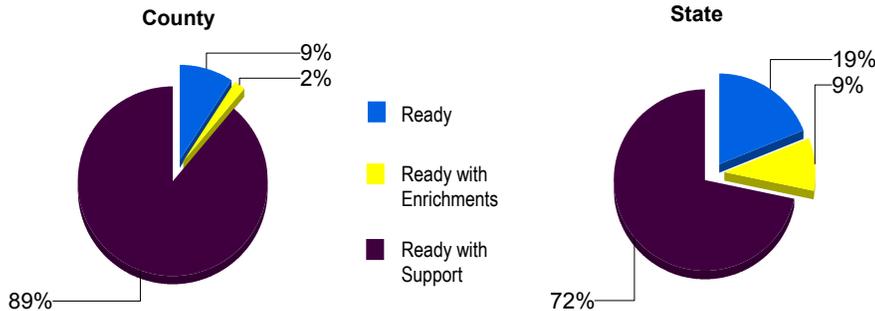
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Highlights

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Number of children 3-4 years old	402
Percent of children below 100% poverty	34.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	46.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	62.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	58
Number of child care spaces in the county	318
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	24
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	24
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	110
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	79
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	29
Other	2
Head Start enrollment	59
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	20
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	37
Other	2
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	203

Third Grade Assessment Results

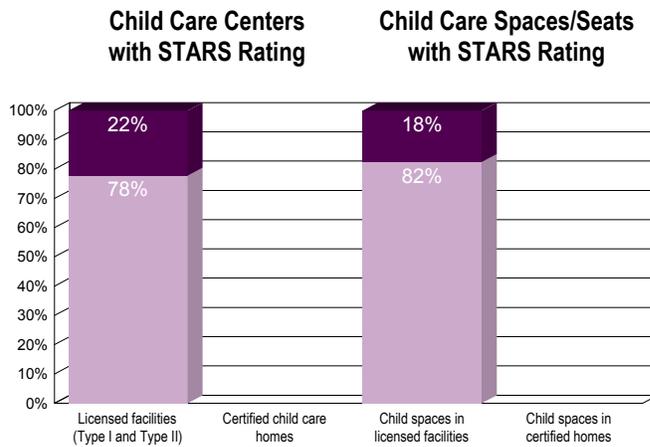
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Reading	49.7%	49.4%

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STARS	7	0	262	0
Not STARS	2	0	56	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	1

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	979	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	354	34.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	468	46.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	164	20.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	121	3.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	126	2.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	195	32.4% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	90	48* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	63	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	89	15.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,158
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	356
Children receiving child care subsidies	24
Families served by the First Steps program	90
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	58

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Knox County

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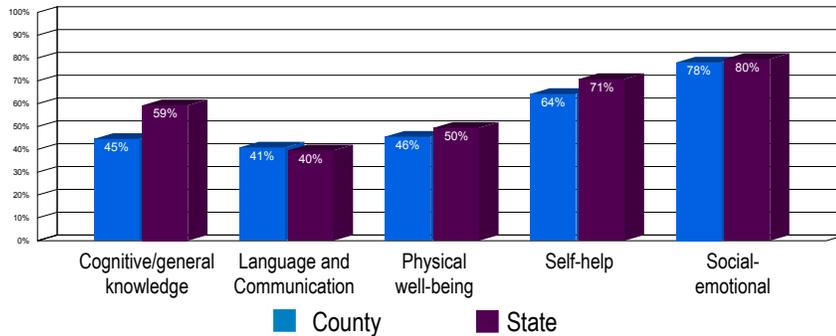
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	406
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

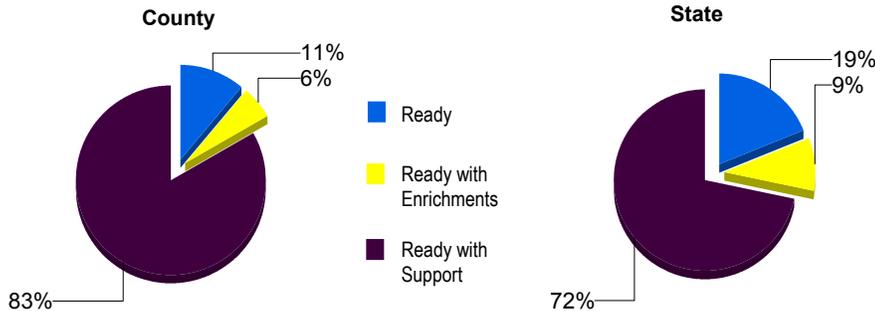
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,264
Number of children 3-4 years old	909
Percent of children below 100% poverty	50.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	66.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	79.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	203
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,319
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1071
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	972
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	45
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	34
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	20
Public preschool enrollment	203
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	114
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	82
Other	7
Head Start enrollment	320
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	15
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	298
Other	7
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	456

Third Grade Assessment Results

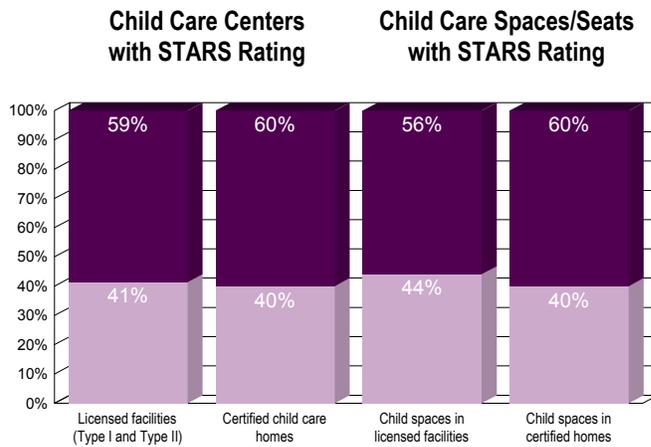
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	County	State
Math	33.4%	42.8%
Reading	37.5%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	12	2	568	12
Not STARS	17	3	721	18

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	18
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	5
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	5
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	5
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	15

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,173	6.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,346	50.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,763	66.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	99	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	218	1.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	460	34.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	248	74* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	121	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	157	12.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	5,412
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	824
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,071
Families served by the First Steps program	54
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	203

KIDS NOW Initiative

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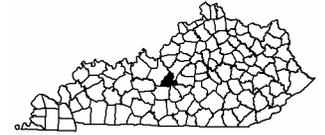
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Larue County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

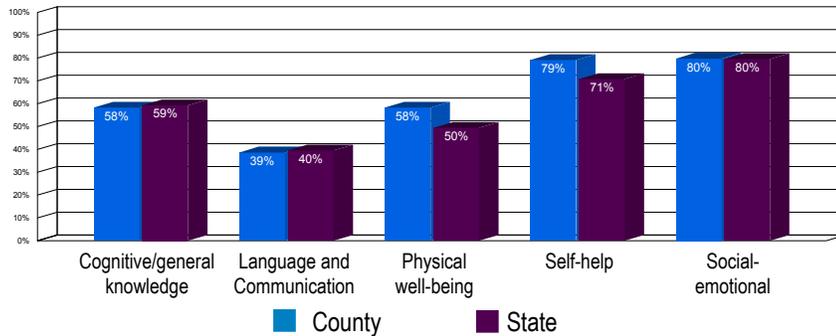
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	2
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	168
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

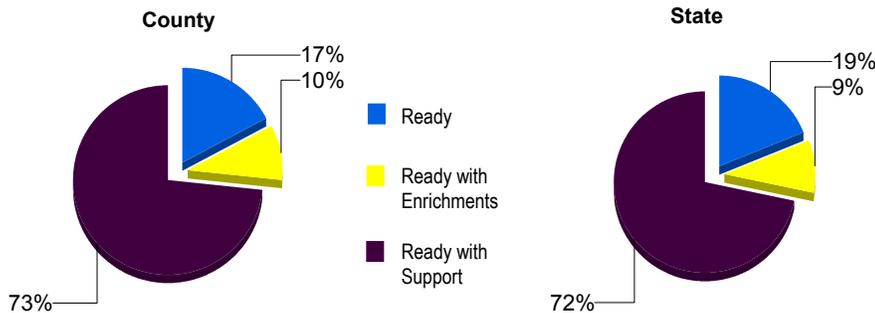
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	502
Number of children 3-4 years old	368
Percent of children below 100% poverty	40.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	51.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	71.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	12
Number of child care spaces in the county	694
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	273
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	255
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	6
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	6
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	6
Public preschool enrollment	60
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	22
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	38
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	42
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	5
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	37
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	196

Third Grade Assessment Results

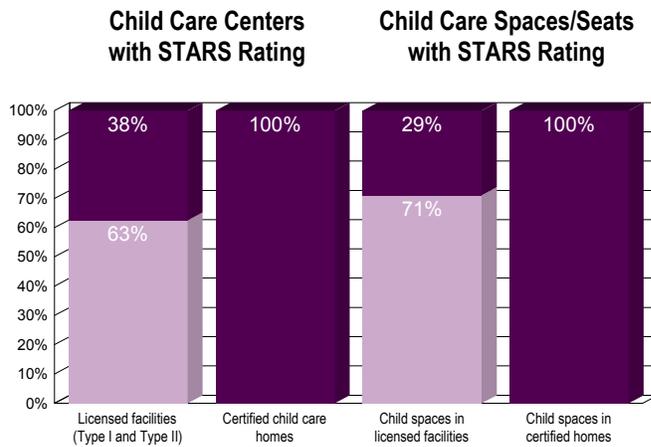
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Math	47.5%	42.8%
Reading	52.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	5	0	485	0
Not STARS	3	2	197	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	4
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	3

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	870	6.1% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	358	40.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	456	51.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	18	2.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	53	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	211	4.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	94	19.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	68	51 * 50 *
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	38	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	61	12.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,411
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	312
Children receiving child care subsidies	273
Families served by the First Steps program	44
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	12

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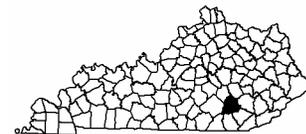
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Laurel County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

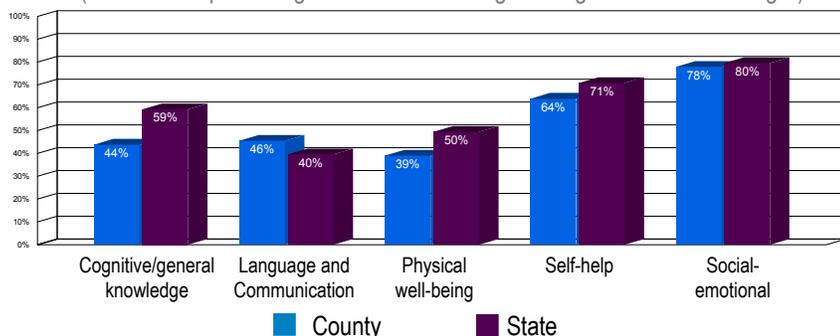
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	11
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	671
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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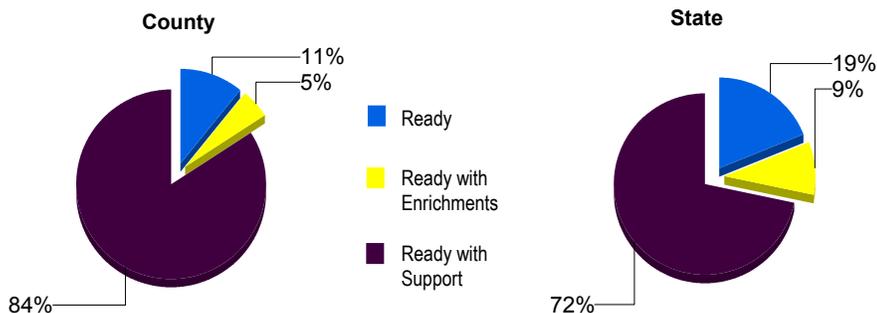
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	2,265
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,507
Percent of children below 100% poverty	31.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	43.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	56.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	80
Number of child care spaces in the county	764
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	421
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	354
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	33
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	18
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	16
Public preschool enrollment	211
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	153
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	56
Other	2
Head Start enrollment	200
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	30
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	103
Other	67
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	782

Third Grade Assessment Results

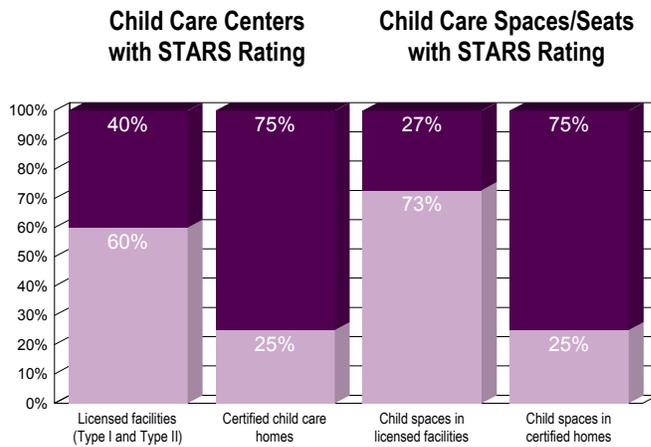
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Reading	47.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	9	1	539	6
Not STARS	6	3	201	18

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Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	26
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	4
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	14
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	21
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	23
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	10

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	3,772	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,488	31.1%
Children living below 150% poverty line	2,082	43.5%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	38	1.2%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	203	1.4%
Households with a non-English language in home	483	2.2%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	619	27.1%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	363	64*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	196	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	243	11.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	6,930
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,311
Children receiving child care subsidies	421
Families served by the First Steps program	127
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	80

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Lawrence County

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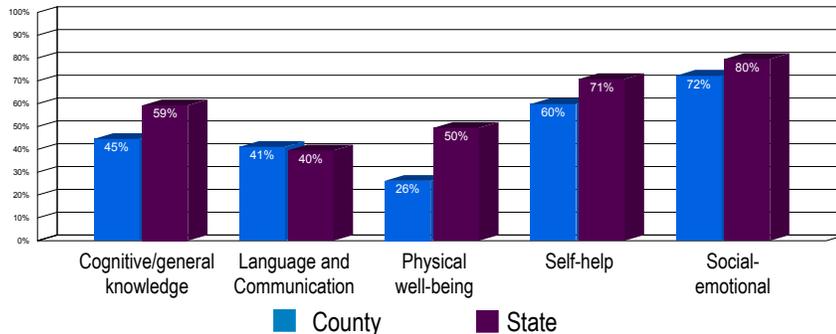
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	202
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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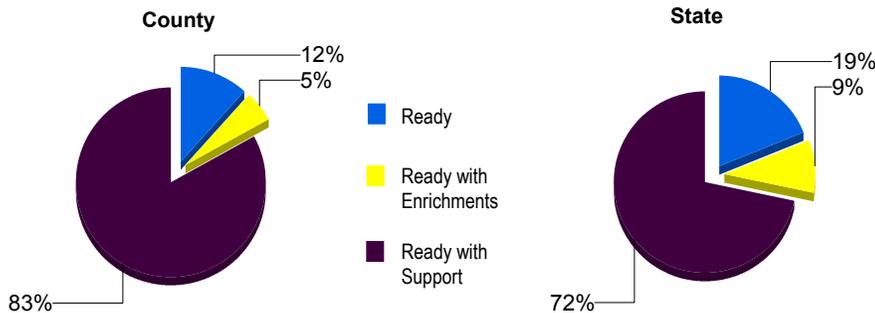
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	656
Number of children 3-4 years old	441
Percent of children below 100% poverty	39.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	59.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	72.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	87
Number of child care spaces in the county	133
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	68
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	63
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	5
Public preschool enrollment	131
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	54
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	63
Other	14
Head Start enrollment	36
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	36
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	215

Third Grade Assessment Results

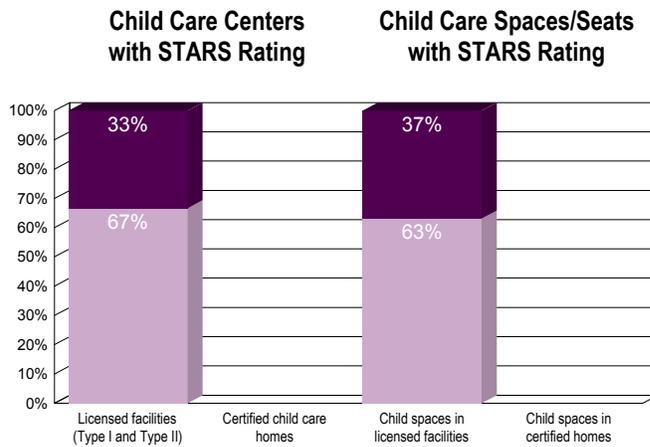
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Reading	50.3%	49.4%

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STARS	2	0	84	0
Not STARS	1	0	49	0

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Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,097	6.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	450	39.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	666	59.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	120	3.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	202	3.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	148	25.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	84	53* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	107	18.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	156	26.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,083
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	342
Children receiving child care subsidies	68
Families served by the First Steps program	32
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	87

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

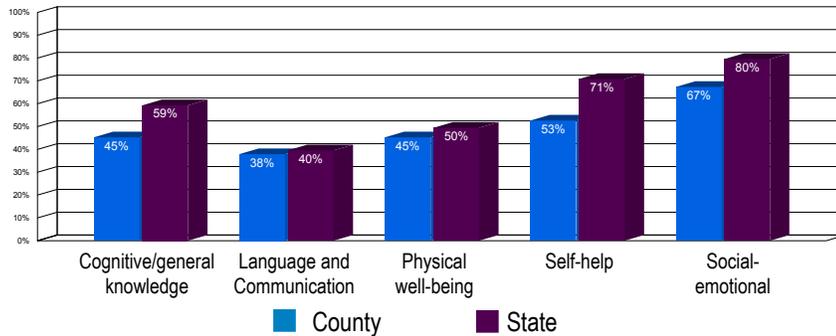
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	2
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	95
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

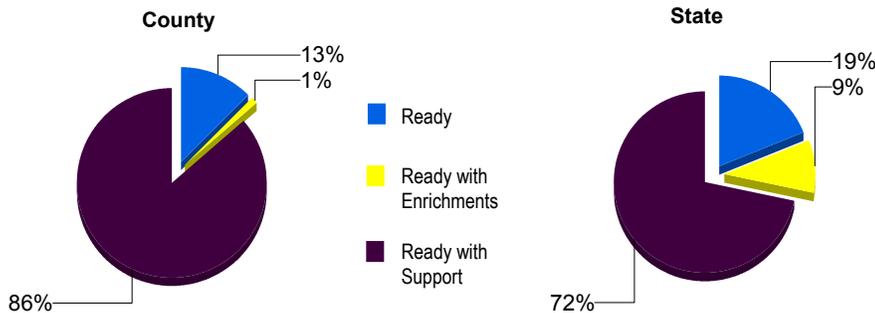
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	197
Number of children 3-4 years old	148
Percent of children below 100% poverty	53.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	68.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	93.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	35
Number of child care spaces in the county	183
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	79
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	79
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	0
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	0
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	0
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	80
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	7
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	73
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	101

Third Grade Assessment Results

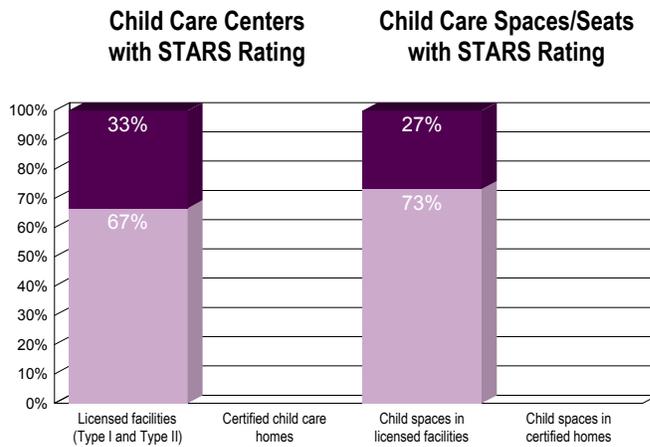
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	47.8%	42.8%
Reading	65.2%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

Early child care facilities can voluntarily participate in the STARS for KIDS NOW rating. A higher quality rating means better child-to-caregiver ratios, program curriculum, child care staff training, program regulatory compliance, and personnel policies.



	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	134	0
Not STARS	1	0	49	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	5
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	345 4.4%	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	221 53.9%	29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	279 68.0%	41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	29 7.9%	4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	29 1.9%	1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	22 0.8%	5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	82 37.3%	20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	40 57*	50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	26 12.0%	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	22 10.0%	12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,089
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	194
Children receiving child care subsidies	79
Families served by the First Steps program	15
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	35

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Leslie County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

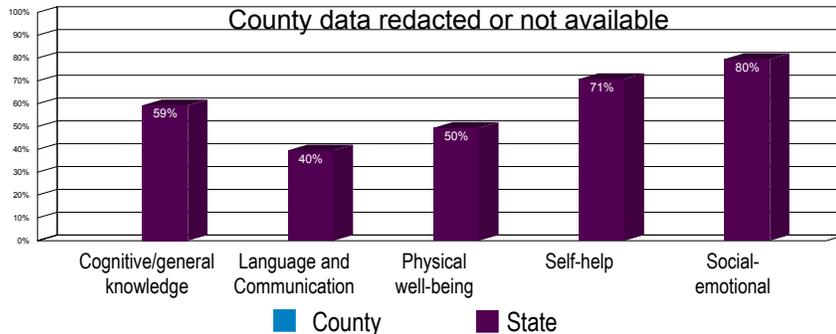
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

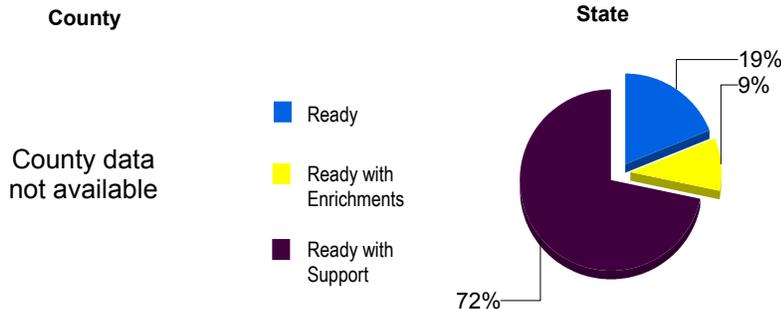
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	417
Number of children 3-4 years old	281
Percent of children below 100% poverty	7.9%
Below 150% poverty	39.9%
Below 200% poverty	55.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	49
Number of child care spaces in the county	177
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	9
CCAP at Licensed Centers	8
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	0
CCAP at Registered Providers	1
Public preschool enrollment	95
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	31
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	64
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	75
3s and 4s with disabilities	30
3s and 4s income eligible	23
Other	22
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	137

Third Grade Assessment Results

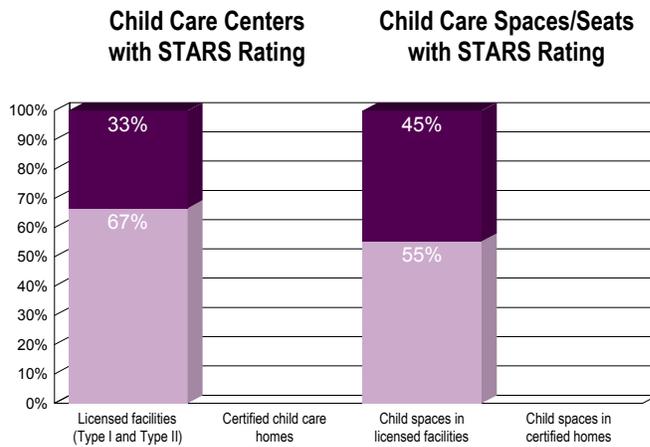
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	County	State
Math	21.6%	42.8%
Reading	46.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	4	0	98	0
Not STARS	2	0	79	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	6
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	2
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	2

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	698	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	60	7.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	303	39.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	54	2.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	20	0.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	153	31.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	70	66* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	50	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	77	15.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,421
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	261
Children receiving child care subsidies	9
Families served by the First Steps program	30
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	49

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Letcher County

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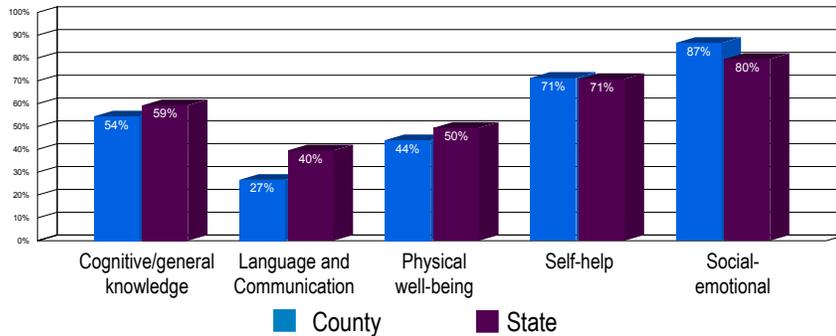
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	5
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	202
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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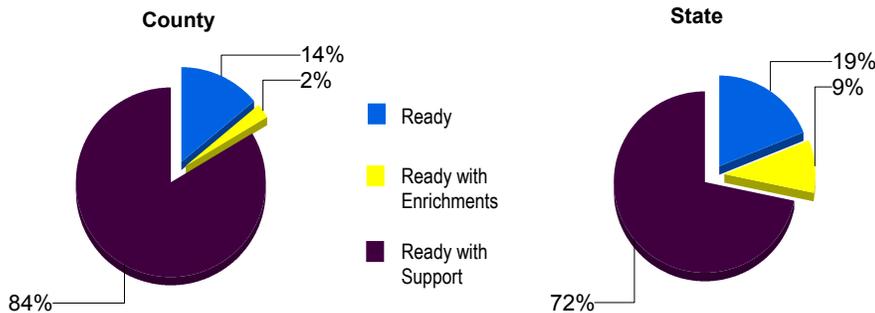
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	875
Number of children 3-4 years old	602
Percent of children below 100% poverty	29.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	39.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	47.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	116
Number of child care spaces in the county	370
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	69
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	67
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	2
Public preschool enrollment	91
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	60
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	26
Other	5
Head Start enrollment	164
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	68
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	90
Other	6
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	350

Third Grade Assessment Results

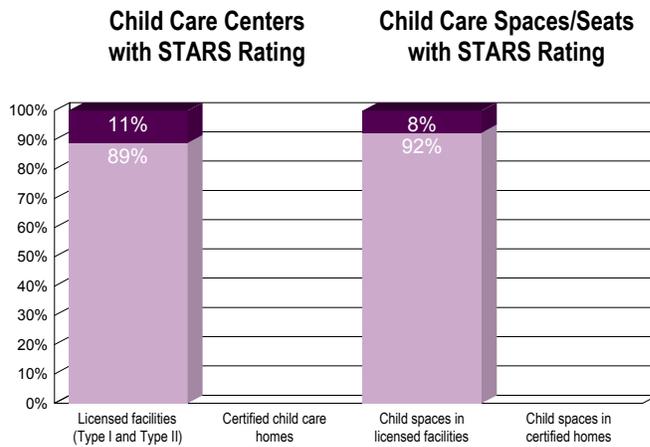
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	County	State
Math	26.7%	42.8%
Reading	38.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	8	0	342	0
Not STARS	1	0	28	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	4

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,477	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	552	29.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	738	39.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	209	16.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	217	4.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	157	1.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	210	25.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	117	52* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	102	12.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	133	16.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,057
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	492
Children receiving child care subsidies	69
Families served by the First Steps program	88
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	116

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Lewis County

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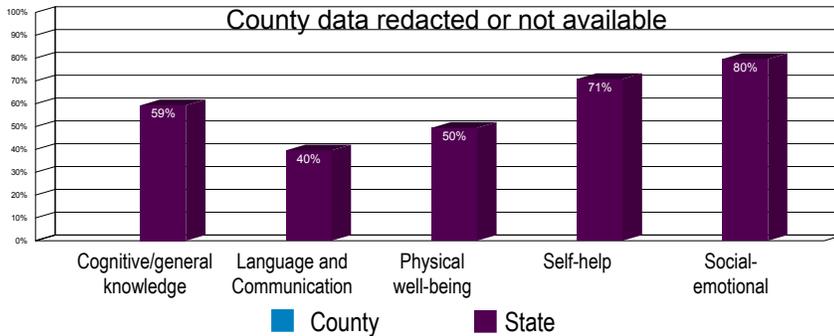
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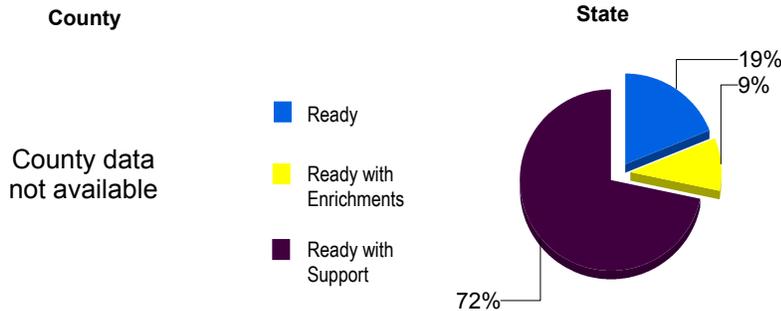
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	513
Number of children 3-4 years old	349
Percent of children below 100% poverty	49.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	65.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	71.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	26
Number of child care spaces in the county	251
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	76
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	61
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	6
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	8
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	1
Public preschool enrollment	71
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	32
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	31
Other	8
Head Start enrollment	93
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	17
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	74
Other	2
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	199

Third Grade Assessment Results

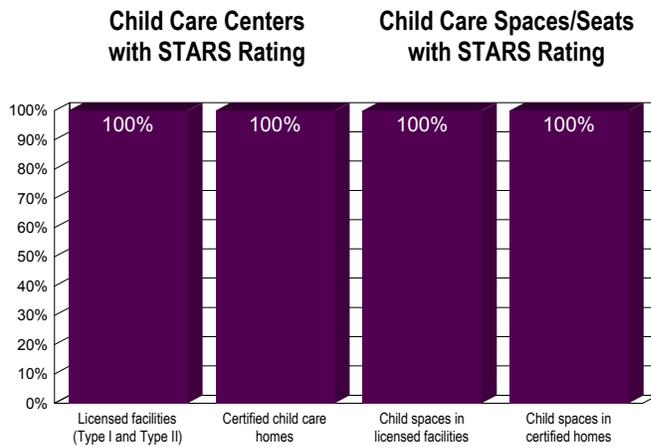
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Not STARS	5	3	233	18

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	862 6.2%	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	531 49.4%	29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	705 65.6%	41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	96 3.0%	1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	138 2.8%	5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	76 21.2%	20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	60 46*	50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	39 11.0%	9.0%
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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,846
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	255
Children receiving child care subsidies	76
Families served by the First Steps program	49
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	26

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

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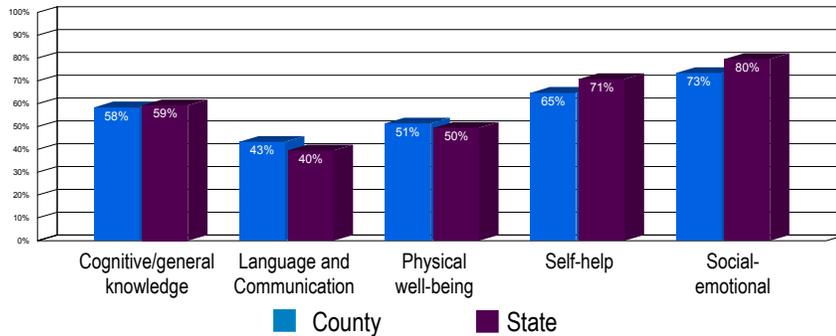
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	6
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	298
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

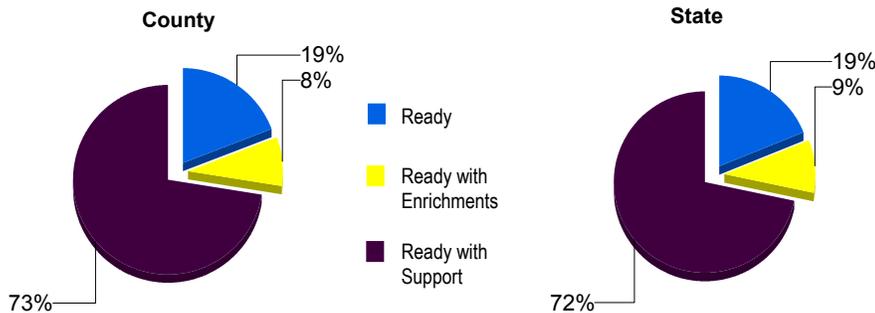
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	956
Number of children 3-4 years old	640
Percent of children below 100% poverty	35.3%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	43.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	58.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	48
Number of child care spaces in the county	168
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	72
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	14
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	12
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	46
Public preschool enrollment	66
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	30
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	36
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	185
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	22
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	148
Other	15
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	313

Third Grade Assessment Results

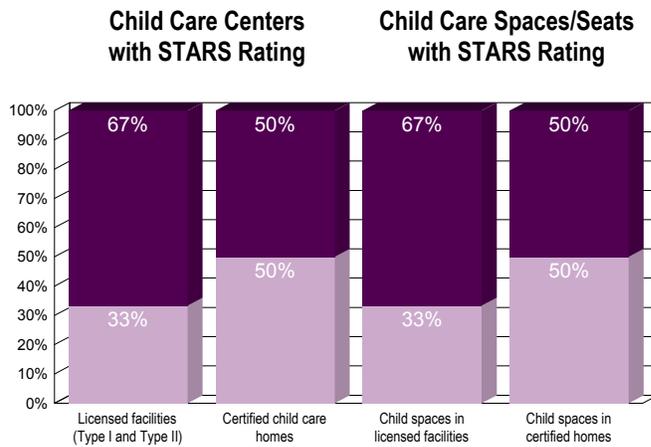
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	33.1%	42.8%
Reading	45.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	1	2	48	12
Not STARS	2	2	96	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	9
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	5
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,596	6.5% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	669	35.3% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	821	43.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	102	8.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	88	1.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	131	1.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	276	27.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	165	70* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	90	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	125	12.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,716
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	504
Children receiving child care subsidies	72
Families served by the First Steps program	31
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	48

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Livingston County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

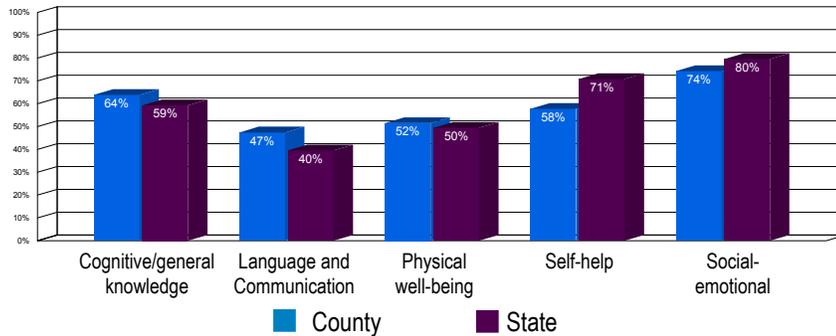
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	97
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

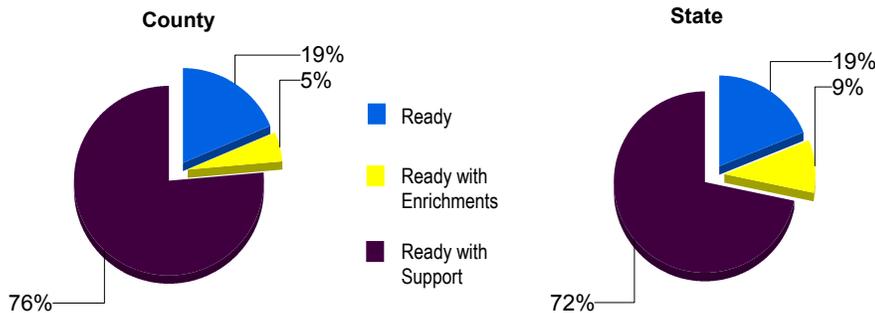
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	302
Number of children 3-4 years old	236
Percent of children below 100% poverty	15.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	47.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	56.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	15
Number of child care spaces in the county	46
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	44
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	35
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	5
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	4
Public preschool enrollment	60
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	31
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	29
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	37
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	37
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	108

Third Grade Assessment Results

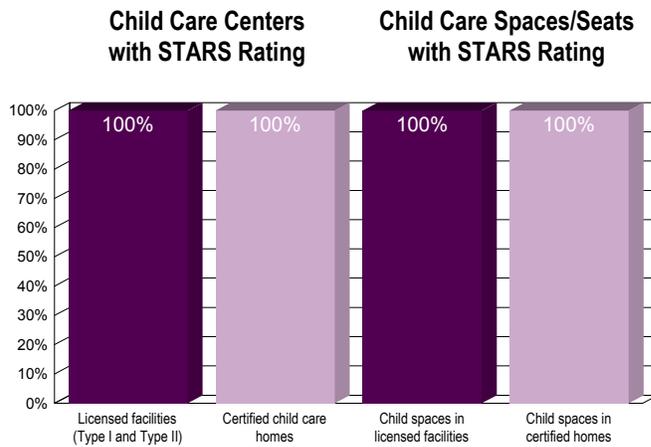
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Math	37.6%	42.8%
Reading	32.9%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	0	1	0	6
Not STARS	1	0	40	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	5
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	538	5.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	94	15.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	281	47.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	31	7.9% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	34	1.7% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	95	2.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	57	18.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	51	58* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	22	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	32	10.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	744
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	146
Children receiving child care subsidies	44
Families served by the First Steps program	11
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	15

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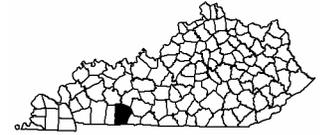
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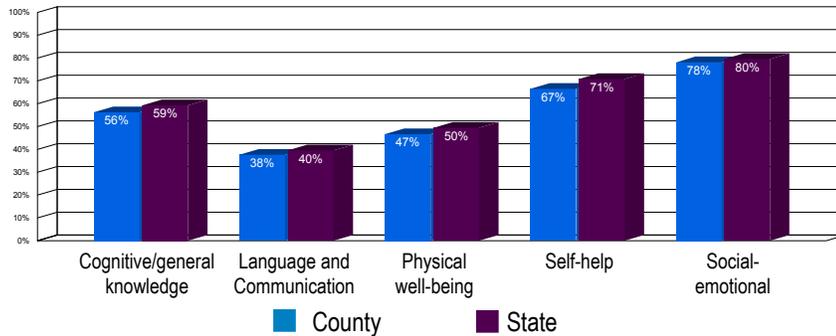
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	5
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	242
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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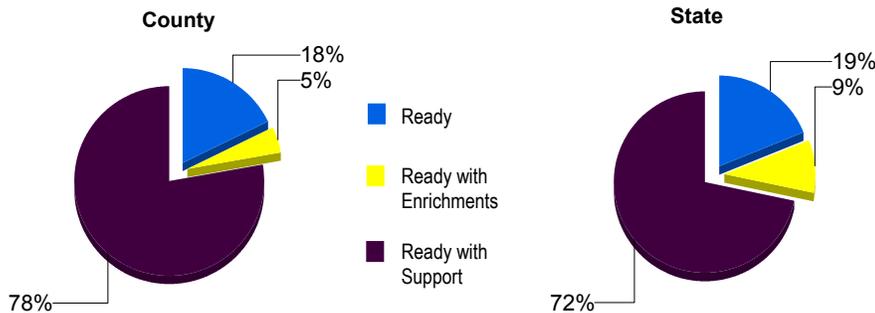
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	949
Number of children 3-4 years old	682
Percent of children below 100% poverty	41.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	54.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	63.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	18
Number of child care spaces in the county	359
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	244
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	221
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	6
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	17
Public preschool enrollment	275
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	179
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	72
Other	24
Head Start enrollment	10
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	3
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	6
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	347

Third Grade Assessment Results

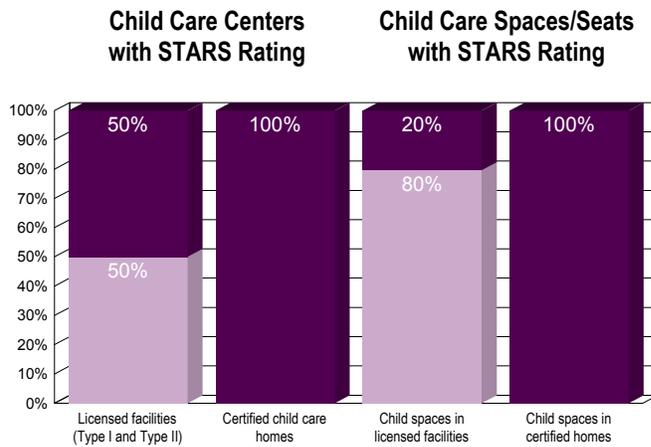
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	County	State
Math	53.6%	42.8%
Reading	55.4%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	281	0
Not STARS	3	1	72	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	6

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,631	6.1% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	893	41.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,172	54.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	91	6.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	48	0.8% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	577	5.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	244	23.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	173	67* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	91	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	127	12.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,398
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	435
Children receiving child care subsidies	244
Families served by the First Steps program	62
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	18

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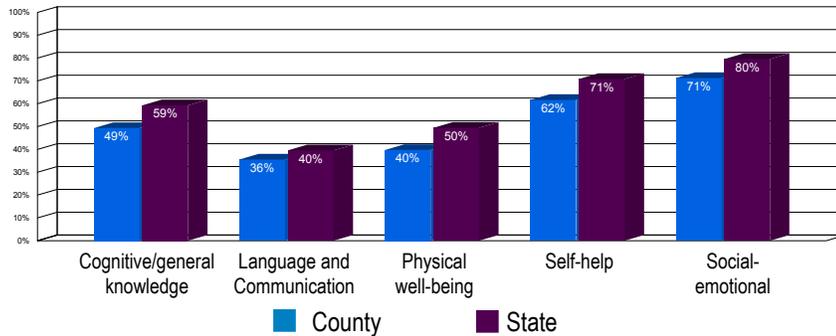
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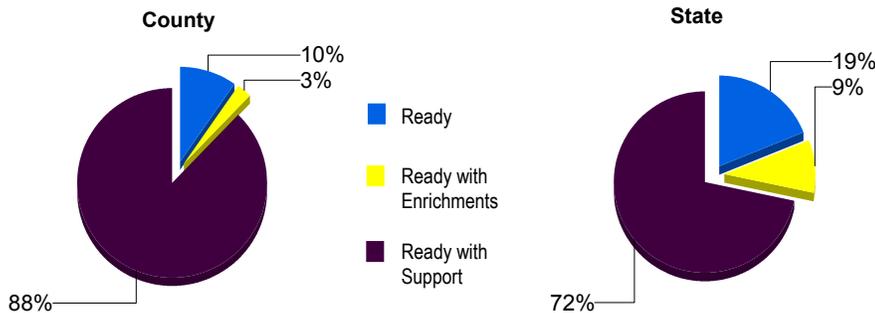
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Highlights

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Number of children 3-4 years old	142
Percent of children below 100% poverty	38.0%
Below 150% poverty	51.9%
Below 200% poverty	58.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	26
Number of child care spaces in the county	67
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	23
CCAP at Licensed Centers	23
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	0
CCAP at Registered Providers	0
Public preschool enrollment	52
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	4
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	27
Other	21
Head Start enrollment	19
3s and 4s with disabilities	1
3s and 4s income eligible	18
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	54

Third Grade Assessment Results

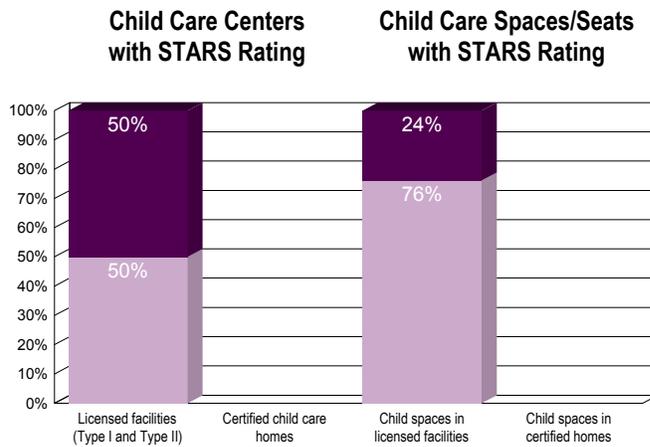
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STARS	1	0	51	0
Not STARS	1	0	16	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	2
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	5

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	343	4.1% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	131	38.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	179	51.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	49	3.8% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	84	2.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	34	17.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	27	42* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	14	7.0% 9.0%
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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	411
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	114
Children receiving child care subsidies	23
Families served by the First Steps program	20
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	26

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Madison County



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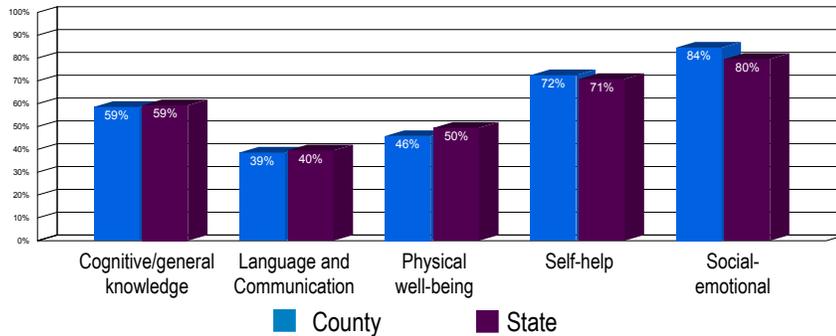
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	11
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	858
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

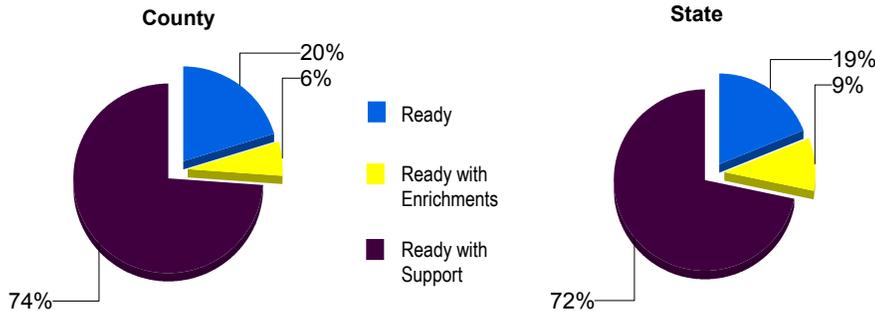
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	2,946
Number of children 3-4 years old	2,054
Percent of children below 100% poverty	26.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	37.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	48.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	172
Number of child care spaces in the county	3,243
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1608
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1524
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	3
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	81
Public preschool enrollment	343
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	196
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	132
Other	15
Head Start enrollment	168
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	4
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	164
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	996

Third Grade Assessment Results

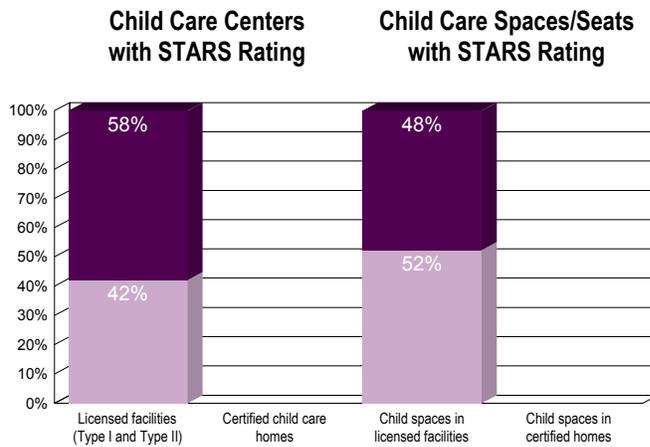
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	46.8%	42.8%
Reading	50.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	16	0	1,698	0
Not STARS	22	0	1,545	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	8
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	21
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	28
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	30
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	42
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	5,000	5.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,569	26.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	2,198	37.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	92	2.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	262	1.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,753	5.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	509	16.7% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	351	30* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	256	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	275	9.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	6,486
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,002
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,608
Families served by the First Steps program	221
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	172

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Magoffin County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

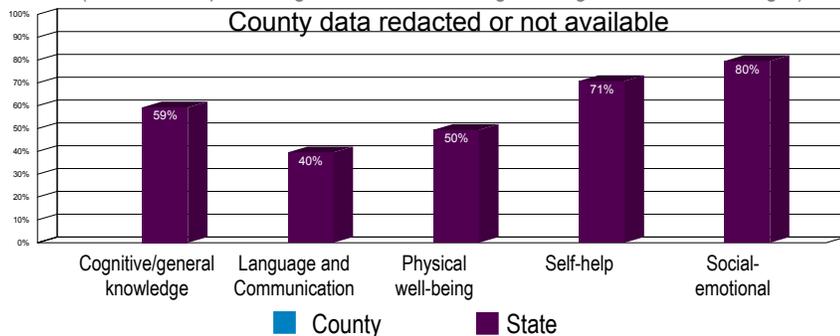
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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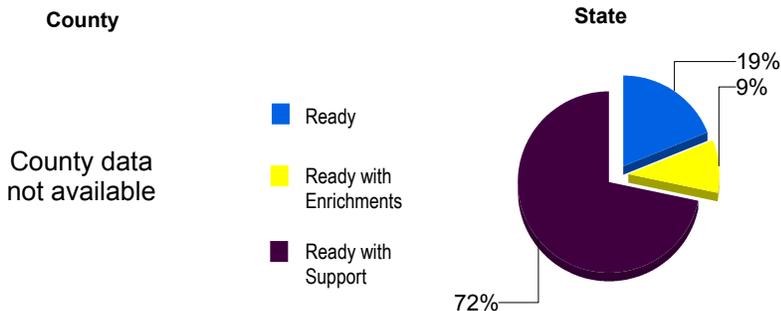
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	444
Number of children 3-4 years old	327
Percent of children below 100% poverty	49.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	65.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	69.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	89
Number of child care spaces in the county	97
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	59
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	42
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	9
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	8
Public preschool enrollment	15
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	15
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	0
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	143
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	31
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	107
Other	5
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	194

Third Grade Assessment Results

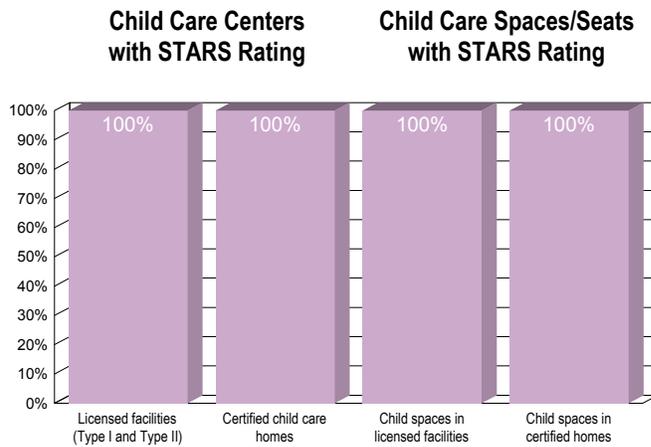
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	County	State
Math	31.2%	42.8%
Reading	56.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	2	85	12
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	1

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	771	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	490	49.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	645	65.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	52	7.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	78	2.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	68	1.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	171	34.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	83	63* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	61	12.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	91	18.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,126
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	342
Children receiving child care subsidies	59
Families served by the First Steps program	30
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	89

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Marion County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

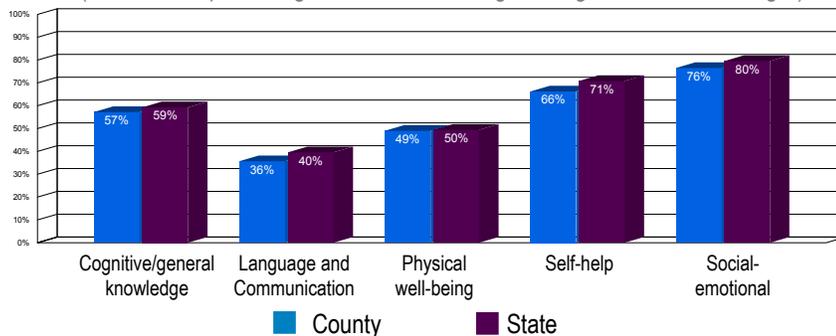
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	4
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	255
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

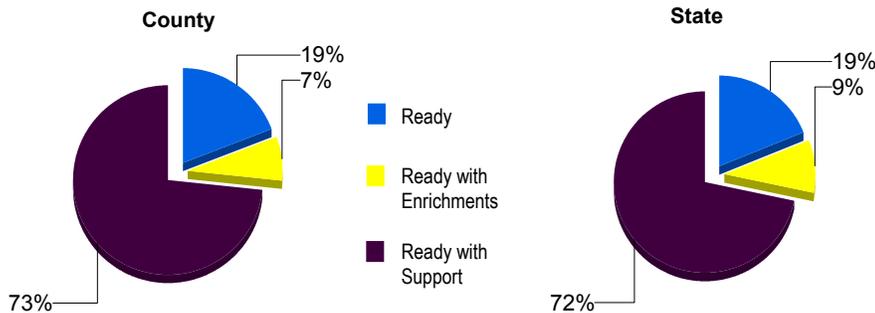
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	800
Number of children 3-4 years old	564
Percent of children below 100% poverty	24.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	36.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	40.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	35
Number of child care spaces in the county	776
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	336
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	334
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	2
Public preschool enrollment	87
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	39
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	48
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	90
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	15
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	75
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	238

Third Grade Assessment Results

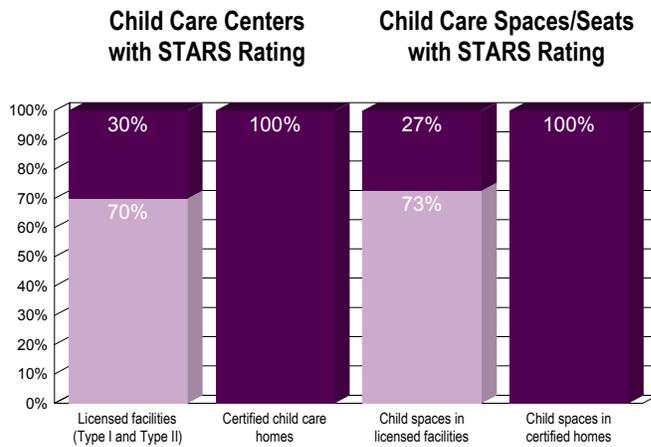
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	54.7%	42.8%
Reading	56.4%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	7	0	555	0
Not STARS	3	2	209	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	5
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,364	6.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	356	24.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	527	36.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	45	0.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	264	3.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	164	19.7% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	97	52* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	79	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	86	10.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,840
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	304
Children receiving child care subsidies	336
Families served by the First Steps program	31
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	35

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Marshall County



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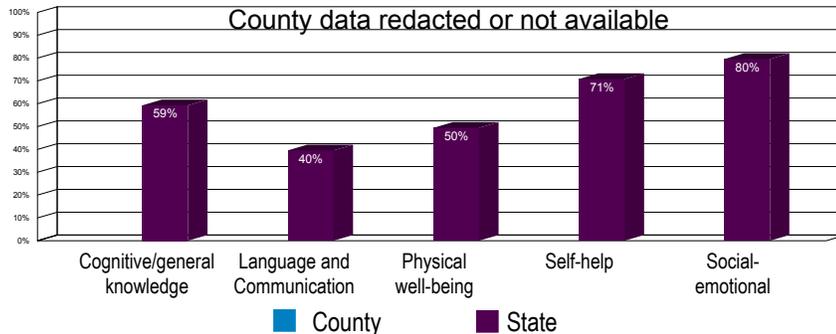
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

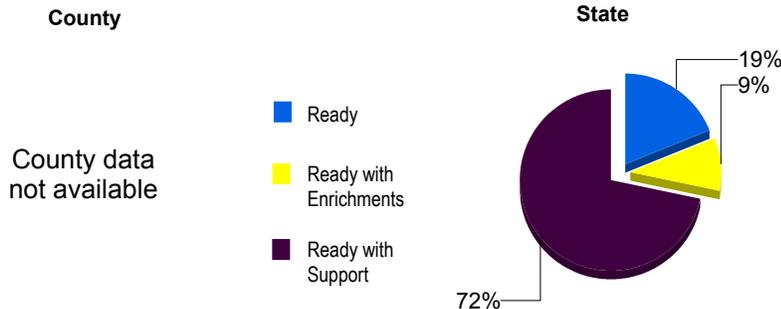
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,023
Number of children 3-4 years old	654
Percent of children below 100% poverty	27.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	42.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	50.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	40
Number of child care spaces in the county	616
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	292
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	287
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	4
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	1
Public preschool enrollment	120
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	49
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	71
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	63
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	9
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	53
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	420

Third Grade Assessment Results

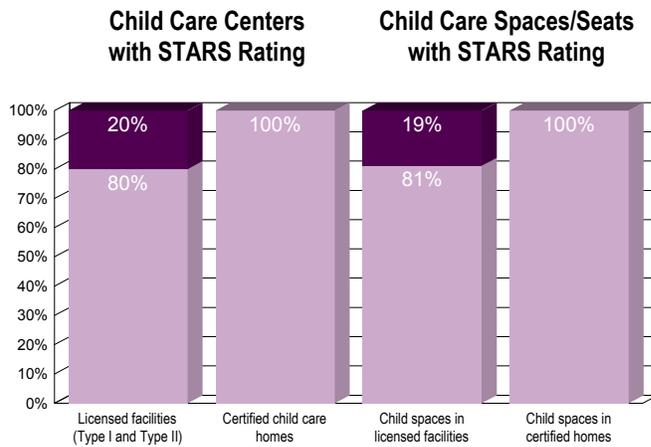
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	County	State
Math	53.2%	42.8%
Reading	59.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	8	1	495	6
Not STARS	2	0	115	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	16
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,677	5.4% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	575	27.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	879	42.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	101	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	313	2.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	175	17.4% 20.6%
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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,159
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	517
Children receiving child care subsidies	292
Families served by the First Steps program	84
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	40

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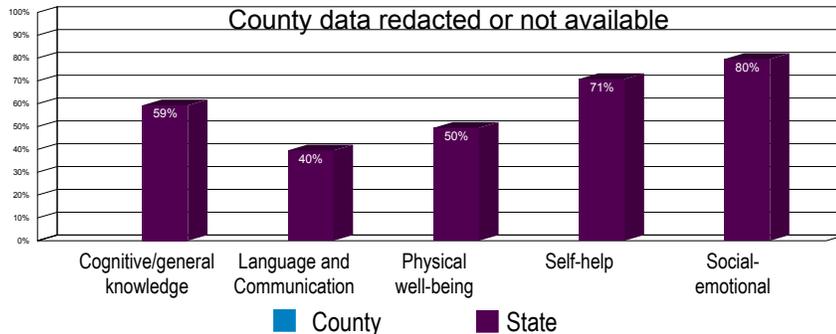
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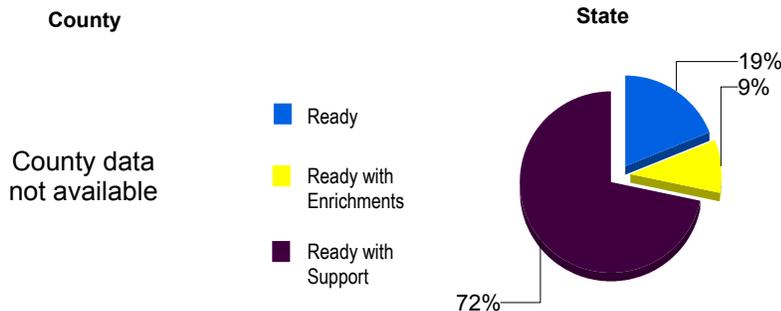
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	393
Number of children 3-4 years old	293
Percent of children below 100% poverty	51.5%
Below 150% poverty	53.2%
Below 200% poverty	65.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	75
Number of child care spaces in the county	61
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	5
CCAP at Licensed Centers	3
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	0
CCAP at Registered Providers	2
Public preschool enrollment	34
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	10
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	5
Other	19
Head Start enrollment	124
3s and 4s with disabilities	21
3s and 4s income eligible	103
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	182

Third Grade Assessment Results

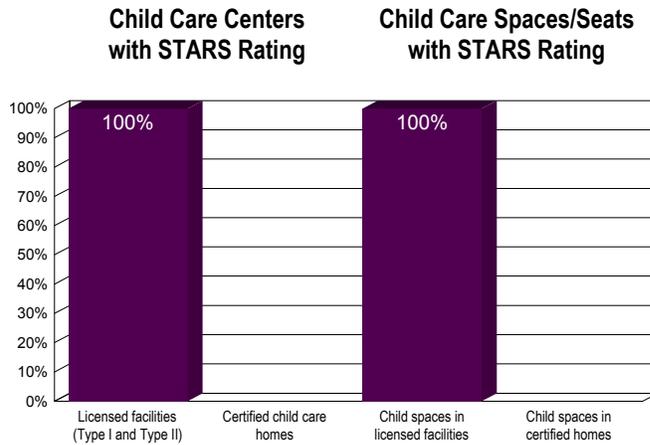
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	24.9%	42.8%
Reading	32.9%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	0	0	0	0
Not STARS	1	0	61	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	3
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	686 5.4%	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	434 51.5%	29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	448 53.2%	41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0 0.0%	4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	134 5.0%	1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	45 1.0%	5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	161 37.8%	20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	75 65*	50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	79 18.0%	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	100 23.0%	12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,874
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	242
Children receiving child care subsidies	5
Families served by the First Steps program	33
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	75

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Mason County

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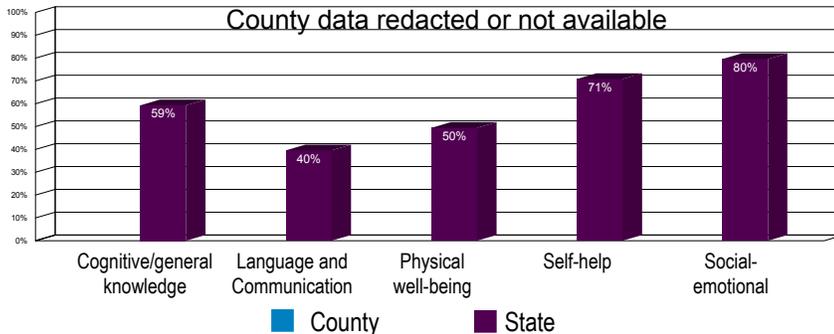
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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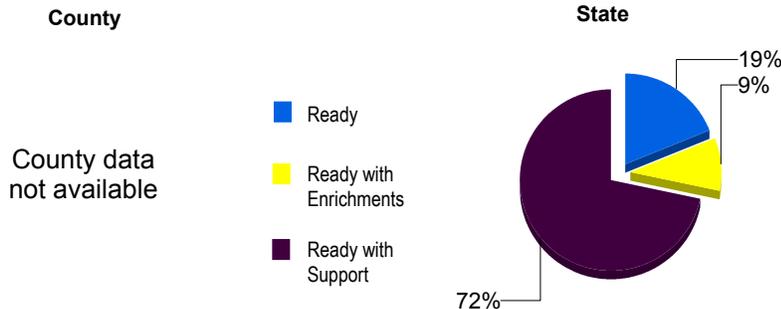
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	694
Number of children 3-4 years old	488
Percent of children below 100% poverty	34.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	40.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	51.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	45
Number of child care spaces in the county	539
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	345
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	278
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	25
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	40
Public preschool enrollment	132
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	80
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	49
Other	3
Head Start enrollment	151
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	18
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	131
Other	2
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	233

Third Grade Assessment Results

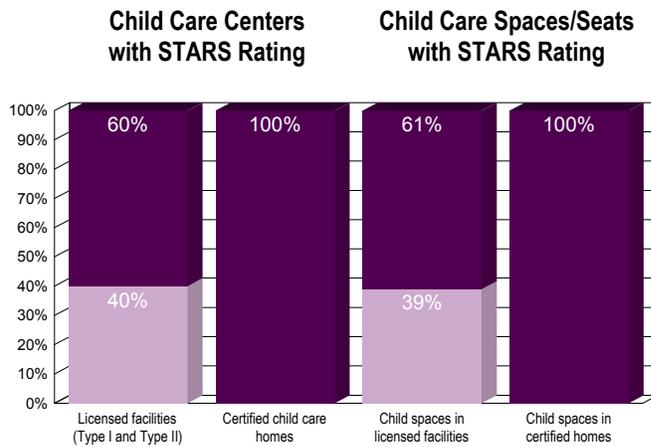
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Math	44.2%	42.8%
Reading	47.1%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	203	0
Not STARS	3	3	318	18

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,182	6.7% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	523	34.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	615	40.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0	0.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	101	2.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	295	4.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	149	21.5% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	120	69* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	63	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	77	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,934
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	295
Children receiving child care subsidies	345
Families served by the First Steps program	76
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	45

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

McCracken County

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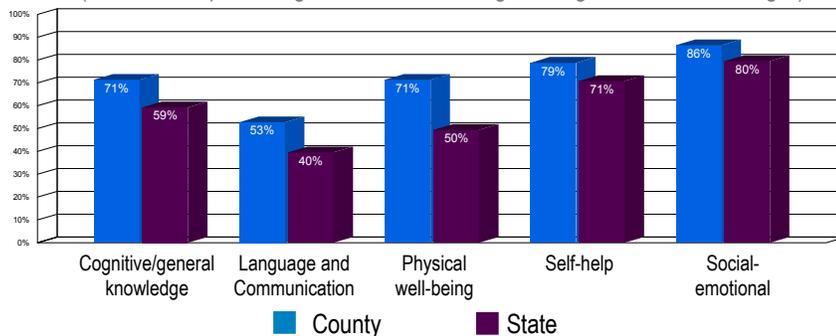
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	5
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	377
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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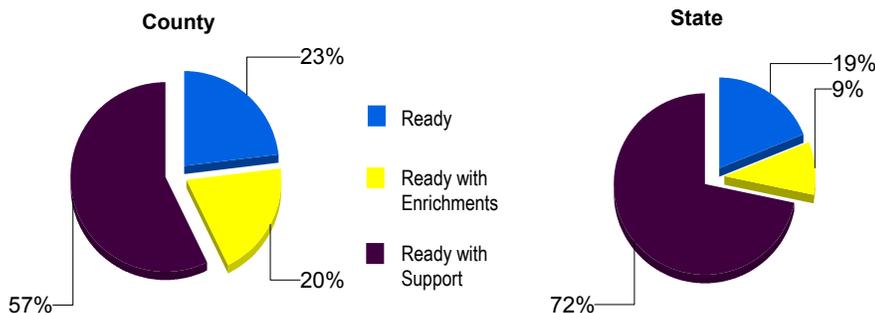
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	2,271
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,579
Percent of children below 100% poverty	31.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	45.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	53.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	84
Number of child care spaces in the county	3,164
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1422
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1326
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	14
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	82
Public preschool enrollment	191
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	82
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	108
Other	1
Head Start enrollment	307
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	50
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	257
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	874

Third Grade Assessment Results

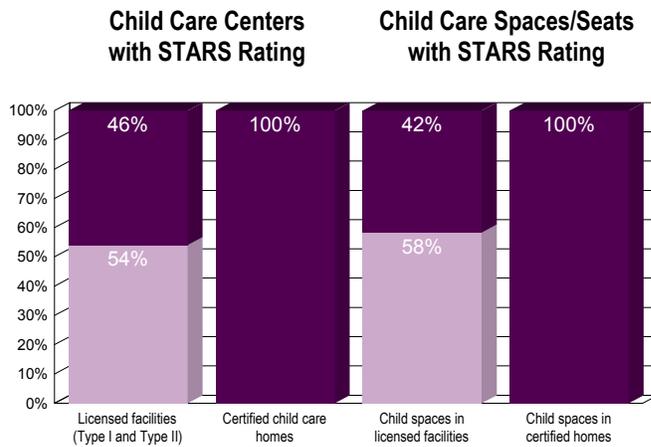
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	49.1%	42.8%
Reading	54.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	20	0	1,842	0
Not STARS	17	1	1,316	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	6
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	11
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	14
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	25
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	3,850	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,457	31.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	2,138	45.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	119	3.7% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	184	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,263	4.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	422	18.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	301	51 * 50 *
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	205	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	261	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	5,458
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	811
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,422
Families served by the First Steps program	195
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	84

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McCreary County

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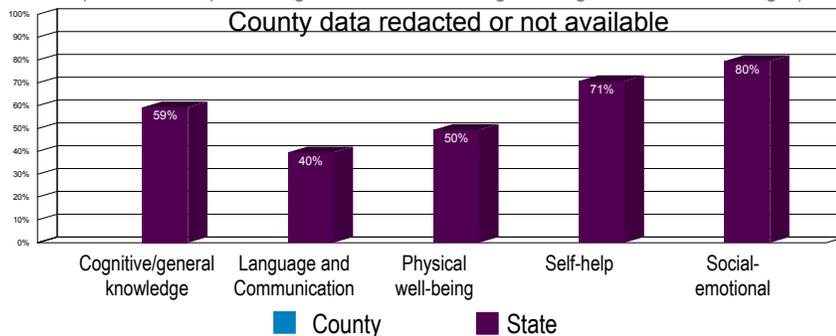
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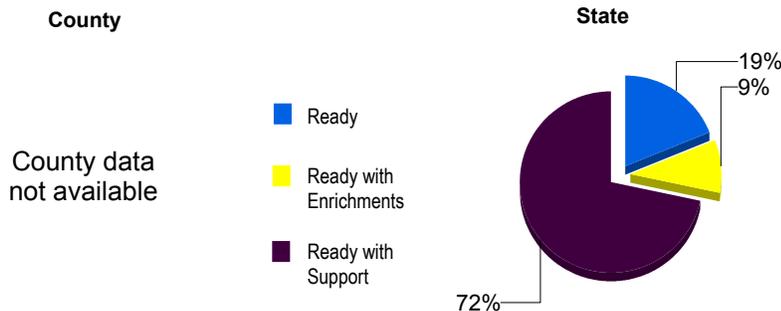
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	621
Number of children 3-4 years old	468
Percent of children below 100% poverty	45.2%
Below 150% poverty	63.3%
Below 200% poverty	74.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	120
Number of child care spaces in the county	225
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	174
CCAP at Licensed Centers	157
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	0
CCAP at Registered Providers	17
Public preschool enrollment	209
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	110
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	76
Other	23
Head Start enrollment	60
3s and 4s with disabilities	2
3s and 4s income eligible	55
Other	3
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	234

Third Grade Assessment Results

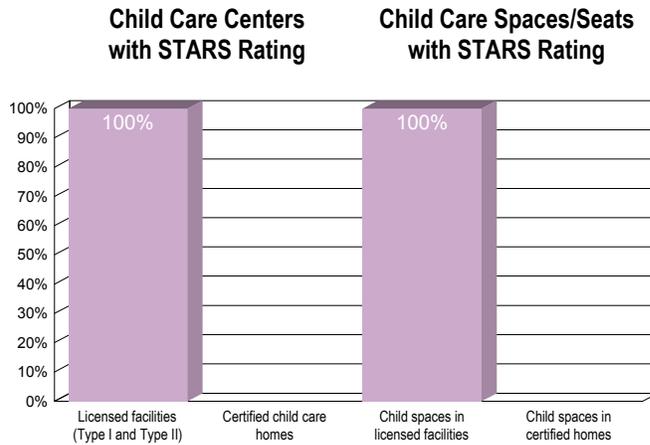
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STARS	6	0	225	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

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Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,089	6.0% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	607	45.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	850	63.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0	0.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	106	2.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	59	0.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	151	23.0% 20.6%
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Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	90	13.0% 12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,764
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	451
Children receiving child care subsidies	174
Families served by the First Steps program	32
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	120

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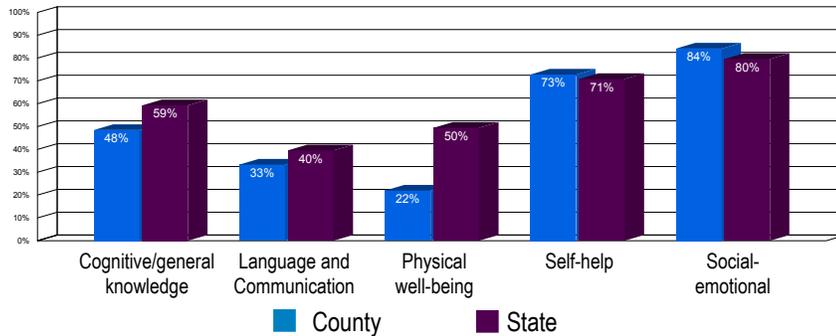
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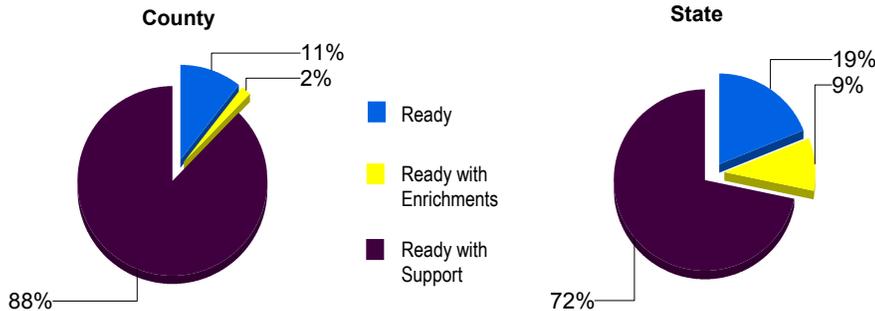
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	317
Number of children 3-4 years old	236
Percent of children below 100% poverty	29.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	47.1%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	66.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	13
Number of child care spaces in the county	148
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	13
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	4
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	3
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	6
Public preschool enrollment	48
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	19
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	29
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	59
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	11
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	48
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	140

Third Grade Assessment Results

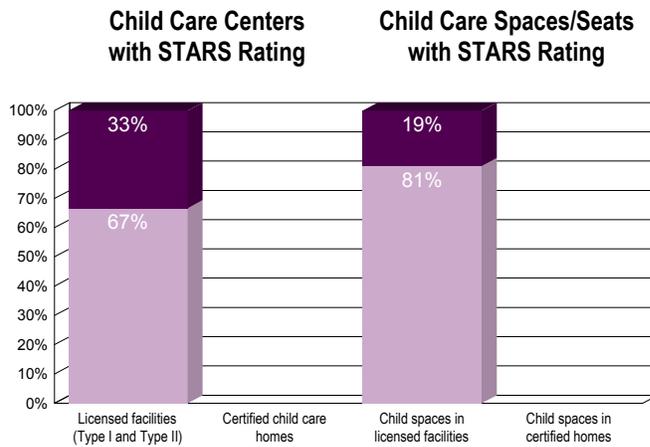
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	52.6%	42.8%
Reading	53.5%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	120	0
Not STARS	1	0	28	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	553	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	214	29.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	337	47.1% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	41	1.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	79	2.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	62	18.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	54	55* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	30	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	48	14.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	886
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	186
Children receiving child care subsidies	13
Families served by the First Steps program	14
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	13

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Community Early Childhood Council

McLean County CECC

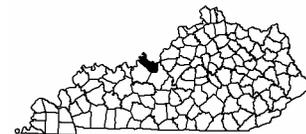
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Meade County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

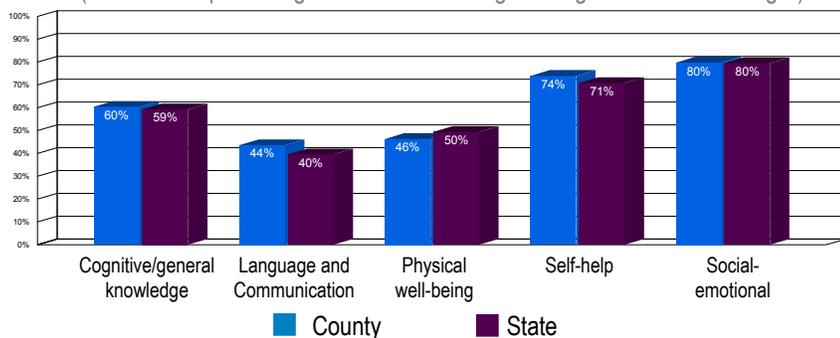
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	4
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	326
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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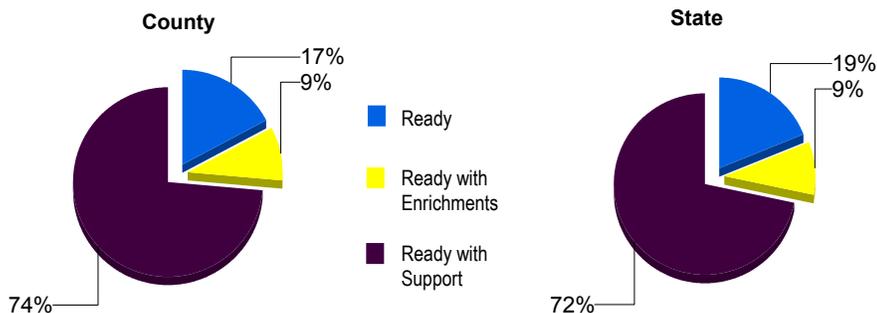
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,237
Number of children 3-4 years old	920
Percent of children below 100% poverty	23.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	44.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	56.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	40
Number of child care spaces in the county	601
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	275
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	248
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	6
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	16
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	5
Public preschool enrollment	161
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	55
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	73
Other	33
Head Start enrollment	33
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	2
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	31
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	371

Third Grade Assessment Results

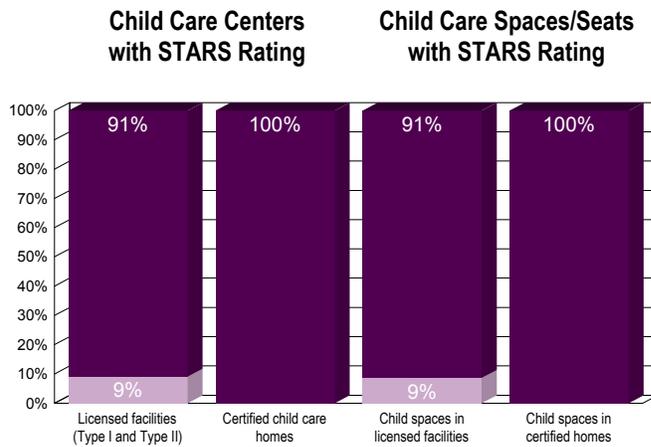
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	60.3%	42.8%
Reading	59.2%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	0	49	0
Not STARS	10	6	516	36

Early Care and Education Workforce

The Commonwealth supports the early care and education workforce with training, scholarships, credentials, and other professional development programs. The counts below are for 2011-2012.

Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	8
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	6
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	10
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	6

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,157	7.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	564	23.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,086	44.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	38	0.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	536	5.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	129	15.9% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	121	40* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	72	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	92	11.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,040
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	425
Children receiving child care subsidies	275
Families served by the First Steps program	54
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	40

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Community Early Childhood Council

Meade County CECC

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Menifee County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

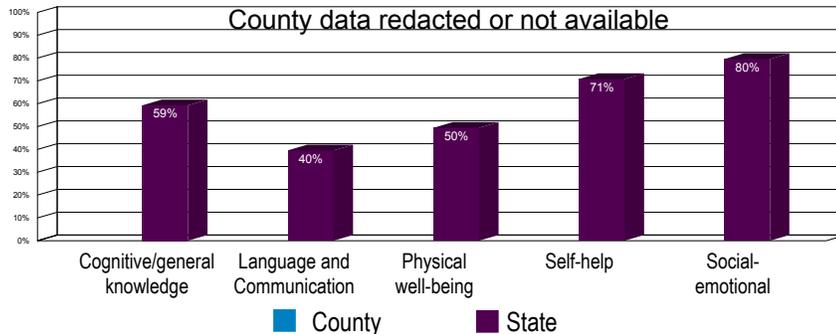
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

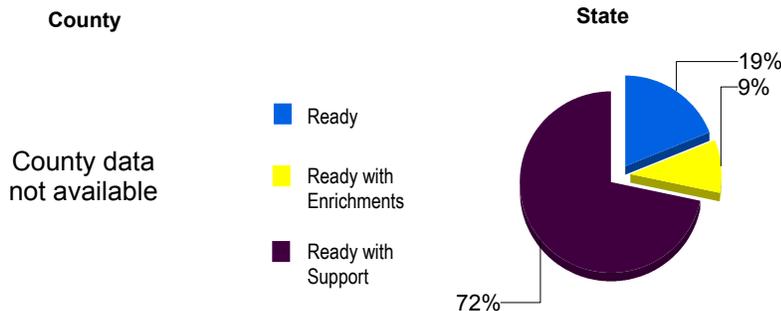
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	191
Number of children 3-4 years old	158
Percent of children below 100% poverty	56.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	71.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	80.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	21
Number of child care spaces in the county	96
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	1
Public preschool enrollment	5
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	0
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	5
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	62
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	14
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	45
Other	3
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	82

Third Grade Assessment Results

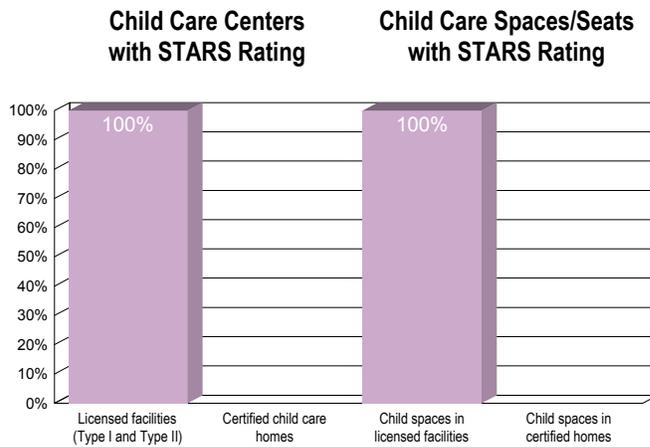
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Math	24.7%	42.8%
Reading	33.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	96	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	349	5.5% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	179	56.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	225	71.4% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	26	8.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	42	2.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	35	1.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	59	28.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	37	54* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	19	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	25	12.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	905
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	155
Children receiving child care subsidies	1
Families served by the First Steps program	13
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	21

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Community Early Childhood Council Gateway CECC (Bath, Menifee, Morgan, Rowan)

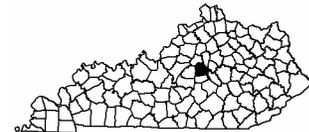
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Mercer County

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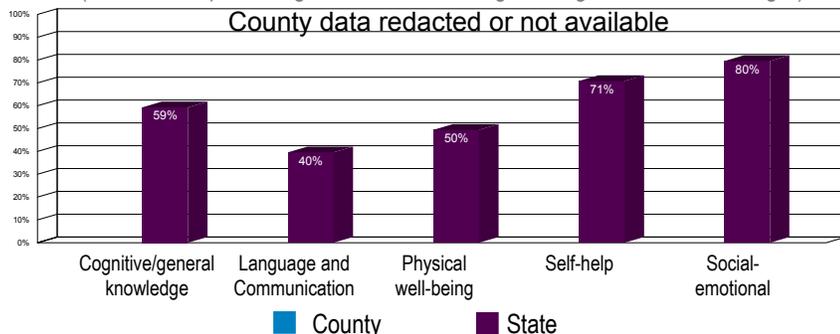
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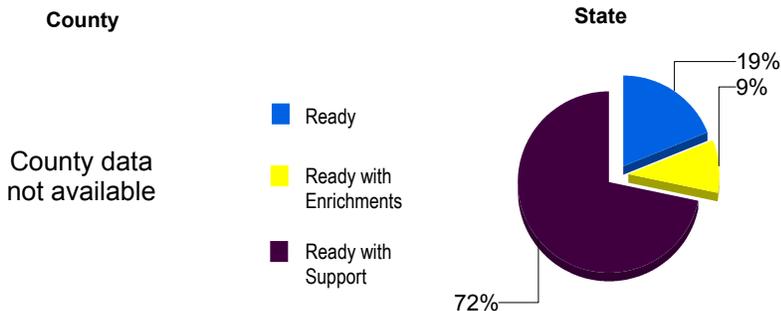
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	829
Number of children 3-4 years old	493
Percent of children below 100% poverty	26.7%
Below 150% poverty	45.5%
Below 200% poverty	52.9%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	23
Number of child care spaces in the county	661
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	311
CCAP at Licensed Centers	284
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	2
CCAP at Registered Providers	25
Public preschool enrollment	132
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	66
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	58
Other	8
Head Start enrollment	40
3s and 4s with disabilities	3
3s and 4s income eligible	37
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	258

Third Grade Assessment Results

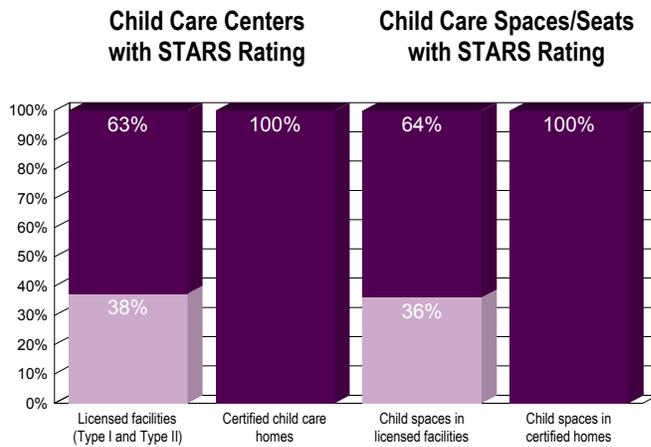
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STARS	3	0	237	0
Not STARS	5	1	418	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	8
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Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,322	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	475	26.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	810	45.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	23	2.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	67	1.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	216	2.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	135	16.5% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	122	64* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	77	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	93	11.0% 12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,838
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Children receiving child care subsidies	311
Families served by the First Steps program	28
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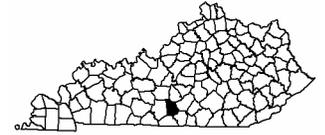
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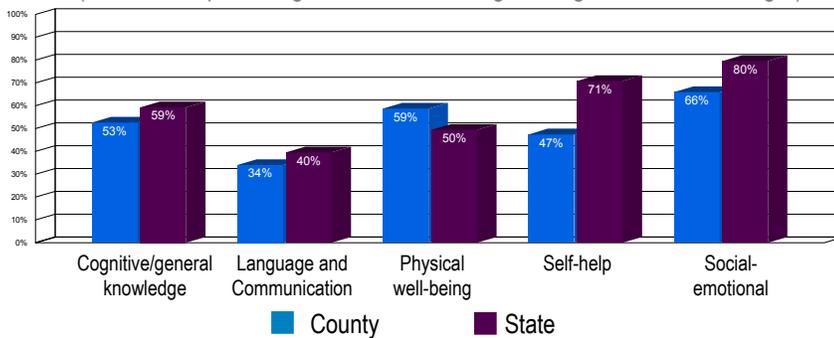
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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

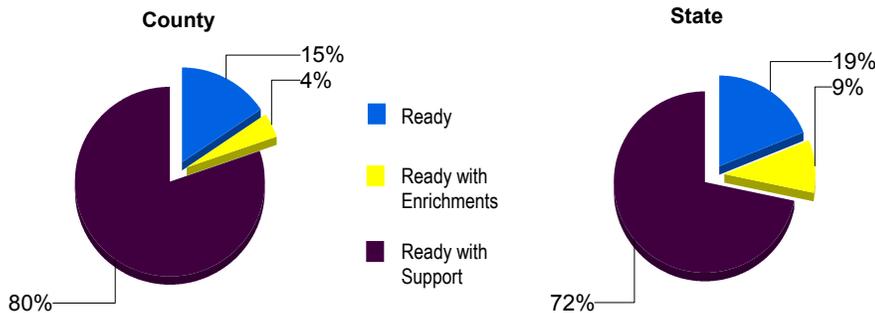
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	396
Number of children 3-4 years old	238
Percent of children below 100% poverty	23.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	43.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	65.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	23
Number of child care spaces in the county	133
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	104
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	104
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	86
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	28
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	37
Other	21
Head Start enrollment	45
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	7
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	38
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	127

Third Grade Assessment Results

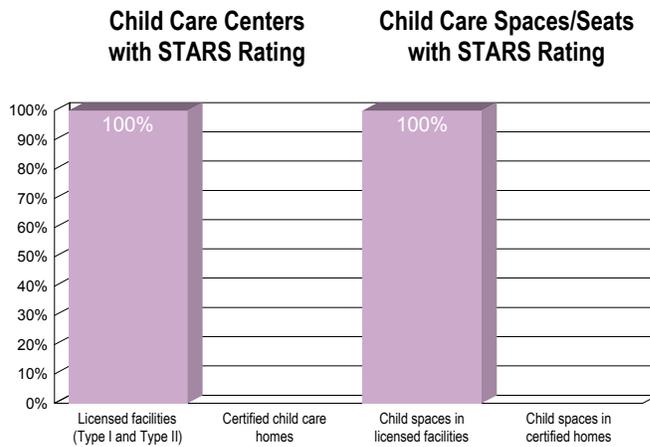
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	42.0%	42.8%
Reading	53.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

Early child care facilities can voluntarily participate in the STARS for KIDS NOW rating. A higher quality rating means better child-to-caregiver ratios, program curriculum, child care staff training, program regulatory compliance, and personnel policies.



	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	2	0	133	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	3
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	3
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	11

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	634	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	162	23.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	294	43.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	52	2.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	64	1.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	112	28.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	63	66* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	25	6.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	46	11.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,195
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	225
Children receiving child care subsidies	104
Families served by the First Steps program	21
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	23

KIDS NOW Initiative

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Community Early Childhood Council

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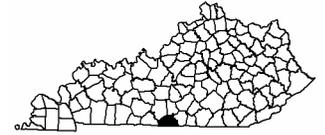
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Monroe County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

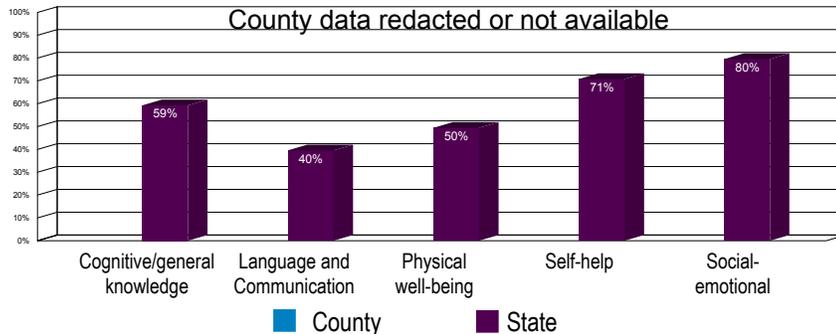
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

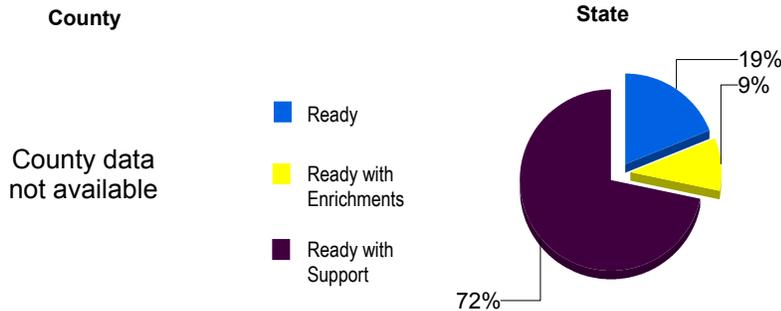
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	370
Number of children 3-4 years old	257
Percent of children below 100% poverty	31.8%
Below 150% poverty	42.4%
Below 200% poverty	57.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	31
Number of child care spaces in the county	203
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	75
CCAP at Licensed Centers	48
CCAP at Licensed Homes	16
CCAP at Certified Homes	10
CCAP at Registered Providers	1
Public preschool enrollment	84
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	26
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	53
Other	5
Head Start enrollment	40
3s and 4s with disabilities	3
3s and 4s income eligible	36
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	174

Third Grade Assessment Results

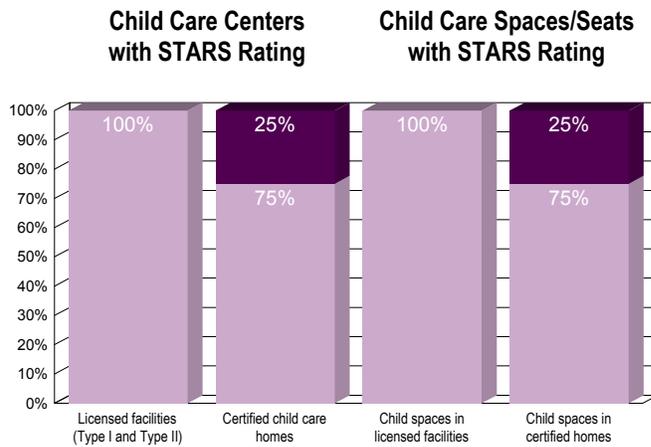
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	57.0%	42.8%
Reading	60.2%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	7	3	179	18
Not STARS	0	1	0	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	627	5.7% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	235	31.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	314	42.4% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	14	2.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	40	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	93	2.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	112	27.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	64	61* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	41	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	47	11.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,236
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	288
Children receiving child care subsidies	75
Families served by the First Steps program	24
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	31

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Montgomery County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

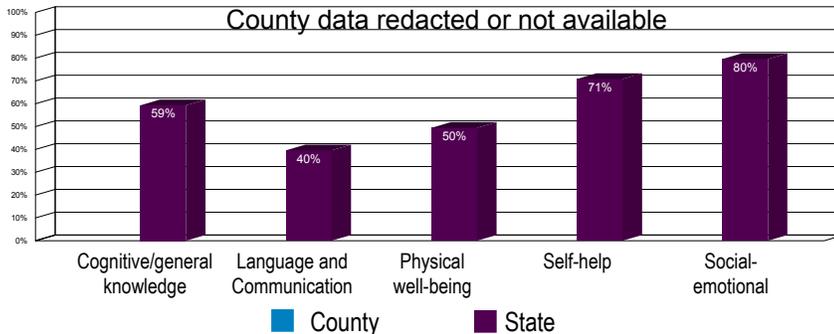
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

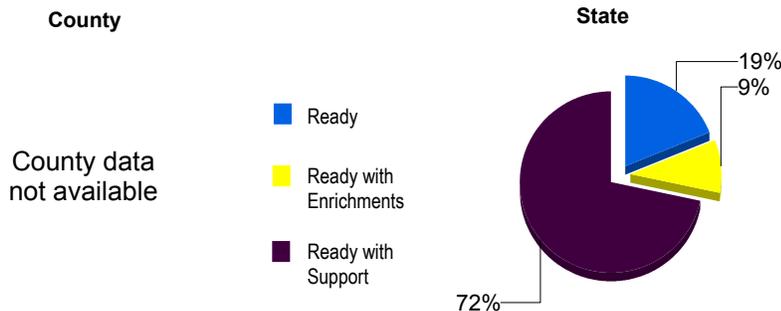
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,079
Number of children 3-4 years old	757
Percent of children below 100% poverty	33.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	51.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	58.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	151
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,339
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	456
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	429
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	6
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	21
Public preschool enrollment	136
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	41
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	83
Other	12
Head Start enrollment	97
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	17
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	80
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	366

Third Grade Assessment Results

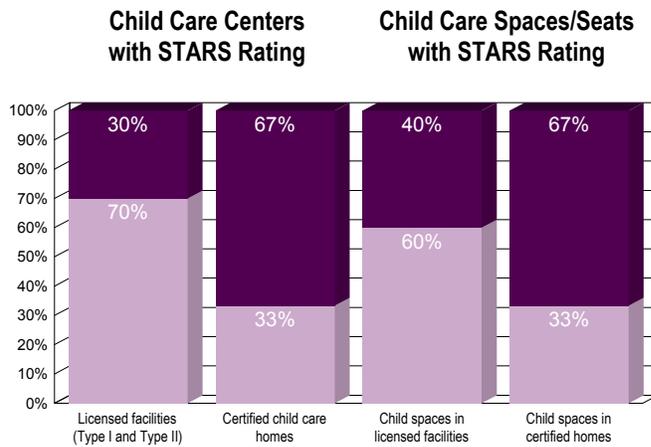
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	51.1%	42.8%
Reading	49.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	7	1	793	6
Not STARS	3	2	528	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	5
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	7
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	7
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,836	6.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	705	33.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,094	51.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	220	14.7% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	117	1.8% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	288	2.8% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	266	22.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	180	72* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	106	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	148	13.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,699
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	516
Children receiving child care subsidies	456
Families served by the First Steps program	59
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	151

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Morgan County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

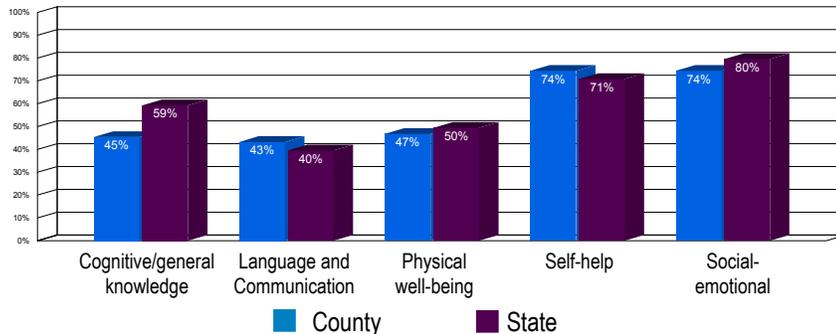
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	4
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	141
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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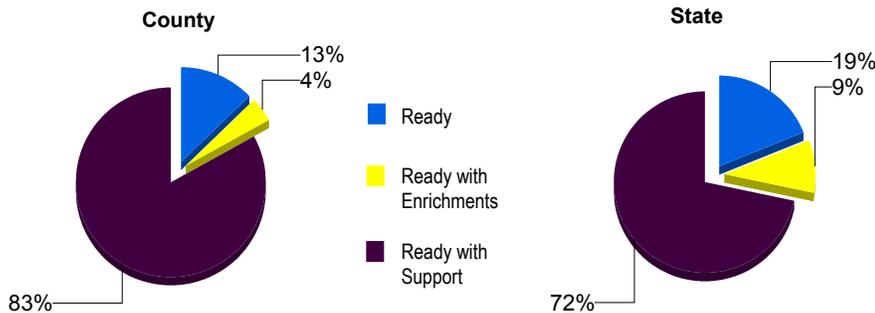
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	436
Number of children 3-4 years old	318
Percent of children below 100% poverty	55.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	62.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	64.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	34
Number of child care spaces in the county	219
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	51
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	30
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	19
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	2
Public preschool enrollment	3
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	0
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	3
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	132
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	24
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	97
Other	11
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	185

Third Grade Assessment Results

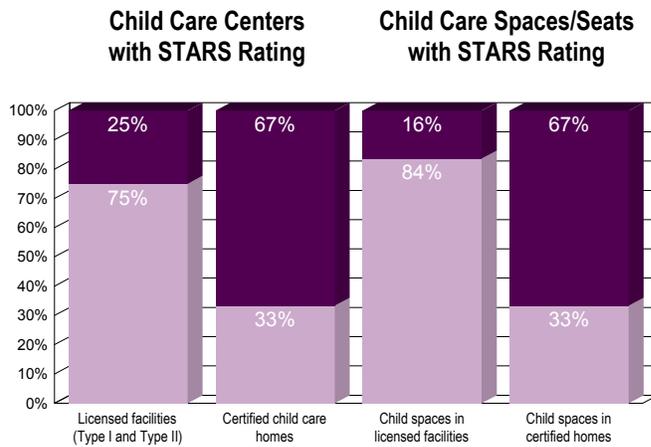
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Math	45.5%	42.8%
Reading	50.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	3	1	168	6
Not STARS	1	2	33	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	8
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	754	5.4% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	441	55.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	495	62.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	46	6.7% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	64	2.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	209	4.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	105	22.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	57	46* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	43	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	57	12.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,552
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	306
Children receiving child care subsidies	51
Families served by the First Steps program	25
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	34

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Muhlenberg County

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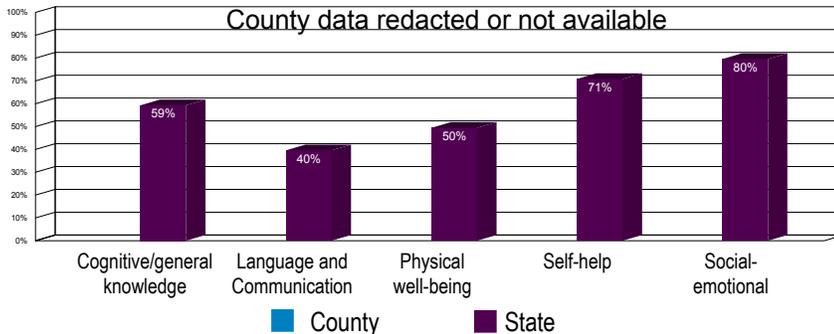
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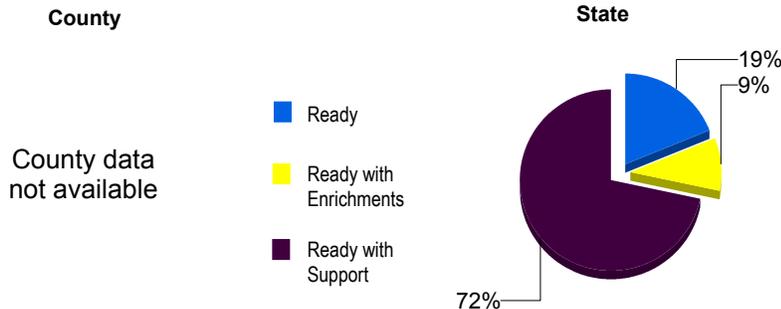
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	982
Number of children 3-4 years old	712
Percent of children below 100% poverty	31.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	48.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	59.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	146
Number of child care spaces in the county	548
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	265
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	261
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	4
Public preschool enrollment	171
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	89
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	82
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	181
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	32
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	149
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	366

Third Grade Assessment Results

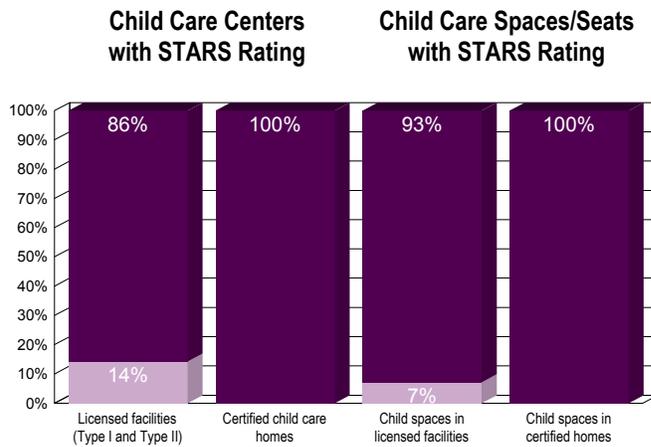
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	48.7%	42.8%
Reading	51.5%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	0	39	0
Not STARS	6	1	503	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	5
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,694	5.4% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	630	31.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	960	48.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	71	1.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	305	2.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	221	22.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	149	51 * 50 *
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	85	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	117	12.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,028
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	609
Children receiving child care subsidies	265
Families served by the First Steps program	41
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	146

KIDS NOW Initiative

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

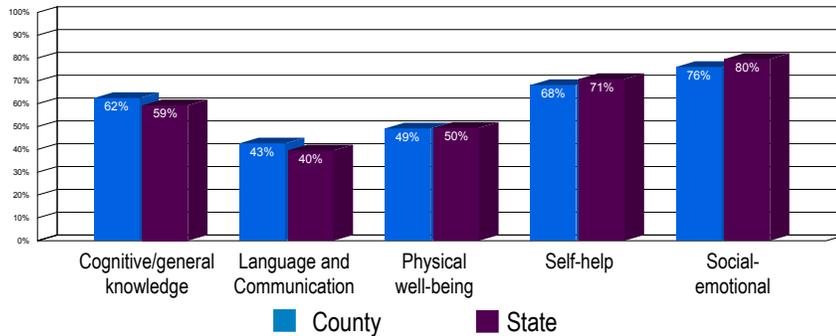
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	6
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	549
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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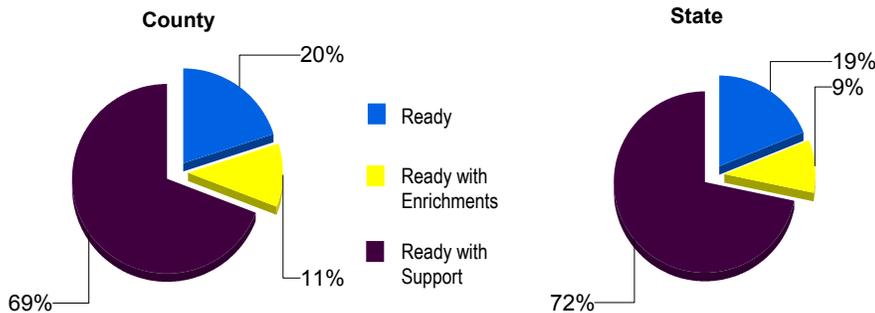
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,735
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,208
Percent of children below 100% poverty	22.9%
Below 150% poverty	38.1%
Below 200% poverty	47.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	55
Number of child care spaces in the county	2,207
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	592
CCAP at Licensed Centers	567
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	5
CCAP at Registered Providers	20
Public preschool enrollment	379
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	99
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	134
Other	146
Head Start enrollment	100
3s and 4s with disabilities	12
3s and 4s income eligible	88
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	575

Third Grade Assessment Results

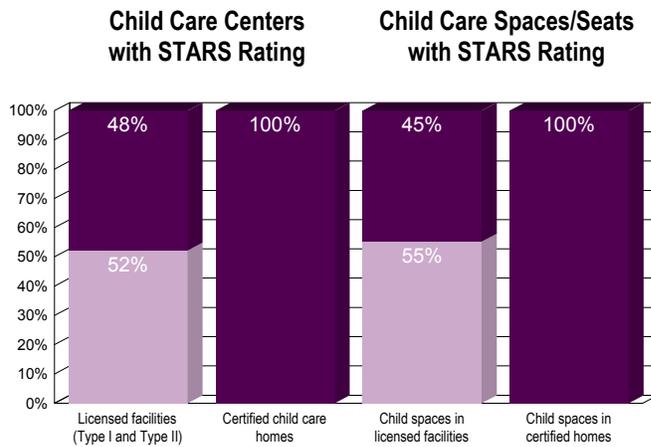
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	35.6%	42.8%
Reading	41.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	12	0	1,212	0
Not STARS	11	2	983	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	10
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	2
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	20
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	17
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	3

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,943	6.7% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	787	22.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,311	38.1% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	33	1.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	131	1.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	632	3.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	223	12.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	205	45* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	160	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	243	14.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,687
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	644
Children receiving child care subsidies	592
Families served by the First Steps program	105
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	55

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Nicholas County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

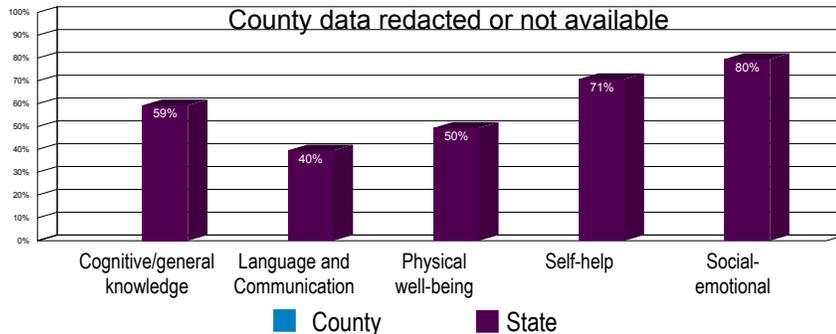
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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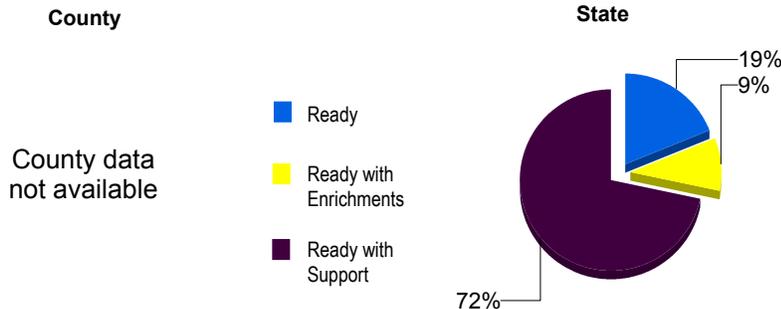
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	264
Number of children 3-4 years old	180
Percent of children below 100% poverty	31.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	52.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	60.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	27
Number of child care spaces in the county	88
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	75
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	64
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	11
Public preschool enrollment	41
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	4
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	27
Other	10
Head Start enrollment	73
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	8
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	64
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	100

Third Grade Assessment Results

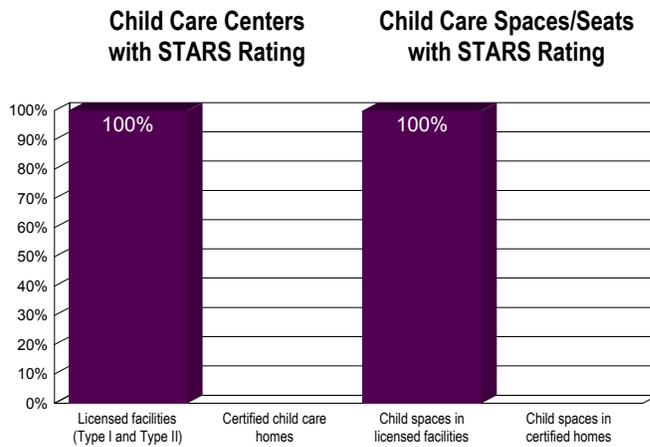
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Math	36.7%	42.8%
Reading	55.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	0	0	0	0
Not STARS	2	0	88	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	6
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	444	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	145	31.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	242	52.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	16	4.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	18	1.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	142	5.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	61	21.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	38	55* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	33	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	50	17.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	906
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	124
Children receiving child care subsidies	75
Families served by the First Steps program	6
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	27

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Ohio County

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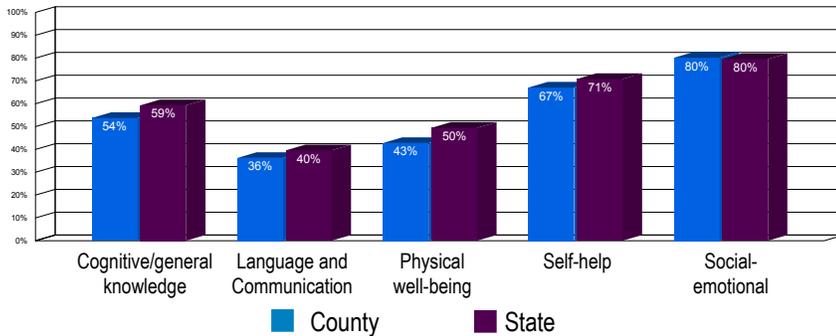
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	337
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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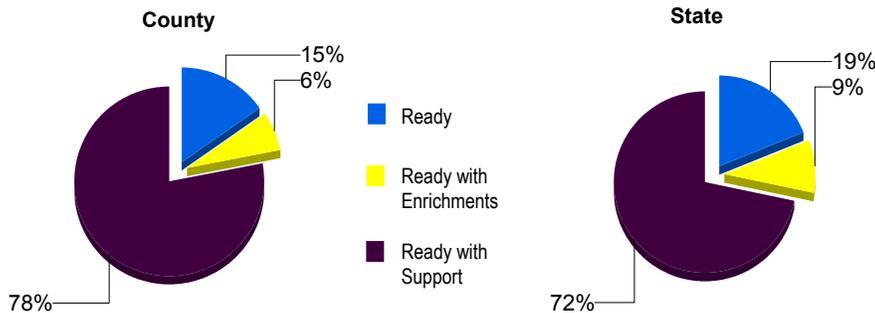
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	964
Number of children 3-4 years old	675
Percent of children below 100% poverty	46.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	59.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	68.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	36
Number of child care spaces in the county	352
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	297
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	272
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	15
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	10
Public preschool enrollment	169
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	38
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	131
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	122
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	13
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	109
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	395

Third Grade Assessment Results

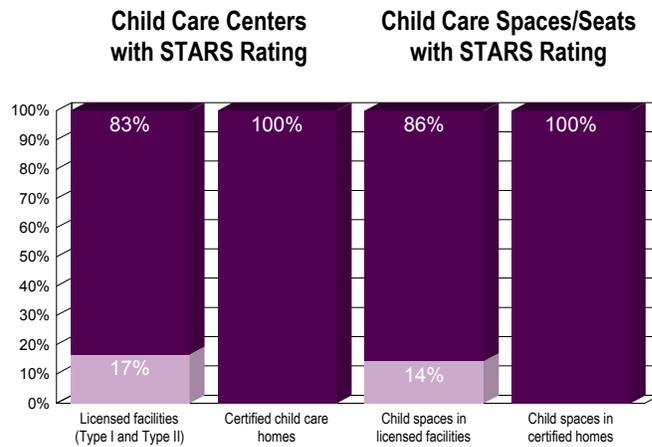
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STARS	1	0	49	0
Not STARS	5	2	291	12

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	7
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,639	6.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	947	46.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,208	59.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	105	7.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	79	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	285	3.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	269	28.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	146	64* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	86	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	124	13.0% 12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

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Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	415
Children receiving child care subsidies	297
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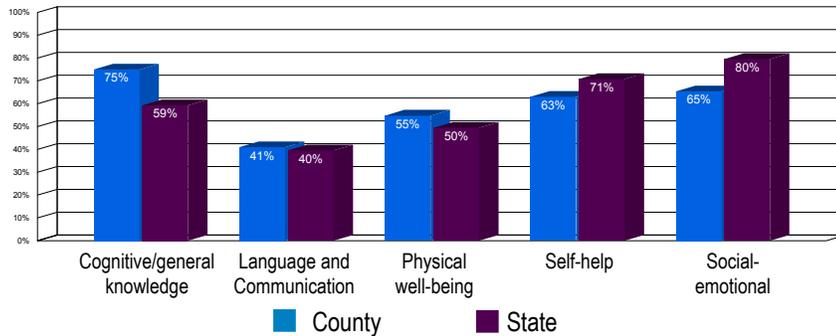
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	303
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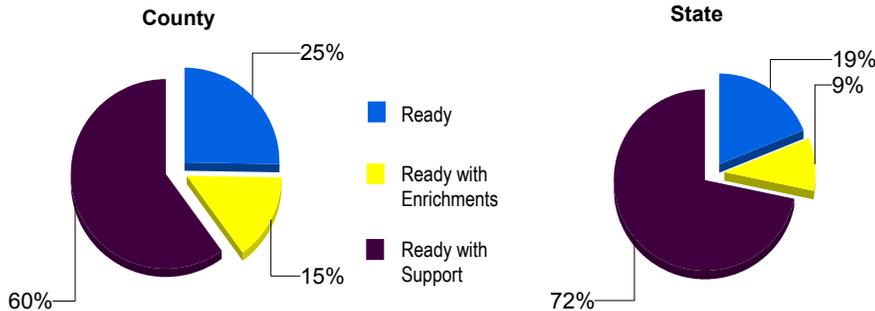
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,695
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,446
Percent of children below 100% poverty	11.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	14.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	19.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	50
Number of child care spaces in the county	4,034
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	468
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	444
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	3
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	21
Public preschool enrollment	242
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	147
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	85
Other	10
Head Start enrollment	72
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	8
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	64
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	834

Third Grade Assessment Results

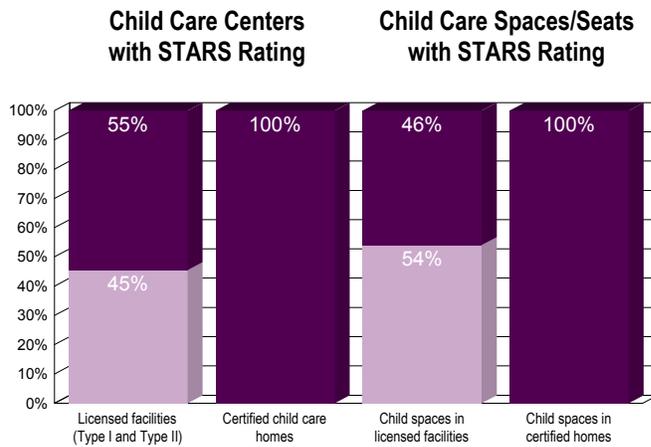
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	45.9%	42.8%
Reading	57.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	15	0	2,166	0
Not STARS	18	4	1,844	24

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	16
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	12
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	12
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	25
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	15
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	12

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	3,141	5.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	488	11.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	623	14.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	79	2.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	65	0.4% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,449	7.5% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	173	10.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	90	15* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	128	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	168	10.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,964
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	517
Children receiving child care subsidies	468
Families served by the First Steps program	153
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	50

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Owen County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

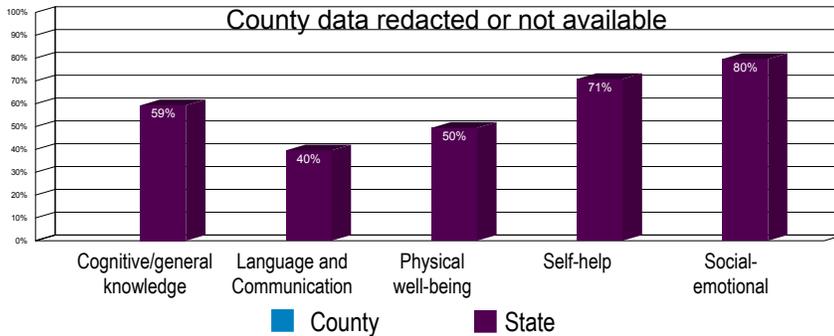
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

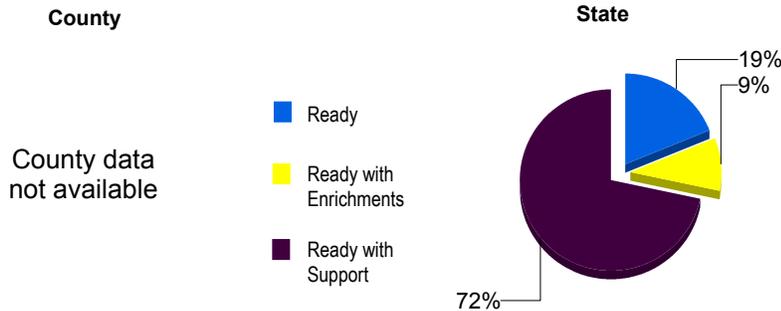
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	362
Number of children 3-4 years old	282
Percent of children below 100% poverty	19.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	28.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	37.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	37
Number of child care spaces in the county	103
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	20
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	17
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	3
Public preschool enrollment	68
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	25
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	43
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	30
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	1
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	28
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	144

Third Grade Assessment Results

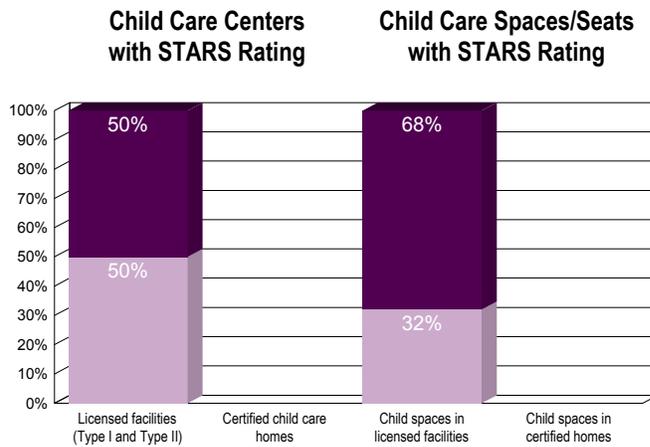
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	40.5%	42.8%
Reading	43.0%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	0	33	0
Not STARS	1	0	70	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

The Commonwealth supports the early care and education workforce with training, scholarships, credentials, and other professional development programs. The counts below are for 2011-2012.

Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	1

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	644	5.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	163	19.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	243	28.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	12	2.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	40	1.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	85	1.8% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	72	20.5% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	64	62* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	27	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	37	10.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,077
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	199
Children receiving child care subsidies	20
Families served by the First Steps program	24
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	37

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Owsley County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

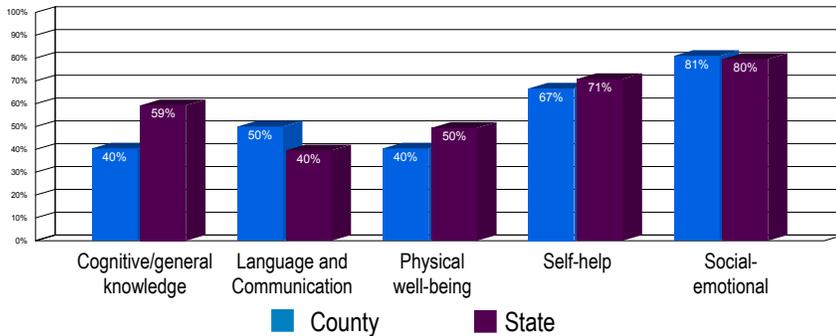
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	42
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

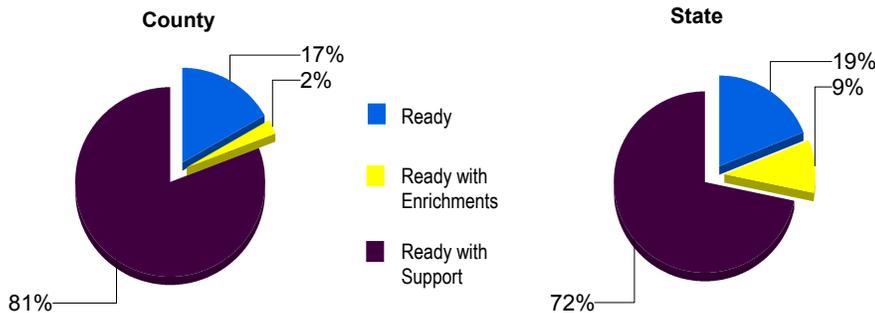
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	177
Number of children 3-4 years old	93
Percent of children below 100% poverty	49.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	69.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	77.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	36
Number of child care spaces in the county	182
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	17
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	17
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	12
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	7
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	5
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	90
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	0
Other	90
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	67

Third Grade Assessment Results

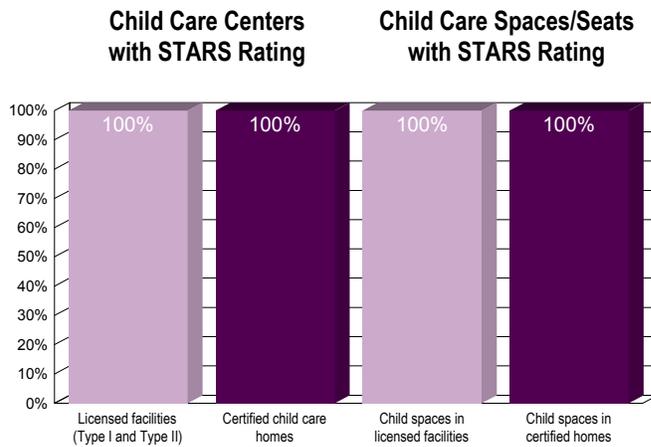
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

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Math	28.3%	42.8%
Reading	24.5%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	1	0	164	0
Not STARS	0	3	0	18

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	4
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	270 5.6%	6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	141 49.6%	29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	197 69.4%	41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0 0.0%	4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	63 5.8%	1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	0 0.0%	5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	45 27.8%	20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	25 64*	50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	15 9.0%	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	20 12.0%	12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	873
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	94
Children receiving child care subsidies	17
Families served by the First Steps program	15
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	36

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Pendleton County

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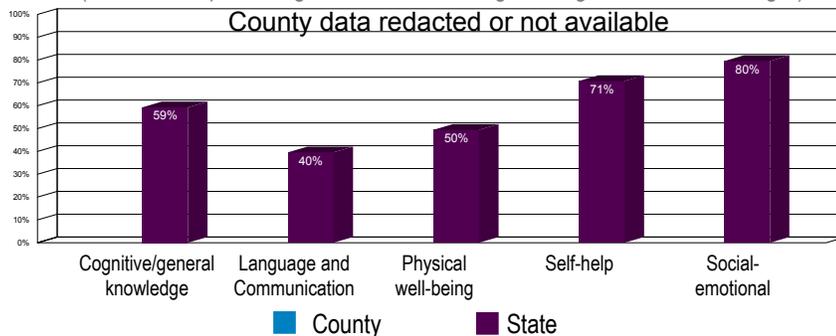
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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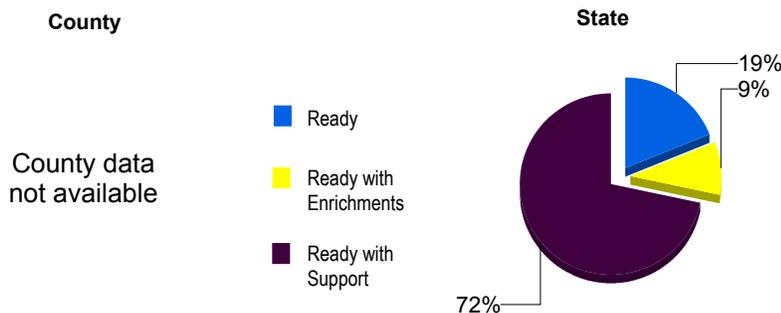
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	545
Number of children 3-4 years old	364
Percent of children below 100% poverty	46.9%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	56.0%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	66.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	55
Number of child care spaces in the county	374
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	144
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	115
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	9
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	17
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	3
Public preschool enrollment	93
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	67
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	23
Other	3
Head Start enrollment	17
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	0
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	17
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	194

Third Grade Assessment Results

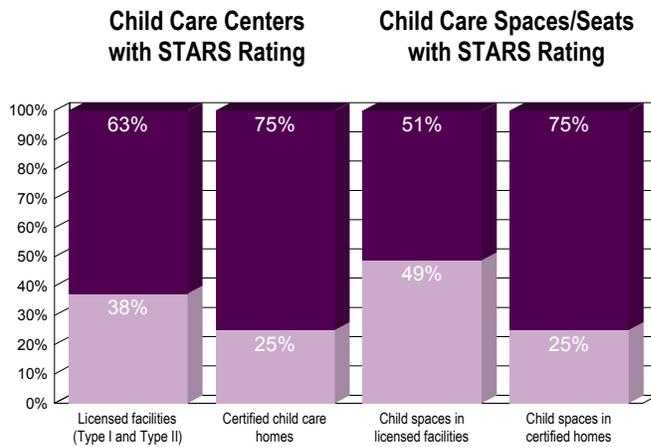
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STARS	3	1	171	6
Not STARS	5	3	179	18

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	909	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	566	46.9% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	676	56.0% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	62	8.4% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	58	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	109	2.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	89	17.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	83	47* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	48	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	63	12.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,302
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	201
Children receiving child care subsidies	144
Families served by the First Steps program	32
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	55

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Perry County

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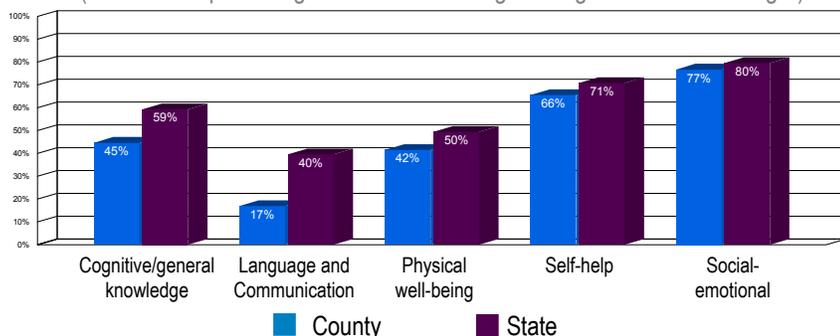
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	11
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	412
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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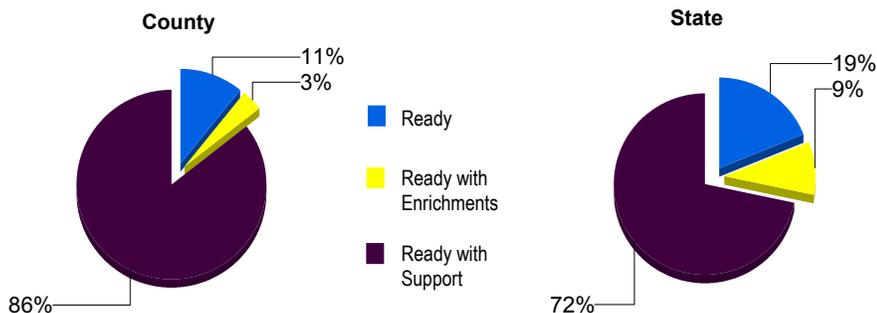
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,062
Number of children 3-4 years old	714
Percent of children below 100% poverty	52.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	61.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	73.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	118
Number of child care spaces in the county	763
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	300
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	286
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	7
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	7
Public preschool enrollment	239
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	94
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	107
Other	38
Head Start enrollment	124
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	37
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	53
Other	34
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	421

Third Grade Assessment Results

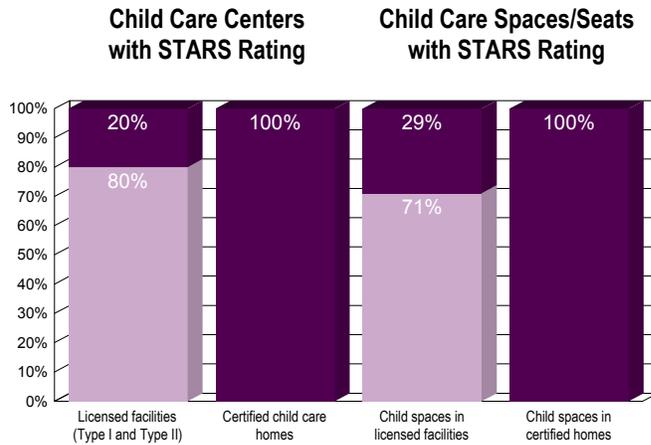
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	33.3%	42.8%
Reading	52.9%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	8	0	534	0
Not STARS	2	2	217	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	9
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	4
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	8
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	4

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,776	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	979	52.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,154	61.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	144	8.8% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	180	2.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	202	1.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	333	26.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	191	71 * 50 *
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	147	12.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	161	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	4,007
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	661
Children receiving child care subsidies	300
Families served by the First Steps program	122
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	118

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

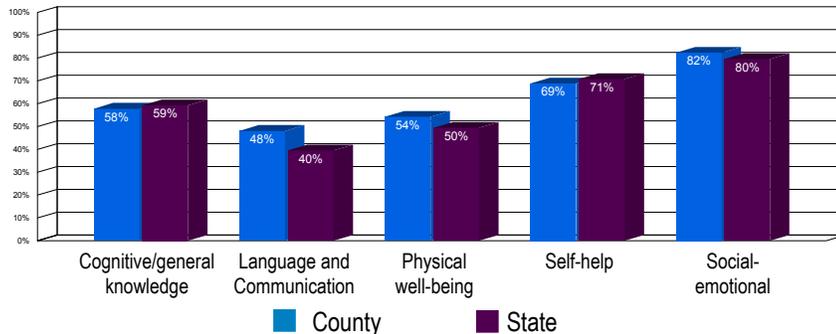
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	14
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	823
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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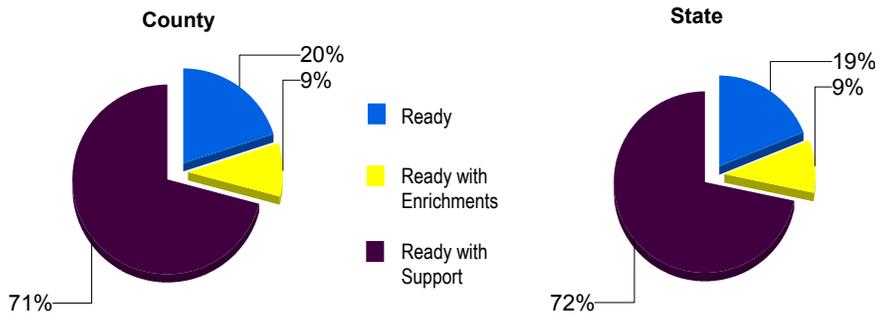
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	2,255
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,564
Percent of children below 100% poverty	37.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	47.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	54.9%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	295
Number of child care spaces in the county	839
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	515
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	507
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	8
Public preschool enrollment	91
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	38
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	15
Other	38
Head Start enrollment	501
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	77
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	404
Other	20
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	884

Third Grade Assessment Results

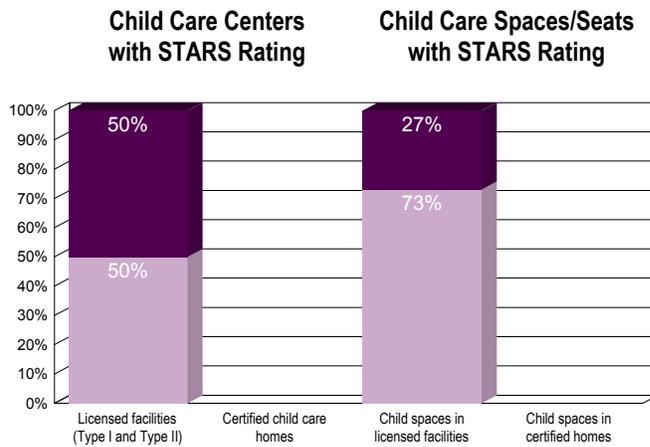
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	39.5%	42.8%
Reading	49.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	6	0	613	0
Not STARS	6	0	226	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	1

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	3,819	5.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,690	37.1% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	2,151	47.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	173	5.1% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	233	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	588	2.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	497	22.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	343	56* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	248	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	345	15.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	7,178
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,253
Children receiving child care subsidies	515
Families served by the First Steps program	87
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	295

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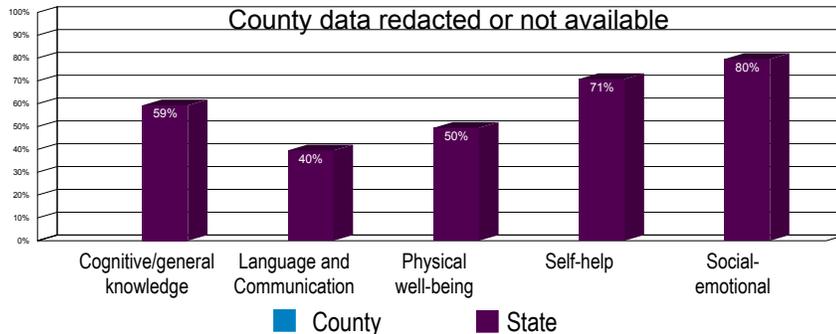
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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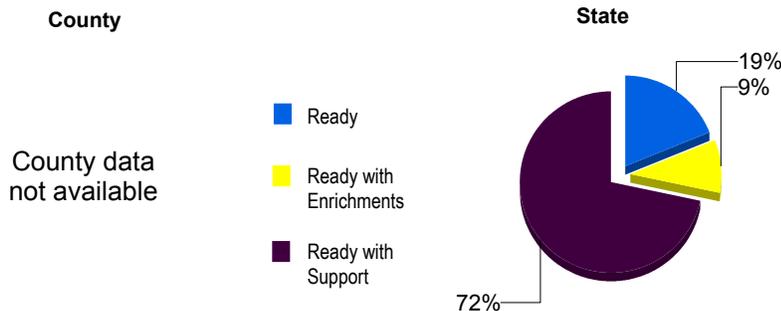
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	513
Number of children 3-4 years old	361
Percent of children below 100% poverty	39.7%
Below 150% poverty	65.8%
Below 200% poverty	75.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	60
Number of child care spaces in the county	363
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	161
CCAP at Licensed Centers	140
CCAP at Licensed Homes	4
CCAP at Certified Homes	8
CCAP at Registered Providers	9
Public preschool enrollment	79
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	51
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	28
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	105
3s and 4s with disabilities	15
3s and 4s income eligible	90
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	204

Third Grade Assessment Results

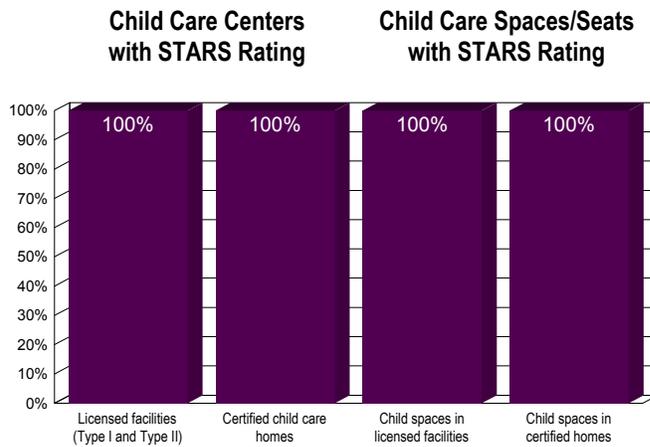
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Math	45.8%	42.8%
Reading	53.6%	49.4%

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STARS	0	0	0	0
Not STARS	7	3	345	18

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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	29
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	874	6.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	341	39.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	566	65.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	39	5.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	69	2.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	124	2.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	154	29.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	101	74* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	59	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	71	13.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,964
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	265
Children receiving child care subsidies	161
Families served by the First Steps program	32
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	60

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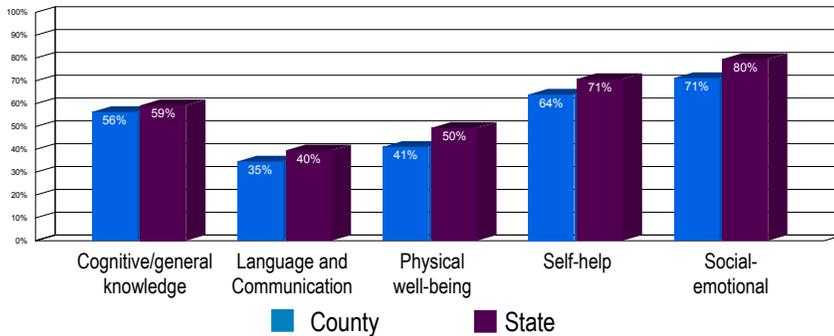
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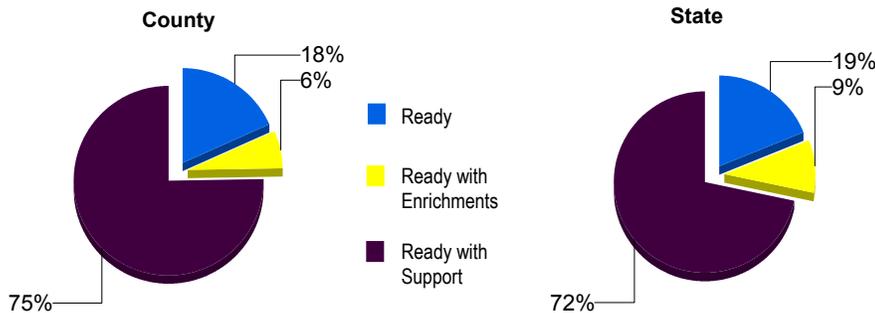
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	2,201
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,542
Percent of children below 100% poverty	37.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	52.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	62.2%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	161
Number of child care spaces in the county	2,389
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1309
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1124
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	59
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	102
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	24
Public preschool enrollment	400
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	136
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	221
Other	43
Head Start enrollment	132
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	14
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	117
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	862

Third Grade Assessment Results

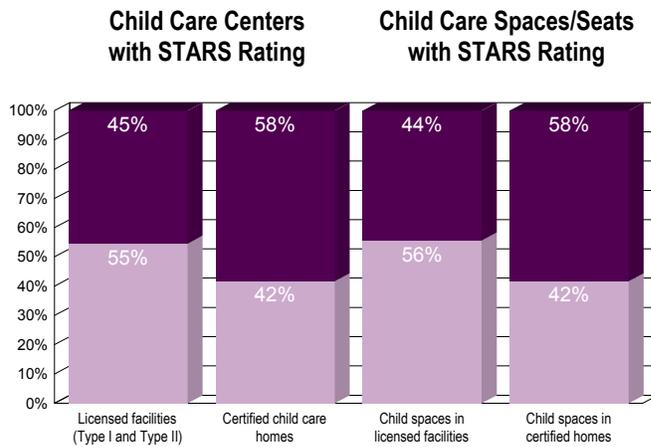
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STARS	18	5	1,289	30
Not STARS	15	7	1,028	42

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	19
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	28

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	3,743	5.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	1,640	37.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	2,340	52.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	45	1.4% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	135	0.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	822	3.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	528	22.4% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	392	68* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	210	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	270	11.0% 12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	6,625
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,438
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,309
Families served by the First Steps program	194
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	161

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Robertson County

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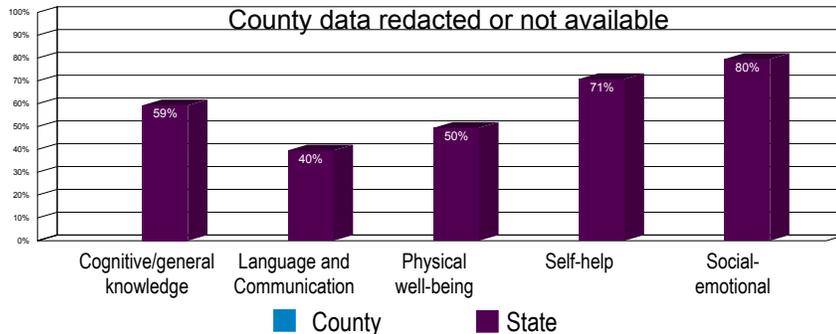
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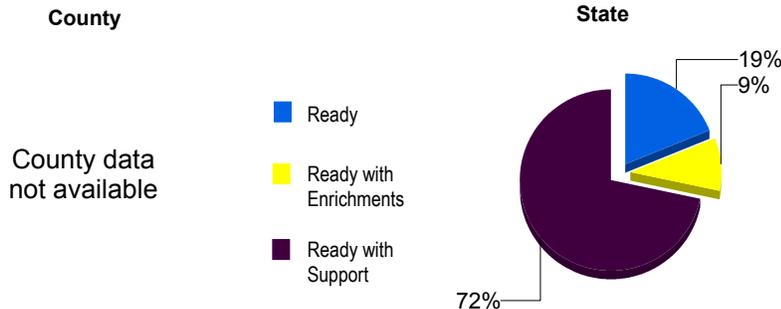
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	63
Number of children 3-4 years old	56
Percent of children below 100% poverty	33.0%
Below 150% poverty	48.3%
Below 200% poverty	48.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	2
Number of child care spaces in the county	49
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	2
CCAP at Licensed Centers	0
CCAP at Licensed Homes	0
CCAP at Certified Homes	0
CCAP at Registered Providers	2
Public preschool enrollment	20
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	14
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	6
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	37
3s and 4s with disabilities	13
3s and 4s income eligible	24
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	33

Third Grade Assessment Results

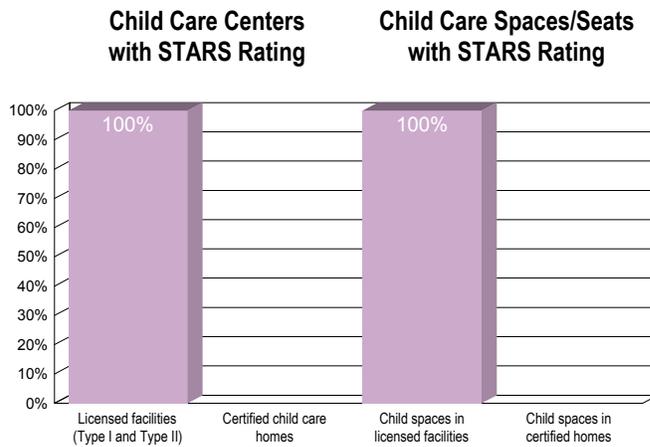
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	County	State
Math	33.3%	42.8%
Reading	41.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	1	0	49	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	2
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	8
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	119	5.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	86	33.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	126	48.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	36	7.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	0	0.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	22	27.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	7	27* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	5	9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	10	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	240
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	42
Children receiving child care subsidies	2
Families served by the First Steps program	6
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	2

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Rockcastle County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

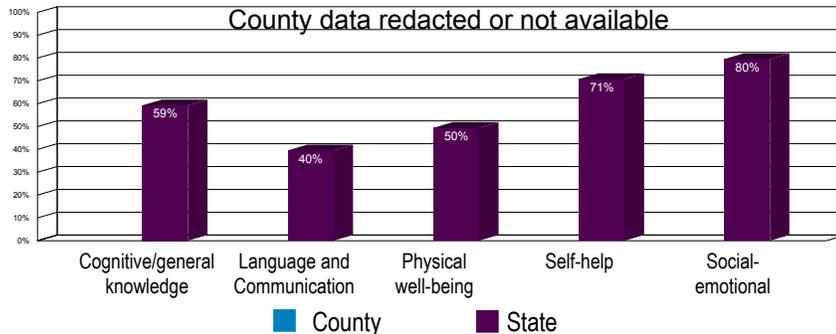
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

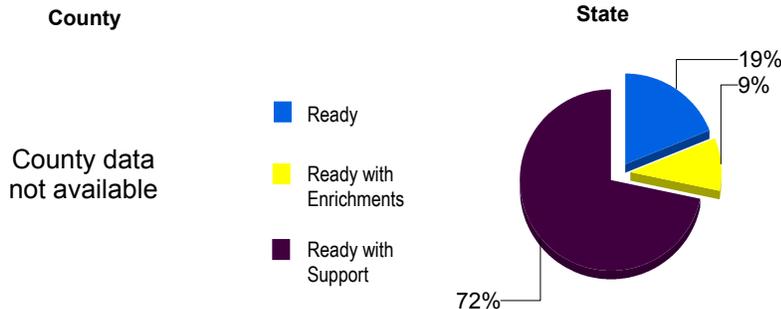
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	545
Number of children 3-4 years old	440
Percent of children below 100% poverty	40.8%
Below 150% poverty	54.3%
Below 200% poverty	63.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	69
Number of child care spaces in the county	208
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	112
CCAP at Licensed Centers	83
CCAP at Licensed Homes	13
CCAP at Certified Homes	8
CCAP at Registered Providers	8
Public preschool enrollment	110
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	18
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	60
Other	32
Head Start enrollment	59
3s and 4s with disabilities	5
3s and 4s income eligible	54
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	226

Third Grade Assessment Results

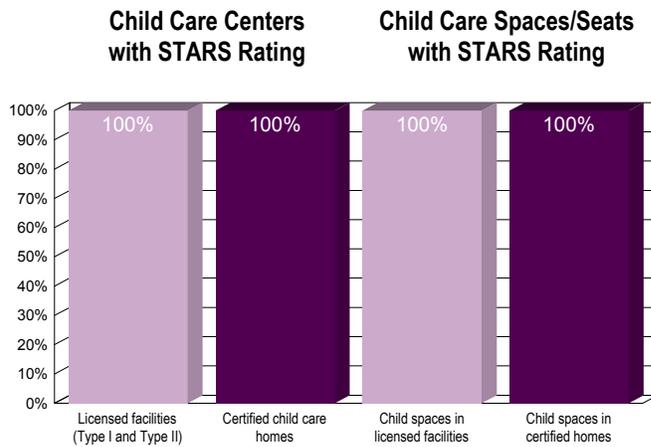
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	36.6%	42.8%
Reading	46.5%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	5	0	202	0
Not STARS	0	1	0	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	2
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	1
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	5
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	3

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	985	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	464	40.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	617	54.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	89	9.8% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	52	1.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	57	0.9% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	119	21.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	95	60* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	48	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	55	10.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,101
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	294
Children receiving child care subsidies	112
Families served by the First Steps program	28
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	69

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Rowan County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

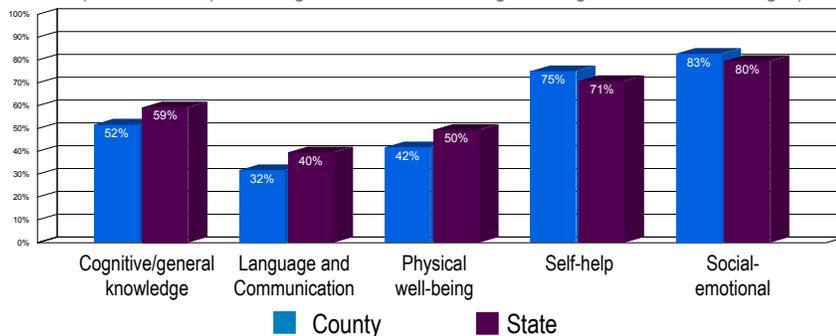
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	4
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	261
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

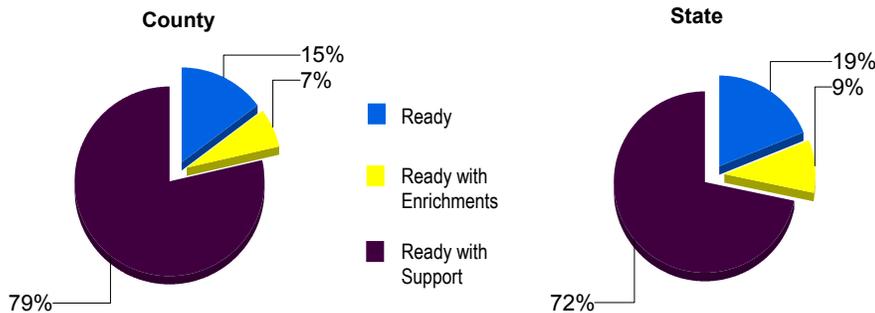
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	830
Number of children 3-4 years old	554
Percent of children below 100% poverty	49.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	65.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	67.1%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	78
Number of child care spaces in the county	749
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	442
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	410
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	23
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	9
Public preschool enrollment	203
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	74
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	85
Other	44
Head Start enrollment	34
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	1
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	33
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	278

Third Grade Assessment Results

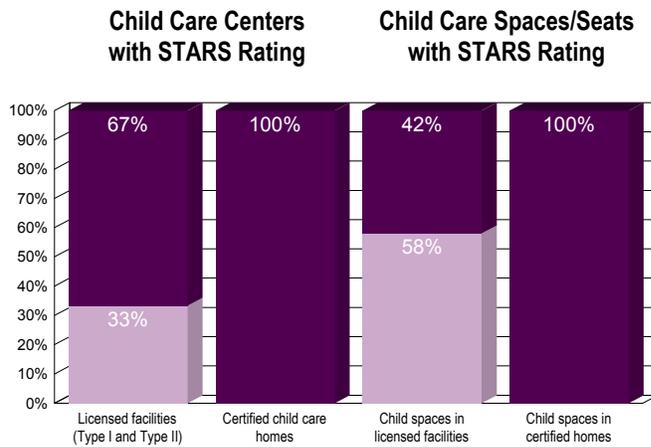
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Math	41.6%	42.8%
Reading	48.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	4	0	428	0
Not STARS	8	2	309	12

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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	8
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,384	5.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	719	49.1% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	954	65.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	282	26.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	142	3.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	520	6.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	159	18.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	103	26* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	55	6.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	86	10.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,146
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	351
Children receiving child care subsidies	442
Families served by the First Steps program	55
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	78

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Russell County

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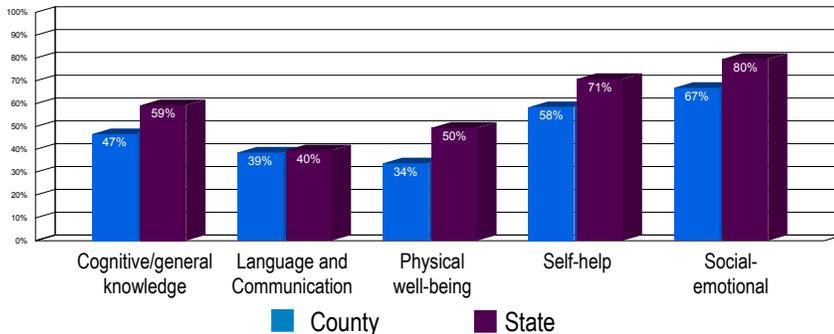
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	236
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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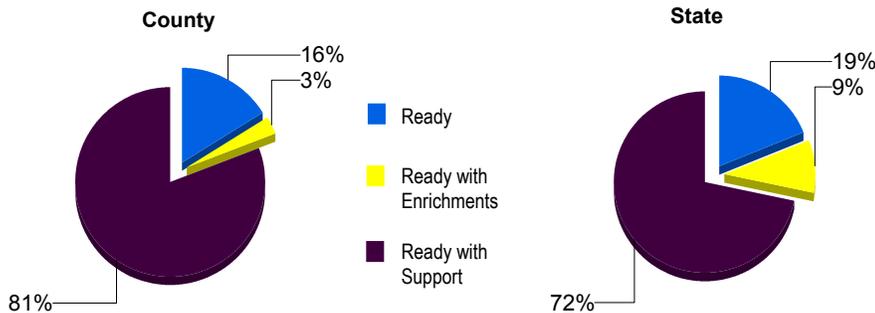
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	666
Number of children 3-4 years old	419
Percent of children below 100% poverty	18.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	27.4%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	37.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	66
Number of child care spaces in the county	520
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	415
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	355
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	47
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	10
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	3
Public preschool enrollment	95
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	28
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	65
Other	2
Head Start enrollment	52
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	1
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	49
Other	2
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	276

Third Grade Assessment Results

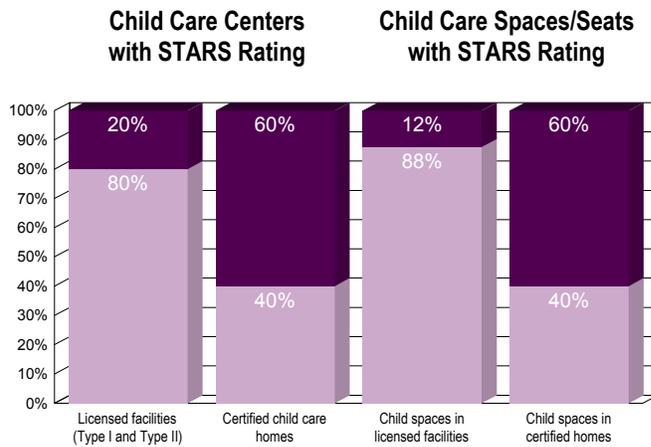
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STARS	8	2	429	12
Not STARS	2	3	61	18

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	13
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	5
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	2
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	34
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	2

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,085	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	206	18.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	300	27.4% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	143	15.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	57	1.5% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	165	2.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	208	31.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	151	96* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	61	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	72	11.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,127
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	415
Children receiving child care subsidies	415
Families served by the First Steps program	64
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	66

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Scott County

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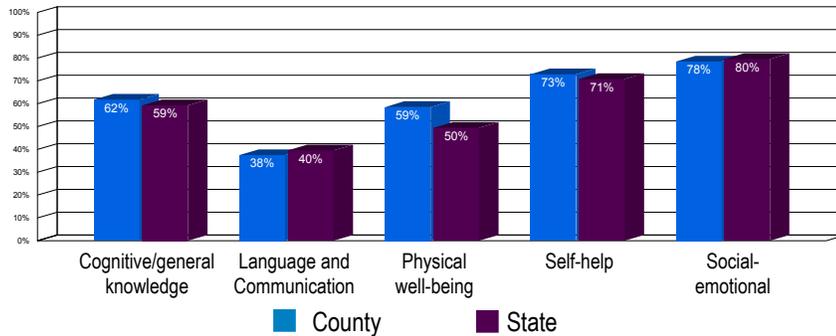
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	7
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	557
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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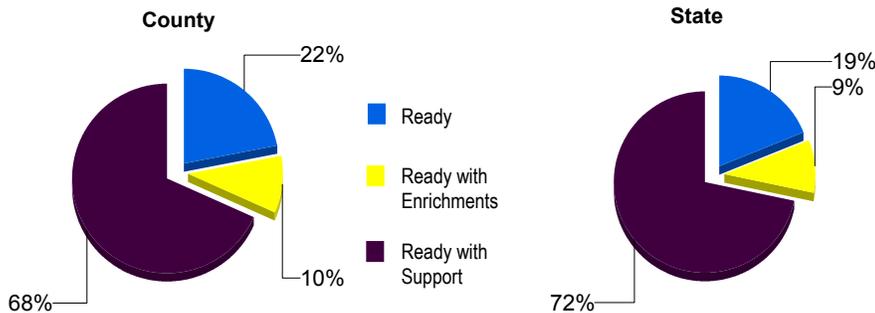
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	2,039
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,406
Percent of children below 100% poverty	19.8%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	23.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	38.3%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	72
Number of child care spaces in the county	3,654
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	892
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	820
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	13
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	22
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	37
Public preschool enrollment	315
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	163
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	147
Other	5
Head Start enrollment	35
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	2
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	33
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	622

Third Grade Assessment Results

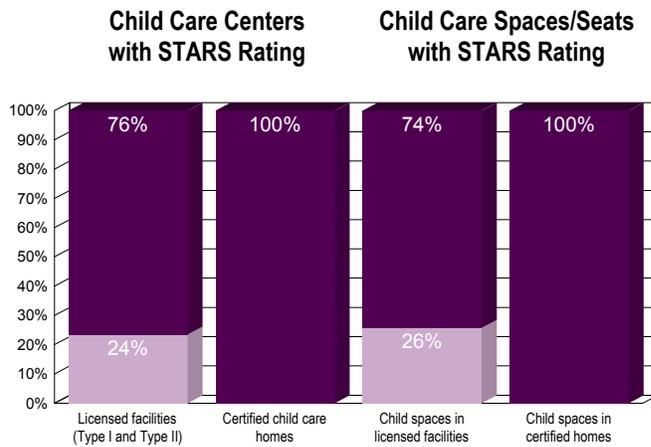
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	46.1%	42.8%
Reading	55.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	8	0	934	0
Not STARS	26	5	2,690	30

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	11
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	21
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	5
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	28
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	12
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	2

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	3,445	7.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	796	19.8% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	960	23.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	68	2.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	126	1.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,030	5.8% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	283	14.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	171	36* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	165	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	234	12.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,568
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	518
Children receiving child care subsidies	892
Families served by the First Steps program	114
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	72

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Shelby County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

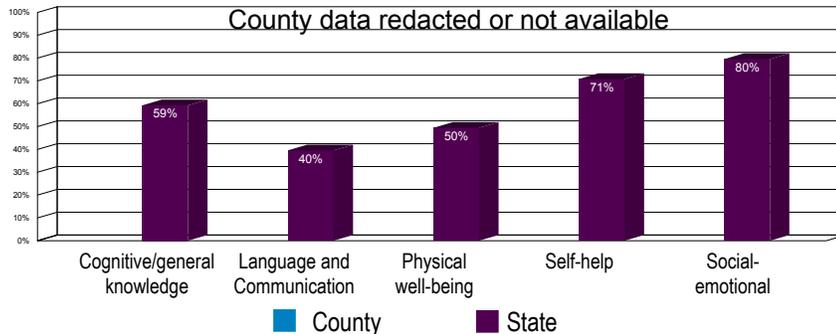
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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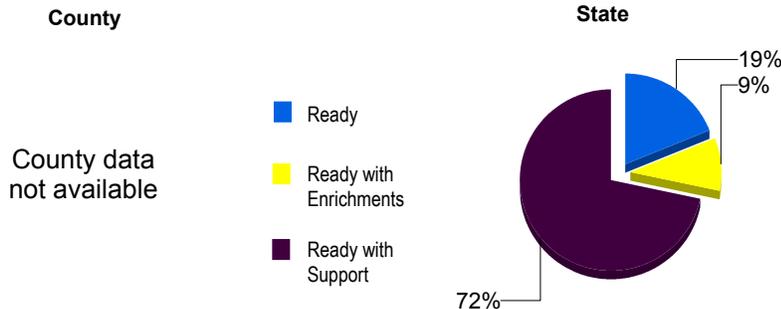
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,805
Number of children 3-4 years old	1,145
Percent of children below 100% poverty	21.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	32.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	41.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	67
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,834
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	635
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	563
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	1
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	57
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	14
Public preschool enrollment	243
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	67
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	176
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	59
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	2
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	56
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	536

Third Grade Assessment Results

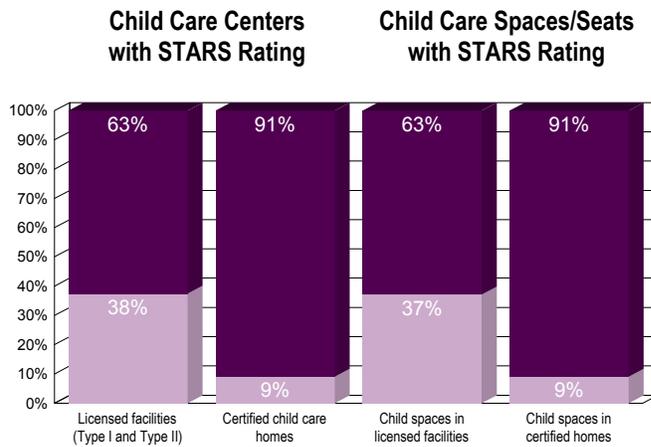
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	46.7%	42.8%
Reading	51.2%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	9	1	657	6
Not STARS	15	10	1,111	60

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	7
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	6
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,950	6.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	656	21.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,009	32.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	24	1.1% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	118	1.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	1,100	7.3% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	504	27.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	193	49* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	131	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	167	9.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	3,190
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	548
Children receiving child care subsidies	635
Families served by the First Steps program	101
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	67

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Simpson County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

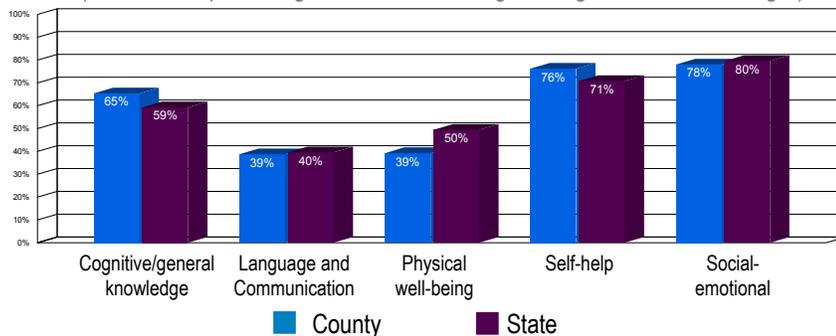
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	214
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

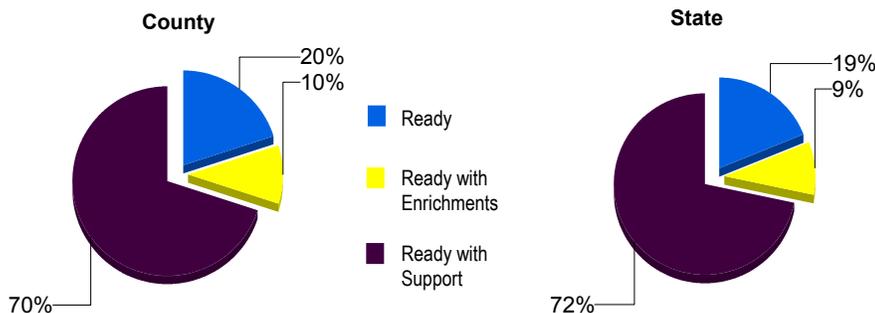
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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The total score is a cumulative score that represents a child's performance on the basic screen.

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	666
Number of children 3-4 years old	495
Percent of children below 100% poverty	22.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	27.9%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	39.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	25
Number of child care spaces in the county	625
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	202
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	179
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	21
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	2
Public preschool enrollment	104
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	63
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	39
Other	2
Head Start enrollment	35
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	2
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	32
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	202

Third Grade Assessment Results

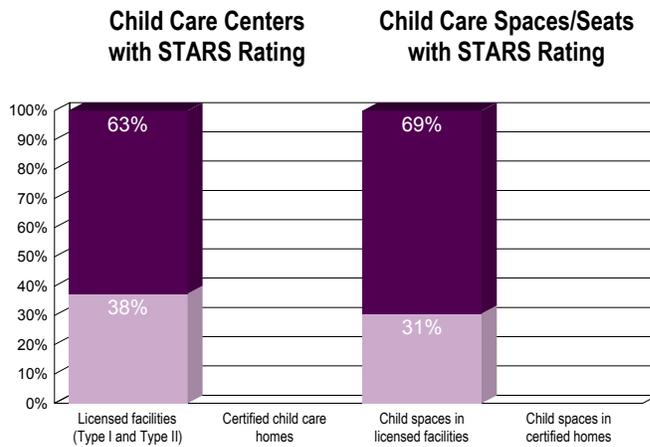
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Math	53.6%	42.8%
Reading	49.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	192	0
Not STARS	5	0	433	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	6
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	1
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	8

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,161	6.7% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	297	22.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	366	27.9% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	71	1.7% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	267	4.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	130	19.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	106	68* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	53	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	88	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,638
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	349
Children receiving child care subsidies	202
Families served by the First Steps program	29
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	25

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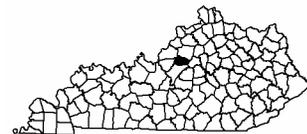
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Spencer County



Kindergarten Readiness

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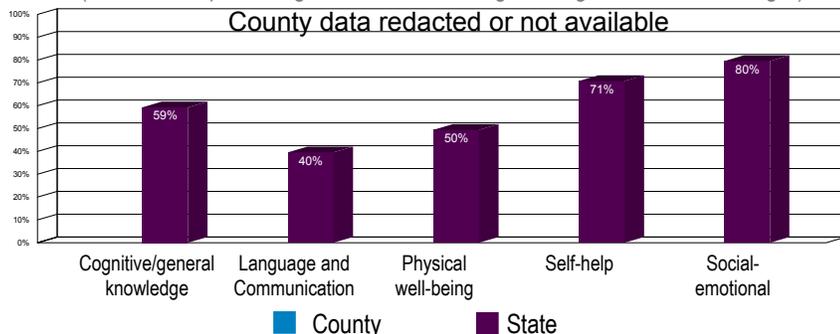
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Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

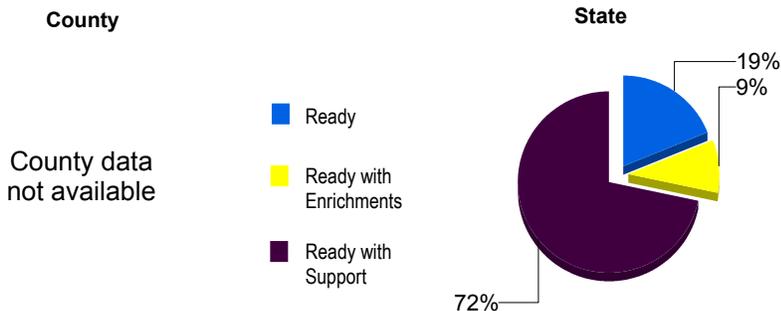
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	601
Number of children 3-4 years old	483
Percent of children below 100% poverty	9.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	16.1%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	31.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	5
Number of child care spaces in the county	564
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	113
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	110
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	3
Public preschool enrollment	107
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	30
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	60
Other	17
Head Start enrollment	15
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	3
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	12
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	216

Third Grade Assessment Results

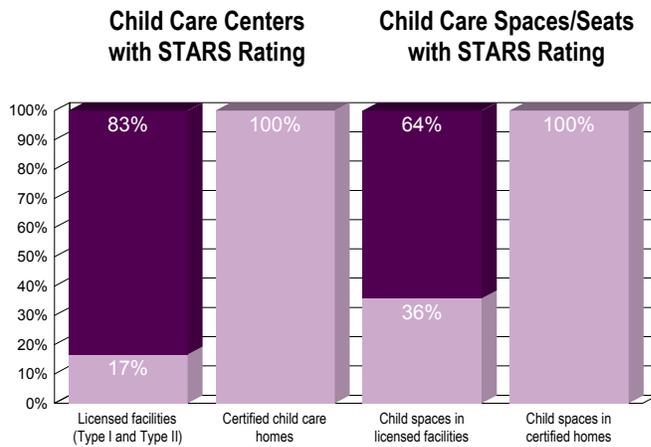
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Reading	58.5%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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STARS	1	1	200	6
Not STARS	5	0	358	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	4
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,084	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	132	9.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	223	16.1% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	40	4.9% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	28	0.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	123	2.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	63	10.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	40	26* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	45	7.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	67	11.0% 12.0%

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	987
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	242
Children receiving child care subsidies	113
Families served by the First Steps program	65
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	5

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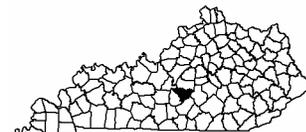
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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Taylor County

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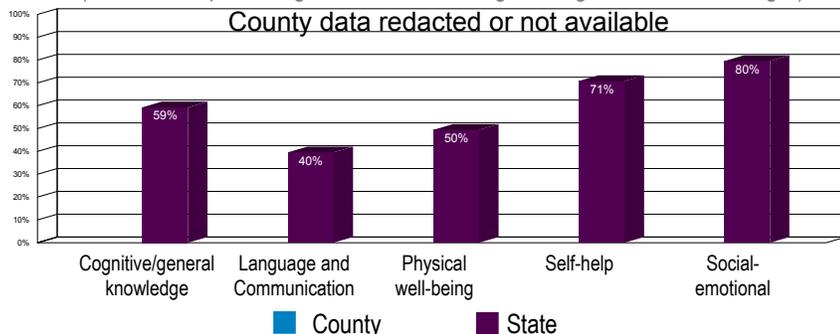
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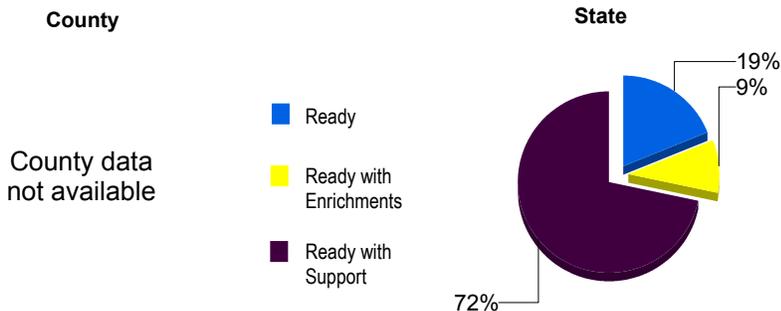
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	908
Number of children 3-4 years old	643
Percent of children below 100% poverty	41.6%
Below 150% poverty	56.7%
Below 200% poverty	66.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	51
Number of child care spaces in the county	643
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	408
CCAP at Licensed Centers	379
CCAP at Licensed Homes	22
CCAP at Certified Homes	2
CCAP at Registered Providers	5
Public preschool enrollment	106
3 and 4 year olds with disabilities	43
At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level	63
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	108
3s and 4s with disabilities	7
3s and 4s income eligible	100
Other	1
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	260

Third Grade Assessment Results

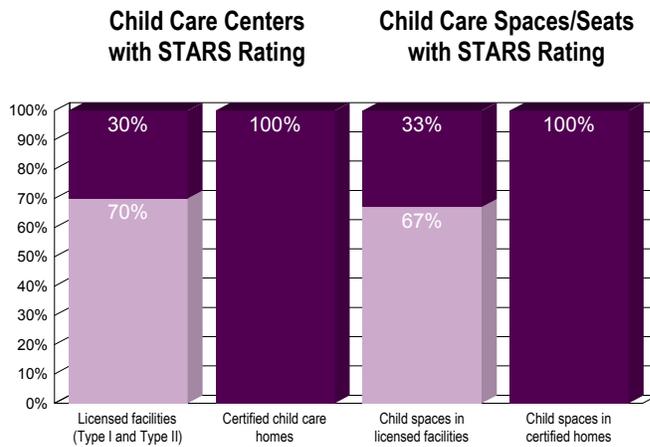
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	25.0%	42.8%
Reading	44.8%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	7	0	423	0
Not STARS	3	2	208	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	10
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	6
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	7
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	15
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,551	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	712	41.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	970	56.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	41	3.6% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	68	1.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	290	3.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	194	20.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	140	51 * 50 *
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	78	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	95	10.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,394
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	460
Children receiving child care subsidies	408
Families served by the First Steps program	74
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	51

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Todd County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

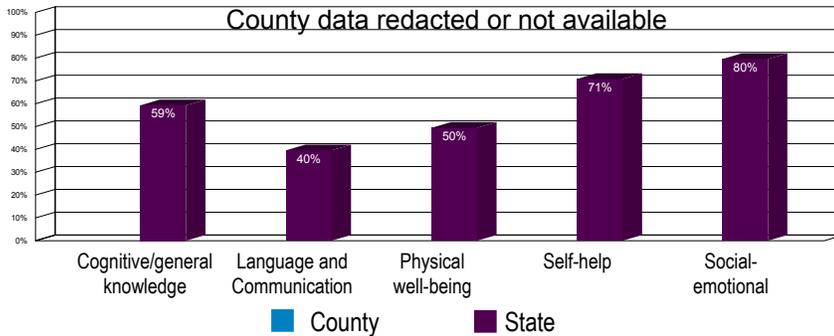
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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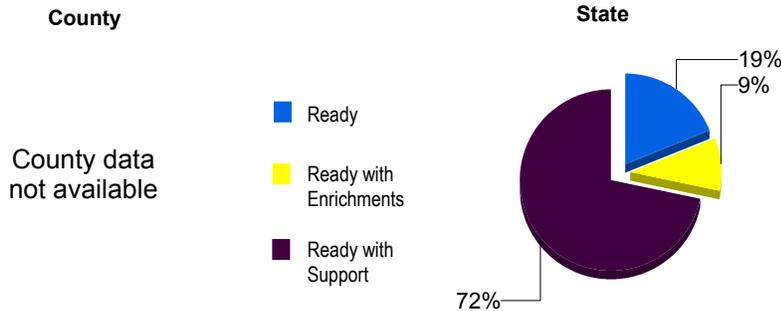
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	532
Number of children 3-4 years old	406
Percent of children below 100% poverty	29.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	43.1%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	59.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	39
Number of child care spaces in the county	184
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	193
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	158
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	27
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	8
Public preschool enrollment	213
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	141
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	39
Other	33
Head Start enrollment	13
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	3
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	10
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	187

Third Grade Assessment Results

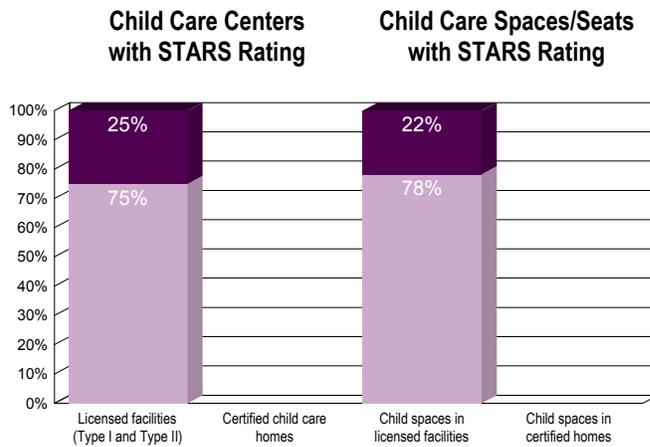
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	41.3%	42.8%
Reading	38.3%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	3	0	144	0
Not STARS	1	0	40	0

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	6
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	5
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	2
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	13
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	6

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	938	7.5% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	334	29.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	487	43.1% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	26	3.7% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	35	1.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	316	6.8% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	218	39.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	48	38* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	55	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	78	14.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,260
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	267
Children receiving child care subsidies	193
Families served by the First Steps program	20
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	39

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Trigg County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

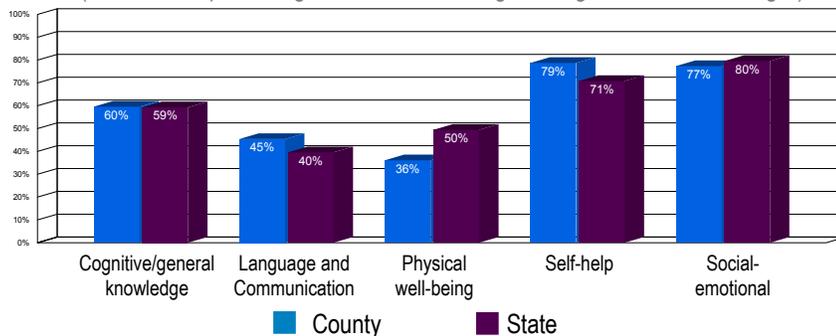
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	141
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

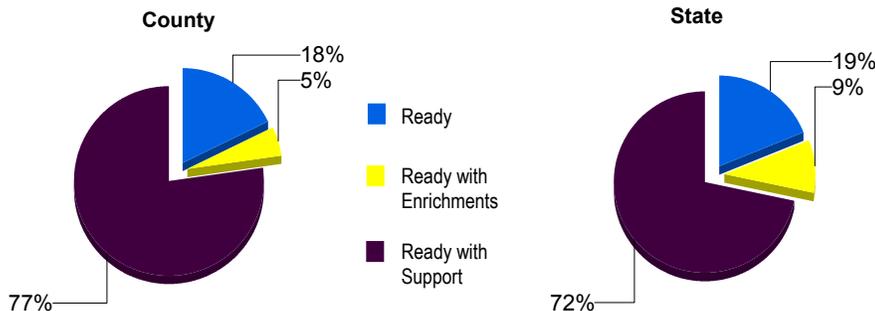
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	503
Number of children 3-4 years old	299
Percent of children below 100% poverty	49.3%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	58.1%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	65.5%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	46
Number of child care spaces in the county	389
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	90
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	81
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	8
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	1
Public preschool enrollment	68
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	35
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	33
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	50
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	14
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	36
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	174

Third Grade Assessment Results

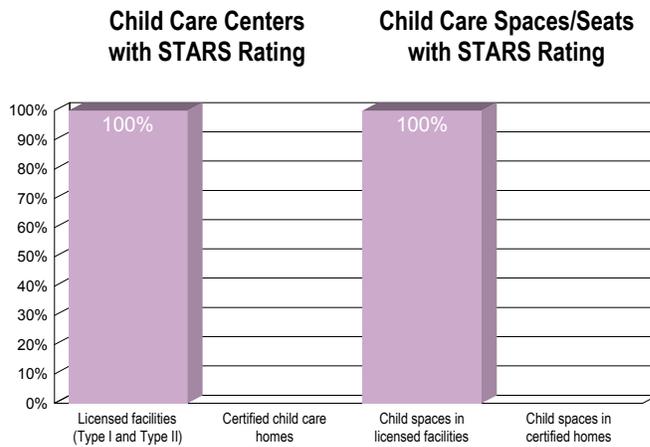
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	50.3%	42.8%
Reading	50.3%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	6	0	389	0
Not STARS	0	0	0	0

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Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	7
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	802	5.6% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	506	49.3% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	596	58.1% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	21	3.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	29	0.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	251	4.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	86	19.0% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	63	46* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	52	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	64	14.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,003
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	229
Children receiving child care subsidies	90
Families served by the First Steps program	21
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	46

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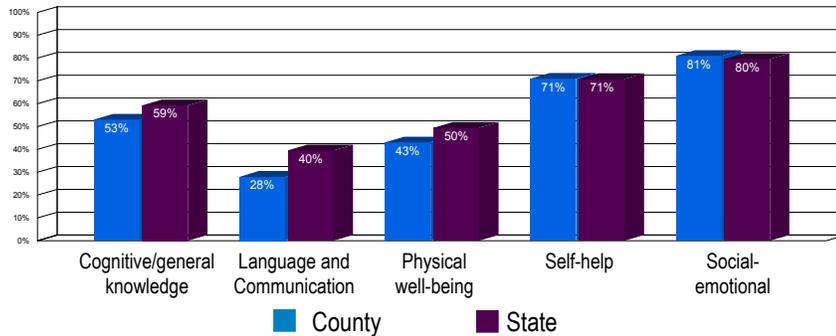
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	2
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	100
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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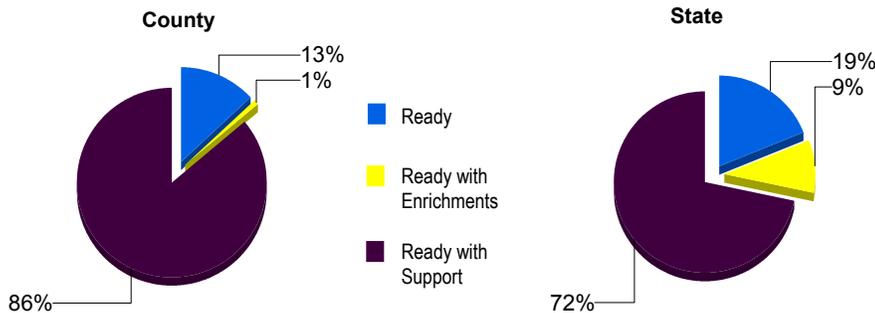
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	308
Number of children 3-4 years old	226
Percent of children below 100% poverty	18.2%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	18.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	31.7%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	10
Number of child care spaces in the county	94
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	22
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	22
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	0
Public preschool enrollment	14
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	4
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	2
Other	8
Head Start enrollment	53
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	10
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	43
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	133

Third Grade Assessment Results

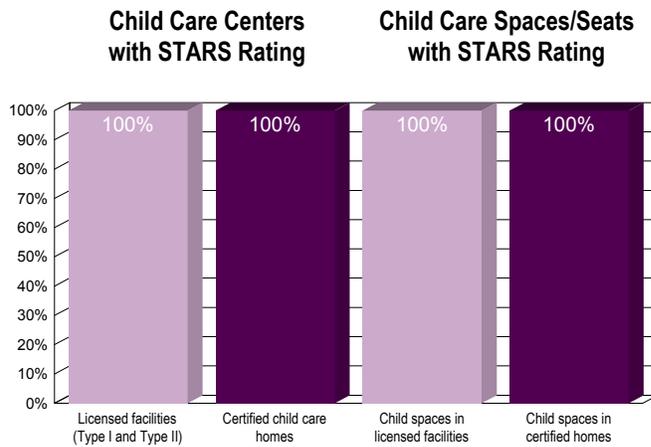
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Math	33.6%	42.8%
Reading	54.5%	49.4%

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STARS	2	0	82	0
Not STARS	0	2	0	12

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Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	14
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	534	6.1% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	110	18.2% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	114	18.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	redacted	redacted 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	20	0.9% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	172	5.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	75	22.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	42	47* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	28	8.0% 9.0%
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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	832
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	153
Children receiving child care subsidies	22
Families served by the First Steps program	18
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	10

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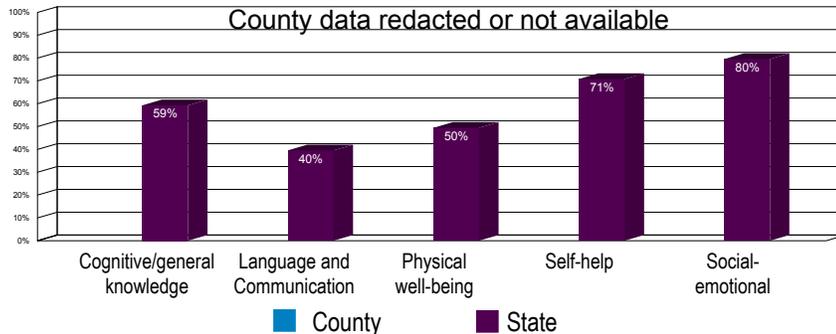
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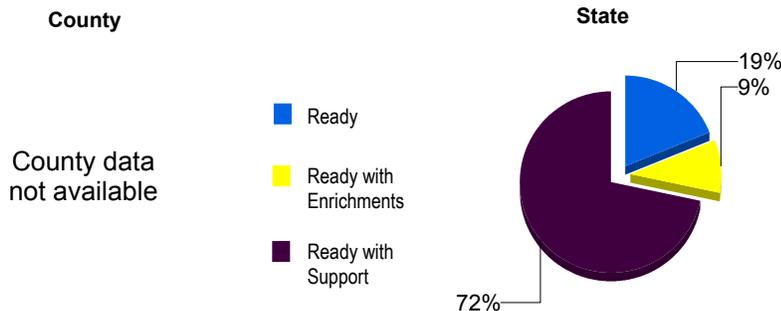
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Highlights

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Number of children 3-4 years old	409
Percent of children below 100% poverty	21.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	35.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	52.6%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	22
Number of child care spaces in the county	469
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	158
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<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	7
Public preschool enrollment	130
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	29
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	69
Other	32
Head Start enrollment	105
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	14
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	91
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	139

Third Grade Assessment Results

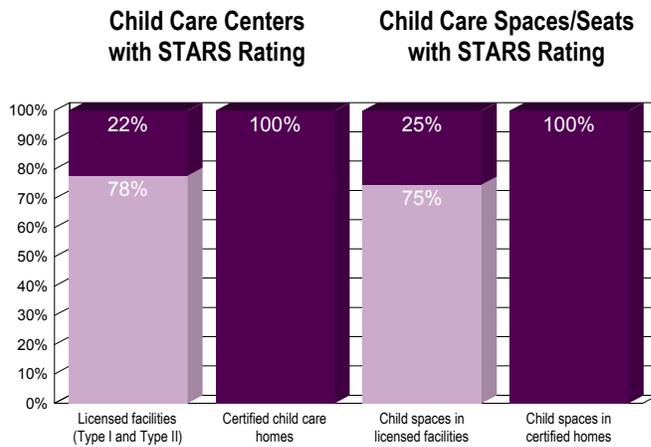
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	39.5%	42.8%
Reading	50.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	7	0	346	0
Not STARS	2	1	117	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

The Commonwealth supports the early care and education workforce with training, scholarships, credentials, and other professional development programs. The counts below are for 2011-2012.

Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	8
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	6
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	7
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	1

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	927	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	252	21.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	419	35.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0	0.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	79	2.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	232	4.2% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	110	21.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	101	57* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	60	11.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	66	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

The Governor's Office of Early Childhood, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, and local agencies provide support to at-risk families and children. These services promote healthy growth and development, assist with disabilities, subsidize early education, and more.

Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,422
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	217
Children receiving child care subsidies	158
Families served by the First Steps program	25
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	22

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Warren County

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Kindergarten Readiness

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

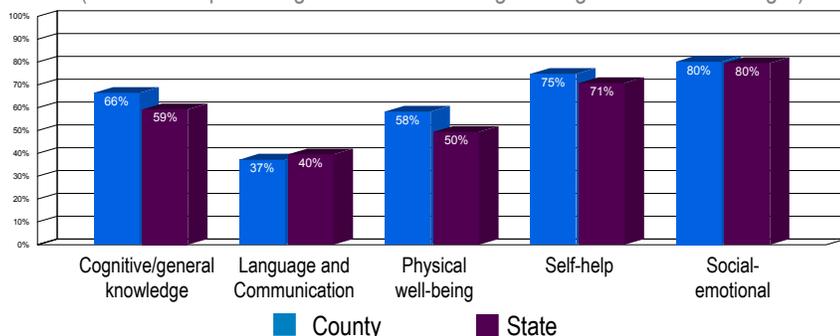
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	10
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	555
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

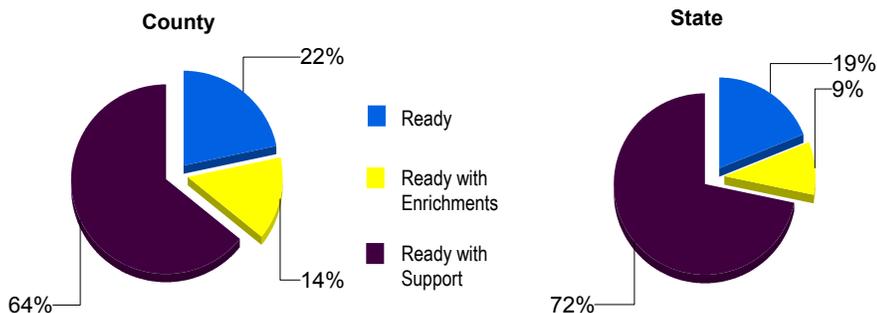
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	4,360
Number of children 3-4 years old	2,905
Percent of children below 100% poverty	28.6%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	41.5%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	53.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	114
Number of child care spaces in the county	5,270
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	1424
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	1386
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	8
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	8
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	22
Public preschool enrollment	636
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	280
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	356
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	102
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	8
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	149
Other	-55
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	1,466

Third Grade Assessment Results

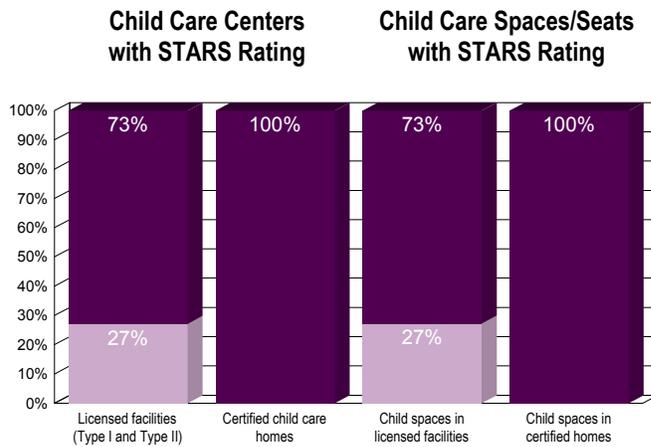
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	40.4%	42.8%
Reading	49.1%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	16	0	1,433	0
Not STARS	43	2	3,825	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	19
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	5
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	20
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	21
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	19

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	7,265	6.3% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	2,515	28.6% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	3,651	41.5% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	110	1.9% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	279	1.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	4,052	9.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	757	17.6% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	510	34* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	397	9.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	573	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County	Count
Children receiving Medicaid insurance	9,803
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	1,608
Children receiving child care subsidies	1,424
Families served by the First Steps program	333
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	114

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Washington County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

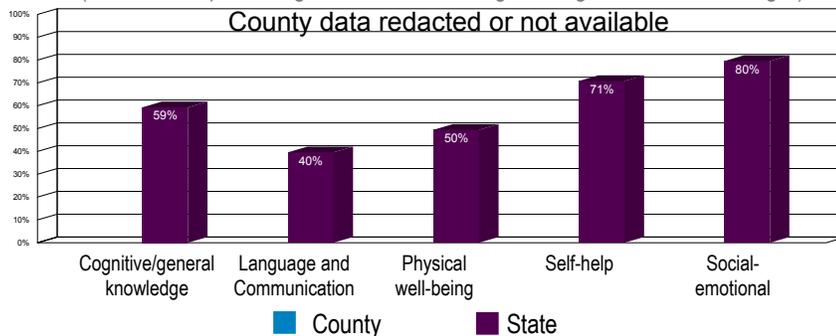
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	0
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

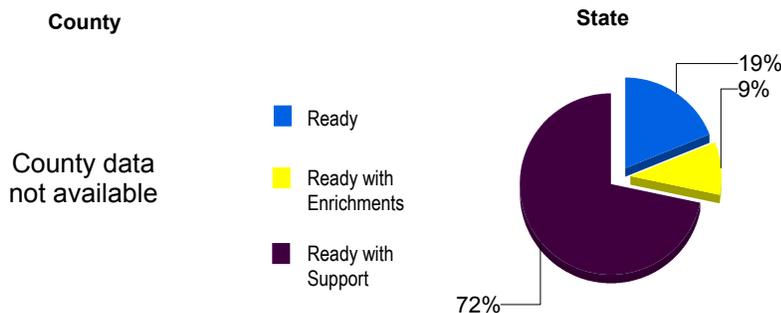
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	401
Number of children 3-4 years old	286
Percent of children below 100% poverty	17.1%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	34.7%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	46.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	14
Number of child care spaces in the county	574
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	129
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	100
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	5
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	7
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	17
Public preschool enrollment	58
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	26
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	18
Other	14
Head Start enrollment	61
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	11
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	50
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	123

Third Grade Assessment Results

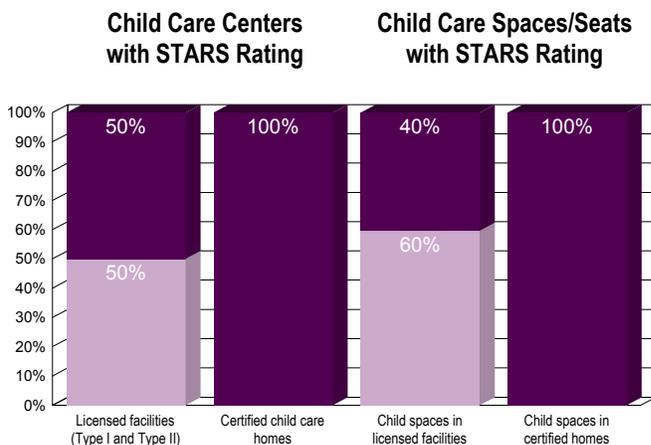
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	42.5%	42.8%
Reading	50.7%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	5	0	335	0
Not STARS	5	2	227	12

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	0
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	0
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	12
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	0

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	687	5.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	128	17.1% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	260	34.7% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	37	7.2% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	56	2.0% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	209	4.6% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	53	13.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	42	35* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	30	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	45	12.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	981
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	171
Children receiving child care subsidies	129
Families served by the First Steps program	21
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	14

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Wayne County

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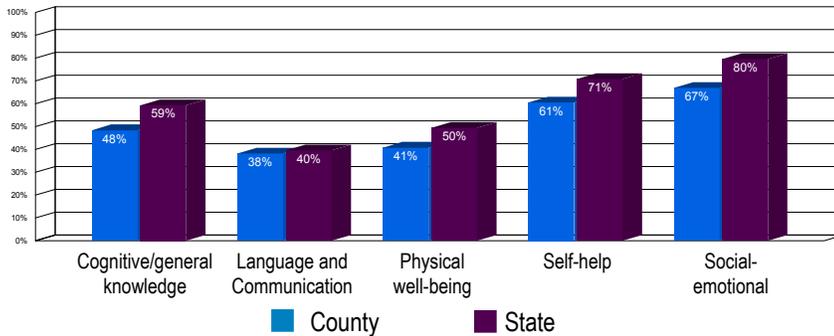
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	157
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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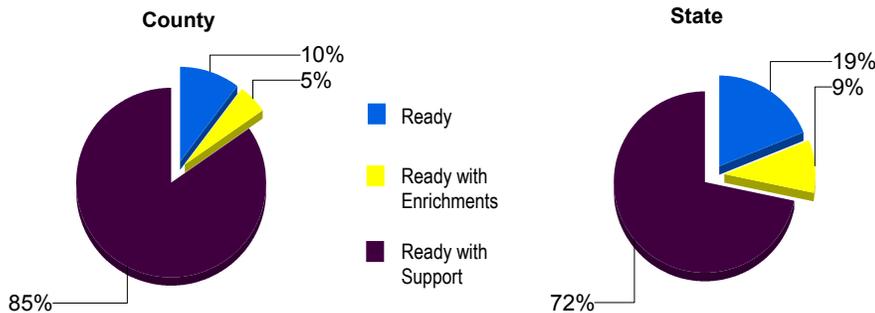
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	744
Number of children 3-4 years old	490
Percent of children below 100% poverty	51.7%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	74.3%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	82.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	116
Number of child care spaces in the county	412
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	307
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	276
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	9
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	9
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	13
Public preschool enrollment	201
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	52
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	106
Other	43
Head Start enrollment	130
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	11
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	119
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	257

Third Grade Assessment Results

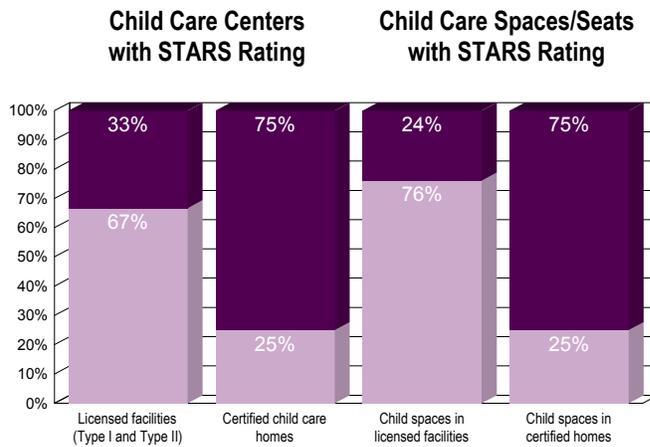
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Reading	48.2%	49.4%

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STARS	8	2	277	12
Not STARS	4	6	87	36

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	9
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	4
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	7

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,234	5.9% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	707	51.7% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,015	74.3% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	58	5.5% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	106	2.3% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	168	2.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	207	27.7% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	162	82* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	64	8.0% 9.0%
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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	2,542
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	585
Children receiving child care subsidies	307
Families served by the First Steps program	52
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	116

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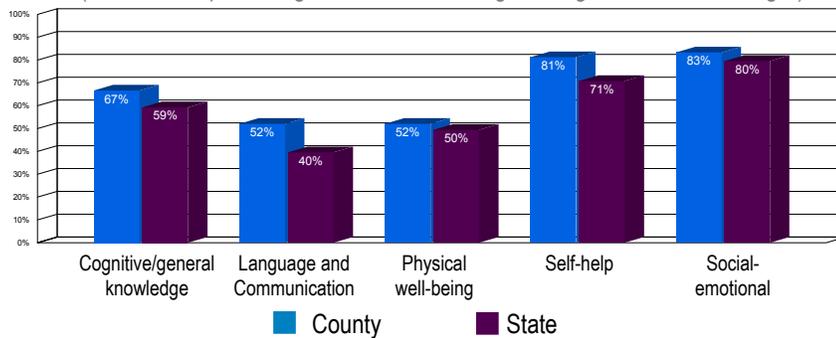
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	48
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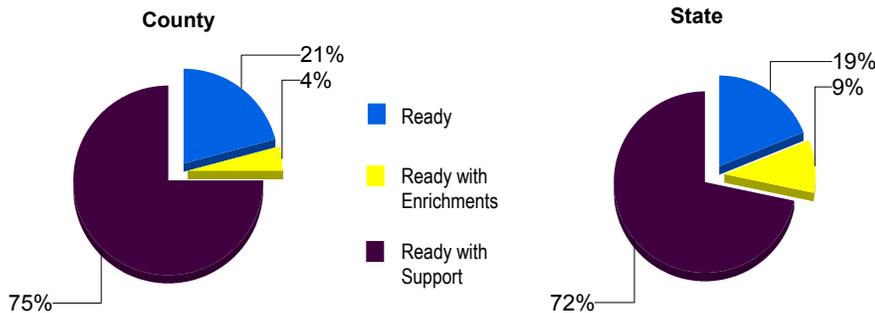
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Highlights

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Number of children 3-4 years old	376
Percent of children below 100% poverty	24.5%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	31.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	45.4%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	25
Number of child care spaces in the county	38
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	31
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	13
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	4
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	3
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	11
Public preschool enrollment	114
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	53
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	56
Other	5
Head Start enrollment	74
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	16
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	53
Other	5
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	188

Third Grade Assessment Results

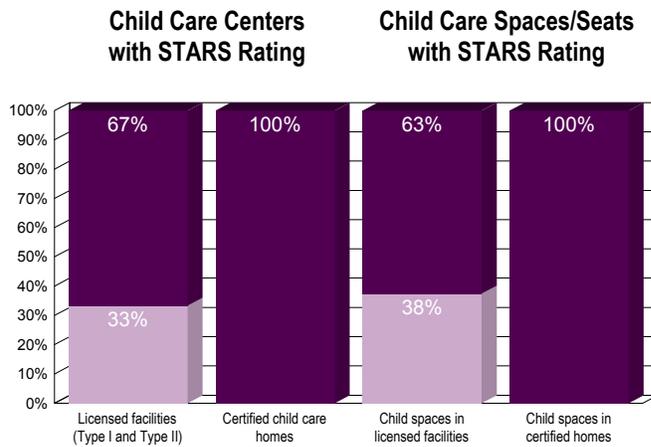
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	39.0%	42.8%
Reading	43.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	0	12	0
Not STARS	2	1	20	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	4
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	2
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	4
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	13
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	1

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	931	6.8% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	258	24.5% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	333	31.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	40	5.7% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	68	2.1% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	256	5.1% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	163	30.8% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	96	66* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	44	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	66	12.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,258
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	171
Children receiving child care subsidies	31
Families served by the First Steps program	17
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	25

KIDS NOW Initiative

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Whitley County

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

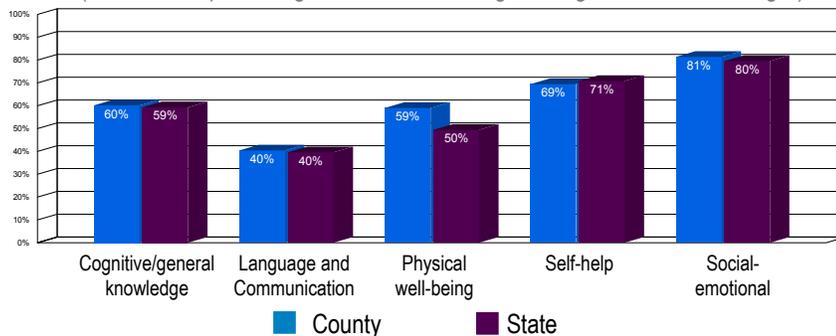
Academic year 2012-2013 was a pilot year for kindergarten readiness screening. Not all districts and not all schools participated in screening incoming kindergarten students.

Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	193
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

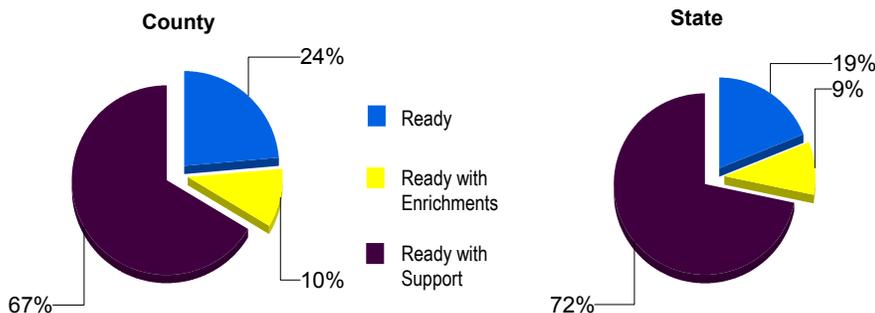
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	1,342
Number of children 3-4 years old	890
Percent of children below 100% poverty	28.4%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	42.2%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	67.0%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	171
Number of child care spaces in the county	971
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	429
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	301
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	44
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	59
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	25
Public preschool enrollment	272
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	72
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	111
Other	89
Head Start enrollment	177
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	21
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	156
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	640

Third Grade Assessment Results

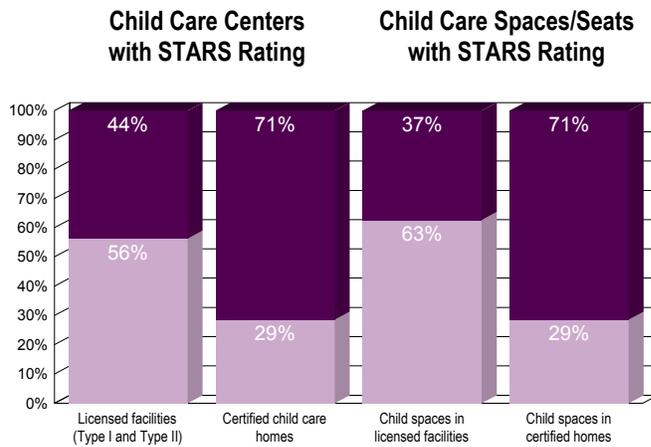
Below are the percentages of 3rd grade students who scored proficient or distinguished in the 2011-12 school year. They were kindergarteners in the 2008-09 school year.

	County	State
Math	48.9%	42.8%
Reading	53.4%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

STARS for KIDS NOW Rating

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STARS	9	2	582	12
Not STARS	7	5	347	30

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Professional Development of Early Care and Education Workers	FY 2011-2012
Child Care Commonwealth Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	16
Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	3
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	3
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	7
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	2
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	8

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	2,232	6.2% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	813	28.4% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	1,207	42.2% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	48	1.8% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	138	1.6% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	354	2.7% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	413	26.1% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	291	65* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	167	10.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	207	13.0% 12.0%

* Rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19

Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	5,663
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	913
Children receiving child care subsidies	429
Families served by the First Steps program	68
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	171

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IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT KINDERGARTEN READINESS DATA

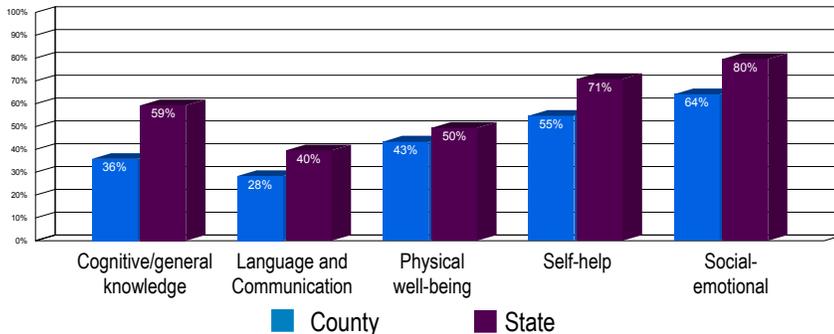
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Schools in the county that participated in the screening	1
Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	53
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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2012 PILOT Screening Results by Domain

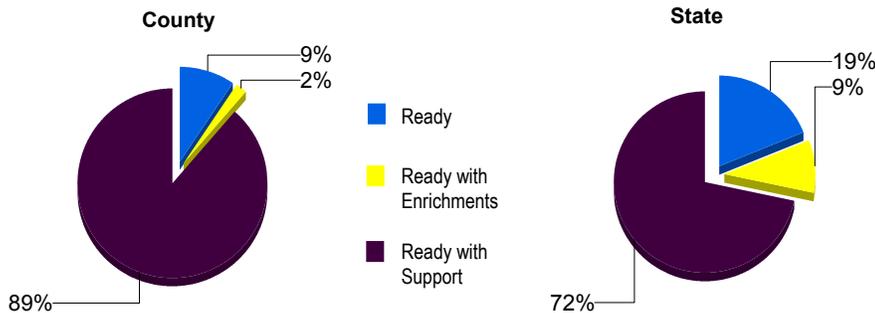
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Percentage of Children Ready for Kindergarten

(Based on Brigance Composite Score)



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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	272
Number of children 3-4 years old	220
Percent of children below 100% poverty	71.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	74.8%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	75.9%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	61
Number of child care spaces in the county	212
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	40
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	0
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	30
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	10
Public preschool enrollment	0
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	0
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	0
Other	0
Head Start enrollment	108
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	17
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	91
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	107

Third Grade Assessment Results

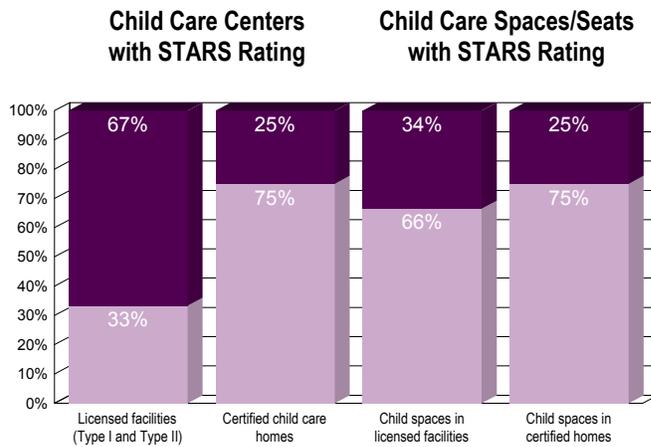
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	County	State
Math	18.6%	42.8%
Reading	53.6%	49.4%

Early Care and Education Programs

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	Licensed facilities (Type I and Type II)	Certified child care homes	Child spaces in licensed facilities	Child spaces in certified homes
STARS	1	3	125	18
Not STARS	2	1	63	6

Early Care and Education Workforce

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Child Development Associate KIDS NOW (Mini-grants for CDA credential fees)	1
Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	0
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	3
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	10
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	1

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	492	6.7% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	445	71.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	469	74.8% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	0	0.0% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	93	5.2% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	10	0.4% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	87	27.2% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	52	77* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	40	12.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	47	15.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,266
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	161
Children receiving child care subsidies	40
Families served by the First Steps program	36
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	61

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2013 Early Childhood Profile

Woodford County

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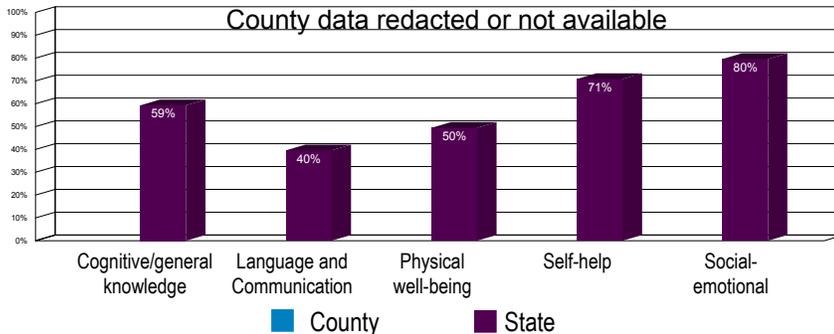
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Kindergarteners in the county that were screened	0
Kindergarteners in the state that were screened	31,480

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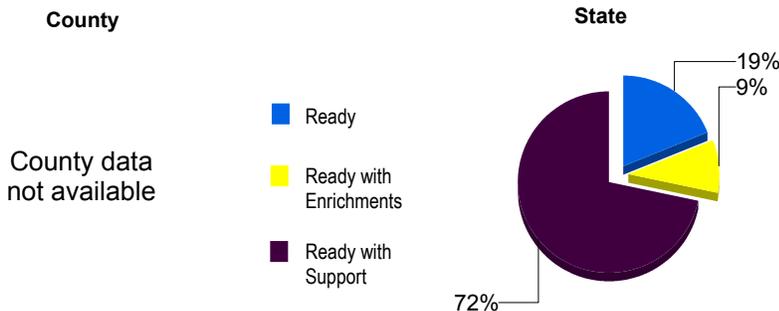
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Highlights

Number of children 0-2 years old	820
Number of children 3-4 years old	611
Percent of children below 100% poverty	35.0%
<i>Below 150% poverty</i>	39.6%
<i>Below 200% poverty</i>	56.8%
Number of families served by the HANDS home visitation program	108
Number of child care spaces in the county	1,454
Number of children receiving child care benefits (CCAP program)	398
<i>CCAP at Licensed Centers</i>	372
<i>CCAP at Licensed Homes</i>	2
<i>CCAP at Certified Homes</i>	4
<i>CCAP at Registered Providers</i>	20
Public preschool enrollment	131
<i>3 and 4 year olds with disabilities</i>	48
<i>At-risk 4 year olds at or below 150% of the federal poverty level</i>	57
Other	26
Head Start enrollment	34
<i>3s and 4s with disabilities</i>	5
<i>3s and 4s income eligible</i>	29
Other	0
2010-2011 Public kindergarten enrollment	276

Third Grade Assessment Results

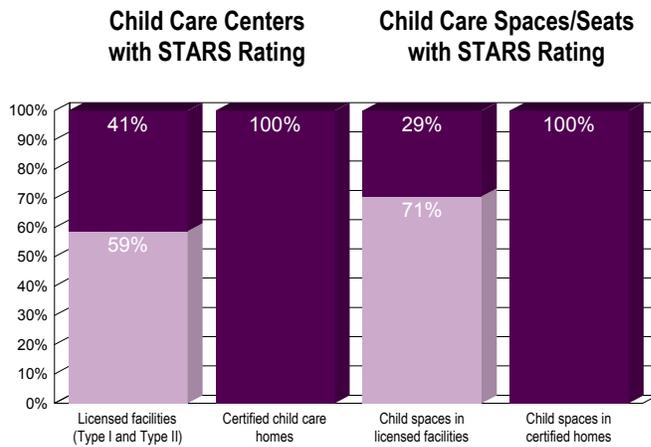
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Math	46.4%	42.8%
Reading	50.6%	49.4%

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Not STARS	7	2	422	12

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Kentucky Trainer's Credential (Credentials approved/renewed)	1
Director's Credential (Credentials approved)	17
Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE worker pursuing degree or credential in college)	0
Scholarships for Professional Training (Unduplicated paid invoices for non-college training)	5

Families, Health and Services

Select Indicators	County	State
Children under five years old	1,431	5.7% 6.4%
Children living below 100% poverty line	652	35.0% 29.5%
Children living below 150% poverty line	739	39.6% 41.6%
Homeless children in the public school grades K-3	97	8.3% 4.6%
Children with substantiated child abuse/neglect	38	0.7% 1.5%
Households with a non-English language in home	794	8.0% 5.6%
Births to mothers who are not high school graduates	182	21.3% 20.6%
Births to teenage girls 15-19 years old	83	31* 50*
Low birth weight babies (born less than 5.5 pounds)	65	8.0% 9.0%
Preterm babies (born before 37 weeks of pregnancy)	90	10.0% 12.0%

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Services Provided to Families and Children

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Number Receiving Support Services in the County

Children receiving Medicaid insurance	1,525
Children receiving KCHIP health insurance	250
Children receiving child care subsidies	398
Families served by the First Steps program	43
Families served by the Health Access Nurturing Development Services (HANDS) home visitation program	108

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