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			RANK
ECONOMIC WELL-BEING			41
	UNITED STATES	ARIZONA	
Children in poverty US 12,599,000 AZ 322,000	21% 17% 2008-12 2016-20 BETTER	24 % 20 % 2016-20	BETTER
Children whose parents lack secure employment US 19,745,000 AZ 470,000	31% 27% ↓ 2008-12 2016-20 BETTER	33 % 29 % 2016-20	BETTER
Children living in households with a high housing cost burden US 22,137,000 AZ 488,000	39% 30% ↓ 2008-12 2016-20 BETTER	41% 30% 2016-20	BETTER
Teens not in school and not working	8% 7% ↓ 2008-12 2016-20 BETTER	11% 8% 2008-12 2016-20	↓ BETTER

EDUCATION			47
	UNITED STATES	ARIZONA	
Young children (ages 3 and 4) not in school US 4,295,000 AZ 114,000	52 % 53 % ↑ 2008-12 2016-20 WORSE	66% 62% 2016-20	↓ BETTER
Fourth-graders not proficient in reading US N.A. AZ N.A.	68% 66% ↓ 2009 2019 BETTER	75 % 69 % 2019	↓ BETTER
Eighth-graders not proficient in math us N.A. AZ N.A.	67% 67% = 2009 SAME	71% 69%	BETTER
High school students not graduating on time	21% 14% UNDER 19 14 BETTER	22% 2010-11 22% 2018-19	= Same

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HEALTH						29
	UNITED	STATES		ARIZONA		
Low birth-weight babies us 297,604 AZ 5,666	8.1 % 2010	8.2 % 2020	† Worse	7.1%	7.4 %	↑ WORSE
Children without health insurance US 4,017,000 AZ 149,000	8 % 2008-12	5 % 2016-20	↓ BETTER	14% 2008-12	9%	↓ BETTER
Child and teen deaths per 100,000 us 21,430 AZ 632	26 2010	28 2020	† Worse	28	36	↑ WORSE
Children and teens (ages 10 to 17) who are overweight or obese US N.A. AZ N.A.	31 % 2016-17	32 % 2019-20	↑ WORSE	26 % 2016-17	27 % 2019-20	↑ WORSE

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY			rank 44
	UNITED STATES	ARIZONA	
Children in single-parent families US 23,629,000 AZ 573,000	34 % 34 % = 2008-12 2016-20 SAME	37 % 37 % 2016-20	= SAME
Children in families where the household head lacks a high school diploma us 8,949,000 AZ 245,000	15 % 12 % ↓ 2016-20 BETTER	19% 2008-12 15% 2016-20	↓ BETTER
Children living in high-poverty areas US 6,350,000 AZ 200,000	13% 9% ↓ 2008-12 2016-20 BETTER	22 % 12 % 2016-20	BETTER
Teen births per 1,000 us 158,043 az 3,916	34 15 2010 2020 BETTER	42 17 2020	BETTER

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