

OVERALL RANK
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2022 KIDS COUNT® DATA PROFILE

GEORGIA



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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING RANK **35**

	UNITED STATES			GEORGIA		
Children in poverty <small>US 12,599,000 GA 495,000</small>	21%	17%	↓ BETTER	24%	20%	↓ BETTER
Children whose parents lack secure employment <small>US 19,745,000 GA 685,000</small>	31%	27%	↓ BETTER	32%	27%	↓ BETTER
Children living in households with a high housing cost burden <small>US 22,137,000 GA 744,000</small>	39%	30%	↓ BETTER	39%	30%	↓ BETTER
Teens not in school and not working <small>US 1,153,000 GA 45,000</small>	8%	7%	↓ BETTER	11%	8%	↓ BETTER

EDUCATION RANK **38**

	UNITED STATES			GEORGIA		
Young children (ages 3 and 4) not in school <small>US 4,295,000 GA 140,000</small>	52%	53%	↑ WORSE	50%	51%	↑ WORSE
Fourth-graders not proficient in reading <small>US N.A. GA N.A.</small>	68%	66%	↓ BETTER	71%	68%	↓ BETTER
Eighth-graders not proficient in math <small>US N.A. GA N.A.</small>	67%	67%	= SAME	73%	69%	↓ BETTER
High school students not graduating on time <small>US N.A. GA N.A.</small>	21%	14%	↓ BETTER	33%	18%	↓ BETTER

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HEALTH

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	UNITED STATES			GEORGIA		
Low birth-weight babies US 297,604 GA 12,072	8.1% 2010	8.2% 2020	↑ WORSE	9.7% 2010	9.9% 2020	↑ WORSE
Children without health insurance US 4,017,000 GA 196,000	8% 2008-12	5% 2016-20	↓ BETTER	10% 2008-12	7% 2016-20	↓ BETTER
Child and teen deaths per 100,000 US 21,430 GA 859	26 2010	28 2020	↑ WORSE	30 2010	32 2020	↑ WORSE
Children and teens (ages 10 to 17) who are overweight or obese US N.A. GA N.A.	31% 2016-17	32% 2019-20	↑ WORSE	32% 2016-17	34% 2019-20	↑ WORSE

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

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	UNITED STATES			GEORGIA		
Children in single-parent families US 23,629,000 GA 897,000	34% 2008-12	34% 2016-20	= SAME	37% 2008-12	38% 2016-20	↑ WORSE
Children in families where the household head lacks a high school diploma US 8,949,000 GA 309,000	15% 2008-12	12% 2016-20	↓ BETTER	15% 2008-12	12% 2016-20	↓ BETTER
Children living in high-poverty areas US 6,350,000 GA 261,000	13% 2008-12	9% 2016-20	↓ BETTER	14% 2008-12	10% 2016-20	↓ BETTER
Teen births per 1,000 US 158,043 GA 6,572	34 2010	15 2020	↓ BETTER	41 2010	18 2020	↓ BETTER

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