

General Fund Expenditures in Selected Categories			
	Mississippi	9-Site Average	Mississippi Compared to 9-Site Average
Health and Human Services	15.10%	29.20%	-48.3%
Corrections and Public Safety	8%	7.80%	+2.6%
Other	16%	18.10%	-11.6%
Total Education (ages 0-23)	60.9%	44.9%	+35.6%
Higher Education (ages 19-23)	17.2%	12.7%	+35.4%
Public Education (ages 6-18)	41.1%	30.5%	+34.8%
Early Learning (ages 0-5)	2.6%	1.7%	+52.9%

Early Learning Expenditures in Mississippi (in millions)			
	Total General Fund Dollars	% of General Fund	Comments
Age 0-2	2.06	0.1%	
Age 3-5	86.5	2.5%	
Total Age 0-5	88.56	2.6%	*includes state expenditures on public school kindergarten