

Selected Data - Leflore County to Yazoo County

County	Estimated Population Under Age 20 1999	Estimated Preschool Population 0-4 1999	Estimated Total Population 1999	Low Birth-Weight Babies as % of All Births			Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 Live Births) 5-Year Average			Births to Single Teens as % of All Births			Child Deaths Ages 1-14 by Number and by Rate (per 1,000 Children)				
				1999	1995	% Change	1995	1999	% Change	1999	1995	% Change	1999 #	1995 Rate	1999 #	1995 Rate	% Change
Mississippi	847,879	202,435	2,768,619	10.4	9.8	6	10.5	11.2	-6	16.0	17.7	-10	229	0.4	246	0.4	-7
Leflore	12,289	2,876	36,816	11.4	10.7	7	11.2	16.5	-32	25.7	29.3	-12	4	0.5	6	0.7	-33
Lincoln	9,529	1,993	32,105	8.1	9.6	-16	9.1	6.9	32	12.0	14.4	-17	2	0.3	2	0.3	0
Lowndes	18,737	4,946	60,527	11.5	8.9	29	14.3	15.2	-6	17.1	15.1	13	4	0.3	8	0.6	-50
Madison	22,991	6,263	74,562	10.1	8.5	19	8.8	7.6	16	9.9	13.8	-28	3	0.2	2	0.1	50
Marion	8,381	1,822	26,538	9.9	10.6	-7	7.8	9.8	-20	13.6	19.4	-30	2	0.3	2	0.3	0
Marshall	10,183	2,458	32,323	11.8	10.7	10	9.1	15.1	-40	21.0	20.9	.5	1	0.1	2	0.3	-50
Monroe	11,543	2,762	38,230	10.3	10.1	2	14.1	12.2	16	10.1	15.6	-35	4	0.5	4	0.5	0
Montgomery	3,674	817	12,394	7.6	8.9	-15	21.4	12.9	66	18.5	18.5	0	3	1.2	0	0.0	**
Neshoba	8,831	1,993	27,639	9.3	12.5	-26	10.2	15.5	-34	13.7	15.9	-14	0	0.0	2	0.3	-100
Newton	6,636	1,437	21,741	9.6	10.0	-4	17.2	12.0	43	11.3	16.9	-33	0	0.0	5	1.1	-100
Noxubee	4,355	1,085	12,497	17.5	8.0	119	22.3	18.6	20	21.9	18.3	20	1	0.3	3	1.0	-67
Oktibbeha	11,978	2,501	39,765	9.1	8.0	14	8.7	7.8	12	14.0	17.4	-20	3	0.5	1	0.1	200
Panola	11,467	2,703	33,913	9.3	10.3	-8	15.2	16.0	-5	19.8	22.1	-10	3	0.4	0	0.0	**
Pearl River	14,668	3,433	47,969	8.2	7.3	12	6.7	8.1	-17	13.6	13.9	-2	3	0.3	1	0.1	200
Perry	3,920	898	12,039	13.1	6.8	93	4.2	13.2	-68	16.2	17.7	-8	1	0.4	1	0.4	0
Pike	11,960	2,567	37,910	10.1	11.2	-9	7.0	6.2	13	20.6	22.1	-7	0	0.0	6	0.7	-100
Pontotoc	7,449	1,807	25,685	8.8	7.9	11	7.3	8.6	-15	10.1	10.7	-6	1	0.2	0	0.0	**
Prentiss	6,946	1,601	24,497	4.9	9.4	-48	9.8	9.4	4	10.8	8.4	29	3	0.7	0	0.0	**
Quitman	3,458	819	9,780	14.8	14.3	3	5.5	12.8	-57	29.7	27.0	10	3	1.3	2	0.9	50
Rankin	31,576	7,355	112,348	8.6	7.9	9	7.9	7.6	4	9.2	10.7	-14	6	0.3	6	0.3	0
Scott	7,735	1,956	24,911	10.8	10.0	8	11.0	14.7	-25	18.0	16.0	13	1	0.2	8	1.5	-88
Sharkey	2,495	568	6,543	11.5	13.3	-14	3.3	7.2	-54	28.3	38.3	-26	0	0.0	2	1.1	-100
Simpson	7,764	1,817	25,375	12.8	10.7	20	12.2	12.6	-3	19.3	16.5	17	1	0.2	5	1.0	-80
Smith	4,623	1,086	15,431	11.5	7.4	55	8.6	10.3	-17	10.5	13.5	-22	4	1.3	2	0.7	100
Stone	4,406	1,021	13,488	10.7	6.7	60	12.7	9.6	32	15.4	14.0	10	0	0.0	1	0.4	-100
Sunflower	10,612	2,342	33,257	12.7	9.5	34	11.5	11.9	-3	25.5	30.5	-16	3	0.4	3	0.4	0
Tallahatchie	5,078	1,219	14,587	11.6	6.6	76	12.8	12.7	1	25.6	25.3	1	0	0.0	2	0.6	-100
Tate	7,903	1,783	24,417	8.9	6.4	39	11.1	9.9	12	17.5	16.0	9	3	0.6	0	0.0	**
Tippah	6,028	1,432	21,069	11.4	9.2	24	12.5	8.5	47	16.5	14.7	12	0	0.0	2	0.5	-100
Tishomingo	4,659	1,139	18,742	8.0	6.9	16	7.0	13.2	-47	9.6	9.3	3	2	0.6	3	1.0	-33
Tunica	3,100	757	7,935	8.0	12.3	-35	18.6	19.7	-5	26.5	31.9	-17	0	0.0	3	1.2	-100
Union	6,750	1,559	24,121	12.2	13.8	-12	9.6	16.6	-42	10.9	12.6	-13	4	0.9	3	0.7	33
Walthall	4,670	1,025	14,211	8.8	6.1	44	12.5	6.8	84	17.2	20.5	-16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Warren	15,216	3,461	49,148	11.9	10.5	13	12.8	13.5	-5	17.9	18.3	-2	3	0.3	5	0.5	-40
Washington	22,551	5,366	64,265	9.3	10.4	-11	11.6	11.7	-1	25.3	27.6	-8	8	0.5	8	0.5	0
Wayne	6,770	1,559	20,637	8.2	9.8	-16	13.6	13.6	0	14.8	16.2	-9	1	0.2	2	0.5	-50
Webster	3,036	669	10,633	5.8	14.9	-61	1.4	11.6	-88	13.1	13.4	-2	1	0.5	0	0.0	**
Wilkinson	2,812	679	9,042	15.1	9.2	64	6.4	8.6	-26	18.3	22.5	-19	2	1.0	0	0.0	**
Winston	5,825	1,297	19,253	11.2	9.3	20	7.8	15.8	-51	22.5	19.8	14	1	0.3	3	0.7	-67
Yalobusha	3,726	874	12,627	7.1	14.0	-49	4.6	8.8	-48	13.6	11.3	20	0	0.0	0	0.0	0
Yazoo	8,394	2,019	25,208	15.1	10.5	44	7.6	12.2	-38	23.1	30.8	-25	5	0.8	4	0.7	25

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County	Teen Deaths by Accident, Homicide, and Suicide Ages 15-19				% of Students Eligible for Free and Reduced Lunch as an			% Births to all Singles as an Indicator of Single Parent Families			Annual Unemployment Rate***			Graduation Rate			
	by Number		%		Indicator of Child Poverty	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
	and by Rate		C													C	C
	(per 1,000 Teens)		H		H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H		
1999 #	1995 Rate	1999 #	1995 Rate	1999	1995	1999	1995	1999	1995	1999	1995	1999	1995	2000	1996		
Mississippi	191	0.8	220	1.0	-13	62.6	61.8	1	45.9	45.4	1	5.1	6.1	-16	75.4	73.2	3
Leflore	3	0.9	5	1.3	-40	90.7	92.4	-2	73.3	66.4	10	8.4	9.5	-12	73.0	74.2	-2
Lincoln	3	1.1	3	1.1	0	57.2	58.9	-3	32.9	35.9	-8	4.8	5.9	-19	86.5	79.1	9
Lowndes	5	1.0	3	0.6	67	59.0	57.6	2	44.3	42.3	5	5.9	5.4	9	78.6	72.9	8
Madison	5	0.9	5	1.0	0	49.6	54.0	-8	36.6	37.0	-1	3.1	3.6	-14	84.9	80.9	5
Marion	4	1.8	1	0.5	300	75.1	74.4	1	39.0	44.0	-11	6.4	7.4	-14	76.7	77.5	-1
Marshall	2	0.7	5	1.7	-60	84.3	85.7	-2	58.6	52.3	12	6.0	9.9	-39	62.8	65.9	-5
Monroe	5	1.6	5	1.7	0	59.4	56.0	6	39.2	42.4	-8	7.3	9.2	-21	77.1	78.6	-2
Montgomery	0	0.0	1	1.1	-100	69.4	74.5	-7	49.7	47.8	4	6.1	6.7	-9	80.3	77.5	4
Neshoba	0	0.0	1	0.4	-100	61.3	61.8	-0.8	41.9	44.8	-6	4.6	3.9	18	76.1	79.1	-4
Newton	2	1.0	1	0.6	100	61.6	59.7	3	42.0	45.0	-7	6.7	8.0	-16	79.9	70.1	14
Noxubee	1	0.9	2	1.8	-50	92.4	93.8	-1	60.2	58.2	3	11.6	9.0	29	65.5	75.6	-13
Oktibbeha	2	0.4	1	0.2	100	68.0	67.6	0.6	37.1	38.9	-5	2.2	3.0	-27	71.0	71.2	-0.3
Panola	3	1.0	5	1.7	-40	79.0	80.5	-2	55.8	53.5	4	8.1	8.5	-5	71.4	63.4	13
Pearl River	3	0.8	6	1.8	-50	56.0	53.6	4	34.3	31.2	10	4.1	5.7	-28	81.7	72.3	13
Perry	0	0.0	2	2.0	-100	67.2	66.0	2	39.9	42.8	-7	6.8	7.7	-12	71.5	81.5	-12
Pike	3	0.9	2	0.6	50	76.1	73.5	3	55.3	52.9	5	5.1	6.1	-16	80.8	73.7	10
Pontotoc	1	0.5	4	2.1	-75	46.6	41.2	13	27.4	24.4	12	3.4	5.3	-36	92.9	87.3	6
Prentiss	4	1.8	7	4.1	-43	51.2	50.7	1	32.0	28.2	13	6.3	6.7	-6	77.1	79.0	-2
Quitman	2	2.0	1	1.0	100	79.6	94.2	-15	74.7	72.5	3	9.0	12.9	-30	56.8	58.4	-3
Rankin	3	0.4	5	0.6	-40	33.4	32.8	2	26.1	24.9	5	2.2	2.9	-24	86.2	82.6	4
Scott	0	0.0	3	1.5	-100	71.3	68.4	4	51.3	49.7	3	3.3	4.9	-33	75.3	69.6	8
Sharkey	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	96.2	94.6	2	82.3	75.8	9	18.1	18.1	0	73.3	55.8	31
Simpson	4	2.1	2	1.0	100	71.5	72.5	-1	45.2	38.5	17	6.3	5.3	19	77.3	85.6	-10
Smith	2	1.6	0	0.0	**	56.9	55.2	3	36.1	35.3	2	3.8	4.1	-7	85.2	75.2	13
Stone	2	1.5	3	2.7	-33	55.9	53.1	5	39.2	38.8	1	5.1	6.6	-23	81.9	77.6	5
Sunflower	2	0.7	1	0.3	100	91.3	92.1	-0.9	71.6	69.0	4	9.9	11.1	-11	72.7	77.4	-6
Tallahatchie	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	89.6	89.7	-1	61.4	60.2	2	9.7	11.5	-16	76.4	60.0	27
Tate	3	1.3	1	0.5	200	53.8	57.3	-6	42.6	40.0	7	5.8	6.3	-8	75.1	74.0	1
Tippah	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	53.6	58.9	-9	32.3	33.0	-2	4.7	5.9	-20	81.7	81.8	-0.1
Tishomingo	4	3.2	1	0.8	300	53.7	48.3	11	21.8	15.3	42	8.1	6.9	17	75.6	73.8	2
Tunica	1	1.2	1	1.1	0	88.5	92.5	-4	74.1	77.3	-4	6.4	12.7	-50	56.3	72.0	-22
Union	1	0.5	4	2.2	-75	43.9	41.8	5	30.0	32.0	-6	3.8	5.4	-30	84.6	76.6	10
Walthall	2	1.7	3	2.2	-33	80.3	80.4	-0.9	44.5	43.2	3	5.5	5.8	-5	78.0	77.3	0.9
Warren	4	1.0	5	1.2	-20	60.0	57.6	4	54.6	52.2	5	4.5	6.0	-25	73.2	71.6	2
Washington	3	0.5	3	0.5	0	86.4	80.3	8	70.0	68.2	3	9.5	10.0	-5	57.8	58.8	-2
Wayne	0	0.0	1	0.6	-100	72.8	71.0	3	45.7	45.4	1	6.2	7.1	-13	75.5	68.3	11
Webster	0	0.0	1	1.2	-100	58.0	56.8	2	27.0	29.8	-9	5.3	8.5	-38	80.4	75.0	7
Wilkinson	0	0.0	1	1.3	-100	82.9	93.2	-11	57.9	57.5	1	15.4	10.9	41	81.7	85.0	-4
Winston	3	1.9	2	1.2	50	73.1	69.9	5	51.7	45.2	14	6.4	6.4	0	81.2	73.2	11
Yalobusha	1	1.0	2	2.1	-50	73.7	72.7	1	51.6	42.7	21	8.2	7.1	15	75.2	74.2	1
Yazoo	3	1.5	0	0.0	**	88.1	88.9	-0.9	62.5	66.4	-6	8.1	9.3	-13	65.8	65.0	1

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