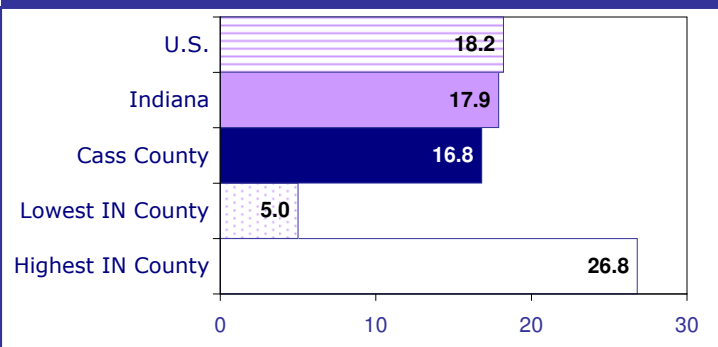


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Percent of Children in Poverty: CY 2008



Child Population Under 18: CY 2007

	Total	Females	Males
White	7,781	3,682	4,099
Black	256	99	157
American Indian	22	10	12
Asian	80	48	32
Hispanic, of any race	1,676	789	887
Total	9,815	4,628	5,187

Economic Well-Being

	Base Year	Current Year
% of Children in Poverty, Age 0-17 (CY)	2005 16.4	2008 16.8
% of Student Receiving Free Lunches (SY)	2005 27.5	2008 31.1
% of Students Receiving Reduced Price Lunches (SY)	2005 10.0	2008 8.9
Monthly Average # of Persons Issued Food Stamps (SFY)	2005 3,141	2008 3,431
Monthly Average # of Families Receiving TANF (SFY)	2005 215	2008 186
Per Capita Income (CY)	2005 \$26,038	2007 \$28,255
Annual Average Unemployment Rate (CY)	2005 5.6	2008 6.4

Health

	Base Year	Current Year
# of Live Births (CY)	2005 572	2006 567
% of Low Birthweight Babies (CY)	2005 8.9	2006 7.9
% of Mothers Who Received 1st Trimester Prenatal Care (CY)	2005 80.4	2006 75.3
% of Mothers Who Reported Smoking During Pregnancy (CY)	2005 18.4	2006 23.6
Teen Birth Rate per 1,000 Females, Age 15-17 (CY)	2005 21.3	2006 13.8
# of Babies Born to Single Mothers Under 20 w/o H.S. Diploma (CY)	2005 30	2006 30
Non-Marital Births as a % of All Births (CY)	2005 37.9	2006 43.6
# of Children Enrolled in Hoosier Healthwise (SFY)	2005 2,621	2008 4,191
# of Infant Deaths, Under Age 1 (CY)	2005 7	2006 3
# of Child Deaths, Age 1-14 (CY)	2005 3	2006 4
# of Teen Deaths by Accident, Homicide, Suicide, Age 15-19 (CY)	2005 0	2006 1

Early Childhood Education

	Base Year	Current Year
# of Children Served by First Steps (SFY)	2005 74	2008 86
# of Head Start Participants (SFY)	2005 102	2008 102
# of Licensed Child Care Centers (SFY)	2005 2	2008 2
# of Licensed Child Care Homes (SFY)	2005 11	2008 11
# of Registered Child Care Ministries (SFY)	2005 5	2008 5
# of Licensed Child Care Slots per 100 Children, Age 0-4 (SFY)	2005 12.6	2008 10.4
# of Children Receiving Child Care Vouchers (FFY)	2005 274	2008 336
Monthly Avg # of Children on Wait List for Child Care Vouchers (SFY)	2005 73	2008 27



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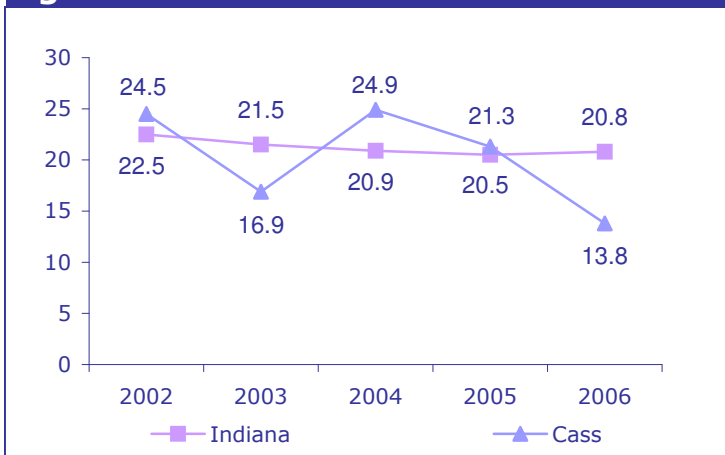
Education, Grades K-12

	Base Year		Current Year	
Public School Enrollment K-12 (SY)	2005	6,906	2008	6,939
Non-Public School Enrollment K-12 (SY)	2005	94	2008	0
Alternative Education Participation (SY)	2005	137	2008	93
Total Per Pupil Expenditure (SY)	2005	\$10,970	2008	\$11,813
% of 4 th Graders Passing the ISTEP (SY)	2005	61.5	2008	61.9
% of 8 th Graders Passing the ISTEP (SY)	2005	58.4	2008	55.9
% of 10 th Graders Passing the ISTEP/GQE (SY)	2005	51.3	2008	56.7
# of Expulsions (SY)	2005	44	2008	42
# of Suspensions (Both In and Out-of-School) (SY)	2005	2,224	2008	1,871
# of Public High School Graduates (SY)	2005	403	2008	449
# of Public School Student Dropouts (SY)	2005	32	2008	45
% of H.S. Grads Intending Vocational/Tech School (SY)	2005	13.9	2008	6.2
% of H.S. Grads Intending 2-year College (SY)	2005	7.4	2008	16.9
% of H.S. Grads Intending 4-year College (SY)	2005	48.4	2008	54.3

Safety

	Base Year		Current Year	
# of Children in Need of Services (CHINS) identified by DCS (SFY)	2005	34	2008	36
Child Abuse/Neglect Rate per 1,000 Children Under Age 18 (SFY)	2005	16.3	2008	10.2
# of Child Neglect Cases Substantiated by DCS (SFY)	2005	87	2008	56
# of Child Sexual Abuse Cases Substantiated by DCS (SFY)	2005	33	2008	38
# of Child Physical Abuse Cases Substantiated by DCS (SFY)	2005	22	2008	6
# of Children Served in Emergency Domestic Violence Shelters (SFY)	2005	4	2008	1
# of Termination of Parental Rights Case Filings (CY)	2005	10	2008	27
# of Children Adopted (SFY)	2005	9	2008	12
# of Juvenile Delinquency Case Filings (CY)	2005	136	2008	134
# of Juvenile Status Case Filings (CY)	2005	43	2008	30
# of Juveniles Committed to the Department of Correction (CY)	2005	4	2008	8

Teen Birth Rate per 1,000 Females Age 15-17: CY 2002-2006



Graduation Rates by School District: SY 2007-2008

	2008
Pioneer Regional School Corp	81.0
Southeastern School Corp	77.3
Logansport Community Sch Corp	82.1
State Rate	77.8

Note: Due to calculation methods, the graduation rate is only available at the school district level.