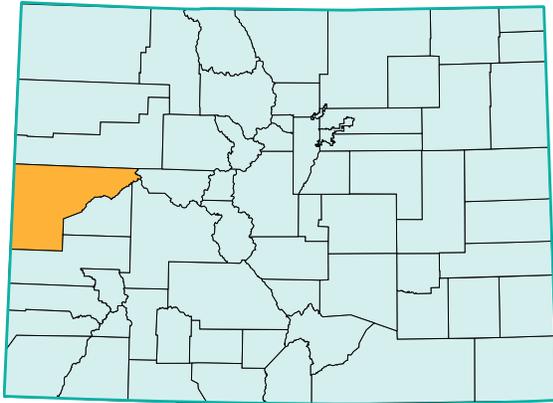


COUNTY DATA



MESA COUNTY



**COLORADO
CHILDREN'S
CAMPAIGN**

KIDS COUNT IN COLORADO! 2019

LNE = Low Number of Events
N/A = Not Applicable
NR = Not Reported

	MESA	COLORADO
POPULATION		
2017 Total Population	151,900	5,609,445
2017 Child Population (Under 18)	34,114	1,263,998
2017 Child Population as a Percentage of Total Population (Under 18)	22.5%	22.5%
2017 Young Child Population (Under 5)	8,798	334,012
2017 School-Aged Population (Ages 5-17)	25,316	929,986
VULNERABLE FAMILIES		
2017 Births to Single Women	29.8%	22.8%
2017 Births to Women without a High School Diploma or GED	12.6%	11.6%
2017 Teen Births (rate per 1,000 female teens 15-19)	23.4	16.1
2017 Three Risk Factor Births	4.2%	3.0%
2017 Out-of-Home Placements (rate per 1,000)	14.7	8.7
FAMILY ECONOMICS AND SUPPORTS		
Fall 2018 Children Qualifying for Free or Reduced Price Lunch	48.4%	40.7%
Fall 2018 Children Qualifying for Free Lunch	39.6%	32.9%
Fall 2018 Children Qualifying for Reduced Price Lunch	8.7%	7.8%
2017 Median Household Income	52,623	69,113
2017 Children (Under 18) in Poverty	17.9%	12.2%
2017 School-Aged Children (Ages 5-17) in Poverty	15.9%	11.4%
2018 Children Receiving TANF Basic Cash Assistance Payments*	6.9%	4.5%
2018 Children Receiving WIC Program Vouchers*	41.2%	30.0%
2018-2019 Students Served by the McKinney-Vento Homeless Ed. Program	736	22,369
CHILD AND MATERNAL HEALTH		
2017 Live Births	1,624	64,388
2017 Low Weight Births	7.6%	9.1%
2017 Births to Women Who Had Early Prenatal Care	71.4%	81.6%
2017 Births to Women Smoking During Pregnancy	13.3%	6.1%
2017 Child Abuse and Neglect (rate per 1,000)	18.0	9.2
2017 Infant Mortality (rate per 1,000)	3.7	4.5
2017 Child (Ages 1-14) Deaths (rate per 100,000)	LNE	16.1
2017 Teen (Ages 15-19) Deaths (rate per 100,000)	67.1	58.5
2017 Child (Ages 1-14) Injury Deaths (rate per 100,000)	LNE	8.3
2017 Teen (Ages 15-19) Injury Deaths (rate per 100,000)	67.1	50.4
FY 17-18 Children (Ages 0-18) Enrolled in CHP+	9.0%	7.5%
FY 17-18 Children (Ages 0-18) Enrolled in Medicaid	53.6%	44.3%
2017 Uninsured Children (SAHIE)	4.7%	4.5%
2017 Children Eligible for Medicaid, CHP+ or Subsidies but Not Enrolled	2.4%	5.6%
EDUCATION		
Fall 2018 PK-12 Pupil Enrollment	22,708	911,536
Fall 2018 Kindergarteners in a Full-Day Program	41.5%	79.0%
Fall 2018 English Language Learners	3.2%	13.8%
2017-2018 High School Graduation Rate	77.6%	80.7%
2018 4th Grade Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations in English Language Arts	38.3%	46.1%
2018 Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations on CMAS Math	23.1%	34.1%
2018 Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations on CMAS English Language Arts	33.6%	44.5%
2018 Students Meeting or Exceeding Expectations on CMAS Science	26.2%	31.2%

*Percentages based on Colorado State Demography Office 2018 population projections.