

Wake County

2023 Roadmap of Need County Profile

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	Indicator	County Data	North Carolina	Rank
Economic Development	Median Household Income	\$91,558	\$61,997	1
	Unemployment Rate	4.1	4.9	5
	Housing Cost Burden	26%	28%	43
	Food Insecurity	8.9%	15.4%	3
Physical Health	Teen Pregnancy	15.1	24	9
	Physicians per 100K	29.6	27.7	9
	Child Fatality	42.4	56.2	15
	Uninsured	8.6%	9.3%	6
Mental Health and Safety	Suicide Rate	8.86	15.3	10
	Student-Counselor Ratio	347:1	321:1	59
	Juvenile Detention Admission Rate	0.94	1.56	43
	Drug and Medicine Overdose Rate	20.86	38.3	11
Education Inputs	State Expenditures	\$6,761	\$7,426	98
	Local Expenditures	\$3,126	\$2,459	15
	Federal Expenditures	\$1,982	\$2,460	89
	Teacher Vacancy Rate	2.74%	3.43%	38
Education Outcomes	Math Proficiency	30.8%	33.1%	59
	3rd Grade Reading Proficiency	58.6%	46.4%	3
	% Meeting ACT Benchmark	26.2%	15.8%	3
	High School Graduation Rate	89.6%	86.4%	25

Ranking Summary

Overall	5
Economic Development	5
Physical Health	2
Mental Health	11
Education Input	67
Education Outcomes	10

Public School Student Demographics

