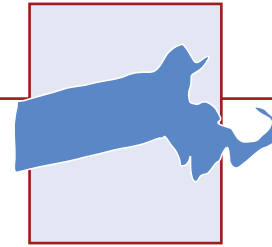
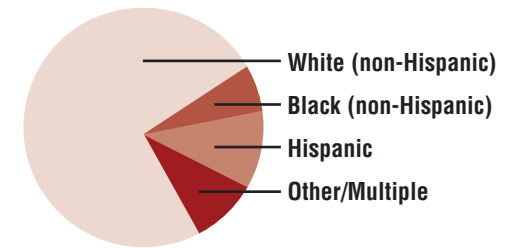


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MASSACHUSETTS	STATE	NATIONAL	STATE RANKING
Parental Reading			
% Children ages 0-5 read to daily ¹	57.8	47.8	5
<i>% Daily reading by poverty level ¹</i>			
Less than 200% FPL	43.7	40.3	24
200-399% FPL	55.5	50.1	12
400% FPL or greater	70.1	58.9	5
<i>% Daily reading by race/ethnicity ¹</i>			
White (non-Hispanic)	63.1	55.0	6
Non-White	45.3	37.8	11
Black (non-Hispanic)	/	38.1	
Hispanic	35.8	33.4	
Other/Multiple Race	/	46.4	
<i>% Daily reading by age ¹</i>			
Children age 0-3 years read to daily	60.4	48.3	4
Children age 4-5 years	52.3	47.0	14
Early Childhood Literacy Resources			
% Children served by ROR ²	29.3	12.8	5
% Children in/near poverty served by ROR ²	91.9	26.0	3
Number of children age 0-5 per public library ³	972	1,368	15*
School Performance			
% Students at or above Proficient in reading, Grade 4 ⁴	44	30	1
% Children age 6-17 who have repeated at least one grade ¹	11.5	11.3	34*

Racial/Ethnic Distribution among Children Age 0-5 in Massachusetts (N~470,000)



Income Distribution among Children Age 0-5 in Massachusetts N~470,000)

