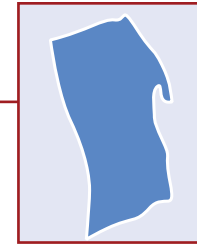
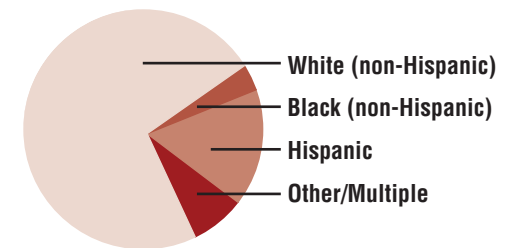


# RHODE ISLAND



RHODE ISLAND	STATE	NATIONAL	STATE RANKING
<b>Parental Reading</b>			
% Children ages 0-5 read to daily <sup>1</sup>	53.5	47.8	13
<i>% Daily reading by poverty level <sup>1</sup></i>			
Less than 200% FPL	38.6	40.3	40
200-399% FPL	52.3	50.1	22
400% FPL or greater	71.9	58.9	1
<i>% Daily reading by race/ethnicity <sup>1</sup></i>			
White (non-Hispanic)	60.5	55.0	11
Non-White	34.9	37.8	41
Black (non-Hispanic)	/	38.1	
Hispanic	26.4	33.4	
Other/Multiple Race	/	46.4	
<i>% Daily reading by age <sup>1</sup></i>			
Children age 0-3 years read to daily	53.4	48.3	19
Children age 4-5 years	53.7	47.0	10
<b>Early Childhood Literacy Resources</b>			
% Children served by ROR <sup>2</sup>	37.6	12.8	4
% Children in/near poverty served by ROR <sup>2</sup>	88.2	26.0	4
Number of children age 0-5 per public library <sup>3</sup>	1,053	1,368	18*
<b>School Performance</b>			
% Students at or above Proficient in reading, Grade 4 <sup>4</sup>	30	30	28
% Children age 6-17 who have repeated at least one grade <sup>1</sup>	11.4	11.3	32*

**Racial/Ethnic Distribution among Children Age 0-5 in Rhode Island (N~76,000)**



**Income Distribution among Children Age 0-5 in Rhode Island (N~76,000)**

