

NEWARK CITY PROFILE

CITY POPULATION AND INCOME CHARACTERISTICS

Population

Total Population	42,471
Number of Children	
Infant/Toddler (0 to 24 months)	1,166
Preschool (2 to 5 years)	2,525
School-aged (6 to 13 years)	5,327

Source: 2000 Census.

Working Families with Children*

Working families with children under 6 years (as a percentage of ALL families).....	58%
Working families with children 6 to 17 years (as a percentage of ALL families).....	71%

Source: 1990 Census.

Income Levels

Median Family Income**	\$51,896
Percent of Children in Families earning less than \$30,000 each year	18%
Percent of Children in Families earning more than \$30,000 each year	82%

Source: 1990 Census.

Children Receiving Public Assistance

CalWORKS	346
Food Stamps	23
MediCal	682

Cost of Care

Average annual cost of full-time care for one infant and one preschooler***	\$15,684
Percent of Median Family Income	30%

Source: 1990 Census, Median Market Rates for Child Care in Alameda County.

*Working families are considered to be those in which both parents or the single-parent head-of-household are in the workforce.

**1989 median family income is the most recent data currently available.

***This cost assumes an infant is in care with a family child care home and preschooler is in a preschool program.

CHILD CARE DEMAND, SUPPLY AND GAPS

Age Category	Demand		Supply			Gap in Supply (Excess Supply)	
	Conservative Estimate	Broad Estimate	FCCH	Center	Total	Best Case	Worst Case
Infant	354	678	188	28	216	138	462
Preschool	768	1,468	337	811	1,148	(380)	320
School-Aged	1,210	3,775	169	479	648	562	3,127

Source: 1990 and 2000 US Census, 4Cs of Alameda County.

Child Care Supply

Number of Child Care Centers	23
Number of Family Child Care Homes	84

Supply of Full-Time and Part-Time Care

Providers Offering Full-time Care	78
Providers Offering Part-time Care	91

Note: Many providers offer full-time as well as part-time care.

Supply of Care During Nontraditional Hours

Providers Offering Evening Care	14
Providers Offering Overnight Care	4
Providers Offering Weekend Care	3

Number of Providers Speaking Languages Other Than English

Spanish	24	Tagalog.....	3
Chinese	2	Other Languages	5