of children (ages 0-3) receive early intervention or special education services.

5.3% of 1st graders were proficient in reading by NC EOG* reading standards.

53% of 4th graders were proficient by NC EOG* reading standards.

46% of 8th graders were proficient by NC EOG* reading standards.

42% of 11th graders met all ACT college & career readiness benchmarks.

13% of people (ages 25+) held a 2-year degree or higher in 2015.

28% of people (ages 25+) held a 2-year degree or higher in 2015.

LOW WAGE JOBS

Data was derived from the following sources: NC Department of Public Instruction, NC Department of Health and Human Services, United States Census Bureau, United States Department of Education.