

Table 4. Number and Percentage of Children with Religious Exemptions in Non-Public Schools by Grade Type and County, New Jersey, 2023-2024

County	Pre-Kindergarten			Kindergarten			First Grade			Sixth Grade			Transfers			Total		
	Enrollment	Number	Percent	Enrollment	Number	Percent	Enrollment	Number	Percent	Enrollment	Number	Percent	Enrollment	Number	Percent	Enrollment	Number	Percent
Atlantic	1,742	142	8.2%	194	21	10.8%	12	2	16.7%	239	31	13.0%	11	2	18.2%	2,198	198	9.0%
Bergen	19,058	904	4.7%	1,465	27	1.8%	100	6	6.0%	1,367	53	3.9%	704	19	2.7%	22,694	1,009	4.4%
Burlington	5,554	284	5.1%	409	36	8.8%	29	4	13.8%	306	19	6.2%	135	4	3.0%	6,433	347	5.4%
Camden	5,986	179	3.0%	694	35	5.0%	33	1	3.0%	451	18	4.0%	80	1	1.3%	7,244	234	3.2%
Cape May	695	116	16.7%	28	3	10.7%	5	0	0.0%	40	4	10.0%	17	0	0.0%	785	123	15.7%
Cumberland	1,312	83	6.3%	63	6	9.5%	7	0	0.0%	72	4	5.6%	6	0	0.0%	1,460	93	6.4%
Essex	12,903	417	3.2%	1,010	20	2.0%	93	5	5.4%	836	24	2.9%	191	6	3.1%	15,033	472	3.1%
Gloucester	3,859	225	5.8%	246	25	10.2%	5	0	0.0%	260	28	10.8%	38	5	13.2%	4,408	283	6.4%
Hudson	8,831	327	3.7%	833	46	5.5%	51	6	11.8%	511	23	4.5%	69	2	2.9%	10,295	404	3.9%
Hunterdon	2,086	126	6.0%	80	12	15.0%	0	0		94	10	10.6%	3	0	0.0%	2,263	148	6.5%
Mercer	6,321	219	3.5%	433	13	3.0%	49	2	4.1%	460	11	2.4%	236	7	3.0%	7,499	252	3.4%
Middlesex	9,872	449	4.5%	1,097	64	5.8%	45	8	17.8%	646	39	6.0%	150	10	6.7%	11,810	570	4.8%
Monmouth	11,004	1,085	9.9%	842	128	15.2%	57	4	7.0%	667	72	10.8%	142	8	5.6%	12,712	1,297	10.2%
Morris	11,515	611	5.3%	672	66	9.8%	45	10	22.2%	549	59	10.7%	153	14	9.2%	12,934	760	5.9%
Ocean	9,015	780	8.7%	5,011	301	6.0%	132	9	6.8%	3,913	227	5.8%	294	26	8.8%	18,365	1,343	7.3%
Passaic	7,060	506	7.2%	781	35	4.5%	50	4	8.0%	722	40	5.5%	114	2	1.8%	8,727	587	6.7%
Salem	401	37	9.2%	5	0	0.0%	0	0		0	0		0	0		406	37	9.1%
Somerset	6,236	213	3.4%	696	34	4.9%	37	0	0.0%	360	10	2.8%	138	6	4.3%	7,467	263	3.5%
Sussex	1,602	130	8.1%	118	32	27.1%	15	6	40.0%	111	10	9.0%	23	4	17.4%	1,869	182	9.7%
Union	8,448	274	3.2%	816	14	1.7%	46	1	2.2%	386	5	1.3%	58	0	0.0%	9,754	294	3.0%
Warren	844	48	5.7%	25	1	4.0%	0	0		13	0	0.0%	3	0	0.0%	885	49	5.5%
Total	134,344	7,155	5.3%	15,518	919	5.9%	811	68	8.4%	12,003	687	5.7%	2,565	116	4.5%	165,241	8,945	5.4%

Note: Percentages of children meeting all immunization requirements, with provisional admittance, with medical exemptions, with religious exemptions, and out of compliance in the reports may not sum to 100% due to rounding. See Methodology section for more information.

Source: New Jersey Annual Immunization Status Reports, 2023-2024