

**CHESTER COUNTY  
DEMOGRAPHICS**

**POPULATION:**

TOTAL: 15,540  
WHITE NON-HISPANIC: 87.6%  
BLACK: 10%  
HISPANIC: 1.0%  
ASIAN: 0.2%  
OTHER: 0.5%

MALE: 48.6%  
FEMALE: 51.4%

CHILDREN UNDER AGE 5: 6.7%

TOTAL # OF HOUSEHOLDS 5,660

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME \$34,349  
1999

TOTAL # EMPLOYED IN AGRICULTURE: 195

TOTAL # EMPLOYED BY FACTORIES: 1,557

FOOD STAMP CASELOAD: 1,557  
(As of Jan. 2010)

FAMILIES FIRST PARTICIPANTS: 194  
(As of Jan. 2010)

POP. PERCENTAGE BELOW POVERTY: 14.4%

FAMILIES RECEIVING TENNCARE 1,977  
(As of Jan. 2010)

**\*ALL FIGURES BASED ON 2000 CENSUS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.**

**HEAD START CENTERS:**

CHESTER CO. HEAD START – HENDERSON, TN  
4 CLASSROOMS

**KINDERGARTENS/CHILD CARE PROVIDERS**

PUBLIC KINDERGARTENS - 12  
PRE-K CLASSROOMS - 2  
SPECIAL NEEDS PRE-K CLASSROOMS – 1  
DISABLED KINDERGARTEN/PRE-K CHILDREN - 35  
FAMILY DAY CARE - 0  
GROUP HOMES - 2  
DAY CARE CENTERS – 2

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**CACFP ELIGIBILITY (grades Pre-K-12)**

**FREE 1201**

**REDUCED 231**

**INELIGIBLE 1362**