

Table 4. Number and Percentage of Children with Religious Exemptions in Non-Public Schools by Grade Type and County, New Jersey, 2022-2023

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	1,806	140	7.8%	262	31	11.8%	4	0	0.0%	198	21	10.6%	7	0	0.0%	2,277	192	8.4%
Bergen	18,086	738	4.1%	1,375	39	2.8%	237	13	5.5%	1,261	18	1.4%	766	9	1.2%	21,725	817	3.8%
Burlington	5,360	209	3.9%	390	25	6.4%	54	7	13.0%	371	22	5.9%	156	12	7.7%	6,331	275	4.3%
Camden	5,572	114	2.0%	580	10	1.7%	66	6	9.1%	448	19	4.2%	188	4	2.1%	6,854	153	2.2%
Cape May	534	41	7.7%	17	1	5.9%	2	1	50.0%	31	2	6.5%	3	1	33.3%	587	46	7.8%
Cumberland	1,040	38	3.7%	69	8	11.6%	16	1	6.3%	76	5	6.6%	36	1	2.8%	1,237	53	4.3%
Essex	11,708	337	2.9%	769	10	1.3%	125	5	4.0%	758	19	2.5%	153	5	3.3%	13,513	376	2.8%
Gloucester	4,003	200	5.0%	250	31	12.4%	40	5	12.5%	250	12	4.8%	49	1	2.0%	4,592	249	5.4%
Hudson	7,183	215	3.0%	718	33	4.6%	148	7	4.7%	560	18	3.2%	116	0	0.0%	8,725	273	3.1%
Hunterdon	1,875	87	4.6%	67	3	4.5%	0	0		25	4	16.0%	0	0		1,967	94	4.8%
Mercer	5,600	165	2.9%	559	20	3.6%	60	3	5.0%	440	5	1.1%	480	6	1.3%	7,139	199	2.8%
Middlesex	8,030	274	3.4%	986	43	4.4%	178	5	2.8%	728	42	5.8%	103	5	4.9%	10,025	369	3.7%
Monmouth	9,674	680	7.0%	846	91	10.8%	86	8	9.3%	756	64	8.5%	173	13	7.5%	11,535	856	7.4%
Morris	11,403	491	4.3%	668	63	9.4%	133	13	9.8%	544	46	8.5%	158	8	5.1%	12,906	621	4.8%
Ocean	6,931	434	6.3%	4,771	183	3.8%	160	8	5.0%	3,876	165	4.3%	256	15	5.9%	15,994	805	5.0%
Passaic	6,895	328	4.8%	658	37	5.6%	94	5	5.3%	697	16	2.3%	257	11	4.3%	8,601	397	4.6%
Salem	329	12	3.6%	20	3	15.0%	0	0		1	0	0.0%	0	0		350	15	4.3%
Somerset	6,165	191	3.1%	805	18	2.2%	92	11	12.0%	422	13	3.1%	65	1	1.5%	7,549	234	3.1%
Sussex	1,634	128	7.8%	111	17	15.3%	26	6	23.1%	120	19	15.8%	21	2	9.5%	1,912	172	9.0%
Union	7,897	212	2.7%	908	18	2.0%	82	4	4.9%	506	11	2.2%	75	2	2.7%	9,468	247	2.6%
Warren	834	47	5.6%	14	4	28.6%	0	0		21	0	0.0%	1	0	0.0%	870	51	5.9%
Total	122,559	5,081	4.1%	14,843	688	4.6%	1,603	108	6.7%	12,089	521	4.3%	3,063	96	3.1%	154,157	6,494	4.2%

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, 2022-2023