

Table 4. Number and Percentage of Children with Religious Exemptions in Non-Public Schools by Grade Type and County, New Jersey, 2024-2025

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	1,859	261	14.0%	241	63	26.1%	5	0	0.0%	205	43	21.0%	24	3	12.5%	2,334	370	15.9%
Bergen	17,881	1,024	5.7%	1,587	51	3.2%	102	4	3.9%	1,368	63	4.6%	671	4	0.6%	21,609	1,146	5.3%
Burlington	6,260	435	6.9%	368	44	12.0%	16	2	12.5%	365	35	9.6%	197	14	7.1%	7,206	530	7.4%
Camden	6,288	306	4.9%	620	20	3.2%	47	3	6.4%	502	24	4.8%	159	14	8.8%	7,616	367	4.8%
Cape May	607	101	16.6%	62	9	14.5%	5	0	0.0%	47	5	10.6%	4	0	0.0%	725	115	15.9%
Cumberland	1,178	83	7.0%	67	9	13.4%	4	1	25.0%	103	16	15.5%	1	0	0.0%	1,353	109	8.1%
Essex	12,529	548	4.4%	1,023	35	3.4%	93	4	4.3%	811	24	3.0%	183	1	0.5%	14,639	612	4.2%
Gloucester	3,706	322	8.7%	243	35	14.4%	11	2	18.2%	232	27	11.6%	17	0	0.0%	4,209	386	9.2%
Hudson	9,600	419	4.4%	744	39	5.2%	51	7	13.7%	397	15	3.8%	131	2	1.5%	10,923	482	4.4%
Hunterdon	1,843	154	8.4%	78	11	14.1%	7	0	0.0%	34	10	29.4%	0	0		1,962	175	8.9%
Mercer	6,256	261	4.2%	405	12	3.0%	30	3	10.0%	428	10	2.3%	423	8	1.9%	7,542	294	3.9%
Middlesex	9,548	583	6.1%	919	66	7.2%	71	10	14.1%	699	54	7.7%	276	11	4.0%	11,513	724	6.3%
Monmouth	11,191	1,223	10.9%	884	171	19.3%	54	8	14.8%	710	93	13.1%	102	5	4.9%	12,941	1,500	11.6%
Morris	10,899	664	6.1%	622	70	11.3%	38	5	13.2%	536	64	11.9%	111	1	0.9%	12,206	804	6.6%
Ocean	9,930	1,370	13.8%	5,289	392	7.4%	179	9	5.0%	4,105	255	6.2%	273	24	8.8%	19,776	2,050	10.4%
Passaic	6,731	598	8.9%	804	72	9.0%	45	2	4.4%	603	33	5.5%	254	14	5.5%	8,437	719	8.5%
Salem	358	28	7.8%	10	3	30.0%	0	0		1	0	0.0%	0	0		369	31	8.4%
Somerset	6,530	304	4.7%	632	42	6.6%	44	6	13.6%	419	26	6.2%	90	2	2.2%	7,715	380	4.9%
Sussex	1,455	132	9.1%	122	34	27.9%	14	3	21.4%	99	21	21.2%	26	4	15.4%	1,716	194	11.3%
Union	7,779	285	3.7%	878	23	2.6%	25	1	4.0%	344	5	1.5%	61	2	3.3%	9,087	316	3.5%
Warren	1,057	100	9.5%	17	2	11.8%	2	0	0.0%	10	0	0.0%	1	0	0.0%	1,087	102	9.4%
Total	133,485	9,201	6.9%	15,615	1,203	7.7%	843	70	8.3%	12,018	823	6.8%	3,004	109	3.6%	164,965	11,406	6.9%

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, 2024-2025