Are our Middle TN Children Learning to Read?
3rd Grade Reading proficiency, TN Department of Education, 2012

Numbers in Parentheses = School Free/Reduced Lunch Rate

Caution: Numbers higher than those reported by the Nation's Report Card:
www.education-consumers.org/NAEP.

Achievable Goal: 90%+ Proficient in Reading

Williamson County (12.4%)
Perry County (73.2%)
Franklin (41.5%)
Lincoln County (55.2%)
Rutherford County (43.5%)
Lawrence County (60.7%)
Wilson County (28.8%)
Murfreesboro (53.2%)
Sumner County (39.6%)
Montgomery County (46.9%)
Fayetteville (61.4%)
Cumberland County (66%)
Putnam County (55.5%)
Dickson County (53.5%)
Humphreys County (58.9%)
Lebanon (61.6%)
Franklin County (59.2%)
Trousdale County (58.6%)

State Average (58.6%)

Warren County (66.1%)
Robertson County (51.3%)
Coffee County (61.2%)
Bedford County (64.4%)
Giles County (61.4%)
Overton County (60.5%)
Hickman County (60.3%)
White County (63.9%)
Maury County (57.1%)
Marshall County (57.9%)
Lewis County (62.6%)
Van Buren County (63.1%)
Cheatham County (49.4%)
Manchester (64%)
Smith County (59.2%)
Macon County (61.6%)
Davidson County (72.4%)
DeKalb County (64.2%)
Moore County (53.8%)
Houston County (58%)
Stewart County (55.3%)
Wayne County (68.5%)
Sequatchie County (68%)
Tullahoma (51.1%)
Cannon County (65.6%)
Grundy County (81.5%)
Fentress County (70.5%)
Bledsoe County (80%)
Jackson County (72.1%)
Clay County (69.8%)
Pickett County (59.9%)