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AGE	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	1	0.5	240	1.7	718	1.9
Total known information	206	100.0	14183	100.0	36634	100.0
Under 3 years	6	2.9	624	4.4	1330	3.6
From 3 to 5 years	17	8.3	1431	10.1	3448	9.4
From 6 to 9 years	38	18.4	2999	21.1	7825	21.4
From 10 to 13 years	45	21.8	3688	26.0	10198	27.8
From 14 to 17 years	64	31.1	3833	27.0	10121	27.6
18 years and older	36	17.5	1608	11.3	3712	10.1
SEX						
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	0	0.0	57	0.4	192	0.5
Total known information	207	100.0	14366	100.0	37160	100.0
Male	116	56.0	7705	53.6	20107	54.1
Female	91	44.0	6661	46.4	17053	45.9
RACE/ETHNIC BACKGROUND						
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	3	1.4	131	0.9	571	1.5
Total known information	204	100.0	14292	100.0	36781	100.0
White	126	61.8	5997	42.0	17430	47.4
Black/African-American	67	32.8	3023	21.2	5566	15.1
Hispanic/Latino	6	2.9	4481	31.4	10397	28.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0	29	0.2	272	0.7
Asian or Pacific Islander	4	2.0	328	2.3	1542	4.2
Other	0	0.0	195	1.4	695	1.9
Multi-ethnic background indicated	1	0.5	239	1.7	879	2.4

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NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER (ELL)?	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	107	51.7	3642	25.3	12710	34.0
Total known information	100	100.0	10781	100.0	24642	100.0
Yes	10	10.0	2582	23.9	5986	24.3
No	90	90.0	8199	76.1	18656	75.7
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NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED?	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	112	54.1	4186	29.0	14481	38.8
Total known information	95	100.0	10237	100.0	22871	100.0
Yes	31	32.6	4722	46.1	8516	37.2
No	64	67.4	5515	53.9	14355	62.8
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AGE AT ONSET OF HEARING LOSS	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	5	2.4	384	2.7	1264	3.4
Total known information	202	100.0	14039	100.0	36088	100.0
At birth	45	22.3	5942	42.3	14745	40.9
+Under two years of age	42	20.8	2113	15.1	5589	15.5
+Two years of age or over	42	20.8	953	6.8	2688	7.4
Unknown	73	36.1	5031	35.8	13066	36.2
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ETIOLOGY **	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	18	8.7	646	4.5	2028	5.4
Total Known Information	189	100.0	13777	100.0	35324	100.0
Genetic/Hereditary/Familial	24	12.7	3100	22.5	8233	23.3
+Pregnancy Related	17	9.0	1455	10.6	3424	9.7
+Post-Birth Disease or Injury	43	22.8	1478	10.7	4116	11.7
Cause cannot be determined/DNA***	107	56.6	7960	57.8	20147	57.0

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*** DNA - Data not available

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PARENT HEARING STATUS	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	11	5.3	1113	7.7	3201	8.6
Total known info., Either Parent	196	100.0	13310	100.0	34151	100.0
Mother's status: Hearing	182	92.9	12274	92.2	31574	92.5
Hard of hearing	7	3.6	340	2.6	960	2.8
Deaf	6	3.1	626	4.7	1463	4.3
Data Not Available	1	0.5	70	0.5	154	0.5
Father's status: Hearing	159	81.1	11396	85.6	29460	86.3
Hard of hearing	0	0.0	219	1.6	699	2.0
Deaf	3	1.5	507	3.8	1276	3.7
Data Not Available	34	17.3	1188	8.9	2716	8.0
Both parents hearing	154	78.6	11029	82.9	28498	83.4
Both parents deaf or hard of hearing	3	1.5	517	3.9	1284	3.8
One parent deaf/hh; other hearing	4	2.0	506	3.8	1499	4.4
One parent deaf/hh; other unknown	6	3.1	152	1.1	331	1.0
One parent hearing; other unknown	29	14.8	1106	8.3	2539	7.4
HAS DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING SIBLINGS						
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	18	8.7	394	2.7	1197	3.2
Total known information	189	100.0	14029	100.0	36155	100.0
Has deaf or hard of hearing siblings	15	7.9	1696	12.1	4819	13.3
Has no deaf or hard of hearing siblings	160	84.7	11004	78.4	27999	77.4
Data not available	14	7.4	1329	9.5	3337	9.2

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UNAIDED AUDIOMETRIC THRESHOLD	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	95	45.9	2950	20.5	8113	21.7
Total known information	112	100.0	11473	100.0	29239	100.0
Earphone (preferred measurement)	82	73.2	9229	80.4	24343	83.3
Sound field	23	20.5	1953	17.0	4272	14.6
DEGREE OF HEARING LOSS	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	80	38.6	2260	15.7	5753	15.4
Total known information	127	100.0	12163	100.0	31599	100.0
Normal (< 27 dB, ANSI)	21	16.5	1720	14.1	5972	18.9
Mild (27-40 dB, ANSI)	19	15.0	1440	11.8	4186	13.2
Moderate (41-55 dB, ANSI)	22	17.3	1723	14.2	4364	13.8
Mod-severe (56-70 dB, ANSI)	23	18.1	1658	13.6	3830	12.1
Severe (71-90 dB, ANSI)	17	13.4	1895	15.6	4411	14.0
Profound (91 dB and above, ANSI)	25	19.7	3727	30.6	8836	28.0

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COCHLEAR IMPLANT	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	10	4.8	235	1.6	730	2.0
Total known information	197	100.0	14188	100.0	36622	100.0
Have not had a cochlear implant	165	83.8	12212	86.1	31895	87.1
Have had a cochlear implant	31	15.7	1910	13.5	4609	12.6
Implant Use						
Total students	31	100.0	1910	100.0	4609	100.0
Information NOT reported	0	0.0	60	3.1	184	4.0
Total known information	31	100.0	1850	100.0	4425	100.0
Implant still used	31	100.0	1686	91.1	4092	92.5
Implant no longer used	0	0.0	164	8.9	333	7.5
COCHLEAR IMPLANT USE IN THE CLASSROOM						
Total students	31	100.0	1910	100.0	4609	100.0
Information NOT reported	2	6.5	153	8.0	304	6.6
Total known information	29	100.0	1757	100.0	4305	100.0
Implant used in the classroom	29	100.0	1575	89.6	3971	92.2
Implant not used in the classroom	0	0.0	182	10.4	334	7.8

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HEARING AID USED FOR INSTRUCTION?	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	9	4.3	659	4.6	1870	5.0
Total known information	198	100.0	13764	100.0	35482	100.0
Hearing aid used for instruction	105	53.0	8197	59.6	20824	58.7
Hearing aid not used for instruction	93	47.0	5567	40.4	14658	41.3
GROUP ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE (ALD) USED FOR INSTRUCTION?	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	27	13.0	771	5.3	2278	6.1
Total known information	180	100.0	13652	100.0	35074	100.0
Group ALD used for instruction	89	49.4	5656	41.4	15378	43.8
Group ALD not used for instruction	91	50.6	7996	58.6	19696	56.2

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INSTRUCTIONAL SETTINGS **	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	1	0.5	112	0.8	354	0.9
Total known information	206	100.0	14311	100.0	36998	100.0
Special or center school	0	0.0	3229	22.6	9632	26.0
Reg. school setting w/hearing students	141	68.4	4482	31.3	15692	42.4
Self-contained clrm in reg. ed. setting	22	10.7	1752	12.2	7537	20.4
Resource room	67	32.5	1475	10.3	4477	12.1
Home	4	1.9	187	1.3	895	2.4
Other	11	5.3	433	3.0	1100	3.0
SERVICES RECEIVED **						
IN SUPPORT OF INSTRUCTION						
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	1	0.5	281	1.9	625	1.7
Total known information	206	100.0	14142	100.0	36727	100.0
No support services	12	5.8	1248	8.8	2989	8.1
Sign interpreting	27	13.1	4020	28.4	8640	23.5
Oral interpreting	1	0.5	106	0.7	311	0.8
Cued speech transliteration	14	6.8	71	0.5	110	0.3
Itinerant teacher services	104	50.5	4736	33.5	14235	38.8
Tutoring	1	0.5	1699	12.0	3520	9.6
Classroom inst. ass't/aide services	43	20.9	2771	19.6	7436	20.2
Adaptive PE	12	5.8	551	3.9	1707	4.6
#Vision services/Orientation & Mobility	0	0.0	244	1.7	477	1.3
Speech training/therapy	147	71.4	8661	61.2	21102	57.5
Auditory training	32	15.5	3891	27.5	8484	23.1
Counseling	3	1.5	1095	7.7	3690	10.0
Occupational/Physical Therapy (OT/PT)	16	7.8	1284	9.1	3577	9.7
Notetaking	17	8.3	752	5.3	1644	4.5
Real-time captioning/C-Print	0	0.0	177	1.3	314	0.9
Other	20	9.7	2369	16.8	4690	12.8

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HRS/WK INTEGRATED WITH NON-DISABLED HEARING STUDENTS	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	7	3.4	377	2.6	952	2.5
Total known information	200	100.0	14046	100.0	36400	100.0
None	20	10.0	4682	33.3	12799	35.2
1 to 5 hours/week	18	9.0	1414	10.1	3573	9.8
6 to 15 hours/week	15	7.5	1668	11.9	4043	11.1
16 to 25 hours/week	35	17.5	1596	11.4	3849	10.6
26 or more hours/week	112	56.0	4686	33.4	12136	33.3
GRADE IN WHICH STUDENT IS ENROLLED	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	105	50.7	2790	19.3	9606	25.7
Total Known Information	102	100.0	11633	100.0	27746	100.0
Early Childhood Intervention	8	7.8	728	6.3	1709	6.2
Pre-kindergarten	8	7.8	832	7.2	1830	6.6
Kindergarten	5	4.9	629	5.4	1577	5.7
1st Grade	11	10.8	745	6.4	1691	6.1
2nd Grade	4	3.9	723	6.2	1658	6.0
3rd Grade	6	5.9	734	6.3	1748	6.3
4th Grade	5	4.9	698	6.0	1790	6.5
5th Grade	9	8.8	793	6.8	1963	7.1
6th Grade	5	4.9	841	7.2	2119	7.6
7th Grade	7	6.9	783	6.7	1970	7.1
8th Grade	9	8.8	789	6.8	1960	7.1
9th Grade	4	3.9	827	7.1	2008	7.2
10th Grade	7	6.9	811	7.0	1937	7.0
11th Grade	6	5.9	791	6.8	1827	6.6
12th Grade	8	7.8	797	6.9	1812	6.5

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COMMUNICATION MODE PRIMARILY USED TO TEACH	Louisiana		South		Nation	
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Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	7	3.4	90	0.6	411	1.1
Total known information	200	100.0	14333	100.0	36941	100.0
Speech only	141	70.5	6985	48.7	19061	51.6
Sign with speech	34	17.0	5631	39.3	13120	35.5
Sign only	9	4.5	1387	9.7	4136	11.2
Cued Speech	15	7.5	58	0.4	92	0.2
Other	1	0.5	272	1.9	532	1.4
SIGN USE IN THE HOME						
	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	14	6.8	448	3.1	1435	3.8
Total known information	193	100.0	13975	100.0	35917	100.0
Family members regularly sign	21	10.9	3451	24.7	8733	24.3
Family members do not regularly sign	166	86.0	9701	69.4	25494	71.0
Data not available	6	3.1	823	5.9	1690	4.7
LANGUAGE(S) USED IN THE HOME **						
	Louisiana		South		Nation	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	6	2.9	201	1.4	754	2.0
Total known information	201	100.0	14222	100.0	36598	100.0
English	197	98.0	12022	84.5	30453	83.2
Spanish	5	2.5	3123	22.0	7819	21.4
#Chinese	0	0.0	13	0.1	83	0.2
#Vietnamese	0	0.0	36	0.3	105	0.3
#Korean	0	0.0	16	0.1	53	0.1
#Filipino/Tagalog	0	0.0	14	0.1	120	0.3
#Arabic	0	0.0	30	0.2	151	0.4
#Russian	0	0.0	6	0.0	62	0.2
#Hmong/Miao	0	0.0	0	0.0	144	0.4
#ASL	0	0.0	306	2.2	658	1.8
Other	3	1.5	322	2.3	1182	3.2
Data not available	0	0.0	93	0.7	211	0.6

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ADDIT. EDUC. RELEVANT CONDITIONS **	Louisiana		South		Nation	
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Total students	207	100.0	14423	100.0	37352	100.0
Information NOT reported	13	6.3	439	3.0	1646	4.4
Total known information	194	100.0	13984	100.0	35706	100.0
No condition in addition to deafness	85	43.8	5531	39.6	17340	48.6
Visual impairment	9	4.6	478	3.4	1281	3.6
Deaf-blindness	2	1.0	260	1.9	513	1.4
Developmental delay	8	4.1	367	2.6	1368	3.8
Specific learning disability	5	2.6	751	5.4	2868	8.0
Orthopedic impairment (includes CP)	14	7.2	590	4.2	1439	4.0
Attention Deficit Disorder (ADD/ADHD)	23	11.9	675	4.8	1836	5.1
Speech or language impairment	55	28.4	5582	39.9	8893	24.9
Traumatic brain injury	2	1.0	45	0.3	107	0.3
Mental retardation	17	8.8	1121	8.0	2849	8.0
Emotional disturbance	0	0.0	212	1.5	638	1.8
Autism	2	1.0	159	1.1	469	1.3
Other health impairments	6	3.1	617	4.4	1277	3.6

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