

students living with poverty... have a 35% chance of dealing with 6 or more critical risk factors

have greater deficiencies in language and emotional responsiveness have more crowded homes

experience higher crime rates have higher tardiness and absentee rates inherit negative school views

give up for fear that no one cares are more impulsive die younger have less infant nurturing

have mentally adapted to suboptimal conditions inherit low self-esteem have more teen depression

experience more physical punishment suffer more acute and chronic stress have overstressed parents

have a 50% chance of dealing with evictions, utility disconnection, overcrowding or lack a fridge

interact with aggressive peers 40% more often in the community and 25% more often in child care

experience more authoritarian parenting styles move more often and experience transitional stressors

display more depressive symptoms have less access to parks and recreational facilities watch more TV

visit fewer museums and libraries go on fewer vacations and cultural outings have lower IQ scores

experience half the rate of language acquisition at age 3 receive less government educational funding

have below-average scores in reading, math, science and writing own fewer books sleep less

live in more sub-standard housing have higher rates of asthma, tuberculosis, hearing loss and obesity

have less access to health care live with parents who experience more health stresses at work

have less access to music lessons play on fewer community sports teams and join fewer clubs

benefit less from quality pre-school programs experience greater pedestrian risks