

REPORTS OF MISSING CHILDREN IN CALIFORNIA

REPORT TYPE	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
RUNAWAY Missing child who has left home without the knowledge or permission of parents or guardian.	90,076				
LOST Any child who has strayed away or whose whereabouts are unknown.	216				
CATASTROPHE Any child who is missing after a catastrophe (e.g., plane crash, boating accident, fire, flood, etc.).	12				
STRANGER ABDUCTION Any witnessed abduction of a child by a stranger / non-family member.	25				
PARENTAL / FAMILY ABDUCTION Any child taken by a parent / family member.	981				
SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES Any child missing under suspicious circumstances that may indicate a stranger abduction.	248				
UNKNOWN CIRCUMSTANCES Any child who disappears under circumstances unknown.	2,594				
TOTALS	94,152				

GENDER OF MISSING CHILDREN	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Male	44,047				
Female	50,105				