

Ashford, Connecticut

4,236

General

ACS, 2015–2019

	Ashford	State
Land Area <i>mi</i> ²	39	4,842
Population Density <i>people per mi</i> ²	109	738
Number of Households	1,774	1,370,746
Median Age	43.9	41.0
Median Household Income	\$70,952	\$78,444
Poverty Rate	10%	10%

Economy

Top Industries

CT Department of Labor, 2019

	Employment	Employers	Av. Wages
1 Local Government	156	11	\$47,611
2 Admin. & Support & Waste Mgmt	56	6	\$21,542
3 Retail Trade	45	8	\$22,061
4 Other Services (ex Public Admin.)	40	16	\$22,688
5 Construction	40	14	\$44,772
All Industries	586	100	\$41,447

SOTS Business Registrations

Secretary of the State, June 2021

Total Active Businesses 293

New Business Registrations by Year

2001	8	2006	21	2011	13	2016	24
2002	21	2007	16	2012	14	2017	17
2003	14	2008	11	2013	12	2018	26
2004	17	2009	19	2014	19	2019	12
2005	20	2010	20	2015	8	2020	28

Key Employers

Data from municipalities, 2021

- 1 Toolmax
- 2 Webster Boy Scouts Reservation
- 3 Hole In The Wall Camp
- 4 Pith Products
- 5 North Veterinary Clinic

Demographics

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Age Distribution

Age Group	Ashford	State
Under 10	504 (12%)	11%
10 to 19	431 (10%)	13%
20 to 29	490 (12%)	13%
30 to 39	512 (12%)	12%
40 to 49	617 (15%)	13%
50 to 59	737 (17%)	15%
60 to 69	580 (14%)	12%
70 to 79	303 (7%)	7%
80 and over	62 (1%)	5%

Race and Ethnicity

Race/Ethnicity	Ashford	State
Asian <i>Non-Hispanic (NH)</i>	1%	4%
Black <i>NH</i>	<1%	10%
Hispanic or Latino/a <i>Of any race</i>	5%	16%
White <i>NH</i>	92%	67%
Other <i>NH, incl. American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander</i>	2%	3%

Language Spoken at Home

Language	Ashford	State
English	78	94%
Spanish	3	12%

Educational Attainment

Attainment Level	Ashford	State
High School Diploma Only	26	27%
Associate Degree	8	10%
Bachelor's Degree	21	22%
Master's Degree or Higher	17	18%

Housing

ACS, 2015–2019

Metric	Ashford	State
Median Home Value	\$233,300	\$275,400
Median Rent	\$975	\$1,180
Housing Units	1,934	1,516,629

Category	Ashford	State
Owner-Occupied	66	74%
Detached or Semi-Detached	64	84%
Vacant	8	10%

Schools

CT Department of Education, 2020-21

School Districts

School District	Available Grades	Total Enrollment	Pre-K Enrollment	4-Year Grad Rate (2018-19)
Ashford School District	PK-8	370	30	
Regional School District 19	9-12	1,105	0	92%
Statewide	-	513,079	15,300	88%

Smarter Balanced Assessments

Met or exceeded expectations, 2018/19

District	Math	ELA
Ashford School District	43%	54%
Regional School District 19		
Statewide	48%	56%

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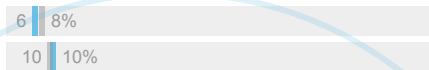
Labor Force

CT Department of Labor, 2020

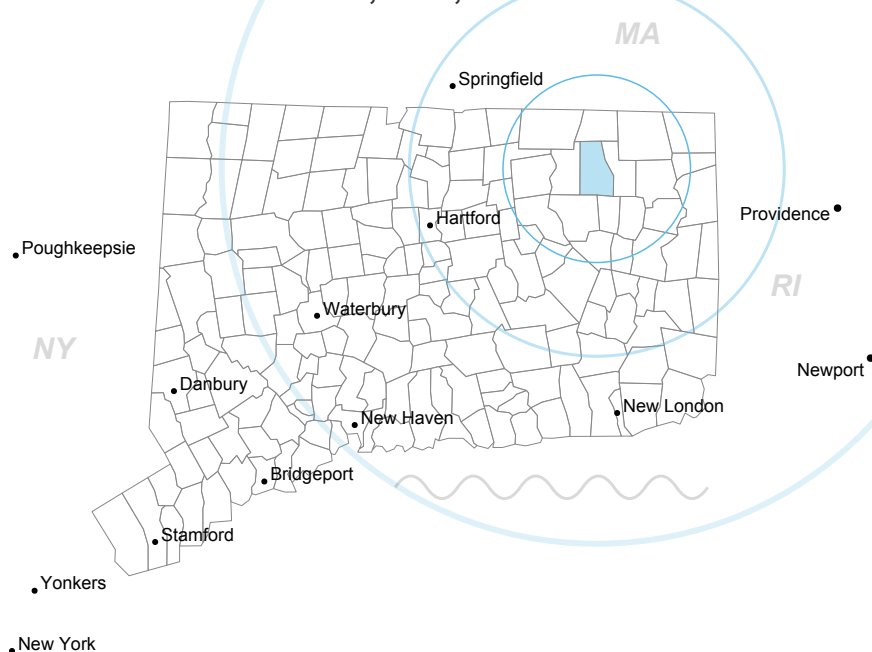
	Ashford	State
Employed	2,386	1,724,621
Unemployed	156	148,010

Unemployment Rate
Self-Employment Rate*

*ACS, 2015-2019



Catchment Areas of 15mi, 30mi, and 60mi



Fiscal Indicators

CT Office of Policy and Management, SFY 2017-18

Municipal Revenue

Total Revenue	\$14,993,722
Property Tax Revenue	\$10,213,454
per capita	\$2,395
per capita, as % of state av.	79%
Intergovernmental Revenue	\$4,352,678
Revenue to Expenditure Ratio	103%

Municipal Expenditure

Total Expenditure	\$14,580,855
Educational	\$11,628,583
Other	\$2,952,272

Grand List

Equalized Net Grand List	\$426,435,909
per capita	\$100,079
per capita, as % of state av.	65%
Comm./Indust. Share of Net Grand List	4%

Actual Mill Rate	34.37
Equalized Mill Rate	23.93

Municipal Debt

Moody's Rating	Aa3
Total Indebtness	\$1,840,473
per capita	\$432
per capita, as % of state av.	17%
as percent of expenditures	13%

Annual Debt Service	\$418,369
as % of expenditures	3%

Access

ACS, 2015-2019

	Ashford	State
Mean Commute Time <i>Pre-Covid</i>	31 min	26 min

No Access to a Car	9%
No Internet Access	12%

Commute Mode

Public Transport	5%
Walking or Cycling	3%
Driving	86%
Working From Home <i>Pre-Covid</i>	6%

Public Transit

CTtransit Service	-
Other Public Bus Operations	Dial-A-Ride & the Senior Center Bus
Train Service	-



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