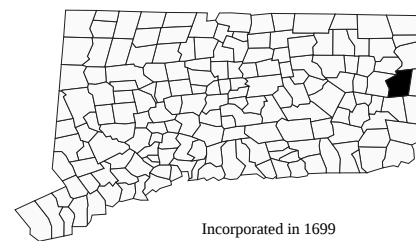


Plainfield, Connecticut

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Town Hall
8 Community Avenue
Plainfield, CT 06374
(860) 564-4071

Belongs To
Windham County
LMA Danielson - Northeast
Northeastern Planning Area



Incorporated in 1699

Demographics

Population

	Town	County	State
2000	14,619	109,091	3,405,565
2010	15,405	118,428	3,574,097
2011-2015	15,207	117,470	3,593,222
2020	15,439	126,432	3,604,591
'15 - '20 Growth / Yr	0.3%	1.4%	0.1%

	Town	County	State
Land Area (sq. miles)	42	513	4,842
Pop./Sq. Mile (2011-2015)	359	229	742
Median Age (2011-2015)	41	40	40
Households (2011-2015)	5,714	44,276	1,352,583
Med. HH Inc. (2011-2015)	\$60,673	\$59,392	\$70,331

Age Distribution (2011-2015)

	0-4	5-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+	Total
Town	785 5%	1,950 13%	1,688 11%	4,283 28%	4,188 28%	2,313 15%	15,207 100%
County	6,107 5%	14,002 12%	16,975 14%	29,167 25%	34,629 29%	16,590 14%	117,470 100%
State	191,445 5%	446,058 12%	492,864 14%	885,518 25%	1,035,059 29%	542,278 15%	3,593,222 100%

Race/Ethnicity (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
White Alone, Non-Hispanic	13,534	98,828	2,487,119
Black Alone, Non-Hispanic	451	2,620	370,501
Asian	194	1,445	150,670
Native American	28	450	8,908
Other/Multi-Race	503	6,849	283,800
Hispanic (Any Race)	683	12,376	526,508

	Town	County	State
Poverty Rate (2011-2015)	7.6%	10.7%	10.5%

Educational Attainment (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
High School Graduate	4,451 41%	673,973 27%	
Associates Degree	804 7%	183,289 7%	
Bachelors or Higher	1,683 16%	925,607 38%	

Economics

Business Profile (2015)

Sector	Units	Employment
Total - All Industries	334	4,354
23 - Construction	31	162
31-33 - Manufacturing	29	649
44-45 - Retail Trade	46	514
62 - Health Care and Social Assistance	28	792
72 - Accommodation and Food Services	35	437
Total Government	25	661

Top Five Grand List (2016)

	Amount
Greenleaf Power	\$52,535,160
Lowes Home Centers	\$48,664,800
Plainfield Renewable Energy LLC	\$14,024,630
CT Light & Power	\$13,529,310
NIP Owner II LLC	\$11,446,900
Net Grand List (SFY 2014-2015)	\$906,915,290

Major Employers (2016)

Town of Plainfield	Staples
Lowe's Distribution	Griswold Rubber
Big Y	

Education

2016-2017 School Year

	Grades	Enrollment
Plainfield School District	PK-12	2,292

Smarter Balanced Test Percent Above Goal (2015-2016)

	Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 8	
	Town	State	Town	State	Town	State
Math	57.3%	52.8%	47.0%	47.9%	40.7%	40.3%
ELA	62.0%	53.9%	57.8%	55.5%	58.2%	55.5%

Pre-K Enrollment (PSIS)

	2016-2017
Plainfield School District	137

Rate of Chronic Absenteeism (2015-2016)

Connecticut	All 9.6%
Plainfield School District	12.0%

4-Year Cohort Graduation Rate (2014-2015)

	All	Female	Male
Connecticut	87.2%	90.1%	84.4%
Plainfield School District	81.5%	84.8%	78.7%

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Government

Government Form: Selectman - Town Meeting

Total Revenue (2015)	\$51,239,143	Total Expenditures (2015)	\$50,158,986	Annual Debt Service (2015)	\$1,553,515
Tax Revenue	\$26,169,980	Education	\$39,308,971	As % of Expenditures	3.1%
Non-tax Revenue	\$25,069,163	Other	\$10,850,015	Eq. Net Grand List (2015)	\$1,327,203,231
Intergovernmental	\$22,338,181	Total Indebtedness (2015)	\$10,713,090	Per Capita	\$88,028
Per Capita Tax (2015)	\$1,712	As % of Expenditures	21.4%	As % of State Average	59.4%
As % of State Average	61.3%	Per Capita	\$711	Moody's Bond Rating (2015)	Aa3
		As % of State Average	29.3%	Actual Mill Rate (2015)	28.36
				Equalized Mill Rate (2015)	19.45
				% of Net Grand List Com/Ind (2015)	19.4%

Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
Total Units	6,468	49,176	1,491,786
% Single Unit (2011-2015)	66.5%	67.2%	59.2%
New Permits Auth (2015)	15	93	6,077
As % Existing Units	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%
Demolitions (2015)	5	34	1,230
Home Sales (2013)	143	774	26,310
Median Price	\$171,600	\$197,500	\$270,500
Built Pre-1950 share	36.4%	31.6%	29.3%
Owner Occupied Dwellings	4,137	31,184	906,227
As % Total Dwellings	72.4%	70.4%	67.0%
Subsidized Housing (2015)	939	6,761	172,556

Distribution of House Sales (2013)

	Town	County	State
Less than \$100,000	31	153	3,417
\$100,000-\$199,999	79	352	7,522
\$200,000-\$299,999	31	200	6,031
\$300,000-\$399,999	1	49	3,380
\$400,000 or More	1	20	5,960

Labor Force

Place of Residence (2015)

	Town	County	State
Labor Force	8,609	62,814	1,890,506
Employed	7,993	58,845	1,782,269
Unemployed	616	3,969	108,237
Unemployment Rate	7.2%	6.3%	5.7%

Connecticut Commuters (2014)

Commuters Into Town From:	Town Residents Commuting To:
Plainfield, CT	1,185
Killingly, CT	485
Brooklyn, CT	233
Griswold, CT	221
Norwich, CT	188
Canterbury, CT	165
Sterling, CT	153
Plainfield, CT	1,185
Killingly, CT	739
Norwich, CT	516
Montville, CT	343
Putnam, CT	323
Ledyard, CT	306
Windham, CT	195

Place of Work (2015)

	Town	County	State
Units	334	2,740	116,246
Total Employment	4,354	39,379	1,662,822
2012-'15 AAGR	79.2%	90.2%	100.0%
Mfg Employment	649	6,149	79,612

Other Information

Crime Rate (2014)

	Town	State
Per 100,000 residents	921	2,167

Distance to Major Cities

	Miles
Providence	26
Hartford	40
Boston	63
New York City	128
Montreal	279

Residential Utilities

Electric Provider

Eversource Energy
(800) 286-2000

Gas Provider

Eversource Energy
(800) 989-0900

Water Provider

Connecticut Water Company
(800) 286-5700

Cable Provider

Metrocast Communication of CT, LLC
(860) 442-8525

Library (2016)

Town

Circulation per Capita	1.54
Internet Use per Visit	0.19

Families Receiving (2014)

Temporary Family Assistance (TFA)

Town
77

Population Receiving (2014)

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

Town
1,096