

Bristol, Connecticut

General

	Bristol	State
ACS, 2018–2022		
Current Population	61,052	3,611,317
Land Area <i>mi</i> ²	26	4,842
Population Density <i>people per mi</i> ²	2,312	746
Number of Households	24,076	1,409,807
Median Age	38	41
Median Household Income	\$82,094	\$90,213
Poverty Rate	9%	10%

Economy

Top Industries

Lightcast, 2022 (2 and 3 digit NAICS)	Jobs	Share of Industry
1 Information <i>Broadcasting & Content Providers</i>	4,600	58%
2 Health Care and Social Assistance <i>Ambulatory Health Care Services</i>	4,572	49%
3 Manufacturing <i>Transportation Equipment Mfg</i>	3,154	28%
4 Retail Trade <i>Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers</i>	2,827	28%
5 Government <i>Local Government</i>	1,898	55%
Total Jobs, All Industries	25,361	

SOTS Business Registrations

Secretary of the State, March 2024

New Business Registrations by Year

Year	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	337	344	515	561	595

Total Active Businesses 3,824

Key Employers

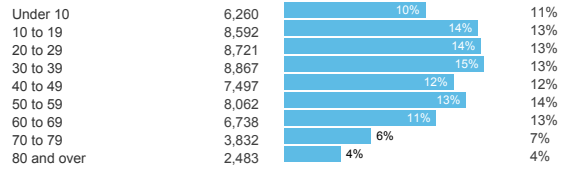
Data from Municipalities, 2024

- 1 ESPN Inc
- 2 Bristol Health
- 3 Amazon
- 4 Arthur G. Russell Co.
- 5 Bauer Aerospace

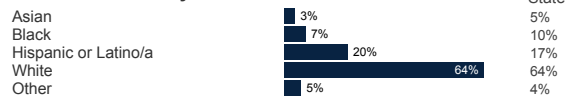
Demographics

ACS, 2018–2022

Age Distribution



Race and Ethnicity

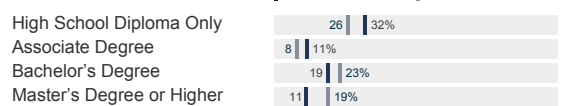


Hispanic includes those of any race. Remaining racial groups include only non-hispanic. 'Other' includes American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander, two or more races.

Language Spoken at Home



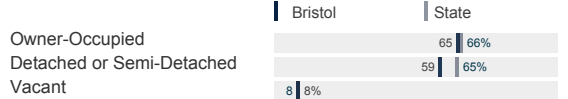
Educational Attainment



Housing

ACS, 2018–2022

	Bristol	State
Median Home Value	\$235,700	\$323,700
Median Rent	\$1,228	\$1,374
Housing Units	26,157	1,531,332



Schools

CT Department of Education, 2023-24

School Districts

	Available Grades	Total Enrollment	Pre-K Enrollment	4-Year Grad Rate (2021-22)
Bristol School District	PK-12	7,774	270	84%
Statewide	-	512,652	19,530	89%

Smarter Balanced Assessments

Met or Exceeded Expectations, 2022-23

	Math	ELA
Bristol School District	41%	49%
Statewide	42%	48%

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Labor Force

CT Department of Labor, 2023

	Bristol	State
Employed	31,362	1,822,090
Unemployed	1,374	71,113

Unemployment Rate

Self-Employment Rate*

*ACS, 2018–2022



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



Fiscal Indicators

CT Office of Policy and Management, State FY 2020-21

Municipal Revenue

Total Revenue	\$232,806,799
Property Tax Revenue	\$155,477,178
per capita	\$2,535
per capita, as % of state avg.	79%
Intergovernmental Revenue	\$68,763,004
Revenue to Expenditure Ratio	110%

Municipal Expenditure

Total Expenditure	\$211,632,724
Educational	\$142,044,697
Other	\$69,588,027

Grand List

Equalized Net Grand List	\$6,247,923,284
per capita	\$102,997
per capita, as % of state avg.	63%
Commercial/Industrial Share of Net Grand List	19%
Actual Mill Rate	38.35
Equalized Mill Rate	24.61

Municipal Debt

Moody's Rating (2023)	Aa2
S&P Rating (2023)	AA+
Total Indebtedness	\$104,509,797
per capita	\$1,723
per capita, as % of state avg.	63%
as percent of expenditures	49%
Annual Debt Service	\$11,956,213
as % of expenditures	6%

Access

ACS, 2018–2022

	Bristol	State
Mean Commute Time *	25 min	26 min
No Access to a Car	8 9%	
No Internet Access	7 8%	

Commute Mode

Public Transport	1 4%
Walking or Cycling	2 3%
Driving	80 87%
Working From Home *	10 13%

Public Transit

CT transit Service	Local, Express, CTfastrak
Other Public Bus Operations	-
Train Service	-

* 5 year estimates include pre-pandemic data



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