

Stratford, Connecticut

General

ACS, 2018–2022	Stratford	State
Current Population	52,436	3,611,317
Land Area mi^2	17	4,842
Population Density <i>people per mi²</i>	3,000	746
Number of Households	20,821	1,409,807
Median Age	47	41
Median Household Income	\$91,025	\$90,213
Poverty Rate	6%	10%

Economy

Top Industries

Lightcast, 2022 (2 and 3 digit NAICS)	Jobs	Share of Industry
① Manufacturing Transportation Equipment Mfg	8,914	74%
② Health Care and Social Assistance Ambulatory Health Care Services	3,923	40%
③ Transportation and Warehousing Truck Transportation	3,214	26%
④ Government Local Government	3,064	77%
⑤ Retail Trade General Merchandise Retailers	2,101	26%
Total Jobs, All Industries	29,695	

SOTS Business Registrations

Secretary of the State, March 2024

New Business Registrations by Year

Year	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	389	547	674	699	723
Total Active Businesses					4,751

Key Employers

Data from Municipalities, 2024

- 1 Sikorsky, A Lockheed Martin Company
- 2 Two Roads Brewing Company
- 3 Ashcroft Industries
- 4 Nuovo Pasta
- 5 Kubtec

Schools

CT Department of Education, 2023-24

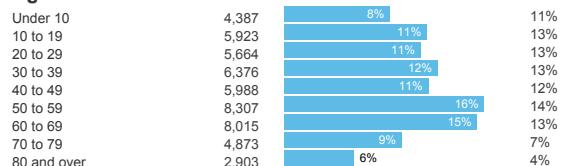
School Districts

Stratford School District	Available Grades	Total Enrollment	Pre-K Enrollment	4-Year Grad Rate (2021-22)
Stratford School District	PK-12	6,743	193	93%
Statewide	-	512,652	19,530	89%

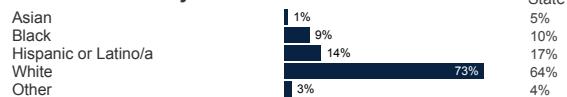
Demographics

ACS, 2018–2022

Age Distribution



Race and Ethnicity

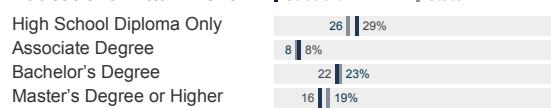


Hispanic includes those of any race. Remaining racial groups include only non-hispanic. 'Other' includes American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander, two or more races.

Language Spoken at Home



Educational Attainment



Housing

ACS, 2018–2022

Stratford	State
Median Home Value	\$323,800
Median Rent	\$1,554
Housing Units	22,083

Owner-Occupied



Smarter Balanced Assessments

Met or Exceeded Expectations, 2022-23

Stratford School District	Math	ELA
Statewide	42%	48%

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Labor Force

CT Department of Labor, 2023

	Stratford	State
Employed	25,867	1,822,090
Unemployed	1,205	71,113

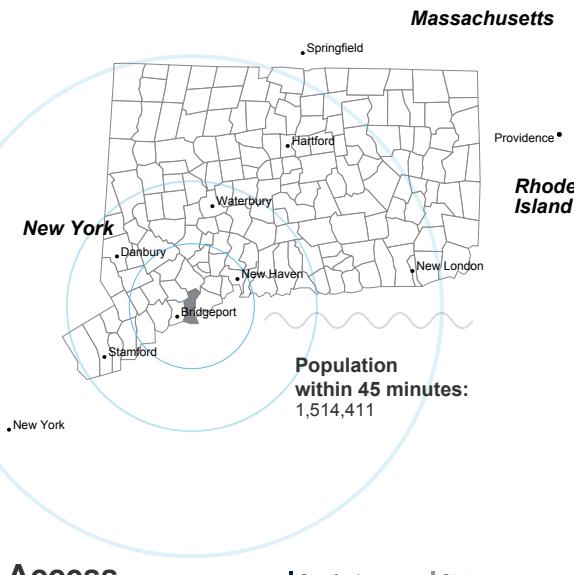
Unemployment Rate

4 || 4%

Self-Employment Rate*
*ACS, 2018–2022

10 || 10%

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



Access

ACS, 2018–2022

Mean Commute Time *

29 min 26 min

No Access to a Car

5 || 9%

No Internet Access

8 || 6%

Commute Mode

Public Transport	4 4%
Walking or Cycling	1 3%
Driving	
Working From Home *	80 82%

Public Transit

CT transit Service	-
Other Public Bus Operations	Greater Bridgeport Transit Authority
Train Service	Metro-North

* 5 year estimates include pre-pandemic data

Fiscal Indicators

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

Municipal Revenue

Total Revenue	\$245,146,997
Property Tax Revenue	\$190,726,606
per capita	\$3,616
per capita, as % of state avg.	113%
Intergovernmental Revenue	\$49,714,746
Revenue to Expenditure Ratio	100%

Municipal Expenditure

Total Expenditure	\$245,028,124
Educational	\$132,123,348
Other	\$112,904,776

Grand List

Equalized Net Grand List	\$6,820,084,632
per capita	\$130,483
per capita, as % of state avg.	80%
Commercial/Industrial	18%
Share of Net Grand List	
Actual Mill Rate	39.64
Equalized Mill Rate	27.71

Municipal Debt

Moody's Rating (2023)	A2
S&P Rating (2023)	AA-
Total Indebtedness	\$293,162,209
per capita	\$5,609
per capita, as % of state avg.	206%
as percent of expenditures	120%
Annual Debt Service	\$32,953,327
as % of expenditures	13%



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