Wethersfield, Connecticut

General

ACS, 2020–2024

	Wethersfield	State
Current Population	27,250	3,624,508
Land Area *mi²*	12	4,842
Population Density *people per mi²*	2,215	748
Number of Households	11,212	1,434,007
Median Age	43	41
Median Household Income	$126,806	$95,781
Poverty Rate	7%	10%

Economy

Top Industries

Lightcast, 2024 (2 and 3 digit NAICS)

	Jobs	Share of Industry
1 Health Care and Social Assistance	2,391	
Ambulatory Health Care Services		*53%*
2 Government	1,241	
Local Government		*54%*
3 Retail Trade	1,220	
Food and Beverage Stores		*22%*
4 Accommodation and Food Services	1,063	
Food Services and Drinking Places		*95%*
5 Professional, Scientific, and Tech Svc	614	
Professional, Scientific, and Tech Svc		*100%*
Total Jobs, All Industries	9,806	

SOTS Business Registrations

Secretary of the State, March 2026

New Business Registrations by Year

Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	267	255	288	265	316

Total Active Businesses 2,174

Key Employers

Data from Municipalities, 2026

1. State of Connecticut
2. Town of Wethersfield
3. Hartford Healthcare
4. HomeGoods
5. Preferred Therapy Solutions

Demographics

ACS, 2020–2024

Age Distribution

			State
Under 10	2,953	11%	10%
10 to 19	3,232	12%	13%
20 to 29	3,009	11%	13%
30 to 39	3,245	12%	13%
40 to 49	3,754	14%	12%
50 to 59	3,525	13%	14%
60 to 69	3,549	13%	13%
70 to 79	2,458	9%	8%
80 and over	1,525	6%	5%

Race and Ethnicity

		State
Asian	7%	5%
Black	3%	10%
Hispanic or Latino/a	12%	18%
White	75%	62%
Other	2%	5%

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

	Wethersfield	State
English	74	77%
Spanish	8	13%

Educational Attainment

	Wethersfield	State
High School Diploma Only	17	25%
Associate Degree	7	8%
Bachelor's Degree	23	29%
Master's Degree or Higher	19	26%

Housing

ACS, 2020–2024

	Wethersfield	State
Median Home Value	$324,600	$366,900
Median Rent	$1,370	$1,488
Housing Units	11,747	1,541,822

	Wethersfield	State
Owner-Occupied	66	81%
Detached or Semi-Detached	65	79%
Vacant	5	7%

Schools

CT Department of Education, 2025-26

School Districts

	Available Grades	Total Enrollment	Pre-K Enrollment	4-Year Grad Rate (2023-24)
Unified School District #1	7-12	143	0	*
Wethersfield School District	PK-12	3,412	79	95%
Statewide	-	497,764	20,604	89%

Smarter Balanced Assessments

Met or Exceeded Expectations, 2024-25

	Math	ELA
Unified School District #1		
Wethersfield School District	50%	59%
Statewide	46%	50%

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Labor Force

CT Department of Labor, 2025

	Wethersfield	State
Employed	14,311	1,869,450
Unemployed	496	76,777
Unemployment Rate	3 4%	
Self-Employment Rate*	6 10%	

*ACS, 2020–2024

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



Population within 45 minutes: 2,123,020

Access

ACS, 2020–2024

	Wethersfield	State
Mean Commute Time *	21 min	26 min
No Access to a Car	6 9%	
No Internet Access	6 7%	

Commute Mode

Public Transport	1 3%
Walking or Cycling	2 3%
Driving	77 78%
Working From Home *	16 18%

Public Transit

CT*transit* Service	Hartford metro, Express
Other Public Bus Operations	-
Train Service	-

** 5 year estimates include Covid-19 pandemic data*

Fiscal Indicators

CT Office of Policy and Management, State FY 2022-23

Municipal Revenue

Total Revenue	$127,343,372
Property Tax Revenue	$95,683,937
per capita	$3,529
per capita, as % of state avg.	105%
Intergovernmental Revenue	$27,788,916
Revenue to Expenditure Ratio	103%

Municipal Expenditure

Total Expenditure	$123,953,128
Educational	$72,707,117
Other	$51,246,011

Grand List

Equalized Net Grand List	$4,380,281,987
per capita	$161,551
per capita, as % of state avg.	81%
Commercial/Industrial Share of Net Grand List	12%
Actual Mill Rate	32.46
Equalized Mill Rate	22.12

Municipal Debt

Moody's Rating (2025)	-
S&P Rating (2025)	-
Total Indebtedness	$33,974,572
per capita	$1,253
per capita, as % of state avg.	43%
as percent of expenditures	27%
Annual Debt Service	$6,014,608
as % of expenditures	5%

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