Winchester, Connecticut

General
ACS, 2017–2021
Current Population 10,335
Land Area mi² 33
Population Density people per mi² 318
Number of Households 4,714
Median Age 51
Median Household Income $65,537
Poverty Rate 11%

Math ELA
Explorations District
The Gilbert School District
Winchester School District
Statewide
25%
49%
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Schools
CT Department of Education, 2022-23
School Districts
Available Grades Total Enrollment Pre-K Enrollment 4-Year Grad Rate (2021-22)
Explorations District 12-Sep 93 0 82%
The Gilbert School District 12-Jul 410 0 85%
Winchester School District PK-6 606 48
Statewide - 513,513 19,014 89%

Demographics
ACS, 2017–2021
Age Distribution
Under 10 889 9%
10 to 19 724 7%
20 to 29 982 10%
30 to 39 1,623 16%
40 to 49 887 9%
50 to 59 1,383 13%
60 to 69 1,978 13%
70 to 79 1,039 10%
80 and over 830 8%

Race and Ethnicity
Asian <1%
Black 1%
Hispanic or Latino/a 9%
White 91%
Other 2%

Language Spoken at Home
English 78%
Spanish 12%

Educational Attainment
High School Diploma Only 26%
Associate Degree 12%
Bachelor’s Degree 12%
Master’s Degree or Higher 11%

Housing
ACS, 2017–2021
Median Home Value $197,700
Median Rent $1,031
Housing Units 5,513

Owner-Occupied
Detached or Semi-Detached 66%
Vacant 6%

SOTS Business Registrations
Secretary of the State, August 2023
New Business Registrations by Year
Year 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022
Total 39 56 52 82 93
Total Active Businesses 645

Top Industries
Lightcast, 2021 (2 and 3 digit NAICS)
1 Health Care and Social Assistance 814 72%
  Ambulatory Health Care Services
2 Retail Trade 744 39%
  General Merchandise Stores
3 Government 367 57%
  State Government
4 Accommodation and Food Services 285 45%
  Food Services and Drinking Places
5 Admin and Support and Waste Mgt 253 44%
  Administrative and Support Services
Total Jobs, All Industries 3,599

Economy

Key Employers
Data from Municipalities, 2023
1 Arconic Power & Propulsion
2 Howmet Corporation
3 Electric Motion
4 Northwestern CT Community College
5 DRT Power Systems

Smarter Balanced Assessments
Met or Exceeded Expectations, 2021-22
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**Labor Force**
CT Department of Labor, 2022
- Employed: 5,927 (Winchester), 1,851,993 (State)
- Unemployed: 266 (Winchester), 80,470 (State)

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*ACS, 2017–2021

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

**Municipal Revenue**
- Total Revenue: $35,978,519
- Property Tax Revenue: $24,690,409
  - per capita: $2,399
  - per capita, as % of state avg.: 75%
- Intergovernmental Revenue: $10,230,062
- Revenue to Expenditure Ratio: 108%

**Municipal Expenditure**
- Total Expenditure: $33,358,654
- Educational: $21,112,915
- Other: $12,245,739

**Grand List**
- Equalized Net Grand List: $1,094,339,930
  - per capita: $107,110
  - per capita, as % of state avg.: 66%
- Commercial/Industrial: 10%
- Share of Net Grand List: 33.54%
- Actual Mill Rate: 33.54
- Equalized Mill Rate: 22.40

**Municipal Debt**
- Moody’s Rating (2023): -
- S&P Rating (2023): -
- Total Indebtedness: $6,256,000
  - per capita: $612
  - per capita, as % of state avg.: 22%
  - as percent of expenditures: 19%
- Annual Debt Service: $611,686
  - as % of expenditures: 2%

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

**Access**
ACS, 2017–2021
- Mean Commute Time *
  - 29 min (Winchester), 26 min (State)
- No Access to a Car: 8% (Winchester), 11% (State)
- No Internet Access: 9% (Winchester), 12% (State)

**Commute Mode**
- Public Transport: 4% (Winchester), 0% (State)
- Walking or Cycling: 3% (Winchester), 0% (State)
- Driving: 82% (Winchester), 92% (State)
- Working From Home *: 4% (Winchester), 10% (State)

**Public Transit**
- CT Transit Service: - (Winchester), - (State)
- Other Public Bus Operations: Northwestern Connecticut Transit District

* 5 year estimates include pre-pandemic data