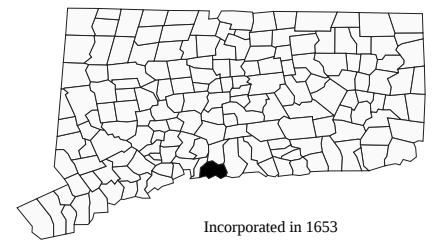


Branford, Connecticut

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1019 Main Street
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Branford, CT 06405
(203) 488-8394

Belongs To
New Haven County
LMA New Haven
South Central Planning Area



Incorporated in 1653

Demographics

Population (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
2000	28,683	824,008	3,405,565
2010	28,026	862,477	3,574,097
2011-2015	28,074	862,224	3,593,222
2020	27,346	898,514	3,702,469
'15 - '20 Growth / Yr	-0.5%	0.8%	0.6%

	Town	County	State
Land Area (sq. miles)	22	605	4,842
Pop./Sq. Mile (2011-2015)	1,286	1,426	742
Median Age (2011-2015)	48	40	40
Households (2011-2015)	12,395	326,028	1,352,583
Med. HH Inc. (2011-2015)	\$71,938	\$61,640	\$70,331

Race/Ethnicity (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
White Alone, Non-Hispanic	25,170	563,977	2,487,119
Black Alone, Non-Hispanic	349	110,719	370,501
Asian	1,091	33,587	150,670
Native American	25	1,785	8,908
Other/Multi-Race	665	69,215	283,800
Hispanic (Any Race)	1,085	141,282	526,508

	Town	County	State
Poverty Rate (2011-2015)	6.5%	13.0%	10.5%

Educational Attainment (2011-2015)

	Town	State
High School Graduate	5,449 25%	673,973 27%
Associates Degree	1,551 7%	183,289 7%
Bachelors or Higher	9,093 42%	925,607 38%

Age Distribution (2011-2015)

	0-4	5-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+	Total
Town	942 3%	2,832 10%	2,815 10%	6,102 22%	9,406 34%	5,977 21%	28,074 100%
County	46,057 5%	103,421 12%	121,658 14%	218,390 25%	241,236 28%	131,462 15%	862,224 100%
State	191,445 5%	446,058 12%	492,864 14%	885,518 25%	1,035,059 29%	542,278 15%	3,593,222 100%

Economics

Business Profile (2015)

Sector	Units	Employment
Total - All Industries	1,162	12,831
23 - Construction	103	1,024
31-33 - Manufacturing	59	1,305
44-45 - Retail Trade	156	1,962
62 - Health Care and Social Assistance	124	1,894
72 - Accommodation and Food Services	94	1,483
Total Government	20	1,007

Top Five Grand List (2014)

	Amount
Vigliotti Alex ET Als	\$41,699,352
Connecticut Light & Power	\$31,025,630
Rogers Island LLC	\$20,903,600
KIOP Branford	\$15,656,536
Business Park Realty & Charles Weber Jr. ET ALS	\$13,238,597
Net Grand List (SFY 2014-2015)	\$3,511,071,799

Major Employers (2014)

Champion America Inc	Blakeslee Prestress Inc
John D Thompson Hospice Inst	Branford Gun Club
Hospice Home Care/Conn Hospice	

Education

2016-2017 School Year

	Grades	Enrollment
Branford School District	PK-12	2,983

Smarter Balanced Test Percent Above Goal (2015-2016)

	Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 8	
	Town	State	Town	State	Town	State
Math	63.6%	52.8%	66.7%	47.9%	40.1%	40.3%
ELA	64.3%	53.9%	68.1%	55.5%	58.2%	55.5%

Pre-K Enrollment (PSIS)

	2016-2017
Branford School District	127

Rate of Chronic Absenteeism (2015-2016)

	All
Connecticut	9.6%
Branford School District	9.4%

4-Year Cohort Graduation Rate (2014-2015)

	All	Female	Male
Connecticut	87.2%	90.1%	84.4%
Branford School District	90.1%	94.6%	85.4%

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Government

Government Form: Selectman - Representative Town Meeting

Total Revenue (2015)	\$106,885,659	Total Expenditures (2015)	\$100,724,891	Annual Debt Service (2015)	\$6,592,379
Tax Revenue	\$93,137,810	Education	\$57,416,360	As % of Expenditures	6.5%
Non-tax Revenue	\$13,747,849	Other	\$43,308,531	Eq. Net Grand List (2015)	\$4,973,991,562
Intergovernmental	\$8,421,875	Total Indebtedness (2015)	\$44,229,877	Per Capita	\$176,727
Per Capita Tax (2015)	\$3,287	As % of Expenditures	43.9%	As % of State Average	119.2%
As % of State Average	117.8%	Per Capita	\$1,572	Moody's Bond Rating (2015)	-
		As % of State Average	64.7%	Actual Mill Rate (2015)	26.24
				Equalized Mill Rate (2015)	18.60
				% of Net Grand List Com/Ind (2015)	13.1%

Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
Total Units	13,967	362,351	1,491,786
% Single Unit (2011-2015)	51.2%	53.5%	59.2%
New Permits Auth (2015)	25	1,161	6,077
As % Existing Units	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%
Demolitions (2015)	11	184	1,230
Home Sales (2013)	230	5,858	26,310
Median Price	\$296,400	\$245,200	\$270,500
Built Pre-1950 share	26.6%	33.2%	29.3%
Owner Occupied Dwellings	8,459	204,886	906,227
As % Total Dwellings	68.3%	62.8%	67.0%
Subsidized Housing (2015)	484	46,311	172,556

Distribution of House Sales (2013)

	Town	County	State
Less than \$100,000	16	1,128	3,417
\$100,000-\$199,999	30	2,047	7,522
\$200,000-\$299,999	72	1,418	6,031
\$300,000-\$399,999	56	730	3,380
\$400,000 or More	56	535	5,960

Labor Force

Place of Residence (2015)

	Town	County	State
Labor Force	15,940	455,240	1,890,506
Employed	15,129	426,888	1,782,269
Unemployed	811	28,352	108,237
Unemployment Rate	5.1%	6.2%	5.7%

Place of Work (2015)

	Town	County	State
Units	1,162	23,433	116,246
Total Employment	12,831	359,962	1,662,822
2012-'15 AAGR	129.3%	93.6%	100.0%
Mfg Employment	1,305	30,410	79,612

Connecticut Commuters (2014)

Commuters Into Town From:	Town Residents Commuting To:	
Branford, CT	New Haven, CT	3,450
New Haven, CT	Branford, CT	2,424
East Haven, CT	Guilford, CT	572
Guilford, CT	Hamden, CT	557
West Haven, CT	North Haven, CT	448
North Branford, CT	East Haven, CT	432
Hamden, CT	Milford, CT	397

Other Information

Crime Rate (2014)

	Town	State
Per 100,000 residents	2,274	2,167

Distance to Major Cities

Miles

Library (2016)

	Town
Circulation per Capita	9.17
Internet Use per Visit	0.15

Hartford

34

New York City

73

Providence

80

Boston

117

Montreal

297

Residential Utilities

Electric Provider

Eversource Energy
(800) 286-2000

Gas Provider

Southern Connecticut Gas Company
(203) 382-8111

Water Provider

South Central CT Regional Water Auth.
(203) 562-4020

Cable Provider

Comcast Branford
(800) 266-2278

Families Receiving (2014)

	Town
Temporary Family Assistance (TFA)	42

Population Receiving (2014)

	Town
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	1,067