

# Danville, NH



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## Municipal Office Hours

**Town Administrator: Monday to Thursday, 8-4, closed Friday;**  
**Town Clerk: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8-4, Thursday, 11-**  
**6, specific Saturdays (see website); Tax Collector: Monday and**  
**Tuesday, 8:30-1, Wednesday, 8:30-2, Thursday, 2-6**

County  
Labor Market Area  
  
Tourism Region  
Planning Commission  
Regional Development

**Rockingham**  
**Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town, MA-NH NECTA**  
**Division**  
**Seacoast**  
**Rockingham**  
**Regional Economic Development Corp.**

Election Districts  
US Congress  
Executive Council  
State Senate  
State Representative

**District 1**  
**District 3**  
**District 23**  
**Rockingham County Districts 8, 32**

**Incorporated:** 1760

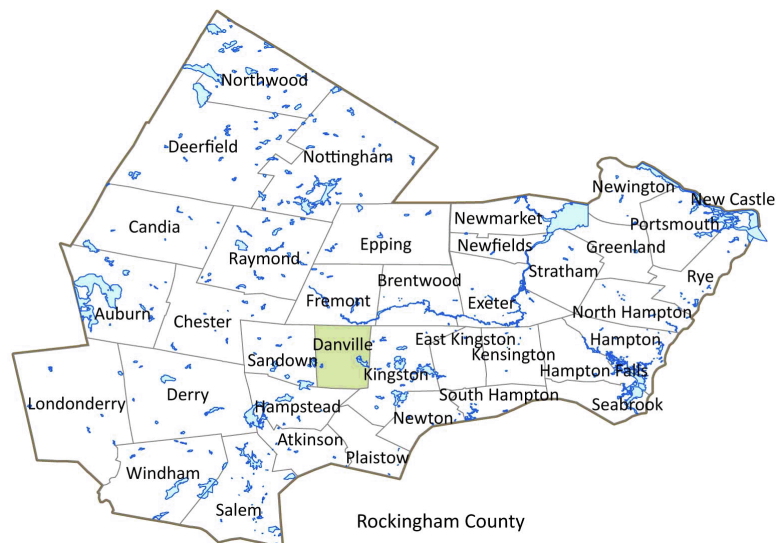
**Origin:** Danville was one of several parishes of Kingston, which was first settled in 1694. The parish was chartered in 1760 as Hawke, in honor of Admiral Sir Edward Hawke. Never a popular name, the town was renamed and incorporated as Danville in 1836. According to the Danville Heritage Commission, the Hawke Meeting House is the oldest original construction meeting house still standing in New Hampshire. Construction of the meeting house began in 1754, and it was used for religious services until 1832 and for town meetings through 1887. It was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1982.

**Villages and Place Names:** North Danville, South Danville

**Population, Year of the First Census Taken:** 420 residents in 1790

**Population Trends:** Population change for Danville totaled 3,479 over 50 years, from 924 in 1970 to 4,430 in 2020. The largest decennial percent change was a 88 percent increase from 1980 to 1990, followed by a 64 percent increase from 1990 to 2000. The town's population increased by less than half of one percent from 2010 to 2020. The 2022 Census estimate for Danville was 4,525 residents, which ranked 89th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

**Population Density and Land Area, 2022 (US Census Bureau):** 388.4 persons per square mile of land area. Danville contains 11.7 square miles of land area and 0.2 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES			
Type of Government		Town Meeting	
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2023		\$5,483,351	
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Zoning Ordinance		1963/17	
Master Plan		2017	
Capital Improvement Plan		Yes	
Industrial Plans Reviewed By		Selectmen	
Boards and Commissions			
Elected:	Selectmen; Planning; Budget; Cemetery; Library Trustees; Firewards; Checklist; Tax Collector; Town Clerk; Treasurer; Police Chief; Trustees of Trust Fund		
Appointed:	Zoning; Conservation; Forestry; Website; Community Center; Recreation; Heritage		
Public Library	Colby Memorial		
EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police Department		Full-time	
Fire Department		Part-time	
Emergency Medical Service		Part-time & private	
Nearest Hospital(s)		Distance	Staffed Beds
Parkland Medical Center, Derry		12 miles	50
Exeter Hospital, Exeter		13 miles	99
UTILITIES			
Electric Supplier		Eversource Energy; Unitil; NH Electric Coop	
Natural Gas Supplier		None	
Water Supplier		HAWC/Private wells	
Sanitation		Private septic	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant		No	
Solid Waste Disposal			
Curbside Trash Pickup		Private	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program		No	
Recycling Program		Voluntary	
Telephone Company		FirstLight	
Cellular Telephone Access		Yes	
Cable Television Access		Yes	
Public Access Television Station		Yes	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Limited	
	Residential	Limited	
PROPERTY TAXES		(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2022 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$19.61	
2022 Equalization Ratio		79.5	
2022 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$15.47	
2022 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type			
Residential Land and Buildings		93.3%	
Commercial Land and Buildings		3.2%	
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other		3.6%	
HOUSING		(ACS 2017-2021)	
Total Housing Units		1,745	
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached		1,515	
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:			
Two to Four Units in Structure		36	
Five or More Units in Structure		0	
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units		194	

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)		(US Census Bureau)
Total Population	Community	County
2022	4,525	319,424
2020	4,408	314,176
2010	4,387	295,223
2000	4,046	278,748
1990	2,474	246,744
1980	1,318	190,345

DEMOGRAPHICS	AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY (ACS) 2017-2021	
Population by Gender		
Male	2,124	Female 2,311
Population by Age Group		
Under age 5		180
Age 5 to 19		917
Age 20 to 34		721
Age 35 to 54		1,156
Age 55 to 64		954
Age 65 and over		507
Median Age		44.2 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over:	3,138
High school graduate or higher	94.8%
Bachelor's degree or higher	29.6%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		(ACS 2017-2021)
Per capita income		\$43,758
Median family income		\$116,806
Median household income		\$96,165
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers		
Male		\$69,875
Female		\$51,250
Individuals below the poverty level		11.4%

LABOR FORCE (NHES – ELMI)		
Annual Average	2012	2022
Civilian labor force	2,632	2,779
Employed	2,444	2,700
Unemployed	188	79
Unemployment rate	7.1%	2.8%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES (NHES – ELMI)		
Annual Average Covered Employment	2012	2022
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	44	110
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 884	\$1,186
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	75	77
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 740	\$ 945
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	119	187
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 793	\$1,087
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	47	55
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 389	\$ 555
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	166	242
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 679	\$ 965

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**EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE**

Schools students attend: **Grades K-12 are part of Timberlane Regional (Atkinson, Danville, Plaistow, Sandown)** District: **SAU 55**  
 Career Technology Center(s): **Pinkerton Academy Center for CTE**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	<b>1</b>			
Grade Levels	<b>P K 1-5</b>			
Total Enrollment	<b>285</b>			

Nearest Community College: **Great Bay; Manchester; Nashua**

Nearest Colleges or Universities: **University of NH; UMass Lowell - Haverhill Campus**

2022 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing)

Total Facilities: **2** Total Capacity: **62**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Danville Chenille Co., Inc.	Chenille thread, floss, tinsel	5	1959
Post Wood Working	Utility buildings	30	1974
CZ Machine	Job machine	2	1986
Flying Wheels	Auto Sales	3	2010
Charters Brothers Construction, LLC	Construction services	15	2012
LA Dance Studio	Dance studio	3	2012
Danville Market	Convenience store		2014
Adventurelore	Adventure-based counseling	28	2017
Life Storage	Self storage facility	2	2017
Istari Property Management	Management services	3	2018

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

**TRANSPORTATION (distances estimated from city/town hall)**

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	<b>111, 111A, 121A</b>
Nearest Interstate, Exit		<b>I-93, Exit 3</b>
	Distance	<b>12 miles</b>
Railroad		<b>No</b>
Public Transportation		<b>CART</b>
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
<b>Lawrence (MA) Municipal</b>	Runway	<b>5,000 ft. asphalt</b>
Lighted? <b>Yes</b>	Navigation Aids?	<b>Yes</b>
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
<b>Manchester-Boston Regional</b>	Distance	<b>20 miles</b>
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		<b>4</b>
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		<b>27 miles</b>
Portland, Maine		<b>84 miles</b>
Boston, Mass.		<b>44 miles</b>
New York City, NY		<b>243 miles</b>
Montreal, Quebec		<b>282 miles</b>

**COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2017-2021)**

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	<b>89.6%</b>
Carpooled, car/truck/van	<b>3.7%</b>
Public transportation	<b>0.0%</b>
Walked	<b>1.3%</b>
Other means	<b>0.0%</b>
Worked at home	<b>5.4%</b>
Mean Travel Time to Work	<b>38.1 minutes</b>
Percent of Working Residents	
Working in community of residence	<b>15.1%</b>
Commuting to another NH community	<b>39.2%</b>
Commuting out-of-state	<b>45.7%</b>

**RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS**

<b>X</b>	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
<b>X</b>	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
<b>X</b>	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
<b>X</b>	Youth Sports: Baseball
<b>X</b>	Youth Sports: Soccer
<b>X</b>	Youth Sports: Football
<b>X</b>	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
<b>X</b>	Fishing/Hunting
<b>X</b>	Boating/Marinas
	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): <b>Gunstock</b>
	Other: <b>Olde Home Day; Craft Fair (2); Annual Flea Market, Movie Night</b>