

Marlborough, NH



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County	Cheshire
Labor Market Area	Keene, NH Micropolitan NECTA
Tourism Region	Monadnock
Planning Commission	Southwest Region
Regional Development	Monadnock Economic Development Corp.
Election Districts	
US Congress	District 2
Executive Council	District 2
State Senate	District 10
State Representative	Cheshire County Districts 10, 15

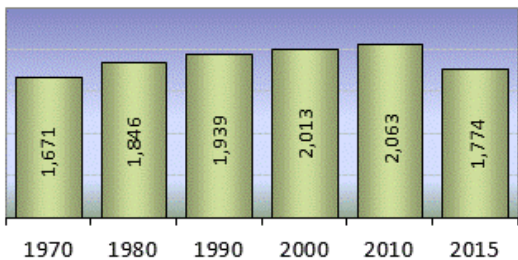
Incorporated: 1776

Origin: This territory was first granted in 1752 by the Masonian Proprietors as Monadnock Number 5. On some early maps, the town was called Oxford, and was referenced as New Marlborough in early state documents. Many of the settlers were from Marlborough, Massachusetts, which had been named for John Churchill, Duke of Marlborough, in the late 1600s. The town was incorporated as Marlborough in 1776. At one time there was a thriving granite quarrying industry in Marlborough.

Villages and Place Names: Webb

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 786 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Marlborough totaled 162 over 55 years, from 1,612 in 1960 to 1,774 in 2015. The largest decennial percent change was a 10 percent increase between 1970 and 1980; the four other decades had increases of five percent or less. The 2015 Census estimate for Marlborough was 1,774 residents, which ranked 147th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Cheshire County

Population Density and Land Area, 2015 (US Census Bureau): 86.9 persons per square mile of land area. Marlborough contains 20.4 square miles of land area and 0.2 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2015	\$2,043,071
Budget: School Appropriations, 2015-2016	\$5,596,623
Zoning Ordinance	1958/10
Master Plan	2001
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions

Elected:	Selectmen; Library; Cemetery
Appointed:	Conservation; Open Space; Planning; Zoning; Recreation

Public Library **Frost Free**

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Police Department	Full-time	
Fire Department	On-Call	
Emergency Medical Service	Volunteer	
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Cheshire Medical Center, Keene	6 miles	116

UTILITIES

Electric Supplier	Eversource Energy	
Natural Gas Supplier	None	
Water Supplier	Marlborough Water Works	
Sanitation	Municipal	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	No	
Solid Waste Disposal		
Curbside Trash Pickup	None	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No	
Recycling Program	Mandatory	
Telephone Company	Fairpoint	
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes	
Cable Television Access	Limited	
Public Access Television Station	No	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Limited
	Residential	Limited

PROPERTY TAXES *(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)*

2015 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$28.31
2015 Equalization Ratio	114.6
2015 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$32.09
2015 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	84.8%
Commercial Land and Buildings	13.2%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	1.9%

HOUSING *(ACS 2011-2015)*

Total Housing Units	914
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	522
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	137
Five or More Units in Structure	149
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	96

DEMOGRAPHICS *(US Census Bureau)*

Total Population	Community	County
2015	1,774	76,430
2010	2,063	77,117
2000	2,013	73,993
1990	1,939	70,223
1980	1,846	62,116
1970	1,671	52,364

Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2011-2015

Population by Gender			
Male	858	Female	916

Population by Age Group

Under age 5	96
Age 5 to 19	255
Age 20 to 34	320
Age 35 to 54	487
Age 55 to 64	324
Age 65 and over	292
Median Age	44.2 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher	91.1%
Bachelor's degree or higher	32.7%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$ *(ACS 2011-2015)*

Per capita income	\$30,219
Median family income	\$64,844
Median household income	\$54,491

Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers, 16 years and over

Male	\$50,069
Female	\$37,667

Individuals below the poverty level **8.5%**

LABOR FORCE *(NHES – ELMII)*

Annual Average	2005	2015
Civilian labor force	1,209	1,204
Employed	1,176	1,169
Unemployed	33	35
Unemployment rate	2.7%	2.9%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES *(NHES – ELMII)*

Annual Average Covered Employment	2005	2015
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	166	170
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 619	\$ 695
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	235	172
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 579	\$ 704
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	402	342
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 595	\$ 699
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	114	80
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 761	\$ 688
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	516	422
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 566	\$ 697

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend:	Marlborough operates grades K-8; grades 9-12 are tuitioned to Keene			District: SAU 29
Career Technology Center(s):	Cheshire Career Center (Keene); Fall Mountain RHS - CTE; Windham RCC (VT)			Region: 13
Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1			
Grade Levels	K 1-8			
Total Enrollment	185			

Nearest Community College: **Nashua**
 Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Keene State; Franklin Pierce University; New England; Antioch New England**

2016 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **1** Total Capacity: **6**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Mountain Industries	Silk screen products	100	1993
Marlborough Country Convenience	Convenience store	10	1975
Classic Car Parts	Vintage car parts	10	1970
Supreme Audio, Inc.	Specialized audio equipment	9	1995
Marlborough Construction	Construction, excavation	5	1973
Safety Environmental Controls	Sales of environmental equipment		1997

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

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

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	12, 101, 124
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-91 (VT), Exit 3
	Distance	20 miles
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Dillant-Hopkins, Swanzey	Runway	6,201 ft. asphalt
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	48 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		4
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		52 miles
Portland, Maine		146 miles
Boston, Mass.		87 miles
New York City, NY		226 miles
Montreal, Quebec		248 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (*ACS 2011-2015*)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	85.3%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	3.3%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	2.7%
Other means	0.4%
Worked at home	8.3%
Mean Travel Time to Work	19.3 minutes
Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2011-2015	
Working in community of residence	16.9
Commuting to another NH community	76.1
Commuting out-of-state	7.0

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
X	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Mount Sunapee, Granite Gorge, Pat's Peak
	Other: Meetinghouse Pond Wildlife Sanctuary; Meetinghouse; Town pond