

Mont Vernon, NH



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Municipal Office Hours

Selectmen: Monday through Thursday, 9 am - 2 pm; Town Clerk: Monday, Wednesday, 5 pm - 8 pm, Tuesday, 8 am - 11 am, Thursday, 8 am - 11 am, 5 pm - 8 pm; Tax Collector: Monday, 5 pm - 8 pm, Wednesday, 4 pm - 6 pm

County
 Labor Market Area
 Tourism Region
 Planning Commission
 Regional Development

Hillsborough
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Division
Merrimack Valley
Nashua Regional
Capital Regional Development Council

Election Districts
 US Congress
 Executive Council
 State Senate
 State Representative

District 2
District 5
District 9
Hillsborough County Districts 5, 40

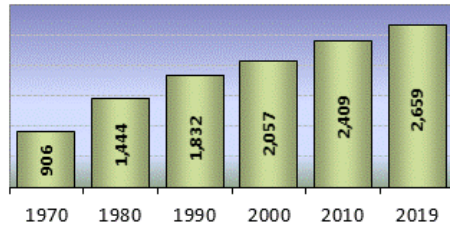
Incorporated: 1803

Origin: This town started as the northwest parish of Amherst. Residents of the parish felt that their homes were too far from the courthouse in Amherst, making travel to town meetings very inconvenient. Mont Vernon was incorporated by legislature in 1803. The name was probably in honor of George Washington's Virginia estate, which got its name from Admiral Edward Vernon. George Washington's brother, Lawrence, the original owner of the estate, served under Admiral Vernon as an officer. Although probably not the reason for selecting this name, Admiral Vernon was also a close friend of Governor Wentworth.

Villages and Place Names: unknown

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 762 residents in 1810

Population Trends: Population change for Mont Vernon totaled 1,753 over 49 years, from 906 in 1970 to 2,659 in 2019. The largest decennial percent change was a 59 percent increase between 1970 and 1980; a 27 percent increase the next decade.



Hillsborough County

The 2018 Census estimate for Mont Vernon was 2,659 residents, which ranked 117th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2019 (US Census Bureau): 158.0 persons per square mile of land area. Mont Vernon contains 16.8 square miles of land area and 0.1 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES			
Type of Government	Selectmen		
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2020	\$4,819,093		
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Zoning Ordinance	1963/10		
Master Plan	Rolling		
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes		
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board		
Boards and Commissions			
Elected:	Selectmen; Treasurer; Cemetery; Town Clerk; Tax Collector; Welfare; Treasurer; Library		
Appointed:	Planning; Conservation; Zoning; Recreation; Historic District; Beautification		
Public Library	Daland Memorial		
EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police Department	Full-time		
Fire Department	On-Call		
Emergency Medical Service	Private		
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds	
Southern NH Medical Center, Nashua	15 miles	162	
St. Joseph Hospital, Nashua	16 miles	135	
Catholic Medical Center, Manchester	16 miles	251	
UTILITIES			
Electric Supplier	Eversource Energy		
Natural Gas Supplier	None		
Water Supplier	Private wells		
Sanitation	Private septic		
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	No		
Solid Waste Disposal			
Curbside Trash Pickup	None		
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No		
Recycling Program	Mandatory		
Telephone Company	Fairpoint; Wilton		
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes		
Cable Television Access	Yes		
Public Access Television Station	No		
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Yes	
	Residential	Yes	
PROPERTY TAXES <i>(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)</i>			
2019 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$25.82		
2019 Equalization Ratio	98.0		
2019 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$25.21		
2019 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type			
Residential Land and Buildings	98.3%		
Commercial Land and Buildings	.8%		
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	.9%		
HOUSING <i>(ACS 2015-2019)</i>			
Total Housing Units	991		
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	837		
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:			
Two to Four Units in Structure	5		
Five or More Units in Structure	5		
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	144		

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)			<i>(US Census Bureau)</i>
Total Population	Community	County	
2019	2,659	417,025	
2010	2,409	400,721	
2000	2,057	382,384	
1990	1,832	336,549	
1980	1,444	276,608	
1970	906	223,941	
DEMOGRAPHICS <i>AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY (ACS) 2015-2019</i>			
Population by Gender			
Male	1,288	Female	1,288
Population by Age Group			
Under age 5	137		
Age 5 to 19	459		
Age 20 to 34	464		
Age 35 to 54	693		
Age 55 to 64	448		
Age 65 and over	375		
Median Age	46.0 years		
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over			
High school graduate or higher	95.5%		
Bachelor's degree or higher	49.4%		
INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$ <i>(ACS 2015-2019)</i>			
Per capita income	\$48,948		
Median family income	\$134,318		
Median household income	\$120,125		
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers			
Male	\$96,250		
Female	\$49,625		
Individuals below the poverty level	4.7%		
LABOR FORCE <i>(NHES – ELMII)</i>			
Annual Average	2009	2019	
Civilian labor force	1,324	1,568	
Employed	1,260	1,529	
Unemployed	64	39	
Unemployment rate	4.8%	2.5%	
EMPLOYMENT & WAGES <i>(NHES – ELMII)</i>			
Annual Average Covered Employment	2009	2019	
Goods Producing Industries			
Average Employment	n	22	
Average Weekly Wage	n	\$ 725	
Service Providing Industries			
Average Employment	n	54	
Average Weekly Wage	n	\$1,201	
Total Private Industry			
Average Employment	73	76	
Average Weekly Wage	\$1,210	\$1,062	
Government (Federal, State, and Local)			
Average Employment	81	71	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 577	\$ 761	
Total, Private Industry plus Government			
Average Employment	154	146	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 877	\$ 917	

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: **Mont Vernon operates grades K-6; grades 7-8 are tuitioned to Amherst; grades 9-12 are part of Souhegan Cooperative (Amherst; Mont Vernon)** District: **SAU 39**

Career Technology Center(s): **Milford HS & Applied Technology Center; Wilbur H. Palmer Career & Tech Ed Center (Hudson); Nashua Technology Center** Region: **16**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1			
Grade Levels	K 1-6			
Total Enrollment	189			

Nearest Community College: **Manchester; Nashua**

Nearest Colleges or Universities: **St. Anselm; Southern NH University; UNH-Manchester**

2020 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **1** Total Capacity: **45**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Information Unlimited, Inc.	Science educational devices	12	1972
Mont Vernon Design	Design services	2	1984

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

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

Road Access	US Routes		
	State Routes		13
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-293, Exit 4	
	Distance		16 miles
Railroad			No
Public Transportation			No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation			
Boire Field, Nashua	Runway	6,000 ft. asphalt	
Lighted?	Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service			
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance		19 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport			4
Driving distance to select cities:			
Manchester, NH			19 miles
Portland, Maine			113 miles
Boston, Mass.			59 miles
New York City, NY			229 miles
Montreal, Quebec			258 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (*ACS 2015-2019*)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	81.1%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	6.4%
Public transportation	1.0%
Walked	1.0%
Other means	10.4%
Worked at home	13.6%
Mean Travel Time to Work	37.0 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2015-2019

Working in community of residence	13.7
Commuting to another NH community	72.7
Commuting out-of-state	13.6

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

	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
X	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
	Youth Sports: Soccer
X	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): McIntyre, Pats Peak, Crotched Mountain
	Other: Lamson Farm; Purgatory Falls