New Hampton, NH

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Selectmen: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 8:30 am - 4 pm, Thursday, 10 am - 4 pm; TClerk, TClerk Collector: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:30 am - 4:30 pm, Thursday, 10 am - 7 pm, closed daily, 12 noon - 1 pm

County
Belknap
Labor Market Area
Meredith, NH LMA
Tourism Region
Lakes
Planning Commission
Lakes Region
Regional Development
Belknap County Economic Development Council

Election Districts

US Congress
District 1
Executive Council
District 1
State Senate
District 2
State Representative
Belknap County District 1

Incorporated: 1777

Origin: This town was first granted in 1765 as Moultonborough Addition, for Colonel Jonathan Moulton, who held the position of town moderator, and for whom Moultonborough was named. In 1777, Colonel Moulton requested that the town be named New Hampton in honor of his native town of Hampton, New Hampshire. The northeastern portion of the town was set off and incorporated as Center Harbor in 1797. The New Hampton School was established here in 1821, and went through several name, owner, and location changes, before its current incarnation as a co-educational college preparatory school.

Villages and Place Names: Winona, New Hampton Village Precinct, Old Institution

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 652 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for New Hampton totaled 1,275 over 49 years, from 946 in 1970 to 2,221 in 2019. The largest decennial percent change was a 32 percent increase between 1970 and 1980, which was followed by a 29 percent increase over the next decade. The 2019 Census estimate for New Hampton was 2,221 residents, which ranked 131st among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2019 (US Census Bureau): 60.3 persons per square mile of land area. New Hampton contains 36.8 square miles of land area and 1.6 square miles of inland water area.
MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Type of Government: Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2020 $2,993,857
Budget: School Appropriations, 2018-2019 $3,454,565
Zoning Ordinance: 1986/20
Master Plan: 2018
Capital Improvement Plan: Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By: Planning Board

Boards and Commissions
Elected: Selectmen
Appointed: Planning; Zoning; Conservation; Heritage

Public Library: Gordon-Nash

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Police Department: Full-time
Fire Department: Municipal
Emergency Medical Service: Part-time

Nearest Hospital(s): Distance Staffed Beds
Speare Memorial, Plymouth 13 miles 25
Lakes Region General, Laconia 15 miles 96

UTILITIES

Electric Supplier: Eversource Energy; NH Electric Coop; New Hampton
Natural Gas Supplier: None
Water Supplier: New Hampton Village Precinct; private wells
Sanitation: New Hampton Village Precinct & private septic
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant: Yes
Solid Waste Disposal: Curbside Trash Pickup: None
Pay-As-You-Throw Program: No
Recycling Program: Voluntary

Telephone Company: Consolidated Communications
Cellular Telephone Access: Limited
Cable Television Access: Limited
Public Access Television Station: No
High Speed Internet Service: Business Yes
Residential: Limited

PROPERTY TAXES

(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)
2019 Total Tax Rate (per $1000 of value) $19.24
2019 Equalization Ratio 92.7
2019 Full Value Tax Rate (per $1000 of value) $17.52
2019 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type
- Residential Land and Buildings 76.3%
- Commercial Land and Buildings 13.4%
- Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other 10.3%

HOUSING

(ACS 2015-2019)
Total Housing Units 1,117
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached 948
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:
- Two to Four Units in Structure 38
- Five or More Units in Structure 5
- Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units 126

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)

(US Census Bureau)
Total Population
- Community
- County
2019 2,221 61,303
2010 2,165 60,088
2000 1,964 56,576
1990 1,609 49,294
1980 1,249 42,884
1970 946 32,367

DEMographics

American Community Survey (ACS) 2015-2019
Population by Gender
Male 1,066 Female 1,179
Population by Age Group
- Under age 5 88
- Age 5 to 19 294
- Age 20 to 34 271
- Age 35 to 54 611
- Age 55 to 64 439
- Age 65 and over 542
- Median Age 49.8 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over
- High school graduate or higher 92.6%
- Bachelor’s degree or higher 39.4%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED $ (ACS 2015-2019)
Per capita income $32,844
Median family income $73,778
Median household income $67,938

Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers
- Male $55,809
- Female $53,654

Individuals below the poverty level 8.8%

LABOR FORCE (NHES – ELM)

Annual Average 2009 2019
- Civilian labor force 1,206 1,368
- Employed 1,132 1,338
- Unemployed 74 30
- Unemployment rate 6.1% 2.2%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES (NHES – ELM)

Annual Average Covered Employment 2009 2019
- Goods Producing Industries
  - Average Employment 74 38
  - Average Weekly Wage $841 $941
- Service Providing Industries
  - Average Employment 383 462
  - Average Weekly Wage $754 $679

Total Private Industry
- Average Employment 457 500
- Average Weekly Wage $768 $699

Government (Federal, State, and Local)
- Average Employment 103 114
- Average Weekly Wage $657 $698

Total, Private Industry plus Government
- Average Employment 559 614
- Average Weekly Wage $748 $699

**EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE**

Schools students attend: Grades K-12 are part of Newfound Area (Alexandria, Bridgewater, Bristol, Danbury, Groton, Hebron, New Hampton)

Career Technology Center(s): Plymouth Applied Technology Center

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<tr>
<th>Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)</th>
<th>Elementary</th>
<th>Middle/Junior High</th>
<th>High School</th>
<th>Private/Parochial</th>
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<tr>
<td>Number of Schools</td>
<td>1</td>
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<td>2</td>
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<td>Grade Levels</td>
<td>K 1-5</td>
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<td>P 9-12 PG</td>
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<td>Total Enrollment</td>
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<td>372</td>
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Nearest Community College: Lakes Region

Nearest Colleges or Universities: Plymouth State University

2020 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing)

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<th>Total Facilities</th>
<th>Total Capacity</th>
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**LARGEST BUSINESSES**

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<th>Business Name</th>
<th>Product/Service</th>
<th>Employees</th>
<th>Established</th>
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<tr>
<td>New Hampton School</td>
<td>Secondary education</td>
<td>174</td>
<td>1821</td>
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<tr>
<td>Waste Management</td>
<td>Waste removal services</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>1994</td>
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<tr>
<td>Circle K</td>
<td>Convenience store, gas station</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>1998</td>
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<td>New Hampshire Liquor &amp; Wine Outlet</td>
<td>Retail wine &amp; liquor store</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>2016</td>
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<td>Adventure Bound Camping Resorts</td>
<td>Campground</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>1980</td>
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<tr>
<td>Dunkin Donuts</td>
<td>Donut shop</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>1997</td>
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<td>The 104 Diner</td>
<td>Restaurant</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>1994</td>
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<td>Marcam/ATS Precision</td>
<td>Electronics</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>1995</td>
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<td>Wallingford's Inc.</td>
<td>Logging supplies</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>1999</td>
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<tr>
<td>Live Free Home Health Care</td>
<td>Home health care services</td>
<td>51</td>
<td>2006</td>
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Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

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

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<tr>
<th>Road Access</th>
<th>US Routes</th>
<th>104, 132</th>
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<td>State Routes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Nearest Interstate, Exit</td>
<td>I-93, Exit 23</td>
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<td>Distance</td>
<td>Local access</td>
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<tr>
<td>Railroad</td>
<td>State owned line</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>Public Transportation</td>
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Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation

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<tr>
<th>Newfound Valley, Bristol</th>
<th>Runway 1,900 ft. asphalt</th>
<th>Lighted?</th>
<th>Navigation Aids?</th>
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Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service

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<tr>
<th>Manchester-Boston Regional</th>
<th>Distance 55 miles</th>
<th>Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport 4</th>
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Driving distance to select cities:

- Manchester, NH: 50 miles
- Portland, Maine: 92 miles
- Boston, Mass.: 101 miles
- New York City, NY: 300 miles
- Montreal, Quebec: 223 miles

**COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2015-2019)**

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<th>Workers 16 years and over</th>
<th>Drove alone, car/truck/van</th>
<th>81.5%</th>
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<td>Carpoled, car/truck/van</td>
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<td>5.2%</td>
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<td>Public transportation</td>
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<td>Walked</td>
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<td>Other means</td>
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<td>Worked at home</td>
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Mean Travel Time to Work: 27.6 minutes

**Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2015-2019**

- Working in community of residence: 16.6%
- Commuting to another NH community: 82.9%
- Commuting out-of-state: 0.5%

**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
- Museums
- Cinemas
- Performing Arts Facilities
- Tourist Attractions
- Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
- Youth Sports: Baseball
- Youth Sports: Soccer
- Youth Sports: Football
- Youth Sports: Basketball
- Youth Sports: Hockey
- Campgrounds
- Fishing/Hunting
- Boating/Marinas
- Snowmobile Trails
- Bicycle Trails
- Cross Country Skiing
- Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
- Overnight or Day Camps

Nearest Ski Area(s): Gunstock, Ragged, & Tenney Mountains

Other: Kelley-Drake Conservation Area; Bald Ledge Trail; Old Home Day; New Hampton Nature Fitness Trail