

New Ipswich, NH



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County	Hillsborough
Labor Market Area	Peterborough, NH LMA
Tourism Region	Monadnock
Planning Commission	Southwest Region
Regional Development	Monadnock Economic Development Corp.
Election Districts	
US Congress	District 2
Executive Council	District 5
State Senate	District 12
State Representative	Hillsborough County District 25

Incorporated: 1762

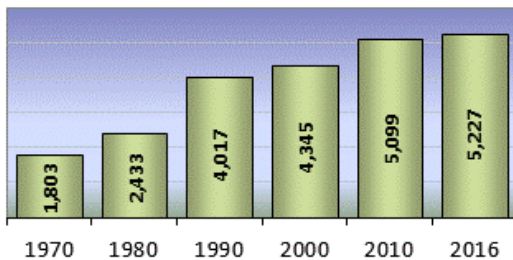
Origin: This town was first granted in 1735, and named by settlers from Ipswich, Massachusetts. New Hampshire's provincial government incorporated the town as Ipswich in 1762 and as New Ipswich in 1766. The state's second academy, New Ipswich Academy, was chartered here in 1789. The school was renamed Appleton Academy for Samuel Appleton, who donated, among other things, a library to the school. New Hampshire's first cotton mill was built here in 1804, ancestor to the cotton-producing centers of Waltham and Lawrence, Massachusetts, and Manchester, New Hampshire.

Villages and Place Names: Bank, Davis, Gibson Four Corners, Highbridge, New Ipswich Center, Smithville, Wilder

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 1,241 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for New Ipswich totaled 3,772 over 56 years, from

1,455 in 1960 to 5,227 in 2016. The largest decennial percent change was a 65 percent increase between 1980 and 1990; the smallest, an eight percent increase between 1990 and 2000. The 2016 Census estimate for New Ipswich was 5,227 residents, which ranked 67th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Hillsborough County

Population Density and Land Area, 2016 (US Census Bureau): 159.7 persons per square mile of land area. New Ipswich contains 32.7 square miles of land area and 0.3 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2017	\$3,584,802
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Zoning Ordinance	1987/17
Master Plan	2012
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions	
Elected:	Selectmen; Planning; Assessing; Trust Funds; Budget
Appointed:	Zoning; Conservation; Recreation; Old Town Hall
Public Library	New Ipswich

EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police Department		Full-time	
Fire Department		Volunteer	
Emergency Medical Service		Volunteer	
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds	
Monadnock Community, Peterborough	12 miles	25	

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		Private	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program		Yes	
Recycling Program		Voluntary	
Telephone Company		Comcast	
Cellular Telephone Access		Limited	
Cable Television Access		Yes	
Public Access Television Station		Yes	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Limited	
	Residential	Limited	

PROPERTY TAXES		<i>(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)</i>	
2016 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$26.23		
2016 Equalization Ratio	93.6		
2016 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$24.86		
2016 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type			
Residential Land and Buildings	90.3%		
Commercial Land and Buildings	5.9%		
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	3.8%		

HOUSING		<i>(ACS 2012-2016)</i>	
Total Housing Units	2,020		
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	1,782		
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:			
Two to Four Units in Structure	149		
Five or More Units in Structure	53		
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	36		

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)			<i>(US Census Bureau)</i>	
Total Population	Community	County		
2016	5,227	407,761		
2010	5,099	400,721		
2000	4,345	382,384		
1990	4,017	336,549		
1980	2,433	276,608		
1970	1,803	223,941		

DEMOGRAPHICS, AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY				<i>(ACS) 2012-2016</i>	
Population by Gender					
Male	2,914	Female		2,241	
Population by Age Group					
Under age 5				438	
Age 5 to 19				1,139	
Age 20 to 34				942	
Age 35 to 54				1,295	
Age 55 to 64				791	
Age 65 and over				550	
Median Age				35.8 years	
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over					
High school graduate or higher				89.7%	
Bachelor's degree or higher				32.8%	

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		<i>(ACS 2012-2016)</i>	
Per capita income			\$36,397
Median family income			\$95,417
Median household income			\$90,228
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers, 16 years and over			
Male			\$61,481
Female			\$41,081
Individuals below the poverty level			3.0%

LABOR FORCE				<i>(NHES – ELMII)</i>	
Annual Average		2006		2016	
Civilian labor force		2,452		2,811	
Employed		2,359		2,725	
Unemployed		93		86	
Unemployment rate		3.8%		3.1%	

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES				<i>(NHES – ELMII)</i>	
Annual Average Covered Employment		2006		2016	
Goods Producing Industries					
Average Employment		677		540	
Average Weekly Wage		\$ 836		\$1,017	
Service Providing Industries					
Average Employment		310		221	
Average Weekly Wage		\$ 635		\$ 775	
Total Private Industry					
Average Employment		987		761	
Average Weekly Wage		\$ 773		\$ 947	
Government (Federal, State, and Local)					
Average Employment		59		202	
Average Weekly Wage		\$ 275		\$ 868	
Total, Private Industry plus Government					
Average Employment		1,046		962	
Average Weekly Wage		\$ 745		\$ 930	

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: **Grades K-12 are part of Mascenic Regional (Greenville, Mason, New Ipswich)** District: **SAU 87**
 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	1	1	
Grade Levels	P K R 1-4	5-8	9-12	
Total Enrollment	416	308	340	

Nearest Community College: **Nashua**
 Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Franklin Pierce University; Rivier; Daniel Webster**

2017 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **2** Total Capacity: **37**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Hutter Construction	Contractors	156	1973
Warwick Mills, Inc.	Weavers	115	1935
Vanguard Manufacturing, Inc.	Steel scaffolding	31	1969

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

TRANSPORTATION (distances estimated from city/town hall)

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	123, 123A, 124
Nearest Interstate, Exit	Everett Tpk., Exits 7 - 8; I-293, Exit 4	
Distance	25 miles; 32 miles	
Railroad	No	
Public Transportation	No	
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Jaffrey - Silver Ranch	Runway	2,982 ft. asphalt
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	35 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport	4	
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH	36 miles	
Portland, Maine	130 miles	
Boston, Mass.	61 miles	
New York City, NY	222 miles	
Montreal, Quebec	269 miles	

COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2012-2016)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	81.7%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	8.3%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	1.2%
Other means	0.7%
Worked at home	8.1%
Mean Travel Time to Work	37.9 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2012-2016

Working in community of residence	25.0
Commuting to another NH community	46.8
Commuting out-of-state	28.2

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
X	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
X	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
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
X	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Windblown
	Other: