Population Spotlight

Growth Rate: WDB: 2.4% vs. State: 2.5%

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<th>County</th>
<th>2020</th>
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<td>North Carolina</td>
<td>10,439,414</td>
<td>10,698,973</td>
<td>259,559</td>
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<td>Durham County</td>
<td>324,849</td>
<td>332,680</td>
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Child Poverty Rate (2022)
State: 17.2%

Opportunity Youth Rate (2022)
State: 10.9%

Households with Broadband (2022)
State: 77%

Foreign Born (2022)
State: 9%

Age Structure, 2022

Race/Ethnicity, 2022

Educational Attainment
Durham residents ages 25-44, 2022

- No Degree: 29,215 (27.9%)
- Have Degree or Credential: 75,574 (72.1%)

In Durham WDB:
207 individuals served in an ApprenticeshipNC program in 2020

UNC and NC Community College Outcomes:
1,816 graduates in 2020
76% of 2016 graduates were employed in NC in 2021
$44,230 annual average earnings of graduates employed in NC (includes both part-time and full-time jobs)

59% of adults (ages 25-44) in Durham earned a family sustaining wage, 2022

Top Industries in Durham WDB:

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<td>Health Care and Social Assistance</td>
<td>41,927</td>
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<td>Professional Scientific and Technical Services</td>
<td>34,649</td>
<td>$2,274</td>
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<td>Educational Services</td>
<td>31,410</td>
<td>$1,429</td>
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<td>Manufacturing</td>
<td>24,178</td>
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<td>Accommodation and Food Services</td>
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Top Job Sectors in Durham WDB:

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<td>Private</td>
<td>212,984</td>
<td>$1,676</td>
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<td>Local Government</td>
<td>10,683</td>
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<td>6,197</td>
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<td>4,705</td>
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Success of Durham High School Graduates

- 83% of students who enroll persist to their second year versus 83% for the state. 2022
- 55% of students who enroll earn a degree or certificate within 6 years versus 59% for the state. 2022

Top destinations of all college-goers, Fall 2023

- 4,755 of all college-goers attended Durham TCC
- 1,108 of all college-goers attended Wake TCC
- 325 of all college-goers attended Duke

Adult Learners

Durham resident enrollments in NC Community Colleges, Fall 2022

- 654 Basic Skills
- 4,361 Continuing Education
- 1,588 Curriculum

How students in Durham traditional schools are currently doing:

To meet state goals, each year Durham needs:

- 30% of eligible 4-year-olds enrolled in NC Pre-K program, compared to 53% statewide; 806 more needed to meet state goal of 75%. 2023
- 28% of 3-8 graders are earning college-and-career-ready scores (level 4 or 5) in reading, compared to 30% statewide; 6,042 more needed to meet state goal of 73%. 2023
- 30% of 3-8 graders are earning college-and-career-ready scores (level 4 or 5) in math, compared to 35% statewide; 7,496 more needed to meet state goal of 86%. 2023
- 84% of 9th graders graduate within four years, compared to 87% statewide; 295 more needed to meet state goal of 95%. 2023
- 37% of students are chronically absent from school, compared to 27% statewide; 8,702 less needed to meet state goal of 11%. 2023
- 4% of students drop out of high school (471 total students), compared to 2% statewide. 2023

For more information about each indicator, including data sources and methodology, visit:

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