

County Profile

Graham County (NC)

January 2019

Demographics

Population & Growth

2016 Est Population
2010 Census Total Population
July 2017 NC Certified Population Estimate

Population

8,651
8,861
8,763

% Annual Growth

(0.6%)
1.1%

Urban/Rural Representation

2010 Census Total Population: Urban
2010 Census Total Population: Rural

0
8,861

Urban/Rural Percent

0.0%
100.0%

Estimated Population by Age

2016 Est Median Age
2016 Est Total Pop 0-19
2016 Est Total Pop 20-24
2016 Est Total Pop 25-34
2016 Est Total Pop 35-44
2016 Est Total Pop 45-54
2016 Est Total Pop 55-64
2016 Est Total Pop 65+

45
2,186
461
753
949
1,152
1,256
1,894

% Pop by Age

25.3%
5.3%
8.7%
11.0%
13.3%
14.5%
21.9%

Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2016 ACS Est

Percent of Workers, By Travel Time

Avg Travel Time, Minutes 24.8
Workers Not Working at Home 2,843
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes 19.7%
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes 21.3%
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes 16.6%
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes 13.0%
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes 3.5%
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes 7.8%
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes 3.0%
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes 5.6%
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes 9.6%

Workers, By Transportation

Worker Transp, Base 2,959
Work at Home 3.9%
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone 80.4%
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van 12.9%
Public Transportation 0.0%
Walked 2.7%
Bicycle 0.0%
Taxi, Motorcycle, Other 0.0%

Place of Work

Worked in State/County of Residence
Worked in State/Outside County of Residence
Worked Outside State of Residence

Commuters

2,065
704
192

Residents

69.8%
23.8%
6.5%

Education

2017-18 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment
2018 Average SAT score (1600 new scale)
2018 Percent of Graduates taking SAT
2016-17 Higher Education Completions (Provisional)
2016-17 Higher Education Enrollment (Provisional)
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least High School Graduate
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least Bachelor's Degree

1,126
1,038
27.8%
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4,744
840

Pop Age 25+

79.0%
14.0%

Housing

		% Ann Growth or % Total
2016 Est Total Housing Units	5,939	0.2%
2010 Census Total Housing	3,701	
2010 Census Total Households	5,930	
2010 Census Occupied Housing	1,472	39.8%
2010 Census Vacant Housing	2,229	60.2%
2016 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$122,300	
2016 Est Median Gross Rent	\$551	
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing	2,671	82.1%
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing	581	17.9%
2016 Est % Owner Occupied Vacancy Rate	1.9%	
2016 Est % Renter Occupied Vacancy Rate	20.2%	

Income

		% Ann Growth or % Pov
2016 Est Median Family Income	\$47,188	
2017 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$37,748	5.6%
2016 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$22,699	
2017 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$31,087	
2017 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty (SAIPE)	1,518	18.1%

Employment / Unemployment

	Currently	2017 Annual
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Employment	2,967	2,956
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Unemployment	142	216
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Unemployment Rate	4.6%	6.8%
2018Q3 YTD, 2017 Announced Job Creation	.	.
2018Q3 YTD, 2017 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	.	.

Employment / Wages by Industry

	2018Q2 Employment	2017 Employment	2018Q2 Avg Weekly Wage	2017 Avg Weekly Wage
Total All Industries	2,125	2,010	\$661	\$645
Total Government	507	508	\$686	\$657
Total Private Industry	1,618	1,502	\$653	\$641
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	.	.	.	.
Mining	.	.	.	.
Utilities	.	.	.	.
Construction	377	359	\$970	\$954
Manufacturing	45	47	\$631	\$546
Wholesale Trade	112	43	\$696	\$958
Retail Trade	237	224	\$427	\$439
Transportation and Warehousing	25	.	\$804	.
Information	.	.	.	.
Finance and Insurance	68	63	\$1,015	\$847
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	.	.	.	.
Professional and Technical Services	23	26	\$979	\$1,114
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	.	.	.	.
Administrative and Waste Services	117	114	\$698	\$612
Educational Services	247	249	\$666	\$675
Health Care and Social Assistance	172	173	\$376	\$374
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	.	.	.	.
Accommodation and Food Services	356	343	\$374	\$348
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	55	53	\$1,110	\$1,132
Public Administration	239	238	\$662	\$606
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

Commercial/Retail/Industrial

Local Business

2018Q3 Available Industrial Buildings	1
2018Q2 Establishments: Total Private Industry	162
2018Q2 Establishments: Manufacturing	5
2016 Est Self Employed	251

Local Retail Business

2018 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$48.9
2018 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	65
2018 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$751,655
2018Q3 Available Commercial Buildings (if County reports)	.

Quality of Life

Taxes

FY2018-19 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.5850
FY2017-18 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$68.7
2019 Tier designation	1

Childcare

2018Q3 Licensed Child Care Facilities	10
2018Q3 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	188

Weather

Annual Rainfall, inches	61
Annual Snowfall, inches	8
Average Annual Temperature, °F	54
Average Annual High Temperature, °F	66
Average Annual Low Temperature, °F	42

Healthcare Providers

2017 Number of Physicians	4
2017 Physicians/10,000 population	4.5
2017 RNs/10,000 population	33.9
2017 Dentists/10,000 population	3.4
2017 Pharmacists/10,000 population	6.8

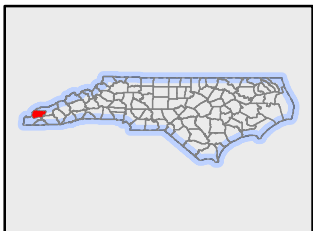
Sources:

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Notes:

Data are the latest available at the date the profile was prepared. SAT scores use the new 1600 scoring system started in 2016 and represent county systems. Unemployment data is now the latest month which is preliminary and is subject to change. US Education IPEDs data for Completions and Enrollment is at least Provisional and updated when Final. American Community Survey (ACS) data are estimates, noted "Est" and are from the 2012-16, 5-year survey; data is as of 2016 with dollars inflated to 2016. Additional data, reports, and dashboards are available at: <http://accessnc.nccommerce.com/index.html>.

Graham County, North Carolina



Legend

Airports by Total Enplanements	Public University	Interstate
14,000,001 - 43,130,585	Private University	US Route
3,000,001 - 14,000,000	NC Community Colleges	NC Route
0 - 3,000,000	Hospital	Major Railroad Lines
		County Boundary

