

**County Profile**

**Onslow County (NC)**

**January 2019**

**Demographics**

**Population & Growth**

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

**Population**

185,755  
177,772  
196,793

**% Annual Growth**

1.1%  
1.8%

**Urban/Rural Representation**

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

130,931  
46,841

**Urban/Rural Percent**

73.7%  
26.4%

**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+

26  
54,029  
31,852  
34,679  
18,925  
16,291  
14,122  
15,857

**% Pop by Age**

29.1%  
17.1%  
18.7%  
10.2%  
8.8%  
7.6%  
8.5%

**Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2016 ACS Est**

**Percent of Workers, By Travel Time**

Avg Travel Time, Minutes 23.0  
Workers Not Working at Home 85,441  
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes 18.0%  
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes 13.8%  
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes 16.3%  
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes 15.4%  
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes 5.7%  
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes 13.2%  
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes 4.9%  
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes 6.8%  
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes 5.9%

**Workers, By Transportation**

Worker Transp, Base 90,037  
Work at Home 5.1%  
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone 73.5%  
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van 13.3%  
Public Transportation 0.2%  
Walked 6.0%  
Bicycle 0.5%  
Taxi, Motorcycle, Other 1.4%

**Place of Work**

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

**Commuters**

81,393  
6,753  
1,801

**Residents**

90.4%  
7.5%  
2.0%

**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

26,462  
1,059  
32.2%  
3,946  
7,589  
90,867  
19,491

**Pop Age 25+**

91.0%  
19.5%

## Housing

		<b>% Ann Growth or % Total</b>
2016 Est Total Housing Units	75,588	1.9%
2010 Census Total Housing	60,092	
2010 Census Total Households	68,226	
2010 Census Occupied Housing	51,958	86.5%
2010 Census Vacant Housing	8,134	13.5%
2016 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$153,300	
2016 Est Median Gross Rent	\$949	
2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing	32,851	52.4%
2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing	29,782	47.6%
2016 Est % Owner Occupied Vacancy Rate	4.0%	
2016 Est % Renter Occupied Vacancy Rate	11.3%	

## Income

		<b>% Ann Growth or % Pov</b>
2016 Est Median Family Income	\$51,654	
2017 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$49,634	5.2%
2016 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$25,602	
2017 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$44,972	
2017 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty (SAIPE)	23,452	13.5%

## Employment / Unemployment

	<b>Currently</b>	<b>2017 Annual</b>
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Employment	61,723	60,903
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Unemployment	2,697	3,259
Nov 2018 Prelim., 2017 Unemployment Rate	4.2%	5.1%
2018Q3 YTD, 2017 Announced Job Creation	268	15
2018Q3 YTD, 2017 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	\$5.3	\$1.0

## Employment / Wages by Industry

	<b>2018Q2 Employment</b>	<b>2017 Employment</b>	<b>2018Q2 Avg Weekly Wage</b>	<b>2017 Avg Weekly Wage</b>
Total All Industries	49,380	48,571	\$663	\$652
Total Government	14,473	14,059	\$900	\$878
Total Private Industry	34,907	34,512	\$564	\$560
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	138	.	\$602	.
Mining	.	.	.	.
Utilities	.	334	.	\$1,180
Construction	2,047	1,945	\$783	\$763
Manufacturing	982	991	\$757	\$756
Wholesale Trade	422	434	\$897	\$902
Retail Trade	10,838	10,886	\$526	\$513
Transportation and Warehousing	1,047	1,079	\$831	\$780
Information	310	348	\$864	\$779
Finance and Insurance	895	867	\$944	\$985
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	859	811	\$663	\$647
Professional and Technical Services	1,679	1,659	\$928	\$912
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	235	237	\$762	\$833
Administrative and Waste Services	4,058	4,340	\$568	\$512
Educational Services	5,464	5,138	\$746	\$774
Health Care and Social Assistance	5,676	5,522	\$864	\$840
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	507	409	\$284	\$305
Accommodation and Food Services	8,075	7,673	\$305	\$308
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	1,122	1,118	\$486	\$482
Public Administration	4,639	4,631	\$1,099	\$1,050
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

## Commercial/Retail/Industrial

### Local Business

2018Q3 Available Industrial Buildings	1
2018Q2 Establishments: Total Private Industry	2,985
2018Q2 Establishments: Manufacturing	52
2016 Est Self Employed	3,725

### Local Retail Business

2018 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$2,234.5
2018 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	1,112
2018 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$2,009,420
2018Q3 Available Commercial Buildings (if County reports)	.

## Quality of Life

### Taxes

FY2018-19 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.7050
FY2017-18 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$2,043.2
2019 Tier designation	2

### Childcare

2018Q3 Licensed Child Care Facilities	77
2018Q3 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	3,667

### Weather

Annual Rainfall, inches	55
Annual Snowfall, inches	1
Average Annual Temperature, °F	62
Average Annual High Temperature, °F	73
Average Annual Low Temperature, °F	51

### Healthcare Providers

2017 Number of Physicians	179
2017 Physicians/10,000 population	9.2
2017 RNs/10,000 population	51.3
2017 Dentists/10,000 population	4.4
2017 Pharmacists/10,000 population	6.5

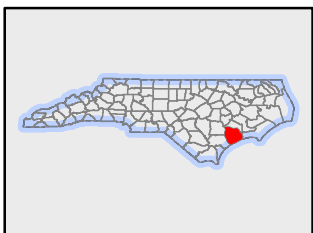
### Sources:

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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>.

# Onslow County, North Carolina



**Legend**

<b>Airports by Total Enplanements</b>	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

