



State of Connecticut Social Indicator Data Essex

Population Reference

Year	Total Population	Population 18 years and older	Population 17 years and younger	Population Females 11 to 19 years
1992	6,032	4,863	1,169	284
1994	5,838	4,707	1,131	275
1996	5,835	4,704	1,131	275
1998	6,175	4,933	1,242	372

Source: US Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census

Crime	Year	Violent Crime Offenses		Property Crime Offenses		Family Offense Arrests		Other Crime Arrests			
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate		
	1992	12	2.0	102	16.9	*	*	*	*		
	1994	14	2.4	100	17.1	0	0.00	39	6.7		
	1996	12	2.1	70	12.0	0	0.00	33	5.7		
	1998	11	2.2	15	3.0	0	0.00	25	5.1		
		Drug Abuse Violations		Liquor Law Violations		Driving Under the Influence (Adult)		Alcohol Involved Accidents		Alcohol Involved Fatal Accidents	
	Year	Adult Number	Juvenile Rate	Adult Number	Juvenile Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
	1992	*	*	*	*	*	*	2	33.2	1	16.58
	1994	13	2.76	0	0.00	1	0.21	0	0.00	34	7.22
	1996	5	1.06	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	16	3.40
	1998	7	1.42	2	1.61	0	0.00	1	0.81	10	2.03

Sources: Connecticut State Department of Public Safety's Uniform Crime Reports and Department of Transportation

* Data is missing.



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Year	Teen Births		Low Birth Weight Births		Non-adequate Prenatal Care		Abuse / Neglect Referrals		Sexual Abuse Referrals		Total Out-of-Home Placements	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1992	2	7.0	4	67.8	6	101.7	5	.83	1	0.17	4	0.66
1994	2	7.3	5	64.9	7	90.9	11	1.88	6	1.03	11	1.88
1996	1	3.6	8	106.7	9	120.0	19	3.26	0	0.00	3	0.51
1998	1	2.7	3	53.6	7	125.0	11	1.78	0	0.00	8	1.30

Sources: Connecticut State Department of Public Health and Department of Children and Families

Year	Registered to Vote		Voted in General Election		Unemployment	Per Cent of Students Receiving Reduced/Free Lunches
	Number	Per Cent	Number	Per Cent	Per Cent	
1992	4,365	89.8	3,804	87.1	5.0	4.7
1994	4,084	86.8	2,903	71.1	4.2	6.7
1996	4,391	93.3	3,514	80.0	4.3	6.0
1998	4,224	85.6	2,717	64.3	2.6	5.1

Sources: Connecticut Secretary of State, Department of Labor, and Department of Education

Year	CT Mastery Test			SAT		Per Cent of High School Students Attending on Oct. 1	High School Dropout Rate
	Per Cent Meeting State Goals			Average Score			Per Cent
	Math	Reading	Writing	Math	Verbal		
1992	48.6	77.6	41.3	482	443	93.4	2.8
1994	54.7	67.9	27.7	487	466	96.0	6.0
1996	69.6	76.8	69.6	466	447	90.8	4.7
1998	82.4	75.9	76.6	512	520	96.7	*

Source: Connecticut State Department of Education

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