

Clarksville, NH



Community Contact

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Municipal Office Hours

Selectmen meet every other Monday, 5 pm; Town Clerk/Tax Collector: Monday and Wednesday, 1-5, Tuesday and Thursday, 9-5, closed Friday

County
Labor Market Area
Tourism Region
Planning Commission
Regional Development

**Coös
Colebrook, NH-VT LMA, NH part
Great North Woods
North Country Council
Coös Economic Development Corp.**

Election Districts

US Congress
Executive Council
State Senate
State Representative

**District 2
District 1
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Coös County District 2**

Incorporated: 1853

Origin: Clarksville was originally part of a large tract deeded by legislature to Dartmouth College in 1789, portions of which were sold to raise cash for the college. The land was purchased by two Dartmouth graduates, Joseph Murdock of Norwich, Vermont, and Benjamin Clark of Boston, and cleared for settlement by the Clark family. The town was incorporated as Clarksville in 1853, but was also known as Dartmouth College Grant until 1872; Second College Grant, another of the Dartmouth grants, is an unincorporated place on the state's eastern border. Clarksville is the second most northerly incorporated township in New Hampshire, south only to Pittsburg.

Villages and Place Names: unknown

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 88 residents in 1830

Population Trends: Population change for Clarksville totaled 117 over 50 years, from 166 in 1970 to 283 in 2020. The largest decennial percent change was a 58 percent increase from 1970 to 1980; the town lost population from 1980 to 1990 and from 2000 to 2010. The town's population increased by seven percent from 2010 to 2020. The 2022 Census estimate for Clarksville was 290 residents, which ranked 229th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2022 (US Census Bureau): 4.8 persons per square mile of land area. Clarksville contains 60.5 square miles of land area and 1.9 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2021	\$360,525
Budget: School Appropriations, 2022-2023	\$647,327
Zoning Ordinance	No Board
Master Plan	0
Capital Improvement Plan	No
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	

Boards and Commissions
 Elected: **Selectmen**
 Appointed:

Public Library **No Library**

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
Police Department	Contracted out
Fire Department	Volunteer
Emergency Medical Service	Volunteer

Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Upper Connecticut Valley, Colebrook	10 miles	16

UTILITIES	
Electric Supplier	Eversource Energy; NH Electric Coop
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	No
Recycling Program	Mandatory

Telephone Company	Consolidated Communications
Cellular Telephone Access	No
Cable Television Access	No
Public Access Television Station	No
High Speed Internet Service:	Yes
Business	
Residential	Limited

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2022 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$20.71
2022 Equalization Ratio	55.4
2022 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$11.46

2022 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	92.2%
Commercial Land and Buildings	2.1%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	5.7%

HOUSING (ACS 2017-2021)	
Total Housing Units	392
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	309
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	3
Five or More Units in Structure	1
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	79

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)		(US Census Bureau)	
Total Population	Community	County	
2022	290	31,504	
2020	294	31,268	
2010	265	33,055	
2000	294	33,156	
1990	232	34,879	
1980	262	35,014	

DEMOGRAPHICS			AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY (ACS) 2017-2021	
Population by Gender				
Male	200	Female	140	
Population by Age Group				
Under age 5	6			
Age 5 to 19	34			
Age 20 to 34	48			
Age 35 to 54	96			
Age 55 to 64	90			
Age 65 and over	66			
Median Age	51.9 years			
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over: 278				
High school graduate or higher	85.3%			
Bachelor's degree or higher	16.2%			

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		(ACS 2017-2021)	
Per capita income	\$37,374		
Median family income	\$69,286		
Median household income	\$65,577		
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers			
Male	\$55,625		
Female	\$26,458		
Individuals below the poverty level	7.9%		

LABOR FORCE			(NHES – ELMII)	
Annual Average	2012	2022		
Civilian labor force	119	110		
Employed	109	105		
Unemployed	10	5		
Unemployment rate	8.4%	4.5%		

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES				(NHES – ELMII)	
Annual Average Covered Employment	2012	2022			
Goods Producing Industries					
Average Employment	6	n			
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 504	n			
Service Providing Industries					
Average Employment	35	n			
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 498	n			
Total Private Industry					
Average Employment	41	26			
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 499	\$ 788			
Government (Federal, State, and Local)					
Average Employment	4	2			
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 115	\$ 219			
Total, Private Industry plus Government					
Average Employment	45	28			
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 462	\$ 748			

If "n" appears, data do not meet disclosure standards.

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: **Grades K-12 are tuitioned to Pittsburg**
 Career Technology Center(s): **Canaan Career Center (VT)**

District: **SAU 7**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools				
Grade Levels				
Total Enrollment				

Nearest Community College: **White Mountains**
 Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Plymouth State; Northern VT - Lyndon (VT)**

2022 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: Total Capacity:

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Laurent Rancourt Trucking	Logging	12	
Custom Collision & Body Works	Auto body shop	2	
Northern Magazine	Monthly magazine	3	
Dan's Glass & Mirror	Glass repair, installation	1	
Yves Marquis Trucking	Logging	8	
Le Petit Salon	Hair services	1	

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

TRANSPORTATION (*distances estimated from city/town hall*)

Road Access	US Routes	3
	State Routes	145
Nearest Interstate, Exit	Aut-55 (QC), Exit 21; I-91 (VT), Exit 28	
Distance	41 miles; 58 miles	
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Gifford Field, Colebrook	Runway	2,440 ft. turf
Lighted?	No	Navigation Aids? No
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Portland (ME) International	Distance	139 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		8
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		162 miles
Portland, Maine		142 miles
Boston, Mass.		213 miles
New York City, NY		392 miles
Montreal, Quebec		129 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (*ACS 2017-2021*)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	55.6%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	15.9%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	0.0%
Other means	10.1%
Worked at home	18.5%
Mean Travel Time to Work	17.8 minutes
Percent of Working Residents	
Working in community of residence	21.2%
Commuting to another NH community	48.1%
Commuting out-of-state	30.7%

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
	Youth Sports: Baseball
	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Cannon Mountain
	Other: