

Demographics

Cumberland County is represented by five municipalities including the Town of Amherst, Oxford, Parrsboro, Springhill and the Municipality of Cumberland County. The population of Cumberland County according to the 2006 Census is 32,046. The age of majority among citizens of Cumberland is between 35 and 54, representing 30% of the population. Both the Town of Amherst and Cumberland County Subdivision C have experienced an increase in population.

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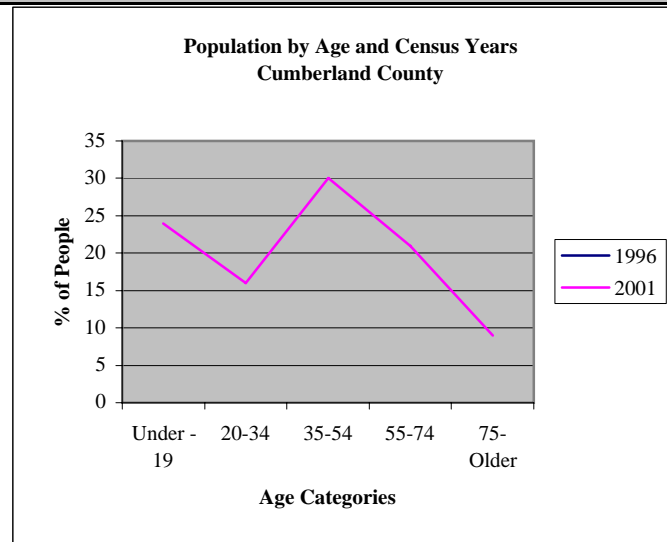
Population

Cumberland County has the following population figures according to the 2006 Census

	2006 Total	Percent Change 2001-2006	2006 Total	2006 Male	2006 Female
Cumberland County	32,046	-1.7	32,046	15,515	16,535
Cumb Subd A	2,261	-8.5	2,261	1,105	1,160
Parrsboro	1,401	-8.4	1,401	640	755
Cumb Subd B	3,781	-5.8	3,781	1,860	1,920
Springhill	3,941	-3.7	3,941	2,005	1,935
Cumb Subd C	5,525	5.9	5,525	2,755	2,770
Amherst	9,505	0.4	9,505	4,385	5,120
Oxford	1,178	-11.6	1,178	570	610
Cumb Subd D	4,454	-0.6	4,454	2,190	2,270

Population by Age Group	Cumberland		Subd A	Parrsboro	Subd B	Springhill	Subd C	Amherst	Oxford	Subd D	
	2006	2001									
Total	32046	32605	Total	2,261	1,401	3,781	3,941	5,525	9,505	1,178	4,454
Under - 19	6925	7660	0-19	425	315	840	875	1190	2145	280	855
20-34	4485	5145	20-34	255	130	425	680	695	1620	175	495
35-54	9560	9815	35-54	625	415	1155	1160	1760	2710	360	1360
55-74	8005	6930	55-74	700	365	1070	825	1440	2020	270	1320
75+	3080	3055	75+	255	175	275	405	445	1005	110	420
% Distribution by Age Group			Total								
Under - 19	22	24	0-19	18.8	22.5	22.2	22.2	21.5	22.6	23.8	19.2
20-34	14	16	20-34	11.3	9.3	11.2	17.3	12.6	17.0	14.9	11.1
35-54	30	30	35-54	27.6	29.6	30.5	29.4	31.9	28.5	30.6	30.5
55-74	25	21	55-74	31.0	26.1	28.3	20.9	26.1	21.3	22.9	29.6
75-Older	9	9	75+	11.3	12.5	7.3	10.3	8.1	10.6	9.3	9.4
Median Age	45.4	42		50.1	48	46.1	42.6	46.1	42.8	43.2	48.8

Source: Statistics Canada 2006 Census



Households	Cumberland 2001	Amherst 2001	Oxford 2001	Parrsboro 2001	Springhill 2001	Subd A 2001	Subd B 2001	Subd C 2001	Subd D 2001
Household income of all private households	13315	4025	550	685	1650	1055	1570	2020	1765
Under \$10,000	975	320	50	55	160	95	60	110	125
\$ 10,000 - \$19,999	2790	815	90	215	405	260	290	355	360
\$ 20,000 - \$29,999	2260	590	75	150	275	235	330	305	305
\$ 30,000 - \$39,999	1835	635	60	115	215	150	235	240	185
\$ 40,000 - \$49,999	1730	555	100	60	145	120	200	275	215
\$ 50,000 - \$59,999	1190	335	75	45	150	60	125	205	190
\$ 60,000 - \$69,999	830	245	30	10	70	65	105	155	150
\$ 70,000 - \$79,999	528	165	20	15	65	35	60	75	90
\$ 80,000 - \$89,999	350	120	10	10	25	0	40	100	35
\$ 90,000 - \$99,999	285	90	15	0	30	20	35	65	35
\$100,000 and over	550	155	30	10	60	0	90	130	65
Average household income \$	39832	40002	41326	29872	35984	31532	41826	47579	40765
Median household income \$	33210	33806	40117	25872	29037	26023	33503	39580	34526
Standard error of average household income \$	555	1035	2346	1619	1350	1314	1514	1840	1463

Net Migration Last Five Years Available	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005
Cumberland County	-222	-83	-95	-53	24

Source: Small Area and Administrative Data Migration Estimates, Statistics Canada 2001

Total population 20 years and over by highest level of schooling 2001										
	Cumberland	Percent	Amherst	Oxford	Parrsboro	Springhill	Subd A	Subd B	Subd C	Subd D
Total	24080	100%	7015	985	1165	2850	1905	3050	3875	3230
Less than grade 9	2625	10.9%	745	55	120	325	375	450	295	265
Grades 9 to 12	9685	40.2%	2815	470	520	1120	845	1150	1395	1375
Without high school graduation certificate	6735	27.9%	1945	365	355	805	655	775	860	980
With high school graduation certificate	2955	12.3%	870	115	165	320	190	375	535	395
Trades certificate or diploma	3710	15.4%	900	165	185	450	260	450	780	515
College	4765	19.8%	1360	115	250	650	300	625	860	600
Without certificate or diploma	1130	4.7%	295	10	50	160	80	170	215	150
With certificate or diploma	3630	15.1%	1065	105	200	485	220	460	650	450
University	3290	13.7%	1190	170	85	310	130	375	550	475
Without degree	1415	5.9%	535	80	35	160	60	210	175	165
Without certificate or diploma	805	3.3%	315	40	20	80	35	125	85	110
With certificate or diploma	610	2.5%	220	35	15	75	30	90	95	55
With bachelor's degree or higher	1875	7.8%	655	95	50	155	70	170	375	310

Source: Total population 20 years and over by highest level of schooling - 20% Sample Data, Statistics Canada, Census 2001

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