

United States Census Data - York County, Virginia

| Selected Demographic and Social Characteristics | 1970 | | 1980 | | 1990 | | 2000 | |
|---|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Land Area (square miles) | 108.5 | NA | 105.5 | NA | 105.5 | NA | 105.5 | NA |
| Population | 27,762 | NA | 35,463 | NA | 42,434 | NA | 56,297 | NA |
| Sex | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 14,468 | 52.1% | 18,185 | 51.3% | 21,133 | 49.8% | 27,650 | 49.1% |
| Female | 13,294 | 47.9% | 17,278 | 48.7% | 21,289 | 50.2% | 28,647 | 50.9% |
| Race | | | | | | | | |
| White | 22,762 | 82.0% | 28,636 | 80.7% | 34,487 | 81.3% | 45,942 | 81.6% |
| Black | 4,778 | 17.2% | 6,118 | 17.3% | 6,613 | 15.6% | 7,954 | 14.1% |
| Asian | | | 290 | 0.8% | 954 | 2.2% | 2,267 | 4.0% |
| American Indian and Alaska Native | 222 | 0.8% | 49 | 0.1% | 112 | 0.3% | 521 | 0.9% |
| Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander | | | 20 | 0.1% | 34 | 0.1% | 121 | 0.2% |
| Some Other Race | | | 350 | 1.0% | 222 | 0.5% | 724 | 1.3% |
| Hispanic or Latino | 475 | 1.7% | 572 | 1.6% | 723 | 1.7% | 1,509 | 2.7% |
| Median Age | | NA | 28.6 | NA | 32.8 | NA | 36.5 | NA |
| Population Density (persons per square mile) | | NA | 336.1 | NA | 402.2 | NA | 533.6 | NA |
| Households | 7,287 | NA | 10,895 | NA | 14,474 | NA | 20,000 | NA |
| Persons per Household | 3.63 | NA | 3.15 | NA | 2.90 | NA | 2.78 | NA |
| Total Families | 6,682 | NA | 9,255 | NA | 11,875 | NA | 15,887 | NA |
| Persons per Family | 3.83 | NA | 3.46 | NA | 3.24 | NA | 3.15 | NA |
| Educational Attainment (highest level achieved) | | | | | | | | |
| Population 25 years and over | 13,317 | 100.0% | 19,536 | 100.0% | 26,468 | 100.0% | 36,138 | 100.0% |
| Graduate or Professional Degree | | | | | 3,229 | 12.2% | 5,945 | 16.5% |
| Bachelor's Degree | 1,669 | 12.5% | 4,226 | 21.6% | 4,415 | 16.7% | 7,567 | 20.9% |
| Associate Degree | | | | | 1,901 | 7.2% | 2,729 | 7.6% |
| Some College, no degree | 1,599 | 12.0% | 3,858 | 19.7% | 6,385 | 24.1% | 9,270 | 25.7% |
| High School Diploma | 4,121 | 30.9% | 6,757 | 34.6% | 7,429 | 28.1% | 7,649 | 21.2% |
| 9th to 12th Grade, no diploma | 3,171 | 23.8% | 2,793 | 14.3% | 1,952 | 7.4% | 2,070 | 5.7% |
| Less than 9th Grade | 2,757 | 20.7% | 1,902 | 9.7% | 1,157 | 4.4% | 938 | 2.6% |

Note: For 2000, numbers in the race categories may add to more than the total population and the percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U. S. Census Bureau