



Who We Are: A Statistical Snapshot of Fort Fairfield in 2017

Estimated Current Population: 3450

Average Age: 44

Under 18 = 22.5%

Over 65 = 17%

Educational Attainment:

82% High School Diploma or Higher

16% Bachelor's Degree or Higher

Labor Force:

(Population 16+): 2821

In Labor Force: 1569

Participation Rate: 55% (US Average 63%)

Unemployment Rate:

Fort Fairfield = 7.6% (estimated)

Aroostook County = 4.9% (not seasonally adjusted)

Maine = 4.5% (seasonally adjusted)

National = 5.1% (seasonally adjusted)

Earnings:

Less than High School Grad: \$14,095

High School Grad: \$25,595

Some College: \$27,125

Bachelor's Degree: \$39,926

Grad or Professional Degree: \$71,296

Household Income:

Median: \$32,225

Percentage of Population with Income Below Poverty Level: 16%

Percentage of Population Living in a Low-Income Household (annual income less than \$25,000): 44.4%

Top Trades (Ft. Fairfield CDP - Urban):

Education/Health Care: 29%

Retail: 21%

Manufacturing: 13%

Public Administration: 8%

Professional: 6%

Agriculture/Forestry: 6%