

# Detailed County Demographics 2006

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<b>2006 Demographics</b>	<b>Buncombe County</b>	<b>Haywood County</b>	<b>Henderson County</b>	<b>Madison County</b>	<b>North Carolina</b>	<b>Entire US</b>
Total Population	220,159	57,177	98,436	20,229	8,773,938	299,088,112
Total Households	92,795	24,845	41,889	8,320	3,438,285	111,826,380
Female Population	113,842	29,655	50,535	10,221	4,454,278	151,655,844
% Female	51.7%	51.9%	51.3%	50.5%	50.8%	50.7%
Male Population	106,317	27,522	47,901	10,008	4,319,660	147,432,321
% Male	48.3%	48.1%	48.7%	49.5%	49.2%	49.3%
Population Density (per Sq. Mi.)	333.6	103.1	262.6	44.8	177.6	83.2
<b>Age:</b>						
Age 0 - 4	6.0%	5.2%	5.8%	5.4%	7.0%	6.8%
Age 5 - 14	12.0%	11.3%	11.7%	11.8%	13.5%	13.6%
Age 15 - 19	6.3%	5.9%	5.7%	6.6%	6.8%	7.0%
Age 20 - 24	6.4%	5.5%	5.7%	7.1%	6.8%	7.0%
Age 25 - 34	13.0%	11.3%	11.5%	12.4%	14.2%	13.5%
Age 35 - 44	14.0%	13.5%	13.0%	13.0%	14.7%	14.5%
Age 45 - 54	14.8%	13.8%	13.3%	14.2%	14.0%	14.4%
Age 55 - 64	12.0%	13.0%	11.9%	12.5%	10.6%	10.5%
Age 65 - 74	7.8%	10.6%	10.0%	9.1%	6.7%	6.5%
Age 75 - 84	5.4%	7.1%	8.1%	5.5%	4.2%	4.3%
Age 85 +	2.3%	2.7%	3.3%	2.5%	1.6%	1.8%
Median Age	39.6	43	42.5	40.3	36.2	36.5
<b>Educational Attainment:</b>						
Total Population Age 25+	152,630	41,227	69,942	13,974	5,786,113	196,085,871
Grade K - 8	5.0%	6.8%	5.3%	11.3%	6.6%	5.8%
Grade 9 - 12	10.3%	12.1%	8.9%	15.1%	11.2%	8.9%
High School Graduate	29.6%	33.7%	30.6%	34.1%	29.5%	29.9%
Associates Degree	8.7%	11.2%	8.7%	6.3%	8.4%	7.4%
Bachelor's Degree	17.2%	10.6%	16.4%	10.5%	17.6%	17.9%
Graduate Degree	9.3%	6.3%	8.8%	7.0%	7.9%	10.3%
Some College, No Degree	19.9%	19.4%	21.3%	15.8%	18.8%	19.9%

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