

Demographics	NYers Born in	
	Asia	All New Yorkers
Total Population	1,289,432	19,835,913
Male	47.3%	48.9%
Female	52.7%	51.1%
Citizen	789,033	18,079,627
Male	47.1%	48.8%
Female	52.9%	51.2%
Not a Citizen	500,399	1,756,286
Male	47.4%	50.3%
Female	52.6%	49.7%
Median Age (years)	48.3	39.8
Speaks English Less than Very Well	52.8%	13.0%
Poverty Rate	13.3%	10.1%
Without Health Insurance	6.6%	5.2%
Unemployment	9.2%	8.2%
Median Earnings (dollars) Full-time, Year-round Workers		
Male	\$70,339	\$99,247
Female	\$62,135	\$77,272
Civilian Employment By Gender		
Male Civilian Employed Population 16 Years and Over	362,375	4,698,973
Management, Business, Science, and Arts	46.9%	41.5%
Service Occupations	15.2%	18.1%
Sales and Office	17.0%	19.5%
Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance	5.4%	6.7%
Production, Transportation, and Material Moving	15.5%	9.5%
Female Civilian Employed Population 16 Years and Over	333,606	4,527,400
Management, Business, Science, and Arts	49.3%	51.1%
Service Occupations	25.6%	20.4%
Sales and Office	20.4%	24.0%
Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance	0.4%	0.5%
Production, Transportation, and Material Moving	4.3%	4.0%
Educational Attainment (Population 25 Years or Older)		
Less than High School Diploma	22.0%	12.0%
High School Graduate (Includes Equivalency)	18.6%	24.4%
Some College or Associate's Degree	13.9%	23.7%
Bachelor's Degree	25.0%	22.2%
Graduate or Professional Degree	20.5%	17.7%
High School Graduate or Higher	78.0%	88.0%

New Yorkers Born in Asia

New Yorkers born in Asia make up 29.1 percent of all foreign-born (FB) New Yorkers. They are the second largest group of foreign-born New Yorkers.

NYS Region	Population	% Region's FB Population
New York City	946,379	29.9%
Long Island	148,524	27.1%
Mid-Hudson	85,608	19.5%
Western NY	37,439	45.9%
Capital Region	34,332	40.5%
Finger Lakes	28,351	36.4%
Central NY	17,657	40.2%
Southern Tier	17,609	47.2%
Mohawk Valley	10,335	38.4%
North Country	4,088	24.9%



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Eastern, South Central, Southeastern, and Western Asia

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Demographics	Eastern	South Central	South-eastern	Western
Total Population	568,665	428,889	167,333	121,286
Male	44.5%	51.3%	41.9%	52.9%
Female	55.5%	48.7%	58.1%	47.1%
Citizen	340,014	255,634	112,285	78,794
Male	43.6%	52.0%	42.2%	52.8%
Female	56.4%	48.0%	57.8%	47.2%
Not a Citizen	228,651	173,255	55,048	42,492
Male	45.8%	50.2%	41.2%	53.0%
Female	54.2%	49.8%	58.8%	47.0%
Median Age (years)	51.1	44.3	50.7	46.5
Speaks English Less than Very Well	65.2%	45.4%	41.5%	37.1%
Poverty Rate	15.6%	11.7%	8.2%	15.7%
Without Health Insurance	8.1%	5.0%	6.1%	6.4%
Unemployment	10.0%	8.1%	7.1%	12.6%
Median Earnings (dollars) Full-time, Year-round Workers				
Male	\$71,337	\$73,542	\$55,388	\$75,923
Female	\$66,205	\$57,037	\$60,393	\$61,550
Civilian Employment By Gender				
Male Civilian Employed Population 16+ Years	137,494	138,723	44,209	40,928
Management, Business, Science, and Arts	48.2%	47.9%	41.6%	44.8%
Service Occupations	17.8%	11.7%	23.2%	10.1%
Sales and Office	15.8%	17.5%	13.2%	23.6%
Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance	4.7%	4.2%	7.8%	9.0%
Production, Transportation, and Material Moving	13.5%	18.7%	14.3%	12.5%
Female Civilian Employed Population 16+ Years	159,251	94,216	55,202	24,228
Management, Business, Science, and Arts	48.6%	50.5%	45.9%	58.7%
Service Occupations	27.0%	24.0%	25.5%	21.2%
Sales and Office	20.3%	21.9%	21.1%	13.6%
Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance	0.3%	0.5%	0.5%	0.7%
Production, Transportation, and Material Moving	3.8%	3.2%	6.9%	5.7%
Educational Attainment (Population 25+ Years)				
Less than High School Diploma	27.9%	17.5%	17.6%	14.9%
High School Graduate (Includes Equivalency)	20.3%	17.2%	13.7%	22.7%
Some College or Associate's Degree	12.1%	13.4%	18.3%	17.6%
Bachelor's Degree	22.0%	25.2%	36.6%	23.0%
Graduate or Professional Degree	17.7%	26.7%	13.8%	21.9%
High School Graduate or Higher	72.1%	82.5%	82.4%	85.1%