

Demographic Detail Summary

Geography: Bedford

Population Demographics

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census		Census		Estimates		Projections		2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
Total Population	47,168		46,964		48,321		49,030		-0.4%	1.4%
Population Density (Pop/Sq Mi)	4,705.47		4,660.96		4,795.64		4,866.01		-0.9%	1.4%
Total Households	20,269		21,016		21,644		22,108		3.6%	2.1%
Employees					16,737					
Establishments					2,465					

Population by Gender:

Male	22,731	48.1%	22,319	47.5%	22,938	47.4%	23,293	47.5%	-1.8%	1.5%
Female	24,436	51.8%	24,644	52.4%	25,383	52.5%	25,737	52.4%	0.8%	1.3%

Population by Race/Ethnicity

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census	%	Census	%	Estimates	%	Projections	%	2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
White	41,314	87.5%	38,075	81.0%	39,050	80.8%	39,382	80.3%	-7.8%	0.8%
Black	1,723	3.6%	3,276	6.9%	3,456	7.1%	3,591	7.3%	90.1%	3.9%
American Indian or Alaska Native	239	0.5%	259	0.5%	274	0.5%	281	0.5%	8.0%	2.5%
Asian/Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	1,833	3.8%	2,267	4.8%	2,348	4.8%	2,511	5.1%	7.8%	6.9%
Some Other Race	1,166	2.4%	1,785	3.8%	1,835	3.7%	1,857	3.7%	53.1%	1.2%
Two or More Races	893	1.8%	1,300	2.7%	1,358	2.8%	1,407	2.8%	45.5%	3.6%
Hispanic Ethnicity	3,418	7.2%	5,880	12.5%	6,112	12.6%	6,252	12.7%	72.0%	2.2%
Not Hispanic or Latino	43,752	92.7%	41,083	87.4%	42,209	87.3%	42,778	87.2%	-6.0%	1.3%

Population by Age

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census	%	Census	%	Estimates	%	Projections	%	2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
0 to 4	2,794	5.9%	2,473	5.2%	2,608	5.4%	2,693	5.4%	-11.5%	3.2%
5 to 14	5,815	12.3%	5,171	11.0%	5,143	10.6%	5,200	10.6%	-11.0%	1.1%
15 to 19	3,304	7.0%	2,673	5.6%	2,649	5.4%	2,650	5.4%	-19.0%	0.0%
20 to 24	3,336	7.0%	3,067	6.5%	3,059	6.3%	3,007	6.1%	-8.0%	-1.7%
25 to 34	7,452	15.7%	6,918	14.7%	7,382	15.2%	7,539	15.3%	-7.1%	2.1%
35 to 44	8,062	17.0%	6,205	13.2%	6,316	13.0%	6,410	13.0%	-23.0%	1.4%
45 to 54	7,835	16.6%	7,381	15.7%	7,302	15.1%	7,291	14.8%	-5.7%	-0.1%
55 to 64	4,463	9.4%	6,559	13.9%	6,884	14.2%	7,043	14.3%	46.9%	2.3%
65 to 74	2,295	4.8%	3,637	7.7%	3,917	8.1%	4,053	8.2%	58.4%	3.4%
75 to 84	1,271	2.6%	1,952	4.1%	2,070	4.2%	2,123	4.3%	53.6%	2.5%
85+	532	1.1%	923	1.9%	985	2.0%	1,016	2.0%	73.4%	3.1%

Median Age:

Total Population	36.1	40.0	40.0	41.0
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Households by Income

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census	%	Census	%	Estimates	%	Projections	%	2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
\$0 - \$15,000	1,305	6.4%	1,377	6.5%	1,432	6.6%	1,296	5.8%	5.5%	-9.5%
\$15,000 - \$24,999	1,902	9.3%	1,745	8.3%	1,795	8.2%	1,699	7.6%	-8.2%	-5.3%
\$25,000 - \$34,999	2,741	13.5%	2,395	11.3%	2,473	11.4%	2,362	10.6%	-12.5%	-4.5%
\$35,000 - \$49,999	3,301	16.2%	3,051	14.5%	3,101	14.3%	3,027	13.6%	-7.5%	-2.3%
\$50,000 - \$74,999	4,208	20.7%	4,098	19.5%	4,218	19.4%	4,148	18.7%	-2.5%	-1.6%
\$75,000 - \$99,999	2,914	14.3%	3,089	14.6%	3,186	14.7%	3,328	15.0%	6.0%	4.4%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	2,759	13.6%	3,567	16.9%	3,628	16.7%	4,121	18.6%	29.3%	13.5%
\$150,000 +	1,187	5.8%	1,690	8.0%	1,807	8.3%	2,125	9.6%	42.4%	17.5%
Average Hhld Income	\$67,809		\$79,125		\$79,223		\$84,606		16.6%	6.7%
Median Hhld Income	\$54,834		\$59,491		\$59,730		\$64,947		8.4%	8.7%
Per Capita Income	\$29,139		\$35,515		\$35,591		\$38,255		21.8%	7.4%

Employment

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census	%	Census	%	Estimates	%	Projections	%	2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
Total Population 16+	37,846		38,761		40,007		40,580			1.4%
Popn 16+:Civilian, Employed	28,276	97.6%	27,559	71.0%	27,401	68.4%	28,793	70.9%		5.0%
Popn 16+:Civilian, Unemployed	656	2.2%	1,124	2.8%	976	2.4%	799	1.9%		-18.0%
Popn 16+:In Armed Forces	27	0.0%	14	0.0%	14	0.0%	14	0.0%		0.0%
Popn 16+:Not In Labor Force	9,043	23.8%	10,063	25.9%	11,616	29.0%	10,973	27.0%		-5.5%

Housing Units

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census	%	Census	%	Estimates	%	Projections	%	2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
Total Housing Units	21,129		22,294		22,368		22,809		5.5%	1.9%
Total Occupied Housing Units			21,016	94.2%	21,644	96.7%	22,108	96.9%		2.1%
Owned with a mortgage or loan			8,853	42.1%	8,953	41.3%	9,117	41.2%		1.8%
Owned free and clear			2,941	13.9%	3,136	14.4%	3,255	14.7%		3.7%
Renter Occupied			9,222	43.8%	9,555	44.1%	9,737	44.0%		1.9%
Vacant	861	4.0%	1,278	5.7%	724	3.2%	701	3.0%	48.4%	-3.2%

Vehicles Available

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census	%	Census	%	Estimates	%	Projections	%	2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
0 Vehicles Available	640	3.1%	1,007	4.7%	1,050	4.8%	1,126	5.0%	57.3%	7.2%
1 Vehicle Available	7,870	38.8%	8,167	38.8%	8,413	38.8%	8,575	38.7%	3.7%	1.9%
2+ Vehicles Available	11,744	57.9%	11,841	56.3%	12,180	56.2%	12,407	56.1%	0.8%	1.8%
Average Vehicles Per Household	1.70		1.80		1.80		1.81		8.6%	0.1%

Marital Status

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census	%	Census	%	Estimates	%	Projections	%	2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
Married, Spouse Present	20,707	53.7%	20,430	51.9%	21,078	51.9%	21,280	51.7%	-1.3%	0.9%
Married, Spouse Absent	1,308	3.3%	1,353	3.4%	1,403	3.4%	1,479	3.5%	3.4%	5.3%
Divorced	5,093	13.2%	5,292	13.4%	5,452	13.4%	5,539	13.4%	3.9%	1.5%
Widowed	2,013	5.2%	2,242	5.7%	2,313	5.7%	2,369	5.7%	11.3%	2.4%
Never Married	9,532	24.7%	10,001	25.4%	10,323	25.4%	10,469	25.4%	4.9%	1.4%
Age 15+ Population	38,554		39,319		40,569		41,136		1.9%	1.3%

Educational Attainment

	2000		2010		2012B		2017		Percent Change	
	Census	%	Census	%	Estimates	%	Projections	%	2000 to 2010	2012 to 2017
Grade K - 8	388	1.2%	619	1.8%	655	1.8%	705	1.9%	59.7%	7.6%
Grade 9 - 11	1,590	4.9%	1,743	5.1%	1,814	5.2%	1,870	5.2%	9.6%	3.0%
High School Graduate	6,543	20.3%	6,242	18.5%	6,467	18.5%	6,483	18.2%	-4.5%	0.2%
Some College, No Degree	9,429	29.3%	10,112	30.1%	10,503	30.1%	10,665	30.0%	7.2%	1.5%
Associates Degree	2,713	8.4%	3,752	11.1%	3,941	11.3%	4,072	11.4%	38.2%	3.3%
Bachelor's Degree	7,974	24.8%	7,782	23.1%	8,033	23.0%	8,119	22.8%	-2.4%	1.0%
Graduate Degree	3,330	10.3%	3,008	8.9%	3,108	8.9%	3,180	8.9%	-9.6%	2.2%
No Schooling Completed	142	0.4%	318	0.9%	335	0.9%	381	1.0%	124.1%	13.7%
Age 25+ Population	32,109		33,578		34,859		35,477		4.5%	1.7%