

Profile for Bluefield town, Virginia

Located in Tazewell County

People & Housing

Population Estimate (2021)	5,079
H.S. Diploma or More - % of Adults 25+ (2021)	86.7%
Bachelor's Deg. or More - % of Adults 25+ (2021)	26.0%
Households (2021)	2,100
Total Housing Units (2021)	2,297
Percent of Total Units Vacant for Seasonal or Recreational Use (2021)	0.0%

Employment & Income

Labor Force (persons working in the area) (2021)	2,224
Unemployment Rate (2021)	1.9
Median Household Income (2021)	\$57,895
Median Family Income (2021)	\$64,271
Poverty Rate (2021)	16.2
Mean Travel Time to Work (minutes) (2021)	18.2

Population by Age, 2021

	Bluefield town, Virginia	Pct. of Total	Virginia	Pct. of Total
Total	5,079	100%	8,582,479	100%
Preschool (0 to 4)	311	6.1%	501,494	5.8%
School Age (5 to 17)	647	12.7%	1,391,258	16.2%
College Age (18 to 24)	630	12.4%	807,206	9.4%
Young Adult (25 to 44)	892	17.6%	2,311,690	26.9%
Adult (45 to 64)	1,481	29.2%	2,242,231	26.1%
Older Adult (65 plus)	1,118	22.0%	1,328,600	15.5%
Median Age*	45.5		38.5	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, latest 5-Year Estimates

*Median Age is averaged for combined areas

Population by Race and Hispanic Origin, 2021

	Bluefield town, Virginia	Pct. of Total	Virginia	Pct. of Total
Total	5,079	100%	8,582,479	100%
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	23	0.5%	24,007	0.3%
Asian Alone	39	0.8%	578,210	6.7%
Black Alone	401	7.9%	1,631,941	19.0%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	0	0.0%	5,313	0.1%
White Alone	4,575	90.1%	5,574,307	64.9%
Two or More Race Groups	38	0.7%	503,340	5.9%

Hispanic or Latino

Total Hispanic or Latino	139	2.7%	840,248	9.8%
Mexican	75	1.5%	190,142	2.2%
Cuban	0	0.0%	22,602	0.3%
Puerto Rican	8	0.2%	108,327	1.3%
Other	56	1.1%	519,177	6.0%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, latest 5-Year Estimates
Educational Attainment, 2021

	Bluefield town, Virginia	Pct. of Total	Virginia	Pct. of Total
Total Population 25 and Older	3,491	100.0%	5,882,521	100.0%
Less Than 9th Grade	177	5.1%	217,549	3.7%
9th to 12th, No Diploma	286	8.2%	322,050	5.5%
High School Graduate (incl. equiv.)	1,158	33.2%	1,402,487	23.8%
Some College, No Degree	591	16.9%	1,102,111	18.7%
Associate Degree	373	10.7%	465,927	7.9%
Bachelor's Degree	609	17.4%	1,338,831	22.8%
Graduate or Professional Degree	297	8.5%	1,033,566	17.6%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, latest 5-Year Estimates
Households, 2021

	Bluefield town, Virginia	Pct. of Total	Virginia Households	Pct. of Total
Total Households	2,100	100.0%	3,248,528	100.0%
Family Households	1,499	71.4%	2,134,654	65.7%
Married with Children	263	12.5%	647,307	19.9%
Married without Children	780	37.1%	970,074	29.9%
Single Parents	310	14.8%	256,084	7.9%
Other	146	7.0%	261,189	8.0%
Non-family Households	601	28.6%	1,113,874	34.3%
Living Alone	569	27.1%	899,255	27.7%
Average Household Size	2.2		2.5	
Average Family Household Size	2.7		3.2	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, latest 5-Year Estimates
Housing units, 2021

	Bluefield town, Virginia	Pct. of Total	Virginia Units	Pct. of Total
Total Housing Units	2,297	100.0%	3,596,100	100.0%
Owner Occupied	1,533	66.7%	2,164,967	60.2%
Renter Occupied	567	24.7%	1,083,561	30.1%
Vacant For Seasonal or Recreational Use	0	0.0%	78,915	2.2%
1-Unit (Attached or Detached)	1,721	74.9%	2,393,445	66.6%
2 - 9 Units	189	8.2%	287,952	8.0%
10 - 19 Units	93	4.0%	177,165	4.9%

20 or more Units	43	1.9%	261,335	7.3%
Built prior to 1940	311	13.5%	258,472	7.2%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, latest 5-Year Estimates
Labor Force Averages, 2021

	Bluefield town, Virginia	Virginia
Total Labor Force	2,224	4,422,588
Employed	2,181	4,219,781
Unemployed	43	202,807
Unemployment Rate	1.9	4.6

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, latest 5-Year Estimates
Commuting to Work, 2021

	Bluefield town, Virginia	Pct. of Total	Virginia	Pct. of Total
Workers 16 years and over	2,096	100.0%	4,268,079	100.0%
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	1,826	87.1%	3,104,957	72.7%
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	154	7.3%	361,359	8.5%
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	0	0.0%	146,755	3.4%
Walked	14	0.7%	95,270	2.2%
Other means	0	0.0%	72,515	1.7%
Worked at home	102	4.9%	487,223	11.4%
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	18		25	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, latest 5-Year Estimates
Resident Occupations, 2021

	Bluefield town, Virginia	Pct. of Total	Virginia	Pct. of Total
Employed civilian pop. 16 years and over	2,181	100.0%	4,219,781	100.0%
Management, professional, and related	855	39.2%	1,954,214	46.3%
Service	455	20.9%	682,362	16.2%
Sales and office	406	18.6%	807,573	19.1%
Farming, fishing, and forestry	0	0.0%	14,146	0.3%
Construction, extraction, and maintenance	219	10.0%	316,525	7.5%
Production, transportation, and material moving	246	11.3%	444,961	10.5%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, latest 5-Year Estimates