

Subject: 2020-E-0347 Number of School Children in Urban Centers



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Rep. Johnson:

You asked for the number of students in public schools in the largest urban centers in the state.

Below is a table of the largest 50 school districts in Connecticut ranked by enrollment size. The list below does not include students who attend a regional educational service center-operated magnet school or a state charter school in one of the towns/districts listed below as that information is not readily available from the State Department of Education's [EdSight](#) database. This means there are students attending either magnet or charter schools in urban towns who do not appear in the count for that town's district.

For completeness, the list contains urban and suburban districts and the Connecticut Technical Education and Career System and the Capitol Region Education Council.

Student Count, Largest 50 Districts – 2019-2020

	District	Count
1	New Haven School District	20,675
2	Bridgeport School District	20,311
3	Hartford School District	18,880
4	Waterbury School District	18,807
5	Stamford School District	16,600
6	Danbury School District	11,928
7	Norwalk School District	11,716
8	Connecticut Technical Education and Career System	10,995
9	New Britain School District	10,093
10	Fairfield School District	9,671
11	West Hartford School District	9,502
12	Greenwich School District	9,048
13	Capitol Region Education Council	8,657
14	Meriden School District	8,163

15	Bristol School District	7,976
16	Stratford School District	6,862
17	Trumbull School District	6,808
18	East Hartford School District	6,793
19	Southington School District	6,336
20	Manchester School District	6,309
21	West Haven School District	5,865
22	Glastonbury School District	5,835
23	Wallingford School District	5,693
24	Milford School District	5,621
25	Hamden School District	5,495
26	Westport School District	5,344
27	Enfield School District	5,045
28	Darien School District	4,765
29	Ridgefield School District	4,707
30	Shelton School District	4,674
31	Middletown School District	4,620
32	South Windsor School District	4,554
33	Naugatuck School District	4,372
34	Groton School District	4,272
35	New Canaan School District	4,221
36	Cheshire School District	4,199
37	Newtown School District	4,188
38	Farmington School District	4,159
39	Simsbury School District	4,091
40	Newington School District	4,015
41	New Milford School District	3,948
42	Wilton School District	3,870
43	Torrington School District	3,857
44	Regional School District 15	3,677
45	Wethersfield School District	3,610
46	Norwich School District	3,588
47	New London School District	3,440
48	Windham School District	3,345
49	Windsor School District	3,345
50	Guilford School District	3,259

Source: State Department of Education, [EdSight](#) database