

## 2010 Profile of Town of Danby

### 1. General Population

Total Population: 3,329 (2010)  
 Median age: 43.5 years (Tompkins County median age: 29.8 years)  
 Population increased 10.7% from 2000  
 Number of households: 1,373  
 Number of families, including single parents: 933  
 Percentage of households that are families: 68%  
 (this compares to a county range of 28% to 69%)

Danby has the second smallest overall population of Tompkins County towns. Its population grew at twice the rate of Tompkins County from 2000-2010.

2010 Total Population and Change from 2000				
	2000	2010	Absolute change	Percent change
Danby	3,007	3,329	322	+ 10.7%
Tompkins Cty.	96,501	101,564	+ 5,063	+ 5.2%

Race	
	All ages
White	92%
Black/African American	3%
Native American	1%
Asian/Pacific Islander	1%
Other	<1%
Two or more races	3%
Hispanic/Latino	3%

92% of Danby's population is white. (Tompkins County rate is 82.6%.)

(Hispanic is in combination with one or more of the races listed.)

### 2. Housing Profile

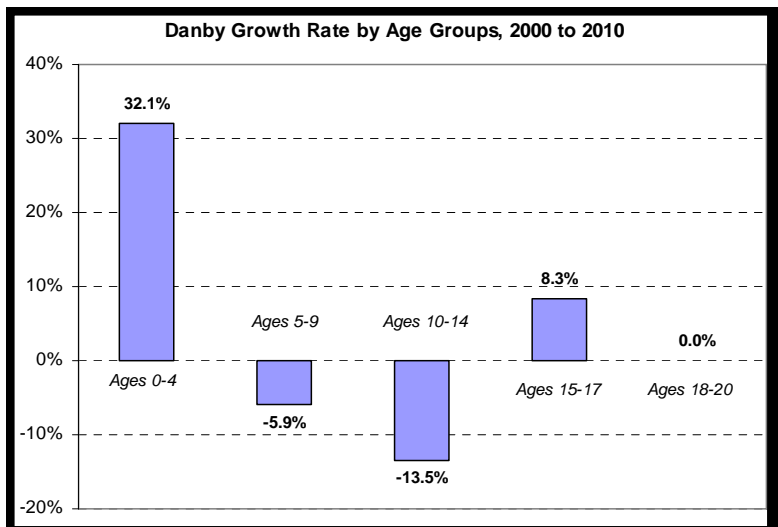
Number of owner occupied houses: 1,125                      Median value: \$149,500  
 Percent of occupied homes that are owner occupied: 81.9%  
 (Tompkins County rate: 54.1%)  
 Percent of housing units (1,429) that are mobile homes: 6.4%  
 For renter-occupied units, median rent: \$613 (Tompkins median rent: \$837)  
 (Sources: 2010 U.S. Census; 2005-2009 American Community Survey)

### 3. Youth Population

Danby was one of only 2 Tompkins County towns that showed an increase in its 0-17 youth population between 2000 and 2010. Age group 0-4 grew significantly and 15-17 also increased; groups 5-9 and 10-14 decreased in size; 18-20 was unchanged. Danby's youth population, ages 0-17, (to factor out the county's college age youth) is the second smallest in the county.

Approximately 4.5% of Tompkins County youth, ages 0-17, live in Danby.

Source: U.S. Census



Danby Youth 0 – 17		Danby Youth 0 – 20	
Number of youth	749	Number of youth	830
Percentage of Tompkins County youth living in Danby	4.5%	Percentage of Tompkins County youth living in Danby	2.7%
Percentage change from 2000	+ 1.8%	Percentage change from 2000	+ 1.6%
Tompkins County change from 2000	- 8.9%	Tompkins County change from 2000	- 3.3%

2010 Youth Population, Changes from 2000											
	Age					2000	2010	%	2000	2010	%
	0 - 4	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 17	18 - 20	0 - 17	0 - 17	Change	0 - 20	0 - 20	Change
Danby	185	208	199	157	81	736	749	+ 1.8%	817	830	+ 1.6%
Tompkins County	4,322	4,410	4,537	3,390	14,321	18,296	16,659	- 8.9%	32,036	30,980	- 3.3%

#### 4. Family and Household

##### *Living Arrangements of Children 0 – 17*

Total number of households – 1,373  
 Number of family households with own children under age 18 – 393 (28.6%)  
     273 are husband/wife families (19.9%)  
     35 are male householder families (no wife present) (2.5%)  
     85 are female householder families (no husband present) (6.2%)  
 (Source: 2010 U.S. Census)

##### *Teen Pregnancies & Births*

	Danby Teen Pregnancies			Danby Teen Births		
	10 - 14	15 - 17	18 - 19	10 - 14	15 - 17	18 - 19
2001	0	0	2	0	0	0
2002	0	1	2	0	1	1
2003	0	1	1	0	1	1
2004	0	0	0	0	0	0
2005	0	0	0	0	0	0
2006	n/a	0	3	n/a	0	3
2007	n/a	1	0	n/a	1	0
2008	n/a	1	2	n/a	1	2
2009	n/a	0	1	n/a	0	1

Source: NYS Dept. of Health Vital Statistics

In order to protect privacy, the NYS Dept. of Health no longer releases data for ages 10-14 except to local health depts.

#### 5. School and Education

##### *Enrollment*

Student Enrollment, 2009 – 10 School Year						
	Pre K	K - 5	6 - 8	9 - 12	Ungraded	ELL *
South Hill Elementary	19	306	0	0	0	0
Boynton Middle School	0	0	556	0	0	0
Ithaca District total	267	2,401	1,146	1,662	2	270

\* English Language Learners (formerly Students with Limited English Proficiency)

*Free & Reduced Lunch Participation*

<b>Free/Reduced Lunch Participation</b>						
	2007 - 08		2008 - 09		2009 - 10	
	Free	Reduced	Free	Reduced	Free	Reduced
South Hill Elem.	17%	3%	20%	7%	19%	5%
Boynton M.S.	26%	n/a	32%	n/a	25%	6%
ICSD total	21%	8%	24%	8%	26%	6%
Tompkins Cty.	21%	9%	23%	8%	27%	8%

The percentage of South Hill Elementary School students receiving free lunch has been well below the Tompkins County and ICSD rate in each of the last 3 years.

Eligibility for a family of 4 (July, 2010): Free lunch \$29,055, Reduced lunch \$40,793

*School Performance*

<b>Ithaca 4<sup>th</sup> grade Student Performance on Standardized Tests – Percentage Meeting State Standards</b>						
	South Hill Elementary			ICSD		
	ELA*	Math	Science	ELA*	Math	Science
2008-09	82%	90%	98%	80%	90%	94%
2009-10	65%	80%	92%	66%	69%	89%

<b>Ithaca 8<sup>th</sup> grade Student Performance on Standardized Tests – Percentage Meeting State Standards</b>												
	Boynton			DeWitt			LACS			ICSD		
	ELA	Math	Sci.	ELA	Math	Sci.	ELA	Math	Sci.	ELA	Math	Sci.
2008-09	72%	80%	82%	78%	87%	89%	75%	73%	82%	74%	81%	84%
2009-10	68%	62%	90%	59%	60%	88%	59%	32%	86%	61%	56%	86%

\*ELA = English Language Arts

NYS Education Dept.'s goal is for schools to have 90% of students at or above standards.

*High School Completion - Rate Receiving Regents Diplomas and Drop Out Rate*

	Ithaca City Sch. Dist.		Tompkins County	
	% graduates with Regents Diploma	Drop out rate	% graduates with Regents Diploma	Drop out rate
2000	63%	1.4%	57%	2.0%
2001	79%	0.9%	68%	1.3%
2002	67%	5.4%	66%	3.5%
2003	70%	3.6%	65%	3.4%
2004	80%	3%	86%	2.6%
2005	79%	2%	80%	2.9%
2006	91%	2%	91%	2.2%
2007	93%	3%	91%	3.2%
2008	91%	2%	88%	2.0%
2009	93%	2%	90%	2.0%

Ithaca's rate of graduates with Regents Diplomas has been at or above the county average for 8 of the last 10 years. Ithaca's drop out rate has been at or below than the county average for 7 of the last 10 years.

The NYS Board of Regents phased in new standards for high schools. Starting in 2003, high school students were required to pass Regents exams in the core areas of English, math, social studies and science in order to graduate from high school.

"2000" is the 2000-01 school year.

Source: NYS Education Dept. School Report Cards

**6. PINS & Pre-PINS\***

*Pre-PINS and PINS Referrals to Probation by schools*

	2008		2009		2010	
	Pre-PINS	PINS	Pre-PINS	PINS	Pre-PINS	PINS
South Hill Elem.	n/a	0	0	1	0	0
Boynton M.S.	n/a	3	1	2	0	7
LACS	n/a	0	0	1	0	1
Ithaca H.S.	n/a	11	0	26	0	17

\*A Person in Need of Supervision (PINS) is a youth under the age of eighteen who is showing a pattern of habitual disobedience, running away, curfew violations, substance abuse, violent behavior, or school truancy problems. Pre-PINS Diversion Services attempt to resolve the conflicts that brought a youth to the attention of the Probation Department by offering supervision, guidance, and referrals to community resources, thus preventing the need for formal Family Court intervention. Pre-PINS Diversion is a mandatory prerequisite prior to filing a formal PINS petition in Family Court.

Source: Tompkins County Probation Dept.

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