



2018 Vermont Educational Attainment Brief

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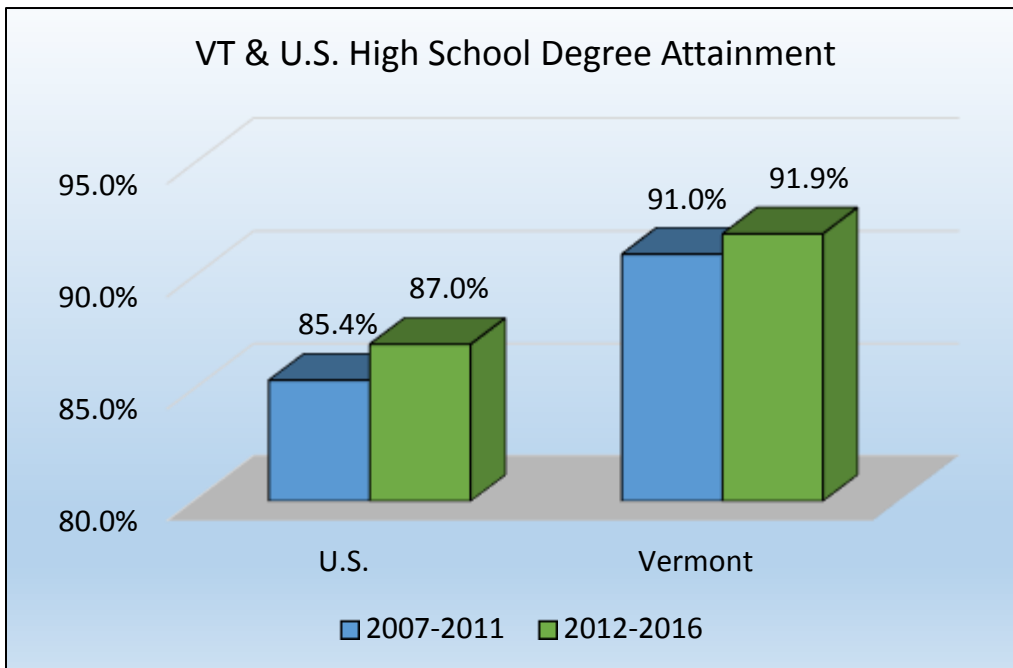
Population 25 years and over:

High school degree or higher

Associate's degree or higher

	2007-2011	2012-2016
U.S.	85.4%	87.0%
Vermont	91.0%	91.9%

	2007-2011	2012-2016
U.S.	35.8%	38.5%
Vermont	42.2%	44.8%



- The percent of the 25+ population with a high school degree increased in both Vermont and the U.S.
- Vermont consistently had a higher percent of the 25+ population with high school degrees and advanced degrees.
- In 2016, Vermont ranked eighth of U.S. states for percent of the 25+ population with high school degrees, as well as for those with advanced degrees.

About the Vermont State Data Center

The Vermont State Data Center, funded through the Agency of Commerce and Community Development:

- Coordinates with the U.S. Census Bureau on local data collection and feedback processes to ensure efficient and accurate VT data production;
- Represents Vermont data producers and users at the Federal level;
- Provides technical assistance to VT data users in accessing and using Census data, and;
- Conducts outreach and education to facilitate data-driven research, administration, planning and decision-making.

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Educational Attainment in Vermont Counties

Population 25 years and over.

High school degree or higher

Associate's degree or higher

	2007-2011	2012-2016
Vermont	91.0%	91.9%
Addison	90.8%	92.5%
Bennington	89.8%	90.6%
Caledonia	88.6%	90.6%
Chittenden	93.5%	93.9%
Essex	83.1%	84.3%
Franklin	88.3%	89.7%
Grand Isle	92.7%	93.7%
Lamoille	91.7%	91.8%
Orange	90.2%	91.7%
Orleans	85.0%	87.1%
Rutland	88.9%	90.9%
Washington	93.0%	93.6%
Windham	91.6%	91.5%
Windsor	92.4%	92.4%

	2007-2011	2012-2016
Vermont	42.2%	44.7%
Addison	41.9%	43.8%
Bennington	39.6%	42.0%
Caledonia	36.5%	36.2%
Chittenden	55.0%	57.7%
Essex	23.2%	25.6%
Franklin	31.3%	33.3%
Grand Isle	37.6%	45.5%
Lamoille	42.8%	46.9%
Orange	37.9%	39.2%
Orleans	26.9%	29.9%
Rutland	34.1%	37.9%
Washington	46.6%	49.0%
Windham	42.0%	42.7%
Windsor	41.4%	43.6%

- The percent of 25+ Vermonters with a high school degree increased by 0.9% between the estimate periods.
- Essex County consistently had the lowest percent of high school graduates, while Chittenden County consistently had the highest.
- The same was true for associate's degrees and higher.
- The percent with a high school degree decreased only in Windham County.

