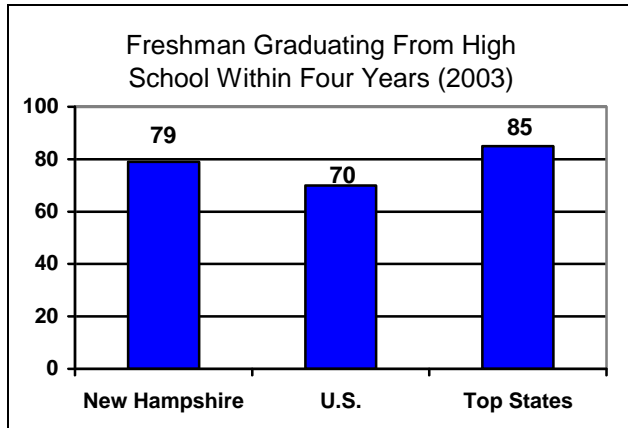




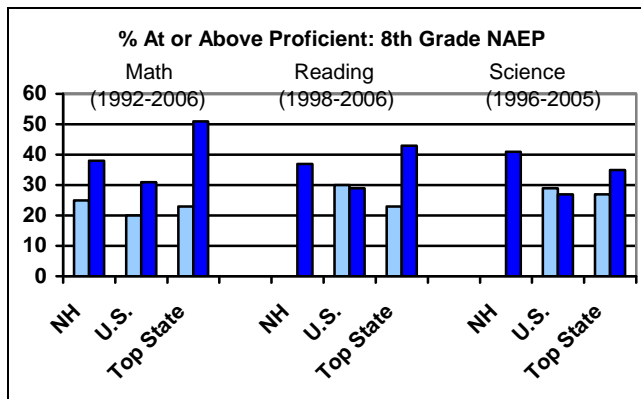
How is New Hampshire's economy changing?

By 2012, 88% of New Hampshire's fastest growing jobs will require some college or training beyond high school, including a projected 12,600 jobs related to computer technology.

How many students graduate on time from high school in New Hampshire each year?



Are 8th-graders ready for high school?



Is the achievement gap in New Hampshire closing in math and science?

% AT OR ABOVE PROFICIENT: NAEP			
8 th GRADE MATH	1992	2006	% Point Change
All	25%	38%	+13
White	25%	39%	+14
African American	--	--	--
Latino	--	14%	--
8 th GRADE SCIENCE	2000	2005	% Point Change
All	--	41%	--
White	--	41%	--
African American	--	--	--
Latino	--	--	--

Are New Hampshire high school students on the path to college?

Are 8th-graders taking Algebra (2005)?

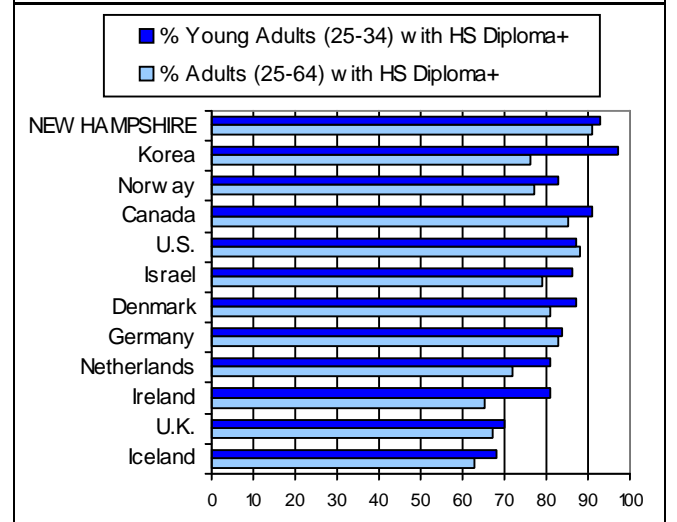
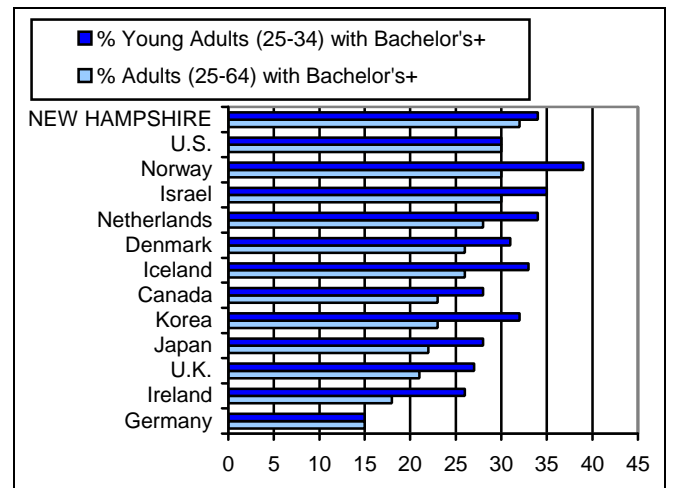
New Hampshire	32%
U.S.	41%
Top States	56%

Are 11th/12th-graders taking AP exams (2004)?

New Hampshire	9%
U.S.	12%
Top States	18%

2005	NH	U.S.
Participation in ACT	10%	40%
Average ACT score	22.3	20.9
Participation in SAT	81%	49%
Average SAT score	1050	1028

How does NH stack up internationally?



What are New Hampshire's school demographics?

2003-04	NH	U.S.
# of Public Schools	473	95,726
Total Public School Enrollment	207,417	48,540,725
# of High Schools	97	22,782
Total High School Enrollment	65,384	14,333,486
Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity/Program Participation		
White	94%	59%
African American	1%	17%
Latino	2%	19%
Asian/Pacific Islander	2%	4%
American Indian/Alaskan	<1%	1%
Free/Reduced Lunch Eligible	17%	36%
English Language Learner	2%	11%

End Notes

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