

Postsecondary Attainment Profile

NORTH SMITHFIELD, RI

| TOWN SNAPSHOT | | | | | |
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| | NORTH SMITHFIELD | RI | | | |
| WORKING-AGE POPULATION (AGE 25 - 64) ¹ | 6,415 | 559,348 | | | |
| ATTAINMENT RATE: ASSOCIATE DEGREE OR HIGHER (AGE 25 YEARS AND OVER) ¹ | 41% | 42% | | | |
| MEDIAN EARNINGS (AGE 25 YEARS AND OVER) ¹ | \$54,457 | \$45,211 | | | |
| UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (FEBRUARY 2021) ² | 6% | 8% | | | |

| WORKING-AGE POPULATION ¹ Age 25 and Over by Educational Attainment | | | | | | |
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| | NORTH SMITHFIELD | RI | | | | |
| HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA | 9% | 11% | | | | |
| HIGH SCHOOL & EQUIVALENT | 33% | 28% | | | | |
| SOME COLLEGE | 17% | 18% | | | | |
| ASSOCIATE | 10% | 8% | | | | |
| BACHELOR'S + | 31% | 34% | | | | |

| EDUCATION ATTAINMENT BY RACE/ETHNICITY ¹ North Smithfield (Age 25 and Over) by Educational Attainment and Race | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| NO HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA | 0% | 27% | 29% | 13% | 1% | 15% | 0% | 1% | 39% | 34% | 0% | 14% | 9% | 9% |
| HS GRAD & EQUIVALENT | 0% | 38% | 0% | 18% | 13% | 32% | 0% | 35% | 0% | 32% | 0% | 25% | 33% | 28% |
| SOME COLLEGE OR ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE | 0% | 20% | 20% | 16% | 80% | 32% | 0% | 27% | 61% | 23% | 58% | 31% | 26% | 26% |
| BACHELOR'S + | 0% | 15% | 51% | 52% | 6% | 21% | 0% | 38% | 0% | 10% | 42% | 30% | 32% | 36% |

| HISPANIC/LATINX POPULATION Age 25 and Over by Educational Attainment | | | | | | | |
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| | NORTH SMITHFIELD | RI | | | | | |
| NO HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA | 7% | 26% | | | | | |
| HIGH SCHOOL & EQUIVALENT | 7% | 36% | | | | | |
| SOME COLLEGE OR ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE | 53% | 23% | | | | | |
| BACHELOR'S + | 33% | 14% | | | | | |
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FAFSA COMPLETION RATES Through March 12, 2021



UNEMPLOYMENT RATES Through February, 2021



MEDIAN EARNINGS¹ Educational Attainment Age 25 and Over

| | NORTH SMITHFIELD | RI |
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| NO HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA | \$42,515 | \$27,880 |
| HIGH SCHOOL & EQUIVALENT | \$38,697 | \$36,009 |
| SOME COLLEGE OR ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE | \$53,236 | \$40,976 |
| BACHELOR'S | \$75,200 | \$56,642 |
| GRADUATE/ PROFESSIONAL | \$81,838 | \$76,777 |

POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION TRANSITION⁴

STATEWIDE

5,363 RHODE ISLAND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ENROLLED IN A DUAL AND/OR CONCURRENT COURSE.

OF THOSE,
75 (1%) WERE
NORTH SMITHFIELD
STUDENTS.

RI STATE SCHOLARSHIPS⁴

\$9,595,000
IN SCHOLARSHIPS WERE AWARDED TO

8,652
STUDENTS AT RHODE ISLAND'S 3 PUBLIC
AND 9 PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS OF
HIGHER EDUCATION IN ACADEMIC YEAR 2019-20.

\$1,109

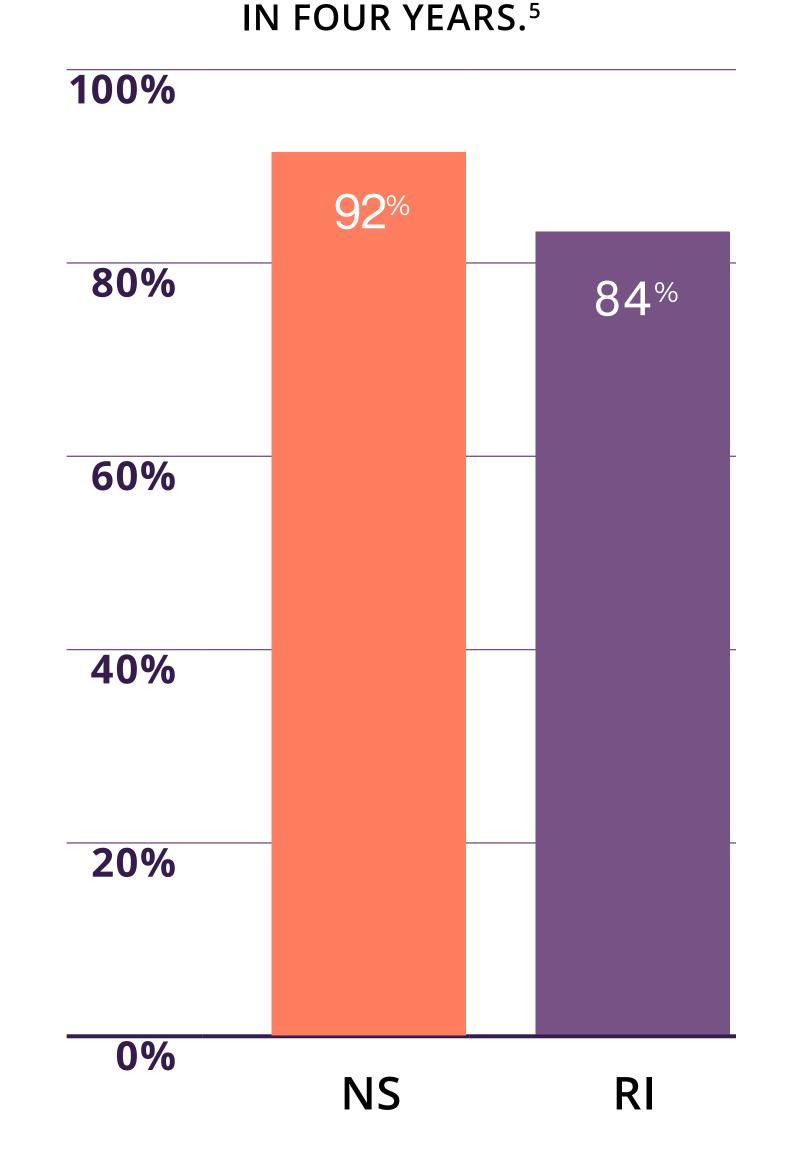
WAS THE AVERAGE AWARD.

RI PROMISE⁶

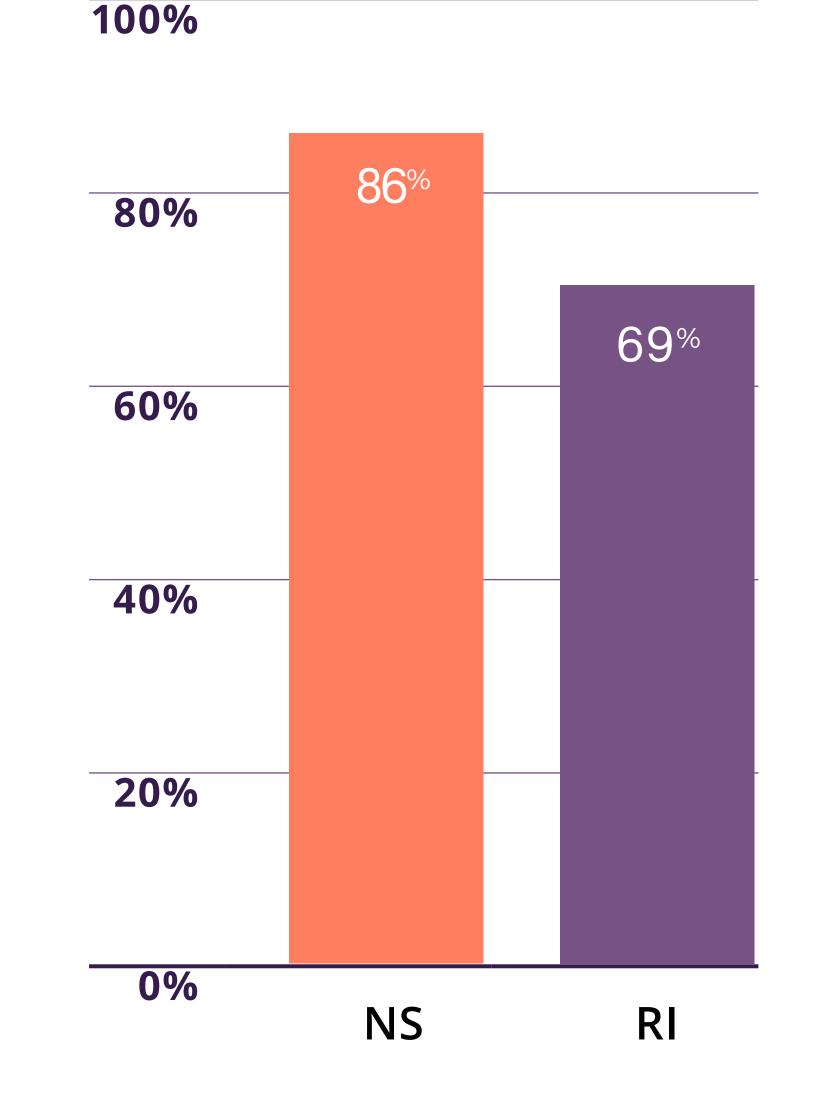
2,271 RI PROMISE
FIRST-TIME FIRST YEARS
IN FALL 2020.

57%OF FALL 2019 COHORT RETURNED IN FALL 2020.

GRADUATED FROM HIGH SCHOOL



ENROLLED IN POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION WITHIN ONE YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION.⁵



DATA SOURCES

- ¹ 2015-2019 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates Data Tables
- ² RI Department of Labor and Training Local Area Unemployment Statistics for February 2021
- ³ U.S. Department of Education's Office of Federal Student Aid
- ⁴ RI Office of the Postsecondary Commissioner
- ⁵ RI Department of Education 2019-2020 District Report Cards (graduation rates and postsecondary enrollment is based on 2018-19 public high school graduates)
- ⁶ Community College of Rhode Island Fall 2020 Rhode Island Promise Report to the Commissioner of Postsecondary Education

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