

# New Americans in Connecticut



**13.4%** of Connecticut residents are foreign born

**17.7%** are Latino or Asian



**49.4%** of immigrants in the state are naturalized U.S. citizens

**11.3%** of registered voters are New Americans



**86.2%** of children with immigrant parents are U.S. citizens

**82.9%** of children with immigrant parents are English proficient



**82.8%** of naturalized citizens have a high school diploma or higher

9,350 foreign students contribute **\$318.2M** to the state's economy



Make up **16.7%** of the workforce.

**4.5%** of the workforce is unauthorized.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Connecticut would lose **\$5.6 billion** in economic activity and about **24,119 jobs** if all unauthorized immigrants were removed.

Latino-owned businesses had sales and receipts of **\$2.5 billion** and employed **11,872** people

Asian-owned businesses had sales and receipts of **\$3.3 billion** and employed **18,838** people

The purchasing power of Latinos is **\$13.4 billion**. Asian buying power totaled **\$8.4 billion**.

[Read more at immigrationpolicy.org](http://immigrationpolicy.org)