

CONNECTICUT

Nickname.....	The Constitution State
Motto.....	<i>Qui Transtulit Sustinet (He Who Transplanted Still Sustains)</i>
Flower	Mountain Laurel
Bird.....	American Robin
Tree.....	White Oak
Song.....	<i>Yankee Doodle</i>
Entered the Union.....	January 9, 1788
Capital.....	Hartford

STATISTICS

Land Area (square miles).....	4,842
Rank in Nation.....	48
Population.....	3,590,886
Rank in Nation.....	29
Density per square mile	741.6
Capital City.....	Hartford
Population.....	124,705
Rank in State.....	4
Largest City	Bridgeport
Population.....	147,612
Number of Representatives in Congress	5
Number of 2016 Electoral Votes.....	7
Number of Geographic Counties.....	8
Number of Municipal Governments	30
Number of School Districts	17
Number of Special Districts	447

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Legislative Body	General Assembly
President of the Senate	Lt. Gov. Nancy Wyman
President Pro Tem of the Senate.....	Martin Looney
Secretary of the Senate	Garey E. Coleman (Clerk of the Senate)
Speaker of the House.....	Brendan Sharkey
Speaker Pro Tem of the House	Linda Gentile, Bob Godfrey, Patricia Billie Miller, Bruce Morris, Linda Orange, Kevin Ryan, Peggy Sayers (Deputy Speakers of the House)
Clerk of the House	Martin Dunleavy
2016 Regular Session.....	Feb. 3 – May 4, 2016
Number of Senatorial Districts.....	36
Number of Representative Districts	151

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

Governor	Dan Malloy
Lieutenant Governor	Nancy Wyman
Secretary of State.....	Denise W. Merrill
Attorney General	George C. Jepsen
Treasurer.....	Denise L. Nappier
Auditor.....	John C. Geragosian and Robert M. Ward
State Comptroller.....	Kevin P. Lembo (Comptroller)
Governor's Present Term.....	1/2011 – 1/2019
Number of Elected Officials in the Executive Branch.....	6
Number of Members in the Cabinet	14

JUDICIAL BRANCH

Highest Court.....	Supreme Court
Supreme Court Chief Justice.....	Chase T. Rogers
Number of Supreme Court Judges	7
Number of Intermediate Appellate Court Judges.....	9
Number of U.S. Court Districts.....	1
U.S. Circuit Court.....	2nd Circuit