

Nebraska Demographics (2016)*

- ❖ Total foreign born population – 134,137
- ❖ 7% of the state's people 1 Million people are foreign born
 - 32% naturalized citizens
 - 38.1% lawful permanent residents or temporary legal status
 - 28.3% undocumented immigrants
- <https://www.migrationpolicy.org/data/unauthorized-immigrant-population/state/NE>
- 79.7% rise in immigrant population from 2000-2016
- ❖ 16.3% of children in the state under age 18 have 1 or more immigrant parents
 - ❖ 84.7% of children with immigrant parents in the state are U.S. native
 - ❖ <https://www.migrationpolicy.org/data/state-profiles/state/demographics/NE#top> (March 2018)

Countries/Regions of Origin (2016)*

- Asia- 24.7%
 - India (4.2%)
 - China (4.1%)
 - Vietnam (3.5%)
- Latin America – 54.6%
 - Mexico (34.2%)
 - Cuba (4.0%)
 - El Salvador (3.1%)
 - South America (3.1%)
 - Colombia (2.1%)
- Europe – 6.3%
 - Eastern Europe (2.3%)
 - Western Europe (2%)
- Africa- 8.4%
- Middle East – 5%

Limited English Proficiency

(Speak English less than very well)

Naturalized citizens 42.1%

Non-citizens 68.3%

Languages Spoken at Home

- ❖ Spanish (136,925)
- ❖ Arabic (7,066)
- ❖ Vietnamese (6,394)
- ❖ Other Languages of Asia (6,382)
- ❖ Mandarin or Cantonese (5,739)
- ❖ German (4,321)
- ❖ Nepali, Marathi or other Indic Languages (4,030)
- ❖ Amharic, Somali, or Other Afro-Asiatic Languages (3,391)
- ❖ Swahili or Other Languages of Central Eastern and Southern Africa (2,858)
- ❖ Other Indo-European Languages (2,114)

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