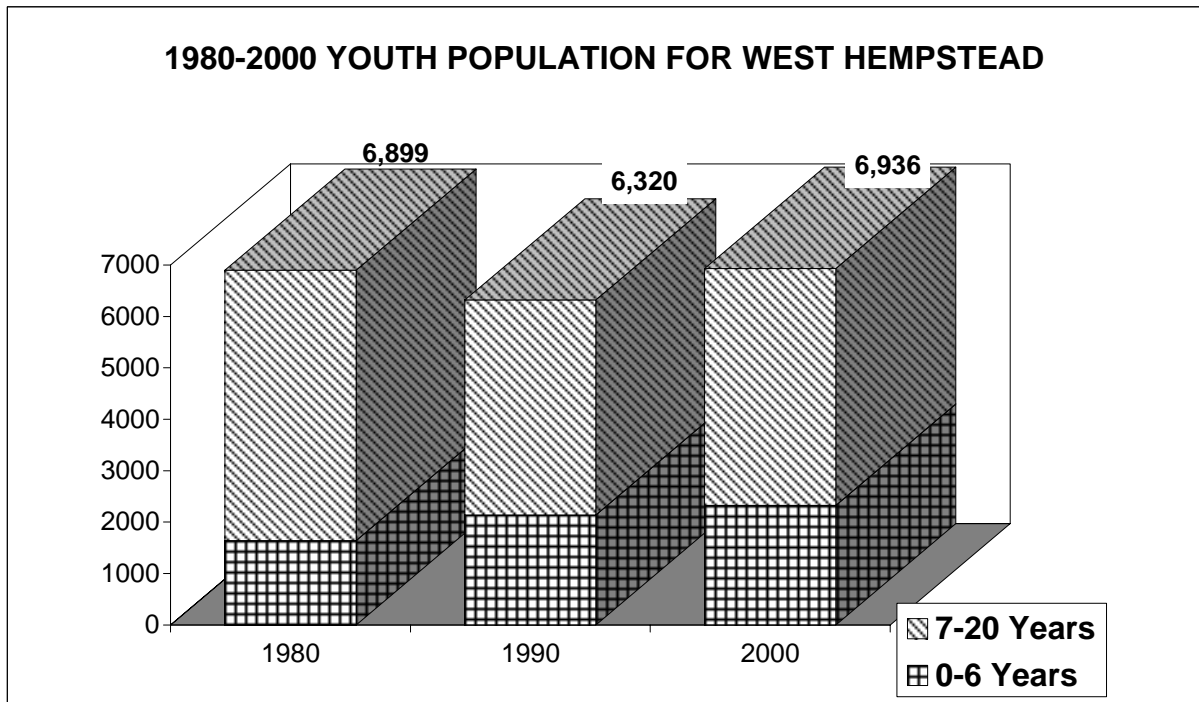


Community Profile of:	WEST HEMPSTEAD
City or Township:	HEMPSTEAD
Zip Code:	11552

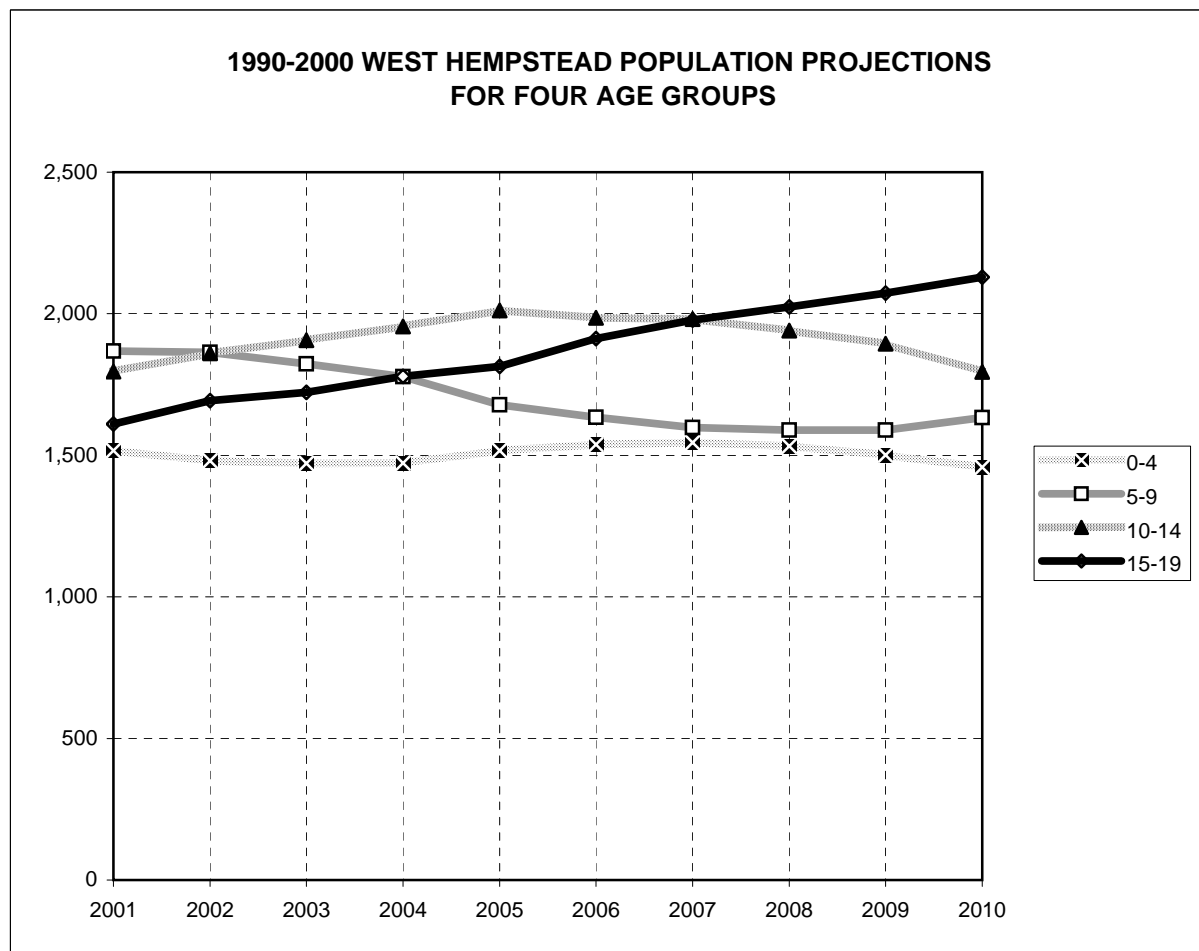
2000 CENSUS POPULATION DATA

	Nassau County	Town of Hempstead	11552 - West Hempstead Zip-Code Area
0 - 6 Years	124,164	72,250	2,326
7 - 20 Years	248,613	146,913	4,610
21+ Years	961,767	536,761	16,373
TOTAL	1,334,544	755,924	23,309
0 - 4 Years	86,628	50,335	1,561
5 - 9 Years	96,192	56,246	1,895
10 - 14 Years	93,441	54,805	1,697
15 - 19 Years	82,662	49,143	1,523
20 Years	13,854	8,634	260
0 - 20 Years	372,777	219,163	6,936
Female	181,087	106,690	3,297
Male	191,690	112,473	3,639
Median Age	38.5	37.6	37.3
Median Family Income			
1989	\$60,619	\$57,702	\$57,998
1999	\$81,246	\$77,147	\$76,897



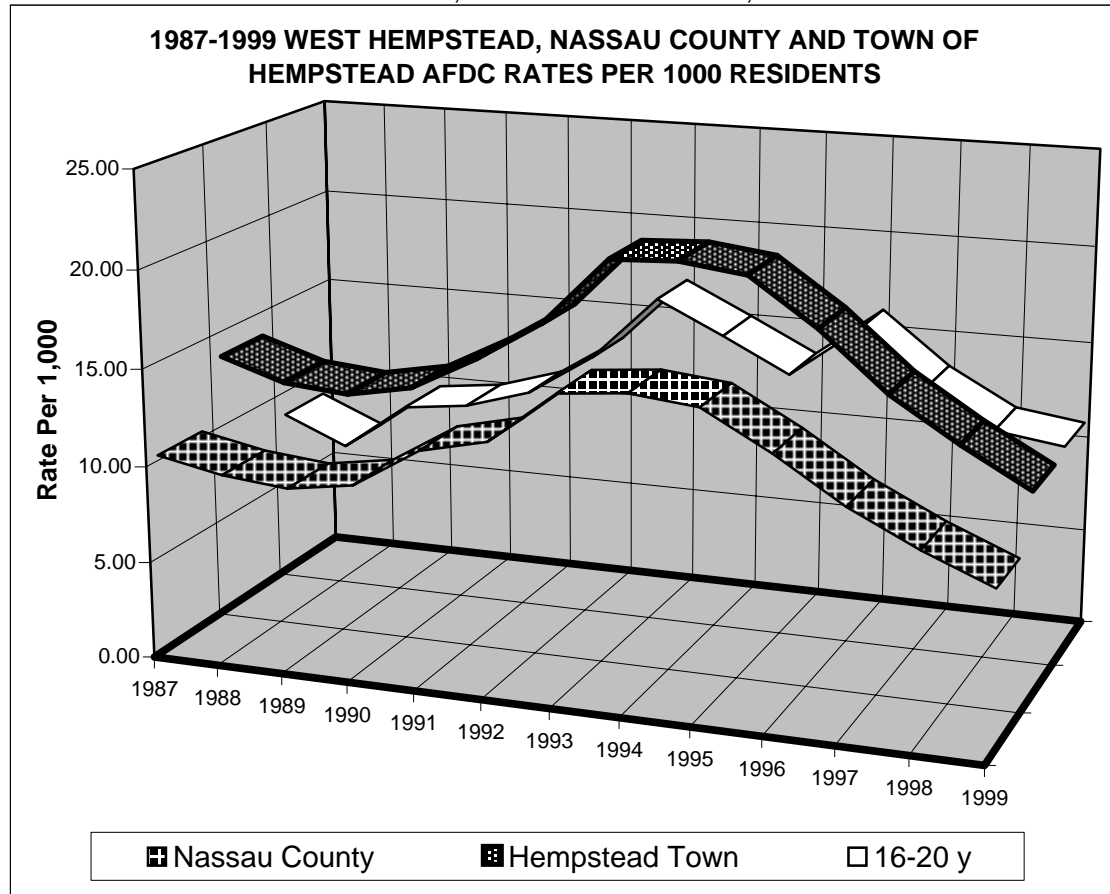
2000 POPULATION PROJECTION DATA

	Nassau County	Town of North Hempstead	11552 - West Hempstead Zip-Code Area
0 - 6 Years	118,978	73,806	2,123
7 - 20 Years	231,792	139,895	5,296
21+ Years	978,505	557,917	17,719
TOTAL	1,329,275	771,618	25,137
0 - 4 Years	83,639	52,174	1,458
5 - 9 Years	90,106	55,438	1,633
10 - 14 Years	82,042	49,470	1,795
15 - 19 Years	79,040	47,058	2,129
20 Years	15,943	9,563	403
0 - 20 Years	350,770	213,701	7,418



**TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE TO
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(NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS)**

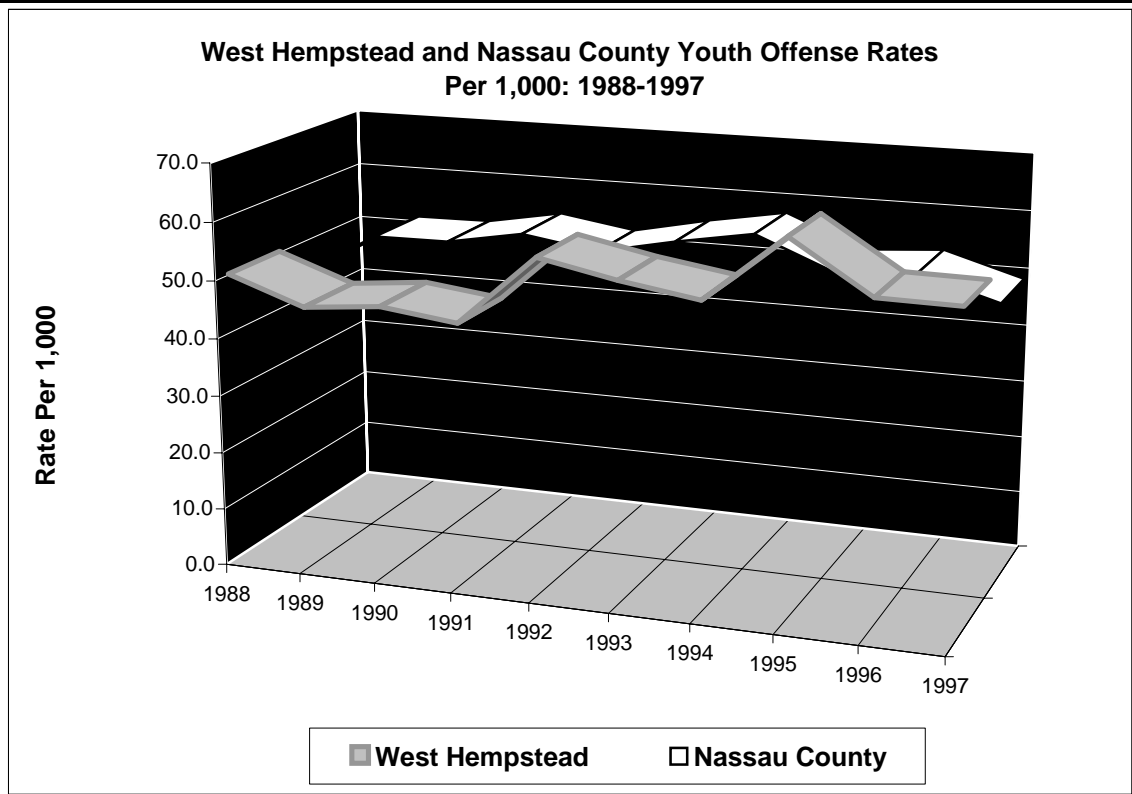
Year	Nassau County	Town of Hempstead	16-20 y Zip-Code Area
1985	15,963	11,783	192
1986	15,337	11,390	232
1987	13,321	9,981	200
1988	12,410	9,168	168
1989	11,950	8,943	226
1990	12,607	9,404	238
1991	15,317	11,504	264
1992	16,528	12,410	318
1993	20,129	15,031	400
1994	20,622	15,217	365
1995	20,229	14,981	327
1996	17,800	13,309	394
1997	14,940	11,219	332
1998	12,706	9,651	287
1999	10,825	8,265	275



11552 ZIP-CODE AREA RESIDENT YOUTH OFFENSES

Year	Arrests	7-15 Years Old		Subjects of Investigation	Totals
		Station			
		Adjustments			
1990	8	97		8	113
1991	21	64		12	97
1992	23	47		17	87
1993	34	45		18	97
1994	23	59		35	117
1995	17	80		40	137
1996	41	54		24	119
1997	29	56		21	106

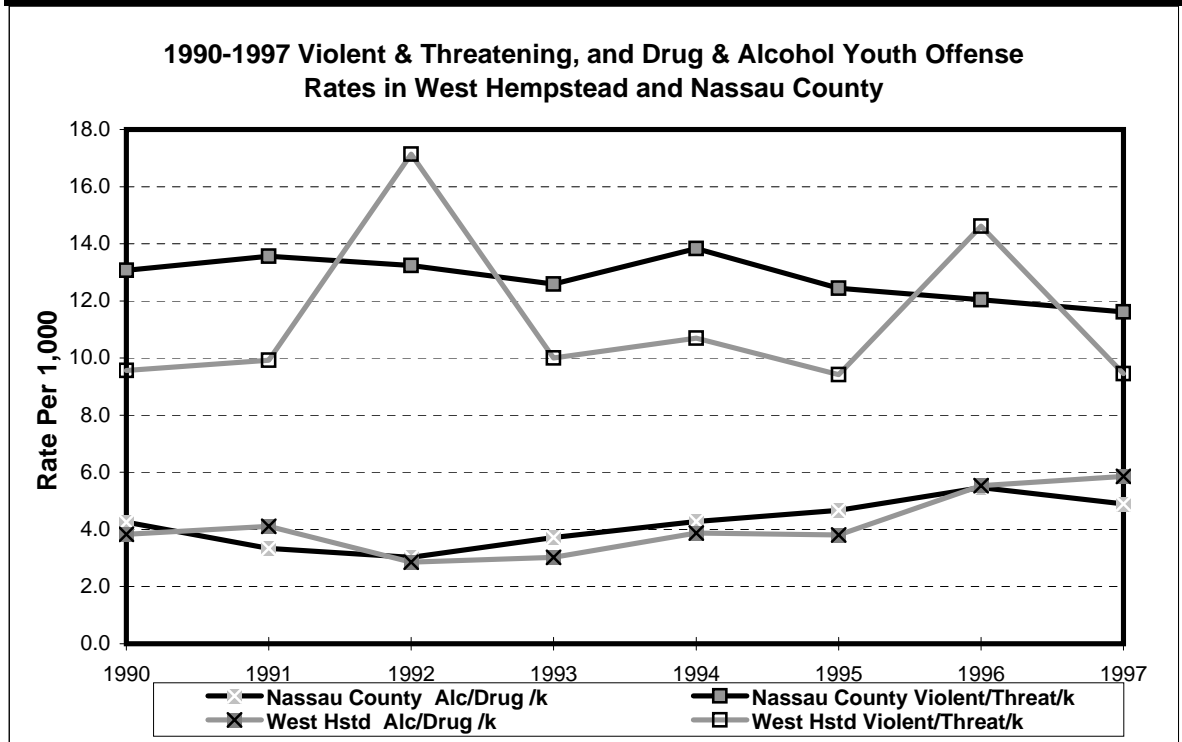
Year	Arrests	16-20 Years Old		Totals	All Ages Total Incidents*
		Subjects of Investigation			
1990	64	18		82	196
1991	46	44		90	187
1992	102	50		152	241
1993	76	61		137	235
1994	58	56		114	231
1995	66	81		147	285
1996	89	42		131	250
1997	77	62		139	245



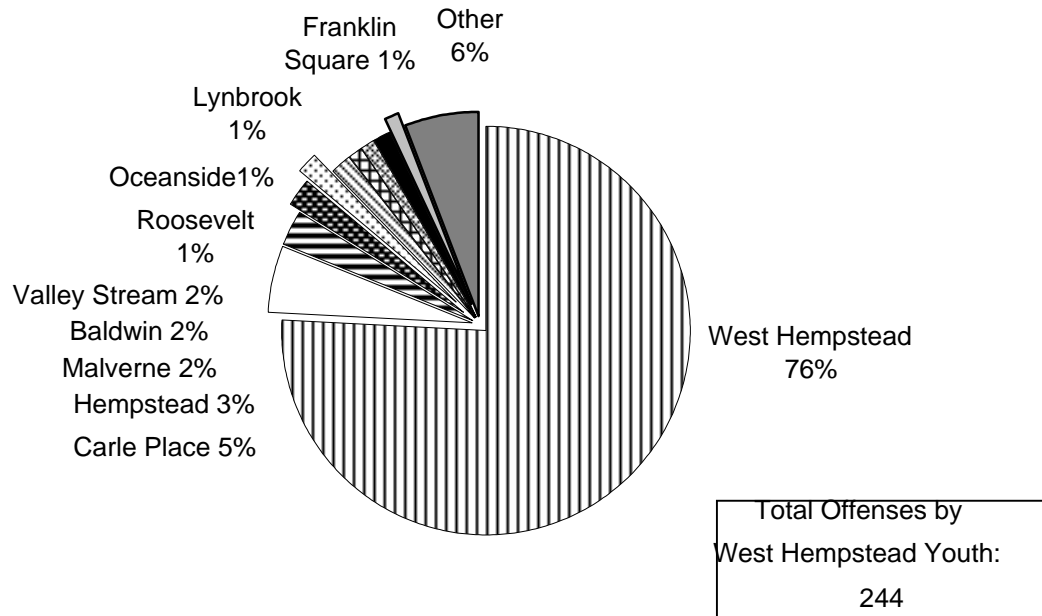
* Total incidents include arrests, station adjustments and subjects of investigation for 1988 - 1995. Subjects were not available prior to 1988. Youth offense data does not include data on convictions following from some of these arrests.

11552 ZIP-CODE AREA RESIDENT YOUTH OFFENSES								
Youth Offense Rate Per 1000 Resident Youth For Combined Offense Types and Total								
Year	Drug & Alcohol	Violent & Threatening	Property	Status	Theft	Criminal Nonconf	Other	Total
1990	3.8	9.6	11.7	10.5	6.9	3.3	0.7	46.9
1991	4.1	9.9	3.9	10.6	10.2	1.5	4.1	45.2
1992	2.9	17.1	6.7	8.3	12.9	1.9	6.2	57.4
1993	3.0	10.0	4.4	9.8	14.2	4.2	9.1	54.7
1994	3.9	10.7	5.2	12.5	10.2	0.9	9.1	52.6
1995	3.8	9.4	8.3	21.1	13.2	0.9	7.2	63.9
1996	5.5	14.6	5.5	10.0	12.4	2.0	5.3	55.4
1997	5.9	9.5	4.7	14.0	11.7	2.5	6.8	55.2

Youth Offenses For Combined Offense Types and Total								
Year	Drug & Alcohol	Violent & Threatening	Property	Status	Theft	Criminal Nonconf	Other	Total
1990	16	40	49	44	29	14	3	196
1991	17	41	16	44	42	6	17	187
1992	12	72	28	35	54	8	26	241
1993	13	43	19	42	61	18	39	235
1994	17	47	23	55	45	4	40	231
1995	17	42	37	94	59	4	32	285
1996	25	66	25	45	56	9	24	250
1997	26	42	21	62	52	11	30	245

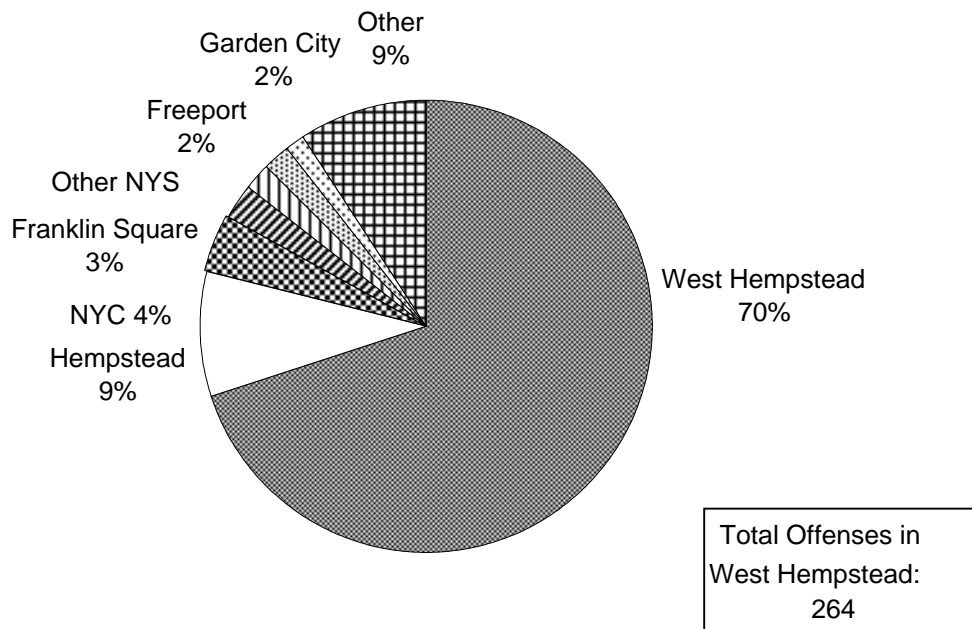


WHERE WERE WEST HEMPSTEAD YOUTH COMMITTING OFFENSES IN 1997?



"Other" communities include Elmont, New Hyde Park, Island Pk, Rockville Cte, Levittown, Manhasset, Westbury, Jericho, Woodbury and Bethpage. Each community comprises less than 1% of all offenses by West Hempstead youth.

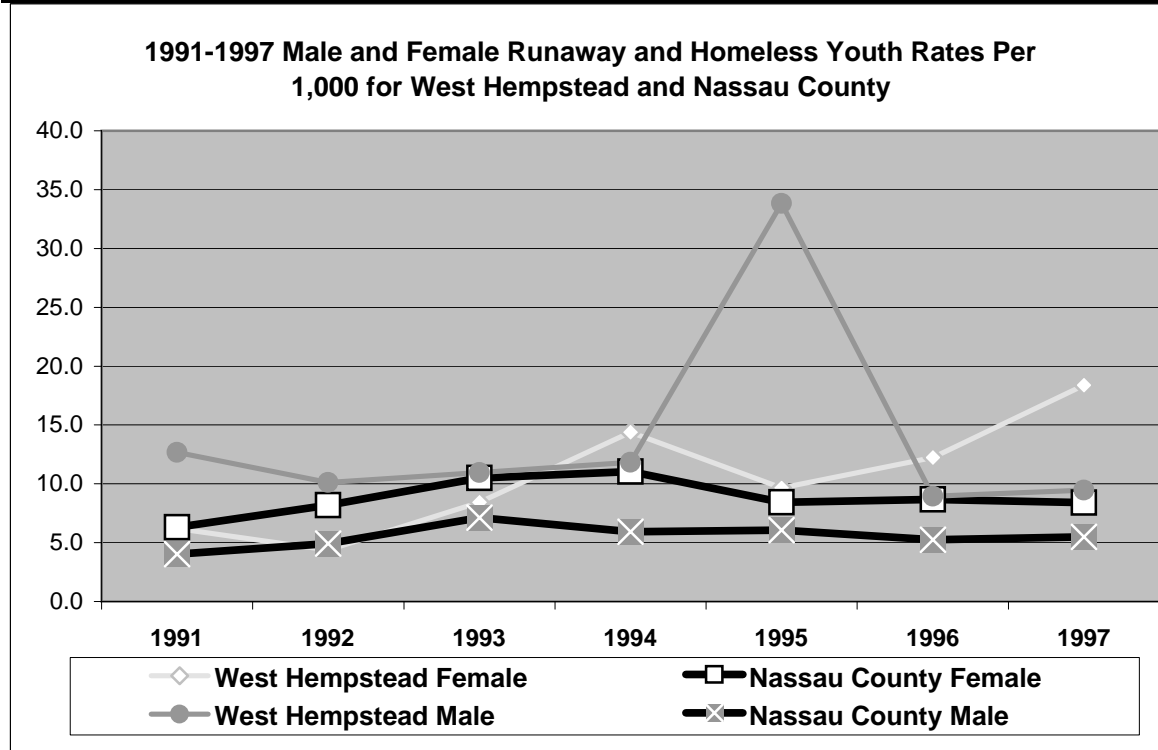
1997 YOUTH OFFENSES IN WEST HEMPSTEAD: THE OFFENDERS' COMMUNITY OF RESIDENCE



"Other" communities include Floral Pk, Malverne, Uniondale, Valley Stream, Westbury, Suffolk County, Merrick, Elmont, New Hyde Park, E Rockaway, Long Beach, Lynbrook, Roosevelt, and Williston Pk. Each community comprises less than 2% of all youth offenses in West Hempstead.

Resident West Hempstead Runaway and Homeless Youth by Age Group

Age	1991-97							Percent Change
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	
10 Yr & Less	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	0.0%
%	2.6%	3.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.4%	1.6%	
11 to 12	1	0	3	7	3	5	1	0.0%
%	2.6%	0.0%	7.5%	13.0%	3.3%	11.1%	1.6%	
13	11	0	2	5	1	6	9	-18.2%
%	28.2%	0.0%	5.0%	9.3%	1.1%	13.3%	14.5%	
14	4	5	4	10	39	12	14	250.0%
%	10.3%	16.7%	10.0%	18.5%	42.4%	26.7%	22.6%	
15	18	15	13	16	12	11	17	-5.6%
%	46.2%	50.0%	32.5%	29.6%	13.0%	24.4%	27.4%	
16	3	8	13	6	19	5	10	233.3%
%	7.7%	26.7%	32.5%	11.1%	20.7%	11.1%	16.1%	
17	1	1	5	6	12	4	8	700.0%
%	2.6%	3.3%	12.5%	11.1%	13.0%	8.9%	12.9%	
18	0	0	0	3	5	0	1	
%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	5.6%	5.4%	0.0%	1.6%	
19 to 20	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	
%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%	1.1%	0.0%	1.6%	
West Hempstead								
Total	39	30	40	54	92	45	62	59.0%
Rate Per 1,000	8.1	6.0	7.8	10.4	17.5	8.5	11.7	43.8%
Nassau County								
Rate Per 1,000	5.19	6.63	8.98	8.68	7.52	7.23	7.30	40.5%



PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT IN WEST HEMPSTEAD UFSD

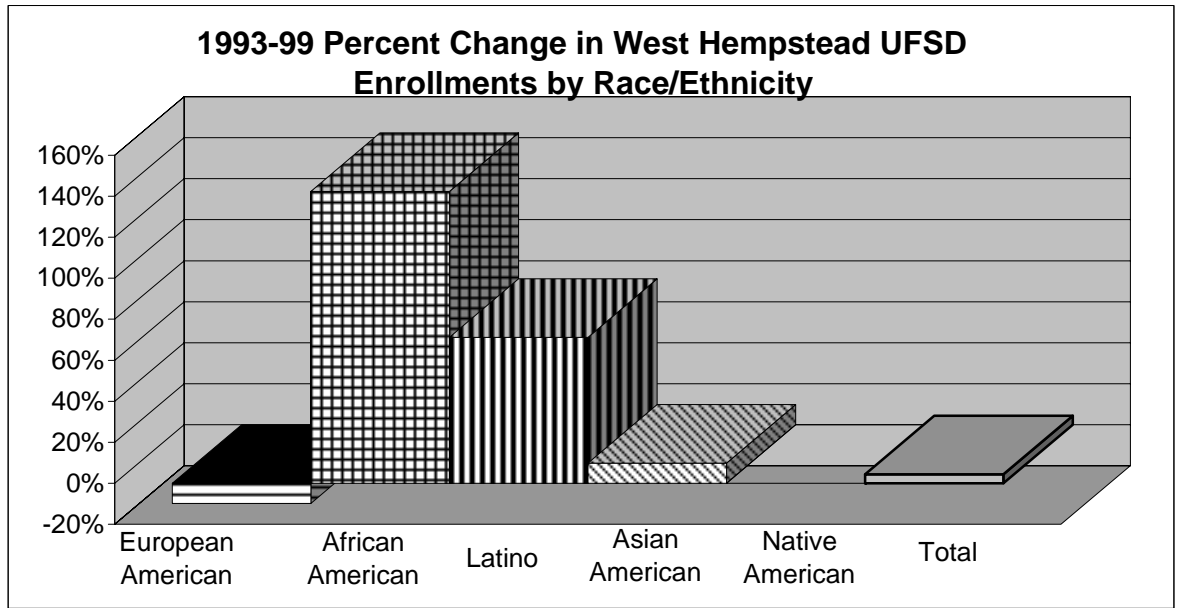
Year	European American	African American	Latino	Asian American	Native American	Total
1987	2,080	68	53	77	1	2,279
1988	1,961	81	93	100	1	2,236
1989	1,928	81	90	87	0	2,186
1990	1,856	77	111	93	0	2,137
1991	1,884	95	121	82	0	2,182
1992	1,833	107	148	92	0	2,180
1993	1,800	92	180	112	0	2,184
1994	1,803	105	188	91	0	2,187
1995	1,848	113	172	84	0	2,217
1996	1,809	124	222	88	0	2,243
1997	1,761	149	230	100	0	2,240
1998	1,691	179	244	120	0	2,234
1999	1,624	223	308	123	0	2,278

Net Change in School Enrollment Between 1987 and 1999

1987-99	European American	African American	Latino	Asian American	Native American	Total
Change in Number	-456	155	255	46	-1	-1
Change as Percent	-22%	228%	481%	60%	-100%	0%

Net Change in School Enrollment Between 1993 and 1999

1993-99	European American	African American	Latino	Asian American	Native American	Total
Change in Number	-176	131	128	11	0	94
Change as Percent	-10%	142%	71%	10%		4%

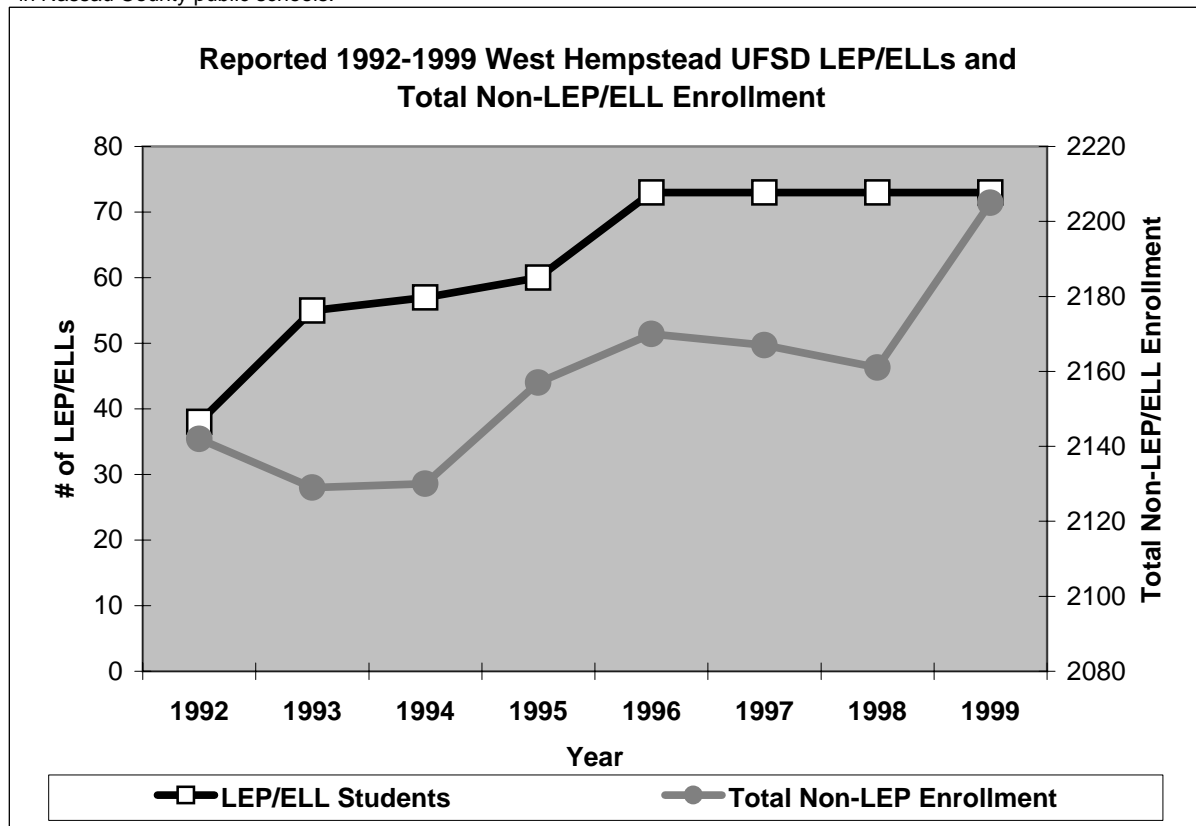


* The Native American percent increase is omitted from this chart because enrollment changes that begin or end with 10 or fewer students distort comparisons among the various ethnic groups.

REPORTED LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENT ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (LEP/ELLs) IN WEST HEMPSTEAD UFSD*

Reported Number and Percent of LEP/ELL Students in West Hempstead UFSD, Hempstead Town and Nassau County							
Year	West Hempstead UFSD		Town of Hempstead		Nassau County		
	Number	Percent of Total Enrollment	Number	Percent of Total Enrollment	Number	Percent of Total Enrollment	
1992	38	1.7%	3,240	3.2%	6,044	3.5%	
1993	55	2.5%	3,875	3.7%	6,963	4.0%	
1994	57	2.6%	4,271	4.1%	7,492	4.2%	
1995	60	2.7%	4,674	4.3%	7,823	4.3%	
1996	73	3.3%	4,847	4.4%	8,276	4.5%	
1997	73	3.3%	5,532	4.9%	9,219	4.9%	
1998	73	3.3%	5,878	5.1%	9,353	4.8%	
1999	73	3.2%	6,134	5.2%	10,077	5.1%	
1999 Total Enrollment	2,278		117,036		195,804		
1992 - 1999 % Change	92.1%		89.3%		66.7%		

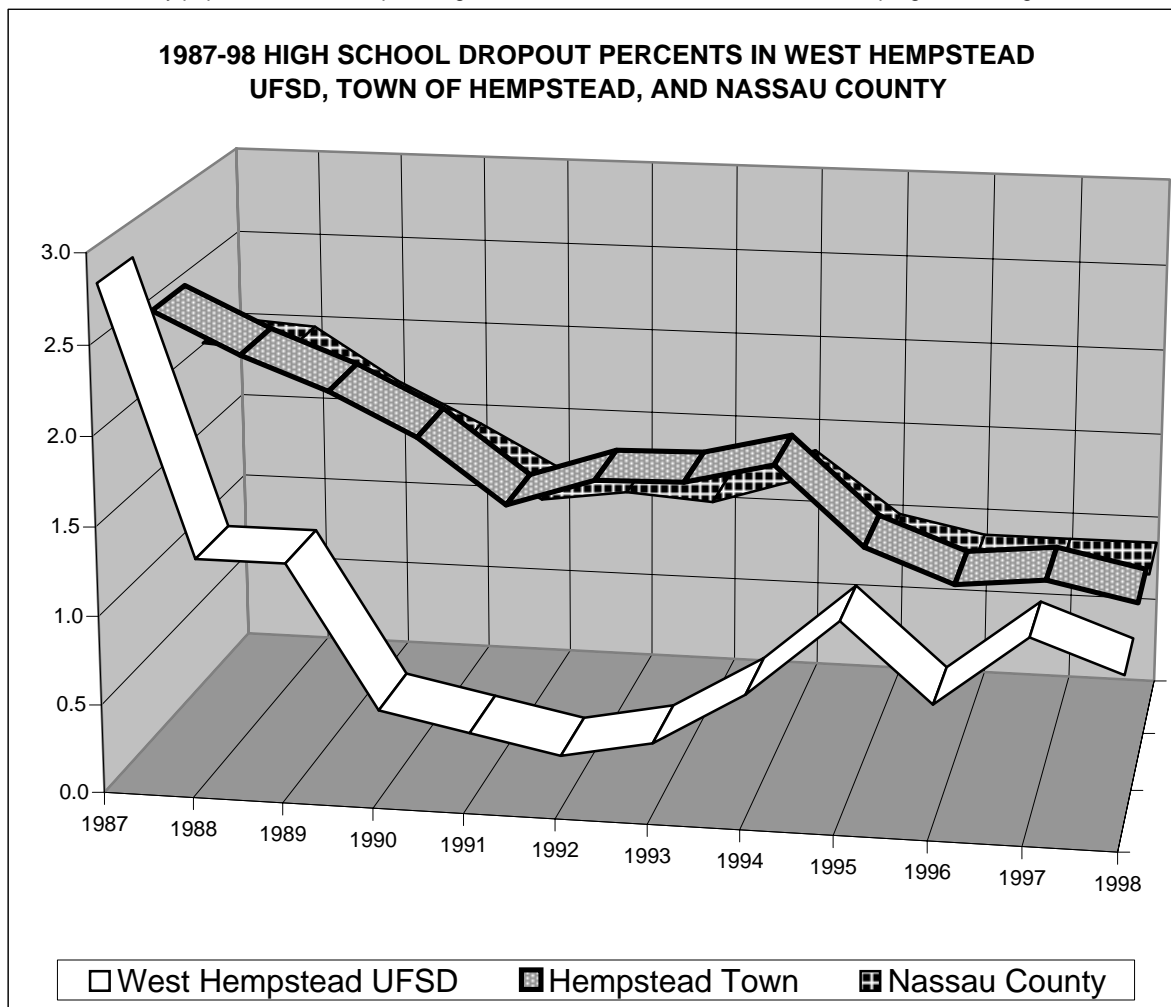
* In the 1998-1999 school year, there were 77 different languages spoken by students enrolled in Nassau County public schools.



** The annual number of reported LEP/ELLs enrollment is based upon the number of Limited English Proficient English Language Learners in the local district as reported on the State Education Department/The University of the State of New York, Commissioners Regulations Part 154 Application.

Dropouts in West Hempstead UFSD, Town of Hempstead, & Nassau County						
DROPOUT NUMBERS & PERCENTS OF HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT*						
Year	District-#	District-%	Town-#**	Town-%**	County-#	County-%
1987	31	2.8	898	2.4	1284	2.0
1988	14	1.3	759	2.2	1177	2.0
1989	13	1.3	654	2.0	932	1.7
1990	5	0.5	546	1.8	759	1.4
1991	4	0.4	432	1.4	613	1.2
1992	3	0.3	483	1.6	654	1.2
1993	3	0.4	484	1.6	630	1.2
1994	6	0.7	533	1.7	724	1.4
1995	10	1.1	395	1.3	531	1.0
1996	6	0.7	337	1.1	477	0.9
1997	10	1.1	358	1.1	479	0.9
1998	8	0.9	330	1.0	489	0.9

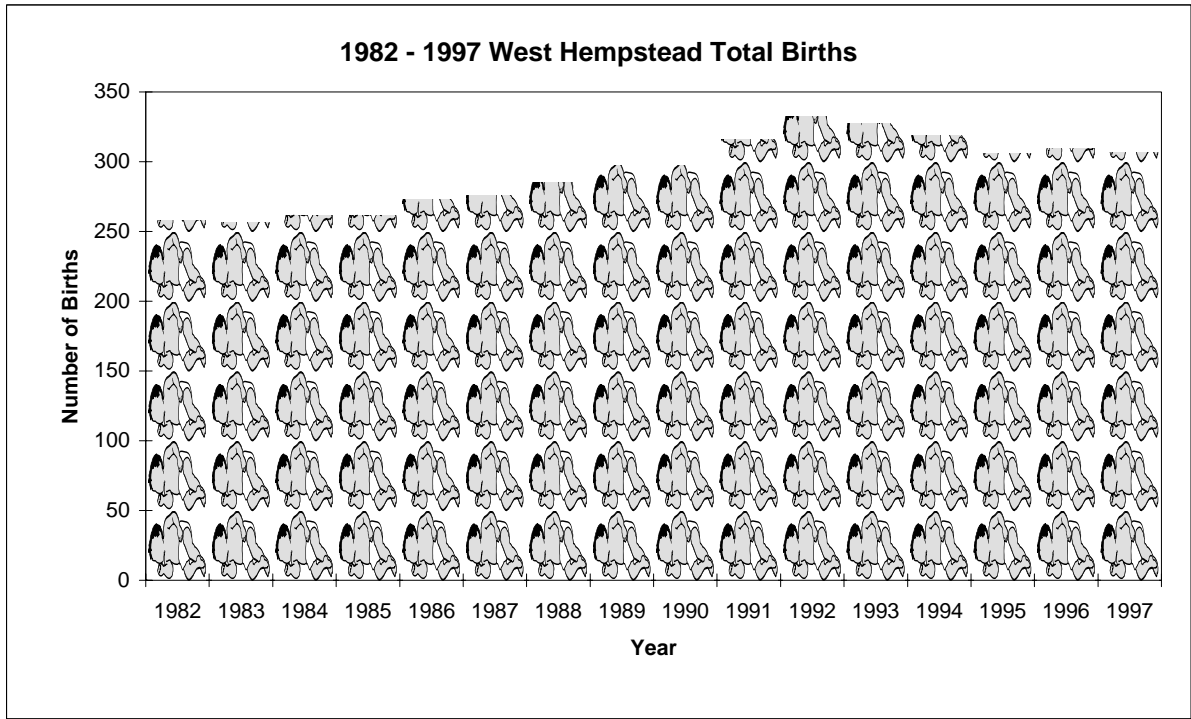
*Dropout Rate = Dropouts divided by 9-12 grade enrollment including ungraded secondary enrollment. A dropout is defined as any pupil who left school prior to graduation & did not enter another school or program leading to a GED.



**Town data based on a weighted average of communities which are fully or partially located within town boundaries.

**1982-97 Total Births and Fertility Rates For West Hempstead 11552,
Nassau County and New York State***

Year	West Hempstead		Nassau County		New York State	
	Births**	Fertility Rate	Births	Fertility Rate	Births	Fertility Rate
1982	258	51.5	14,342	49.0	246,889	59.6
1983	256	50.9	14,541	49.8	248,222	59.6
1984	262	51.9	14,758	50.6	250,436	59.9
1985	262	51.8	15,247	52.3	258,826	61.6
1986	273	53.8	15,567	53.5	263,045	62.3
1987	276	54.3	16,504	56.8	271,355	64.0
1988	285	55.9	17,072	58.8	279,976	65.8
1989	297	58.1	17,700	61.1	290,528	67.9
1990	297	58.0	18,180	62.8	297,468	69.3
1991	316	61.9	17,864	62.2	292,523	68.1
1992	332	66.1	18,065	63.3	287,531	67.2
1993	327	65.9	17,931	63.2	282,377	66.3
1994	319	63.8	17,903	64.6	277,945	65.6
1995	306	60.7	18,084	66.0	271,042	64.3
1996	309	62.0	17,722	63.8	263,611	63.0
1997	306	62.1	17,100	62.0	256,976	61.8

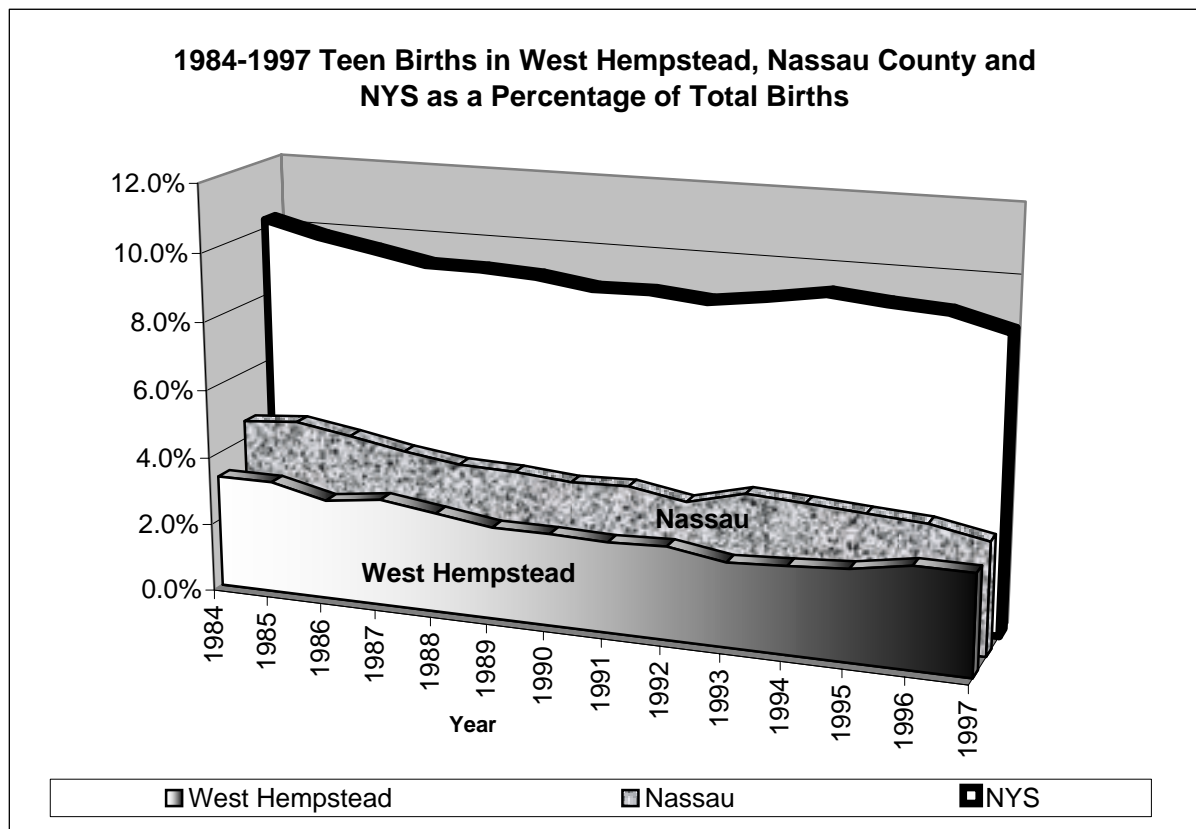


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** The number of births in the West Hempstead area is a three year "running" average for all years.

**1984-97 Births To Teen Mothers and Fertility Rates
For West Hempstead 11552*, Nassau County and New York State****

Year	West Hempstead		Nassau County		New York State	
	Teen Births	Fertility Rate	Teen Births	Fertility Rate	Teen Births	Fertility Rate
1984	9	11.1	668	12.2	25,658	35.7
1985	9	11.1	711	13.4	25,470	36.4
1986	8	10.3	685	13.4	25,134	37.0
1987	9	11.2	677	13.8	25,080	38.0
1988	8	10.8	663	14.1	25,861	40.3
1989	8	10.4	679	15.0	26,593	42.7
1990	8	10.4	674	15.6	26,553	44.0
1991	8	12.0	672	16.0	26,216	44.1
1992	9	14.4	629	15.1	25,330	43.4
1993	8	13.6	700	18.4	25,515	44.3
1994	8	12.5	682	18.2	25,852	45.3
1995	8	11.5	668	18.0	24,805	43.6
1996	9	13.3	637	15.8	23,864	41.8
1997	9	12.6	561	13.9	22,185	38.5



* The number of birth to teen mothers in the West Hempstead area is a three year "running" average for all years.

** Fertility rate based on live births per 1,000 female population 15-19. Data for 1990-97 reflect zip code boundaries. Data for prior years reflect the local community as comprised by census tracts.

Source: Nassau County & New York State Departments of Health.

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