

## Demographics

### Demographic Overview

<b>Current Local Population (2007)*:</b>	100,303
<b>Regional Population (2007)**:</b>	326,692
<b>Avg. Household Size (2007) :</b>	3.12
<b>Median Age (2007):</b>	30.6 years
<b>Home Ownership (2007):</b>	67%
<b>Avg. Household Income (2007):</b>	\$53,502

Source: Claritas, Inc. 2007 Demographic Snapshot Report

\*Current Local Population provided by the City of Victorville Development Department

\*\* Regional population estimate is based on a total of Victorville, Hesperia, Apple Valley, and Adelanto populations; unincorporated areas are not included in this estimate.

### Historic and Projected Population Estimates

1995	2000	2005	2007-est*	2012-est*
60,009	67,600	90,671	114,695	140,579
<b>Annual Growth Rate:</b>		8% (2002-2006)		

Source: City of Victorville Development Department

\*Claritas, Inc. 2007 Demographic Snapshot Report

### Age Distribution of Population

Age Group	Total (2007)	% Distribution
0-17 years	32,492	33%
18-34 years	23,425	23%
34-49 years	20,406	20%
50-59 years	10,090	10%
60-84 years	12,692	13%
85 years and older	1,198	1%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100,303</b>	<b>--</b>

Source: Claritas, Inc. 2007 Demographic Snapshot Report

### Educational Attainment of Population over 25 Years of Age

Years of School Completed	Total (2007)	% Distribution
Less than High School	14,719	22%
High School	19,493	30%
Some College	18,732	29%
Associate's Degree	5,510	8%
Bachelor's Degree	4,791	7%
Graduate Degree	2,562	4%

Source: Claritas, Inc. 2007 Demographic Snapshot Report

### Income Level

Per Capita (2007)	Median Household (2007)	Avg Household (2007)
\$17,236	\$44,211	\$53,502

Source: Claritas, Inc. 2007 Demographic Snapshot Report

### Household Income Distribution

Annual Income	Total (2007)	% Distribution
Under \$35,000	14,657	40%
\$35,000- \$49,999	5,856	16%
\$50,000-\$74,999	7,463	21%
\$75,000- \$99,999	4,427	12%
Over \$100,000	4,103	11%

Source: Claritas, Inc. 2007 Demographic Snapshot Report

## Labor Availability

### Labor Force and Unemployment – City of Victorville

Date	Total Labor Force	Number Unemployed	City Unemp. Rate	State Unemp. Rate
July 2006	30,100	28,300	6.1%	5.1%
2005 Avg Annual	29,600	27,800	6.0%	5.4%
2004 Avg Annual	28,700	26,700	6.8%	6.2%

Source: California Employment Development Department, LMID (<http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/>), "Labor Force Data for Sub-County Areas" and "California Industry Employment & Labor Force - by Annual Average"

Victorville's labor force is drawn from the Victor Valley region, which comprises the cities of Victorville, Hesperia, Apple Valley, Adelanto, and surround unincorporated areas of San Bernardino. The regional labor force is over 94,000 people.

### Commute Patterns

Commute Time	Number of Workers	% of Workers
Less than 15 minutes	7,120	25.1%
15 to 29 minutes	8,396	29.6%
30 to 44 minutes	3,773	13.3%
45 minutes and over	9,020	31.8%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005 American Community Survey, Victorville, CA, [factfinder.census.gov](http://factfinder.census.gov) (March 2007)

## Labor Costs

### Wages by Selected Occupation

Occupation	Starting Wage*	Exper. Wage*	Occupation	Starting Wage*	Exper. Wage*
Administrative Assistant	\$15.75	\$20.32	Maintenance Worker	\$11.86	\$16.22
Aircraft Mechanic	\$16.57	\$22.11	Materials Handler	n/a	n/a
Assembler	\$8.08	\$9.25	Mechanical Engineer	\$25.05	\$31.41
Auto Mechanic	\$13.22	\$17.15	Medical Lab Tech	\$13.33	\$16.34
Carpenter	\$15.77	\$21.87	Millwright	\$15.97	\$18.63
Cashier	\$7.76	\$8.49	Order Clerk	\$9.52	\$12.15
Chemical Technician	\$12.90	\$16.28	Painter	\$11.12	\$13.16
Civil Engineer	\$29.13	\$33.76	Physical Therapist	\$28.54	\$35.54
Computer Programmer	\$21.77	\$31.01	Production Supervisor	\$16.58	\$20.81
Construction Worker	\$22.34	\$27.17	Inspectors, Test ors	\$10.62	\$13.98
Customer Service Rep	\$11.33	\$14.10	Registered Nurse	\$27.25	\$31.93
Data Entry Keyer	\$9.52	\$11.87	Sales Rep	\$16.26	\$21.37
Drafter	\$16.18	\$19.75	Secretary	\$10.95	\$14.95
Electronics Engineer	\$31.86	\$38.42	Security Guard	\$8.25	\$9.55
Electronics Technician	\$22.93	\$26.26	Senior Manager	n/a	n/a
Executive Secretary	\$14.94	\$18.08	Shipping Clerk	\$9.97	\$12.38
Forklift Operator	n/a	n/a	Tool & Die Maker	\$15.84	\$21.10
Clerk (information & records)	\$12.19	\$15.10	Truck Driver, Light	\$8.85	\$11.50
Machine Tool Operator	\$11.04	\$14.97	Truck Driver, Heavy	\$15.71	\$19.31
Machinist	\$11.30	\$15.06	Welder	\$10.95	\$13.91
Maintenance Mechanic	n/a	n/a			

Source: Data represents Riverside-San Bernardino MSA. Occupational Employment and Wage Data, 2006 first quarter, ([www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov](http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov)) (March 2007)

\*Starting Wage: 25th Percentile; Experienced Wage: 50th percentile (median)

The state of California has not adopted any Right to Work laws. A Right to Work law secures the right of employees to decide for themselves whether or not to join or financially support a union. However, employees who work in the rail or airline industries are not protected by a Right to Work law, and employees who work on a federal enclave may not be.

### Employment Taxes & Mandated Benefits

Tax/ Benefit	Rate/Basis	Administering Agency
Disability Insurance	0.6% of wages, up to \$83,389 (paid by employees via withholding)	<a href="#">Employment Development Dept.</a>
Employment Training Tax	0.1% of first \$7,000 payroll per employee	<a href="#">Employment Development Dept.</a>
Unemployment Insurance	1.5% to 6.2% of first \$7,000 payroll per employee	<a href="#">Employment Development Dept.</a>
Workers' Compensation	Based on payroll and occupation	<a href="#">Department of industrial Relations</a>
Family Leave	Employees covered by Disability Insurance (see above) are eligible for up to 6 wks of paid family leave to care for a seriously ill child, spouse, parent, or domestic partner, or to bond with a	<a href="#">Employment Development Dept.</a>

	new minor child. Disability Insurance is paid by employees.	
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Source: [www.edd.ca.gov/employer.asp](http://www.edd.ca.gov/employer.asp) (March 2007); 2007 California Employer's Guide (DE-44) (March 2007)

## Higher Education

### 4-Year Universities and Colleges

Institution	Location	Distance	FTE Enrollment	Public/Private
California State University, San Bernardino				
Chapman University				
Loma Linda University				
University of California, Riverside				
University of Redlands				

Source:

### 2-Year Colleges

Institution	Location	Distance	FTE Enrollment	Public/Private
Barstow College				
Crafton Hills College				
Chaffey College				
Citrus College				
MTI College - Colton Branch Campus				
Platt College				
Riverside Community College				
San Bernardino Valley College				
Skandron College				
Summit Career College				
Training Technologies College				
Victor Valley College				

Source:

### Vocational Training

Provider	Location	Custom? (Y/N)	Programs
Addison Career Institute			
Advanced Career Center			
Aero Tech Academy			
American Technical College for Career Training			
California Computer School			
California Institute of Customer Engineering			
Concorde Career Institute			
Crest Computer Institute			
Institute of Automotive Technology			

<b>ITT Technical Institute, San Bernardino</b>			
<b>International Air Academy</b>			
<b>Los Angeles Urban League Pomona Valley Technical Center</b>			
<b>New Horizons Computer Learning</b>			
<b>Professional Career Institute</b>			

*Source:*

## Industry

### Employment by Sector – San Bernardino County

Number Employed by Industry	2002	2003	2004	2005
Agriculture/Forestry/Fishing (NAICS 11)	4,100	4,000	3,600	3,100
Mining (NAICS 10)	700	700	700	800
Utilities (NAICS 43-220000)	3,400	3,400	3,500	3,700
Construction (NAICS 20)	35,900	38,200	41,300	44,600
Manufacturing (NAICS 30)	65,600	66,100	69,300	68,500
Wholesale (NAICS 41)	25,600	27,200	28,700	30,900
Retail (NAICS 42)	71,300	72,700	77,500	83,500
Transportation & Warehousing (NAICS 43)	31,800	34,400	38,400	41,000
Information (NAICS 50)	7,500	7,300	7,100	6,900
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate (NAICS 55)	13,600	14,300	15,800	17,500
Business & Professional Services (NAICS 60)	60,300	63,500	71,500	75,000
Education & Health Care Services (NAICS 65)	8,800	8,900	8,800	8,700
All Other Services (NAICS 80)	19,900	20,400	21,400	22,200
Government (NAICS 90)	116,200	115,300	114,700	117,100

Source: Industry Employment & Labor Force - by Annual Average, March 2006 Benchmark, ([www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov](http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov)) (March 2007)

### Major Employers

Company	Employment	Product / Service
Southern California Logistics Airport	1990	Multiple ? business & industrial park
City of Victorville	1280	Local government
Victor Valley College	1150	Higher education
Desert Valley Hosp./Medical Group	1000	Medical
Verizon	940	Telecommunications
Victor Valley Union High School District	877	Education
Victor Elementary School District	848	Education
Federal Correction Complex Victorville	844	Federal government
Walmart	830	Retail
Victor Valley Community Hospital	548	Medical

#### Total Establishments in Manufacturing:

Source: City of Victorville (March 2007)

### Business Activity

#### New to Area

- **ConAgra Foods** ? 300,000 square foot distribution facility, Foxborough Industrial Park
- **Nutro Products** ? 400,000 square foot distribution and manufacturing facility, Foxborough Industrial Park
- **Newell Rubbermaid** ? 400,000 square foot distribution center, SCLA Excel Scientific, 40,000 square foot bio-medical supplies manufacturing, SCLA

#### Downsizings/Closures

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#### Expansions

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**Other Business Activity**

- **Desert Sky Plaza** ? 500,000 square foot retail center, anchored by Home Depot Midtown Spectrum ? 60,000 square foot office and retail center

*Source: City of Victorville (March 2007)*

## Transportation

### Distance to Markets

City	Distance in Miles/Direction	Drive Time
Los Angeles, CA	85 mi / SW	1 hr, 22 min
San Diego, CA	147 mi / S	2 hr, 19 min
Phoenix, AZ	361 mi / E	5 hr, 15 min
San Francisco, CA	426 mi / NW	6 hr, 42 min
Salt Lake City, UT	511 mi / NE	7 hr, 34 min
Denver, CO	935 mi / NE	13 hr, 29 min
Dallas, TX	1349 mi / E	19 hr, 47 min

Source: Mapquest (2006)

### Airports

Name	Type	Distance	Drive Time	FBO (Y/N)
Southern California Logistics Airport (SCLA)	Air Cargo	2 mi	5 min	
Ontario International Airport	International (primary airport for business travel into Victor Valley)	46 mi	46min	
Los Angeles International	International	101 mi	1 hr, 39 min	

Source: Mapquest (2006)

### Rail Transport

Name	Direction	Main or Branch?	Short or National?	Nearest Intermodal Facility
BNSF	N, S, E, W	Main (rail spur access at Foxborough International Park)	National	San Bernardino, 41 mi
Union Pacific	E, W	Main	National	City of Industry, 71 mi Los Angeles, 85 mi
Amtrak	E, W	Main	National (Southwest Chief)	n/a (station in Victorville)

Source: www.bnsf.com (2006), www.amtrak.com (2006)

### Nearest Deepwater Ports

Facility	Distance	Services
<a href="#">Port of Los Angeles</a>	105 miles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Containerized volume 7.5 million TEUs (2005)</li> <li>• Automobile terminal</li> <li>• Rebuild terminals</li> <li>• Container terminals (incl. heavy container corridor)</li> <li>• Dry bulk terminal</li> <li>• Liquid bulk terminal</li> <li>• Warehousing &amp; distribution</li> <li>• Intermodal rail</li> </ul>
<a href="#">Port of Long Beach</a>	98 miles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Containerized volume 6.7 million TEUs</li> </ul>

		(2005)
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- Containerized
- Dry bulk
- Liquid bulk
- Break bulk and Ro Ro

Source: [www.portoflosangeles.org](http://www.portoflosangeles.org); [www.polb.com](http://www.polb.com); Mapquest (2006 )

### Motor Freight & Contract Carriers (partial list)

Company	Terminal Location	Services	Area Served
Yellow Freight			
Viking Freight			
Roadway Express			
Consolidated Freight			
Ryder/PIE			

Source: Insert Source(s) and date

### Parcel Carriers

Name	Latest Pickup	First Delivery	Services	Zone
DHL				
FedEx				
UPS				
USPS				

Source: [www.dhl.com](http://www.dhl.com); [www.fedex.com](http://www.fedex.com); [www.ups.com](http://www.ups.com); [www.usps.com](http://www.usps.com);

### Public Transportation

Type	Name	Service Area	Operator
Bus	Greyhound	National	Greyhound Bus Lines
Bus	V V T A	Local	Victor Valley Transit Authority

Source: High Desert Yellow Pages

## Utilities

### Electric Providers

Name	Details
<a href="#">Victorville Municipal Utility Service</a> 14343 Civic Drive Victorville, CA 92392 (760) 243.6340	VMUS provides power to industrial customers located at Southern California Logistics Airport (SCLA) and Foxborough Industrial Park. Victorville is home to the High Desert Power Project, the first major power plant to be built in Southern California in more than two decades. In response, the City has formed its own Municipal Utility, insuring Victorville residents and businesses affordable and reliable energy for years to come. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rates – 10% below SCE</li> <li>• Transmission voltage – 30KV</li> <li>• Distribution voltage – 15KV</li> <li>• Additional benefits – Co-generation provides steam, chilled water, compressed air</li> </ul>
<a href="#">Southern California Edison</a> 12353 Hesperia Rd. Victorville, CA 92395 (800) 990-7788	Residential provider and industrial/commercial provider to businesses located out site Southern California Logistics Airport (SCLA) and Foxborough Industrial Park.

Source: City of Victorville, March 2007

### Natural Gas Providers

Name	Details
<a href="#">Victorville Municipal Utility Service</a> 14343 Civic Drive Victorville, CA 92392 (760) 243.6340	
<a href="#">Southwest Gas Corporation</a> 13471 Mariposa Rd Victorville, CA 92395 (760) 243-4251	

Source: City of Victorville, March 2007

### Telecom Providers

Name/Phone	Details
<a href="#">Verizon</a> 16071 Mojave Dr Victorville, CA 92395 (760) 243-0235	Verizon is the local provider of fiber optics and basic telecommunications.

Source: City of Victorville, March 2007

### Water Providers

Name	Supply Source	Capacity	Peak Demand
<a href="#">Victor Valley Water District</a> 17185 Yuma Street Victorville CA 92395 (760) 245-6424 <a href="#">Rate Structure</a>	Transition Zone Aquifer	Average: 5500 gpm	
<a href="#">Baldy Mesa Water District</a> 10313 Duncan Road Victorville, CA 92392 (760) 949-0332 <a href="#">Rate Structure</a> <a href="#">Engineering Worksheets</a>	Transition Zone Aquifer		

Source: City of Victorville, March 2007

## Wastewater Treatment Providers

Name	Supply Source	Capacity	Peak Demand
<a href="#">Victor Valley Wastewater Reclamation Authority</a> 20111 Shay Road Victorville, CA 92395 (760) 246-8638		18 MGD	
<i>Source: City of Victorville, March 2007</i>			

## Solid Waste

<b>Nearest Landfill:</b>	(name, location, distance)
<b>Landfill Capacity:</b>	Projected to reach capacity in (insert year)
<b>Nearest Hazardous Waste Facility:</b>	(name, location, distance, rating)
<b>Special Services:</b>	(MRFs, Recycling Incentives, etc.)
<i>Source: Insert Source(s) and date</i>	

## Taxes

### State Tax Profile

Tax	Basis	Rate	Agency
Corporation Income and Franchise Tax	Net income apportioned to California (2005 tax yr)	8.84% (except banks) 10.85% (banks, financial institutions)	<a href="#">Franchise Tax Board</a>
Sales and Use Tax	Receipts from sales or lease of taxable items (July 2006)	7.75% (6%state, 1%county, .75% city)	<a href="#">Board of Equalization</a>
Employment Training Tax	First \$7,000 of wages per employee per year (2007)	0.1%	<a href="#">Employment Development Dept.</a>
Unemployment Insurance Tax	First \$7,000 of wages per employee per year (2007)	1.5%–6.2% based on employer history (new employers 3.4%)	<a href="#">Employment Development Dept.</a>
Workers' Compensation Insurance	Payroll and occupation	Variable	<a href="#">Dept. of Industrial Relations</a>
Personal Income Tax	Taxable personal income (2005 tax yr)	1.0–9.3%	<a href="#">Franchise Tax Board</a>
Disability Insurance	First \$83,389 of wages (2007)	0.6% (paid by employees)	<a href="#">Employment Development Dept.</a>
Finished goods, raw material and inventory tax	None	None	None
Mineral severance	None	None	None
Inheritance	None	None	None

Sources: [www.edd.ca.gov/taxrep/taxrte9x.htm](http://www.edd.ca.gov/taxrep/taxrte9x.htm); <http://www.boe.ca.gov/cgi-bin/rates.cgi>; [http://www.ftb.ca.gov/forms/05\\_forms/index.html](http://www.ftb.ca.gov/forms/05_forms/index.html)  
Last updated Sep 2006-March 2007

### Local Tax Profile

Tax	Basis	Rate	Agency
Business License		\$75	<a href="#">Victorville Business License Division</a>
Transient Occupancy Tax	Accommodations at lodging facilities	7%	Victorville Finance Dept.
Utility Tax	N/A	No Utility Tax	N/A
Property Tax	Assessed valuation	1.0% of taxable value	<a href="#">San Bernardino County Treasurer-Tax Collector</a>
Telecommunications Tax	Based on sales; added to general fund for expenditures relating to Telecommunications	Franchise fee of 5% via Charter Communications	Charter Communications collects and readmits to City of Victorville

Last updated March 2007

## Industrial / Business Development Sites Available

**Southern California Logistics Airport (SCLA)** is a 5,000-acre business and industrial park master-planned for 43.5 million square feet of commercial space - the largest commercial development in the northern Inland Empire. SCLA offers:

- Manufacturing and distribution facilities with direct access to rail spur, international cargo facilities, technology centers, aviation maintenance facilities, executive jet travel center, and recreational amenities
- Lot sizes available and divisible to accommodate 20,000 to 1 million square foot facilities
- Highway access to I-15 and State Highway 395
- Market accessibility - only 90 minutes from Los Angeles

**Foxborough Industrial Park**, located on the city's east side, is part of the Bear Valley Road Redevelopment Project Area. World-class companies are calling Foxborough home including The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, M&M/Mars, AFG Glass, and most recently ConAgra Foods and Nutro Products.

- Adjacent to the Burlington Northern Santa Fe rail mainline running from the Los Angeles and Long Beach ports to points eastward, including Chicago
- Victorville Municipal Utility Services offers reliable and competitively priced energy

See more details on the sites and buildings available to you by searching the properties database on this website.

Learn more about Victorville real estate at [www.victorvillecity.com](http://www.victorvillecity.com)

## Business Resources

### Business Resources

#### Hiring/ Recruiting/ Training

**Workforce Investment and Business Resource Center**  
760-949-5682

- County of San Bernardino Jobs & Employment Services Division

**Employment Development Department**  
760-241-7930

- State of California employment services

#### Business Assistance

**Inland Empire Economic Partnership, Small Business Development Center**  
760-951-1592

- Free business assistance to small businesses, including business planning and management, business expansion, sources of financing and loan assistance and other small business assistance.

**Victor Valley Chamber of Commerce**  
760-245-6506

#### Financing


#### Development


#### Entrepreneurial & Technology


#### Industry Associations


*Insert source and date*

### Conference Facilities

Name	Type	# Meeting Rooms	Occupancy	Food Svc (Y/N)	Audio/Visual
Hilton Garden Inn & Suite	Hotel & Conference Center	4	1,250	Y	

Source: [www.hiltongardeninn.com](http://www.hiltongardeninn.com) (2007)

## Safety

### Crime Rate

Property Crime Rate per 100,000	Violent Crime Rate per 100,000
4,515	560

Source: FBI Crime Statistics, 2006, [http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/cius2006/data/table\\_08\\_ca.html](http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/cius2006/data/table_08_ca.html) (October 2007)

### Police Protection

Provider	# Stations	Officers/ 1,000 population	Special Units
San Bernardino County Sheriff	2	0.9	Gang Unit (SMASH); Detectives Bureau; School Resource Center; Theft Detail Officers

Source: San Bernardino County Sheriff's Office-Victorville Division (March 2007)

### Fire Protection

Provider	# Stations	Special Units	Insurance Rating
City of Victorville Fire Department	5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Air Logistics (SCLA)</li><li>Haz Mat (Level A)</li></ul>	ISO: 3

Source: Victorville Fire Department ([ci.victorville.ca.us](http://ci.victorville.ca.us)) (March 2007)

### Hazards

#### Seismicity

- Five faults, located 5 to 50 miles from Victorville, could cause damage and injury in the case of an earthquake. The San Andreas Fault, 24 miles south, could cause an earthquake of up to 8.3 Richter magnitude.

#### Flood Plains

- Dependent upon location within the city, generally there are no issues with flood plains.

#### Hazardous Materials

- Hazardous materials are transported on Interstate 15, US 395, State Highway 18, and the railroad.

#### Aircraft Mishap

- Southern California Logistics Airport is located 3 miles from Interstate-15 in the City of Victorville. .

Source: City of Victorville General Plan, Safety Element

## Quality of Life

### K-12 Education

School	Enrollment/Grad rate	Avg. Class Size**	Test Scores*	Public/Private
<b>Elementary</b>				
Academy of Performing Arts and Foreign Language	450	n/a	8 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Brentwood Elementary School	1,238	32	7 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Challenger School of Sports and Fitness	881	29	4 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Del Rey Elementary School	528	31	3 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Discovery School of the Arts	977	31	8 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Endeavour School of Exploration	643	32	n/a	Public (K-6)
Faith Community Christian School	51	n/a	n/a	Private (K-12)
Galileo Academy 101	192	25	n/a	Public (K-6)
Green Tree East Elementary School	659	26	2 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Irwin Elementary School	296	29	2 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Liberty Elementary School	941	28	5 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Lomas Elementary School	776	27	8 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Mojave Vista Elementary School	992	31	4 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Mountain View Montessori Charter School	82	n/a	7 API Rank	Charter (K-6)
Park View Elementary School	934	33	5 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Puesta Del Sol Elementary School	533	28	2 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Sixth Street Prep	223	30	6 API Rank	Charter (K-6)
Victor Valley Christian School	231	n/a	n/a	Private (K-12)
Village Elementary School	956	29	5 API Rank	Public (K-6)
Zion Lutheran School and Preschool	71	n/a	n/a	Private (K-6)
<b>Junior / High Schools</b>				
Cobalt Middle School	679	28	5 API Rank	Public (7-8)
Excelsior Education Center	1,044	11	4 API Rank 902 SAT	Charter (7-12)
Faith Community Christian School	51	n/a	n/a	Private (K-12)
Goodwill Education Center / Maverick High School (continuation)	236	n/a	1 API Rank	Public (9-12)
High Desert Academy of Applied Arts and Sciences	140	12	1 API Rank	Charter (7-12)
Imogene Garner Hook Junior High School	1,068	28	5 API Rank	Public (7-8)
Options for Youth - Victorville Charter School	1,549	n/a	n/a	Charter (7-12)
Silverado High School	3,583	34	3 API Rank 930 SAT	Public (9-12)
Susie Matthews Academy	133	n/a	1 API Rank	Public (7-12)
University Preparatory	348	n/a	n/a	Public (7-12)
Victor Valley Christian School	231	n/a	n/a	Private (K-12)

Victor Valley High School	2,491	27	3 API Rank 934 SAT	Public (9-12)
Victor Valley Home Academy	424	n/a	1 API Rank	Public (7-12)
Victor Valley Junior High School	684	27	3 API Rank	Public (7-8)

Source: Victor Elementary School District, [www.vesd.org](http://www.vesd.org) (2006), Victor Valley Union High School District, [www.vvuhd.k12.ca.us](http://www.vvuhd.k12.ca.us) (2006), [www.greatschools.net](http://www.greatschools.net) (data for 2005-06 school year), City of Victorville (2007).

\*API Rank is a California Department of Education measurement to compare schools. The scores range from 1 to 10. A rank of 10 means the school's average test scores ranked in the top 10% of all California schools at that grade level; a rank of 1 means the school scored in the bottom 10% for that grade level.

\*\*California Class Size Reduction mandates class sizes of no more than 20 for grades K-3.

### K-12 Highlights:

- Three elementary schools have been named California Distinguished Schools.
- One school received an Award of Academic Excellence - Title I Academic Achievement Award.
- Careers Program merges state academic standards into career exploration for fourth, fifth, and sixth graders.
- New Schools: West Palms Music Academy (under construction) will focus on musical instruments and foreign language. Sandstone School will focus on self-paced learning.
- University Preparatory School opened in 2005-06 school year.

### Cost of Living

City	COLA Index	Difference as compared to national average
Victorville	193.2	3%

Source:

### Climate

January Low/High	July Low/High	Prevailing Windspeed/direction	Annual Precipitation	Elevation	Relative Humidity
31°F / 60°F	61°F / 99°F		6.2 in.	2,730 Ft	

Source: [www.weather.com](http://www.weather.com); USGS, Geographic Names Information System, <http://geonames.usgs.gov/>

### Housing Cost & Availability

Starter	Median	Executive	# of homes on market	Avg. Time on Market
\$215,000	\$330,000	\$475,000-\$500,000		69

Source and Date:

### Rental Costs

Type	Typical Rent
Single-Family Home (3 bdr/2ba)	\$1,050-\$1,500
Apartments (2 bdr/2ba)	\$750-\$950

Source:

### Healthcare Facilities

Name Location/ Distance	# of Beds	Other Information

<a href="#">Victor Valley Community Hospital</a> Victorville	115 beds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency Care</li> <li>• Surgery</li> <li>• Pediatric unit (16-bed)</li> <li>• Maternity care, recently remodeled labor and delivery rooms, NICU</li> <li>• Ambulatory services</li> <li>• Women's Health Center and Outpatient Imaging Services</li> </ul>
<a href="#">Desert Valley Hospital</a> Victorville	83 beds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Named one of the 100 Top Hospitals in the Nation</li> <li>• General acute care and outpatient options</li> <li>• Fast-track emergency room program</li> <li>• An expanded maternity program with new labor, delivery and recovery suites</li> <li>• Cardio-neuro diagnostic department</li> <li>• State-of-the-art cardiovascular lab with diagnostic cardiac catheterizations</li> <li>• Surgery services for pediatric, adolescent, adult, and geriatric patients</li> <li>• Medical resources library and student scholarships</li> <li>• Assistance in creating and coordinating the Victor Valley College Nursing Student Training Program</li> </ul>
<a href="#">St. Mary Medical Center</a> Apple Valley, 7 mi	186 beds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cardiac</li> <li>• Diabetes education</li> <li>• Imaging</li> <li>• Emergency services, with Rapid Medical Exam</li> <li>• Surgical services, with 6 operating suites</li> <li>• Rehabilitation – speech, physical therapy, occupational therapy</li> <li>• Women and Children's Health</li> </ul>

Source: Victor Valley Community Hospital, [www.vvch.org](http://www.vvch.org) (2006); Desert Valley Hospital, [www.dvmc.com](http://www.dvmc.com) (2006); St. Mary Medical Center, [www.stmary4health.org](http://www.stmary4health.org) (2006)

## Culture–Sports–Recreation

### Theater, Fine Arts, Cultural Attractions

**Victor Valley Performing Arts Center**

**Hi Desert Center for the Arts**

**Early Man Archeological Site**

**Victor Valley Museum**

**San Bernardino County Museum**

### Sports Venues and Organizations

**Name** Brief Description

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### Recreational Facilities and Opportunities

**Mojave Narrows Park** Horseback riding, fishing, Huck Finn Day

**Big Bear, Wrightwood** Hiking and skiing

**Lake Arrowhead, Big Bear, Silverwood Lake**

**San Bernardino County Fair**

**Local parks** 17 local parks

**Golf** 6 golf courses in the area

Source and Date:

