HOMETOWN TRIVIA · SHERBORN, MA

# How well do you know Sherborn?

Circle the answer you think is right. Answers are on the last page.

**1.** About how many people lived in Sherborn in 1950?

**A.** 480
**B.** 1,200
**C.** 2,800

**2.** Did Sherborn have more people in 1960 or in 2020?

**A.** More in 1960
**B.** More in 2020

**3.** Between 2010 and 2020, did Sherborn grow or shrink?

**A.** It shrank
**B.** It grew

**4.** Which county is Sherborn in?

**A.** Norfolk County
**B.** Worcester County
**C.** Middlesex County

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**5.** About how many people lived in Sherborn in 2020?

**A.** 1,500
**B.** 4,400
**C.** 11,000

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# Let's talk about home

Read one aloud and let the stories come. There are no wrong answers on this page.

- In 1950 about 1,200 people lived in Sherborn. What is the biggest change you have seen in town since then?
- Where did people in Sherborn go for an ice cream cone on a summer night?
- What was downtown Sherborn like on a Saturday when you were young?
- Where did you go to school, and how did you get there each morning?
- What did a loaf of bread or a gallon of gas cost when you first went shopping on your own?

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# Around Sherborn

Y F F T H C T W L C A W E S M
O N M A O S K P A R A D E H T
B C C S C H O O L H O U S E R
T U H E A U B S D H P P E R O
A I U I D A A T M E A R N B L
G H R C O A N O I D T U R O L
B R C E F K D F N S E G P R E
A H H C I G S F N S D H I N Y
K R B R R A T I R T E I C T V
E D E E E I A C E F E A N K L
R K L A H M N E W C K R I E U
Y V L M O B D S G U D S C R R
A U Y V U V M O H E V C W D E
A T A P S R L I B R A R Y O N
I O W A E P D U L K U A Y H H

- ☐ BAKERY
- ☐ BANDSTAND
- ☐ CHURCHBELL
- ☐ DINER
- ☐ FIREHOUSE
- ☐ ICECREAM
- ☐ LIBRARY
- ☐ MAINSTREET
- ☐ PARADE
- ☐ PICNIC
- ☐ POSTOFFICE
- ☐ SCHOOLHOUSE
- ☐ SHERBORN
- ☐ TROLLEY

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# Answers and sources

**1. 1,200** The 1950 census counted 1,245 people in Sherborn.

Sources: https://www2.census.gov/library/publications/decennial/1960/pc-s1-supplementary-reports/pc-s1-9.pdf · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sherborn,_Massachusetts

**2. More in 2020** Sherborn counted 1,806 people in 1960 and 4,401 in 2020.

Sources: https://www2.census.gov/library/publications/decennial/1960/pc-s1-supplementary-reports/pc-s1-9.pdf · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sherborn,_Massachusetts

**3. It grew** Sherborn counted 4,119 people in 2010 and 4,401 in 2020.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sherborn,_Massachusetts

**4. Middlesex County** Sherborn is in Middlesex County, Massachusetts.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q591912

**5. 4,400** The 2020 census counted 4,401 people in Sherborn.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sherborn,_Massachusetts

**Word search answers.** Every word reads left to right, top to bottom, or diagonally downward. None run backwards.




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