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# ECONOMIC PROFILE

# PARK CITY & SUMMIT COUNTY, UTAH

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# ECONOMIC PROFILE

# **Education Information**

# UTAH SUMMIT COUNTY PARK CITY

# Education Information - Summit County Public Schools

There are three school districts in Summit County: Park City, North Summit and South Summit. The Park City School District includes four K-5 elementary schools (Jeremy Ranch, McPolin, Parley's Park and Trailside); Ecker Hill Middle School (6-7); Treasure Mountain Junior High (8-9); and Park City High School (10-12). In addition, the Park City Learning Academy offers Park City High School students an alternative setting for core class instruction and PCCAPS (Park City School District Center for Advanced Professional Studies) offers courses that give students an insiders' view of careers in their area of interest and helps them develop real-world skills. North Summit School District, located in Coalville, includes North Summit Elementary (K-4), North Summit Middle School (5-8) and North Summit High School (9-12). The South Summit School District in Kamas includes South Summit Elementary (K-6), South Summit Middle School (7-9), and South Summit High School (10-12).

Each district offers the state regulated core curriculum. All elementary schools are required to teach reading, math, science and social studies. They also offer physical education and computer classes. Core curriculum for middle school covers language arts, math, science, social studies/history, health/physical education and information technology. Expanded curriculum includes drama, music, visual arts, dance, foreign language, shop, home economics and life skills. Outdoor programs provide experience with the natural world and environmental issues.

# Education Information - Summit County Public Schools

Each high school offers all required subjects along with a variety of electives. Students are encouraged to take additional classes in core subjects, such as math and science, as well as advanced classes to prepare for college. For those students not planning to attend college, the schools offer a variety of technical and vocational subjects such as nursing, mechanics and computer applications. In addition, the high schools offer work release programs, student newspapers, a variety of clubs and extra-curricular organizations as well as release time for Latter-day Saints (Mormon) Seminary. Varsity sports are available for both female and male students. Students must meet minimum academic requirements to participate.

# PARK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

District Office	Phone Number	<u>Contact</u>
Jill Gildea, Superintendent	435-645-5600	pcschools.us
<u>Schools</u>		
Jeremy Ranch Elementary McPolin Elementary Parley's Park Elementary Trailside Elementary Ecker Hill Middle School Treasure Mountain Middle School Park City High School Park City Learning Academy PCCAPS	435-645-5670 435-645-5630 435-645-5620 435-645-5680 435-645-5610 435-645-5640 435-645-5650 435-645-5626 435-645-5655	
Community Education		
Park City Education Foundation Community Education Leisure Learning	435-615-0235 435-615-0216 435-615-0215	

# NORTH SUMMIT SCHOOL DISTRICT

District Office	Phone Number	<u>Contact</u>
Jerre Holmes, Superintendent	435-336-5654	jholmes@nsummit.org
<u>Schools</u>		
Elementary	435-336-2101	
Middle School	435-336-5678	
High School	435-336-4313	
	-	www.coumpit.org
SOUTH SUMMIT SCHOOL DISTRICT	Γ	www.ssummit.org
SOUTH SUMMIT SCHOOL DISTRICT	Phone Number	www.ssummit.org
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Elementary	435-783-4318
Middle School	435-783-4341
High School	435-783-4313
Silver Summit Academy	435-783-4010

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### The Weilenmann School of Discovery

4199 Kilby Road Park City, UT 84098 435-575-5411 Cindy Phillips, Executive Director

**The Weilenmann School of Discovery** is a public charter school, offering Lower School (K-5) and Middle School (6-8) curriculum, as well as After School and Summer Programs. The school welcomes all students, and promotes engaged, active learning to prepare them for their future. Master Teachers design and enact inquiry-based instruction that exceeds core standards, integrating technologies, media, science, visual and performing arts into the core curriculum, as well as utilizing nature to enhance the educational experience. The vision of the faculty and staff is to create a public charter school where students discover the power of their own potential – to learn, innovate, and change the world.

The Winter Sports School in I	www.wintersportsschool.org	
4251 Shadow Mountain Drive Park City, UT 84060 435-649-8760	Tess Miner-Farra, Head of School	info@wintersportsschool.org

**The Winter Sports School** is a non-profit organization with a mission to develop students with a passion for learning and excellence, in both academics and athletics. The school offers a college preparatory program that combines high academic standards with distinction in winter sports. The school operates a full-year public Utah Charter School for students in grades 9 through 12. The academic calendar runs from April through November, giving students the opportunity to focus their energy during winter months on training and competition. Non-Utah residents may also attend as tuition-paying students.

cindyphillips@wsdpc.org

Picabo Street Academy

www.picabostreetacademy.com

1762-B Prospector Avenue Park City, UT 84060 435-714-1408 Cindy Phillips, Executive Director

info@psa-edu.com

**Picabo Street Academy** provides the flexibility of a virtual curriculum paired with live teachers to provide one-onone teaching and support: an **enriched blended model.** Students are encouraged to come to school each day as their training schedule permits, to work either independently, with peers or with our teachers. In this student centric model, students are encouraged to be a part of the planning process and be accountable for learning outcomes. With as much or little live support as needed or wanted during a full 12 month period, students are able to determine when they learn, knowing that they will never be behind; the completion of courses is not determined by the number of days sitting in a classroom, but by concepts mastered and skills learned. Staff at Picabo Street Academy take a holistic approach to the schooling of each of its students with a vision of providing exceptional individualized education through 6 core values: excellence, integrity, accountability, attitude, tenacity and grit.

Sources: Park City Education Foundation; Park City, North Summit and South Summit School Districts; Picabo Street Academy; Weilenmann School of Discovery; The Winter Sports School in Park City Updated June 2018

# PUBLIC SCHOOL INFORMATION

Public School District Enrollments					
Fall 2013 Fall 2014 Fall 2015 Fall 2016 Fall 2017					
Park City	4,630	4,739	4,763	4,891	4,816
North Summit	990	1,004	1,034	1,042	1,048
South Summit 1,495 1,510 1,537 1,574 1,650					

Source: Utah State Board of Education – Updated June 2018

Pupil/Teacher Ratios					
	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Park City School District	18.73	17.87	17.15	16.75	16.56
North Summit School District	18	18.45	18.21	19.12	18.82
South Summit School District	19.42	19.03	19.66	19.44	19.4
State of Utah	22.16	22.1	22.02	21.76	21.84
Nation	15.96	16	16	16.1	16

Source: Utah State Board of Education; National Center of Education Statistics – Updated June 2018

Spending Per Student (Net Expenditures)					
	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Park City SD	\$10,968	\$11,687	\$11,891	\$12,049	\$11,893
North Summit SD	\$9,010	\$9,009	\$9,469	\$9,473	\$9,680
South Summit SD	\$8,241	\$8,340	\$8,695	\$8,829	\$9,138
State of Utah	\$6,558	\$6,675	\$6,817	\$7,032	\$7,298
United States	\$10,763	\$10,590	\$10,870	\$11,480	\$11,840

Source: Utah State Board of Education – Updated June 2018

# Education Information- Summit County Private Schools

Park City Day School

www.parkcitydayschool.org

3120 Pinebrook Road Park City, UT 84098 435-649-2791 Ian Crossland, Head of School

**Park City Day School** provides small class sizes, dynamic curriculum and a creative education for preschool through 9th grade. The school also offers Afterschool and Summer Programs. The Early Childhood Program focuses on cognitive, social, emotional and physical development. Lower School (K-5) curriculum covers language arts, math, social studies, science, technology, foreign language, physical education, visual and performing arts. The Middle School Program (6-9) expands upon these core subjects to offer a solid academic preparation for high school and beyond.

# Education Information-Summit County Montessori Schools

Another Way School

www.anotherwayschool.org

6587 Mountain View Drive Park City, UT 84098 435-615-1429

**Another Way School** is a private Montessori school in Park City. A strong Montessori academic curriculum and the Native American way of honoring "all my relations" allows students (ages 3 to 12) to explore their own self and discover who they are. The multi-age classroom experience, an outdoor education emphasis, a spiraling curriculum, child- centered skiing, an equestrian program, "hands-on" Living History, movement, and art contribute to nurturing the mind, heart, and spirit of the active learner.

### Little Miner's Montessori School

1091 Beehive Drive Park City, UT 84060 435-940-1822

**Little Miners Montessori School's** ten teachers guide and educate 120 children. Its new building in Silver Creek features three classrooms, a multipurpose room, a green house, an art room and an office. The school is situated in a quiet neighborhood surrounded by pastures of farm animals, providing a peaceful environment for young children aged 2 ½ - 7 years old. Programs include Early Childhood & Kindergarten, Toddler, Art, Yoga, Skiing, Ice Skating, Foreign Language, Summer Camps and Extended Day.

www.littleminers.org

Subie Stone, School Director

Diane Bode, Founder & Executive Director

# Education Information - Summit County Montessori Schools

Soaring Wings International Montessori School

www.soaringwings.org

1580 Old Ranch Road Park City, UT 84098 435-649-3626 Leah Linebarger, School Director

**Soaring Wings International Montessori School** provides private instruction for children from infancy to 9th grade. A member of The International Montessori Council, all teachers hold an American Montessori teaching credential. Curriculum covers math, science, literacy, social studies, practical life, sensorial, penmanship, fine arts, foreign language and healthy lifestyles. Soaring Wings is dedicated to the Montessori philosophy that a child learns best in an environment that supports each individual's unique process of development. Activities promote development of self-esteem, social skills, emotional growth and physical coordination as well as cognitive preparation.

# CHILDCARE SERVICES / PRESCHOOL & EARLY LEARNING

Park City Locations	<u>Phone Number</u>	Website Address
Another Way School	435-615-1429	anotherwayschool.org
ABC Great Beginnings	435-645-7375	abcgreatbeginnings.com
Creekside Kids Academy	435-655-0195	creeksidekids.net
Deer Valley Resort Children's Center	435-645-6648	deervalley.com
Guardian Angel Babysitting Service	435-640-1229	guardianangelbaby.com
Kid's Cabin (Silver Mtn. Sports Club) Prospector	435-615-6620	thekidscabinparkcity.com
Kid's Cabin (Silver Mtn. Sports Club) Kimball	435-647-0022	thekidscabinparkcity.com
Little Adventures Children's Center-		
(Park City Canyon Village)	435-615-8036	parkcitymountain.com
Little Miners Montessori	435-940-1822	littleminers.org
Mother Goose of Utah Child Care	435-503-4896	mothergooseofutah.com
Park City Day School	435-649-2791	parkcitydayschoool.org
Park City Cooperative Preschool	435-649-5949	parkcitycoop.com
Park City School District Preschool	435-645-5600	pcschools.us
Park City Sitters	435-640-7193	parkcitysitters.com
PC Tots (Sidewinder)	435-731-8860	pctots.org
PC Tots Too (Prospector)	435-731-8203	pctots.org
The Peek Program	435-649-9188	thepeekprogram.com
Right Start Kids Academy (Black Diamond Gym)	435-615-1800	blackdiamondgym.com
Shining Stars Cooperative School	435-658-5028	shiningstarsparkcity.org
Soaring Wings Montessori	435-200-8246	soaringwings.org

# CHILDCARE SERVICES / PRESCHOOL & EARLY LEARNING

### Kamas Location

### Phone Number

AristoCat Children's Academy South Summit School District Preschool 435-640-8982 435-783-4301

### Website Address

aristocatchildrensacademy.com ssummit.org

# CHILDREN & TEENS - ACTIVITIES

### Ski & Snowboard Schools

Deer Valley Resort Park City Mountain Resort

### **Other Activities**

Basin Recreation Youth Activities Kimball Art Center Park City Library Park City Recreation Youth Programs Summit County Library Coalville Branch Kamas Branch Kimball Junction Branch Bookmobile

### Phone Number

435-645-6648 800-472-6309

### Phone Number

435-645-6648 435-649-8882 435-615-5600 435-615-5400

435-336-3070 435-783-4351 x3080 435-615-3900 435-513-0826

### Website Address

deervalley.com parkcitymountain.com

### Website Address

basinrecreation.org kimballartcenter.org parkcitylibrary.org parkcity.org All Summit County Libraries: www1.youseemore.com/summit county

# COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES IN UTAH

Utah System of Higher Education (USHE)

# Dixie State University (DSU)

Located in St. George, Utah, the institution's status was changed from Dixie State College to Dixie State University in 2013. The university offers baccalaureate degrees, associate degrees and certifications in a number of majors to meet the needs of students, the community and the state.

### Salt Lake Community College (SLCC)

Salt Lake Community College is an accredited, student-focused urban multi-campus college. SLCC serves more than 60,000 students through credit and non-credit courses, making it the largest higher education institution in Utah. To accommodate student needs, SLCC has 13 locations throughout the Salt Lake Valley, including online options.

## Snow College

Originally founded in 1888 as an academy for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, this two-year college became a state institution in 1932. Two campuses, in Ephraim and Richfield, offer primarily academic transfer programs and some applied technology programs. Snow College maintains the smallest freshman and sophomore class sizes in the state.

### www.dixie.edu

# www.slcc.edu

www.snow.edu

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# Utah System of Higher Education (USHE) - continued

## Southern Utah University (SUU)

Southern Utah University has evolved from a teacher training institution to its current role as a comprehensive, regional university offering graduate, baccalaureate, associate and technical programs. People of the region look to the University for skill development opportunities, academic specialties, outreach services, cultural and athletic activities, economic and business development and regional archives.

## University of Utah (U of U)

Located in Salt Lake City, the U of U is the flagship institution of higher learning in the state. It serves over 31,000 students from across the U.S. and the world with over 72 major subjects at the undergraduate level and more than 90 major fields of study at the graduate level, including law and medicine. The U of U is a leader in biotechnology research. Its accomplishments include the first successful artificial heart transplant, the discovery of the first gene linked to breast cancer, and a strong partnership with the Huntsman Cancer Institute.

# Utah System of Technical Colleges (UTEC)

UTEC is the parent organization for Utah's eight regional technical colleges: Bridgerland, Davis, Dixie, Mountainland, Ogden, Southwest, Tooele and Uintah Basin. Established by the State of Utah, UTEC provides market- driven technical education meeting the business and industry needs for technically-skilled workers and promotes economic development by providing market-driven technical education to secondary and adult students.

www.suu.edu

www.utah.edu

www.utec.edu

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# COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES IN UTAH

# Utah System of Higher Education (USHE) - continued

# Utah State University (USU)

Established in 1888 as the Agricultural College of Utah, Utah State University has developed into a world-class institution of higher learning. USU continues to live up to its original ideal of educating rural citizens with distance-learning centers throughout the state. It also conducts groundbreaking research at its Logan campus. Through its partnership with NASA, USU is among world leaders in the number of experiments launched into space.

### Utah State University Eastern (USU Eastern)

Formerly the College of Eastern Utah and now part of the Utah State University system, Utah State University Eastern Utah is the state's only comprehensive regional college and serves as the state's educational hub for Eastern and Southeastern Utah. With campuses in Price and Blanding, Utah students may earn a Certificate of Completion, Associate of Applied Science, Associate of Science or Arts, Bachelor's, Master's or Doctorate degree in a number of program areas.

# Utah Valley University (UVU)

Utah Valley University, formerly Utah Valley State College, offers short-term training programs, training for hightech careers, transfer degrees and bachelor's degrees. Starting in 1941 as a vocational learning center for locals looking to gain better technical skills, UVU has since grown to become a four-year accredited university. Other campus expansions include the addition of the Wasatch Campus in Heber City, Utah. UVU has campus offerings in both the north and south ends of Utah Valley.

### www.eastern.usu.edu

www.uvu.edu

# COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES IN UTAH

# Utah System of Higher Education (USHE) - continued

# Weber State University (WSU)

www.wsu.edu

Weber State University is a multi-campus university with extensions located in Utah and Davis counties. WSU offers the largest, most comprehensive undergraduate programs in the state. This university offers an array of distance learning, independent study, and evening classes to meet the needs of its diverse student body.

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Utah Private Institutions

## Brigham Young University (BYU)

Established in 1875, Brigham Young University provides an education in an atmosphere consistent with the ideals and principles of its sponsor, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (LDS). BYU is recognized for its extensive language programs, performing arts ensembles, sports programs, and devotion to combining solid scholarship with the principles of the LDS church. BYU is home to renowned graduate programs in Business and Law.

### LDS Business College

Owned and operated by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, LDS Business College has educated students for well over a century. It is a unit of the Church Educational System, which also includes Brigham Young University, Brigham Young University – Hawaii, Brigham Young University – Idaho, elementary and secondary schools, and institutes of religion and seminaries around the world.

## Westminster College

Founded in 1875, Westminster College is a fully independent, privately funded, nondenominational, comprehensive liberal arts college. This institution for higher learning offers select graduate programs. Although small in comparison to the surrounding colleges and universities, WC has experienced tremendous growth leading to several campus expansions over the last couple of years.

www.byu.edu

www.westminstercollege.edu

### www.ldsbc.edu

# COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES IN UTAH

Utah Private Institutions - continued

# Western Governors University (WGU)

Founded in 1997, when a group of U.S. governors came up with an innovative answer to a question of growing concern. Ensuring residents greater access to a college education that fits their schedule. The principal mission of WGU is to improve quality and expand access to post-secondary educational opportunities by providing a means for individuals to learn independent of time or place and to earn compentency-based degrees and other credentials that are credible to both academic institutions and employers. Education without boundaries.<sup>™</sup>

# COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES IN UTAH

# Other Accredited Institutions

- Broadview University
- College America
- Columbia College Salt Lake
- Eagle Gate College
- Everest College
- Neumont University
- Provo College
- Stevens-Henager College
- University of Phoenix
- Webster University at Hill AFB

## Additional Higher Education Resources

- State of Utah
- Utah Career & Technical Education
- Utah Education Network
- Utah Educational Savings Plan
- Utah Higher Education Assistance Authority
- Utah Navajo Trust Fund
- Utah Proprietary Colleges & Universities
- Utah State Board of Directors
- Utah System of Higher Education

www.broadviewuniversity.edu www.collegeamerica.edu www.ccis.edu www.eaglegatecollege.edu www.Everest.edu www.neumont.edu www.provocollege.edu www.stevenshenager.edu www.phoenix.edu www.webster.edu

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