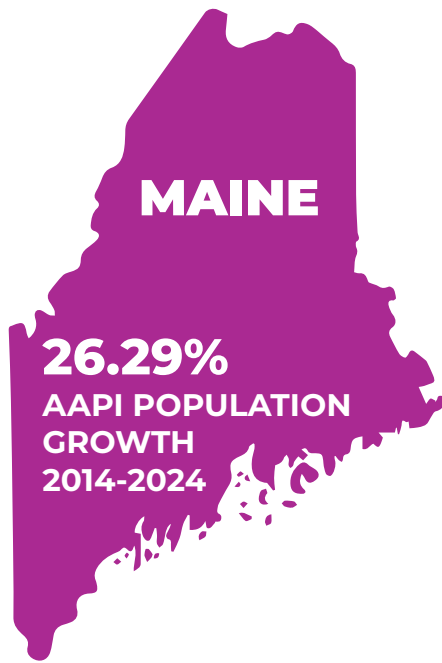


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29,955

AAPI POPULATION SIZE

4,662

FOREIGN BORN NONCITIZEN

7,660

FOREIGN BORN CITIZEN

17,633

NATIVE BORN CITIZEN

LARGEST ASIAN AMERICAN ETHNIC GROUPS IN MAINE

Chinese, except Taiwanese (6,053)	Filipino (5,236)	Korean (3,367)	Vietnamese (2,679)	Asian Indian (2,373)	Japanese (2,277)
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LARGEST NHPI ETHNIC GROUPS IN MAINE

Native Hawaiian (654)	Chamorro (271)	Samoan (157)
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VOTER TRENDS

(National Level Data, 2024)

- According to the 2024 Asian American Voter Survey (AAVS), 90% of Asian American voters say they plan to vote for President, Congress and other offices in November (compared to 93% in 2020 and 94% in 2016). Over two-thirds (68%) say they are absolutely certain they will vote in 2024.
- Nearly half of Asian American voters (46%) prefer voting by mail or dropping their ballot off, instead of voting in-person.
- 42% of Asian American voters say they have not been contacted by either of the two major political parties in the 2024 election season, including half (50%) who say they have not been contacted by the Democratic Party and 57% indicating not being contacted by the Republican Party.

(Current Data)

18,794
ELIGIBLE
AAPI VOTERS

50.12% AAPI VOTER
ELIGIBILITY GROWTH
2014-2024

1.66% AAPI SHARE OF
ELECTORATE

28.80% AAPI YOUTH
VOTE SHARE
Age 18-29

39.81% AAPI SENIOR
VOTE SHARE
Age 50+

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LANGUAGE DIVERSITY

Per the 2022 AAVS of Asian Americans speaking non-English languages at home, 11% reported language barriers to voting and 42% stated that in-language voter assistance would be utilized (*National level data*).

Among Asian Americans in Maine:

39.58% *Speak a language outside of English at home*

21.64% *Are limited English-proficient (speak English less than “very well”)*

Top Asian Languages

Chinese (2,856)
Khmer (1,179)
Tagalog (1,060)
Vietnamese (966)
Korean (778)

SOCIOECONOMIC CHALLENGES IN MAINE



About 11.13% Asian Americans and 14.85% NHPIs in Maine live in poverty.



About 3.86% Asian Americans and 31.42% NHPIs in Maine lack health insurance.



About 13.88% Asian Americans and 13.55% NHPIs in Maine lack broadband access.

COUNTIES WITH THE HIGHEST AAPI POPULATIONS

	Size of AAPI Population	AAPI Share of County Population	Number of AAPI Eligible Voters	AAPI Eligible Vote Share of County
Cumberland County, Maine	6,923	2.24%	4,437	1.81%