Little Bears

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Westchester County: Come See How the Other Half Lives

New York
est.: 1863

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History of Westchester County
When was Westchester founded?

- Westchester County was founded during the voyage of Verrazano in 1524, and the voyage of Hudson in 1609.
- Although they were on an exploration to find a water route to Asia, they decided to settle in Westchester due to its abundance of resources and wildlife.
• Seventeenth century explorers and settlers discovered Indians in Westchester known as the Algonquian tribes who were not dangerous, but peace loving.

• The first settlers of Westchester County were the Dutch, and the Dutch West India Company supported the settlement.
• Parts of land became established known as freehold manors. The manors established in Westchester became Pelham, Fordham, Cortlandt, Scarsdale, Philipsburgh, and Morrisania.

Owners of the manor had to build mills, provide livestock for farms, provide mechanics, boat builders, and possibly doctors and teachers.
• The roads in Westchester were not built very well, which is why peoples means of transportation was by water.

• By the eighteenth century, there were various living advancements. Roads were improved, ferries were created, and industries developed such as shoemaking.

• Westchester County became the richest and most populated county in New York in 1775.
• Battles such as the Battle of White Plains in 1776 caused Westchester to become a battlefield from 1776 to 1783.
• War often divided families because of Patriot and Loyalist sides.
• The capture of the British spy Major John Andre by Westchester men marked a significant victory for the Americans.
• This saved West Point, which protected the Hudson River from being seized by the British.
• Public schools were first established in 1795 through an act of the New York Legislature.
• By 1800 the first commercial toll road, the Westchester Turnpike was contracted. This road ran through Pelham and New Rochelle.
Many European immigrants came to Westchester to build railroads and work in factories.

The construction of the Croton Dam completed in 1842 positively affected Westchester’s growth.

In 1914 After the Civil War, Westchester contained railroads, automobiles, and paved roads for the growing population.

Westchester County significantly improved throughout history and is one of the most popular areas to live in today.
• **Lesson Plan:**

• Grade Level- Fifth grade

Overview- Prior to the field trip to the Kykuit Estate in Sleepy Hollow New York, students will learn about the significance and history of the estate, and the Rockefeller family.

Objectives-

Students will:

1. Recall the history of the Rockefeller family.

2. Analyze the architecture and landscape of the mansion.

3. Design a mansion of their own.

Standards- Use a variety of intellectual skills to demonstrate their understanding of major ideas, eras, themes, developments, and turning points in the history of the United States and New York.

Procedure-

1. Once arriving at the Kykuit Estate, the students and I will go on a tour of the mansion.

2. Throughout the tour I will ask the students what they notice about the architecture and design of the mansion.

3. I will ask the students to recall who the Rockefeller family was and their significance in history.

4. After the tour is completed, the students will sit in front of the Kykuit Estate and draw a mansion of their own. I will provide them with construction paper and markers.

5. For homework, students will be assigned to write a one-page reflection describing the architecture and landscape of the Kykuit Estate. They must also include what their favorite aspect of the field trip was.

Closure- The next day in class, students will present the mansion they created in small groups.
Itinerary

*Driving Directions (From George Washington Bridge to Muscoot Farm):

1.) Head east on Interstate 95 Lower Level N (0.8 mi)
2.) Take exit 1C for I-87/Maj Deegan Expwy toward Albany/Queens (0.2 mi)
3.) Keep right at the fork and merge onto I-87 N (Partial toll road) (15.2 mi)
4.) Take exit 7A toward Saw Mill River Pkwy/Taconic State Pkwy Toll road (0.5 mi)
5.) Merge onto Saw Mill Pkwy N (18.9 mi)
6.) Take the exit toward NY-35 W/Cross River Rd (0.7 mi)
7.) Take exit 6 for NY-35 W (0.2 mi)
8.) Turn left onto NY-35 W/Cross River Rd Continue to follow NY-35 W Destination will be on the right (0.8 mi)
9.) Muscoot Inn Restaurant
10.) Muscoot Farm (Day1/Night 1)

- Time: 46 minutes
- Length: 33.0 miles
- Features: animals, vegetable garden, hiking trails, guided or a self-guided tour, farmer’s market
- Admission is free for families and individuals who visit Muscoot Farm. It is open from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- Organized groups must pay a small fee. Contact the Farm House for fee information: 914-864-7286.
- Begin at 10:00 a.m. hiking up the trail. There are seven miles of diverse trails. You can hike to an ice trail where you can sit on a dock and have a breathtaking view of a gazebo. There are beautiful forests and fields to be seen while going on your hike. Stop and have a little picnic while taking in the wonderful views. Bring your camera! For those of you who are more daring hikers, the more strenuous hike is on the Yellow Trail. Happy hiking!
- At 12:00 p.m., visit the once self-sustaining vegetable garden. It is located behind the blacksmith shop. The vegetables at this garden are donated to provide food for Westchester County inhabitants. Vegetables in this garden include the following: carrots, tomatoes, cucumbers, garlic, lettuce, potatoes, squash, and zucchini. Yum!
- At 1:30 p.m., visit the Once Upon a Farm Museum. This museum was recently opened in 2008, and offers a look at the day in the life of a working dairy farm in 1880. The special attraction about this museum is that it is organized into themed areas which include the following: From Farm to Market, Muscoot on the Move, The Rhythm of the Seasons, The Rhythm of the Day, and Playtime and Farm Tools. Happy learning!

- At 3:00 p.m., meet the animals! There is a plethora of animals to animals to be seen at Muscoot Farm. This is the perfect place to teach young children about animals. We take good care of our animals, and they are not to be touched. However, they can be seen very close up. You can view Holsteins, Jersey Cows, Brown Swiss Cows, Jacob Sheep, Horned Dorset Sheep, South Down Sheep, Dairy Goats, Pygmy Goats, Domestic Bronze Turkey, chickens, ducks, Tamworth Pig, pony, Standard and Miniature Donkey. Moo, Beeeh, Quack!

- At 3:30 p.m., look at the historic buildings on your way out! Historic buildings include the following: The Main house, the upper Dairy Barn, the Lower Dairy Barn, 1911 Milk House, 1930s Milk House, 1890s Barn, wagon shed, root cellar, ice house, corn crib, and the blacksmith shop.

- You have an hour to freshen up, use the restrooms, and find a hotel room to stay in. The family friendly Holiday Inn is a great choice! The address is 1 Holiday Inn Drive, Mount Kisco New York, 10549. It is 4.6 miles and eleven minutes from Muscoot Farm. You can get a room, freshen up, and be ready for dinner. The price for the hotel is $164 per night.

- At 5:30, you and your family can drive to a cozy Mount Kisco escape, the Café of Love. The address of this café is 38 East Main Street, Mount Kisco New York, 10549. The dinner menu includes many great soups, flat breads, soft-shelled crabs, beef burgers, salads, and omelets. There is food for children and adults of all ages. The prices range from $9.00 to $39.00. It is closed on Mondays. From Tuesday to Thursday, it is open from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Friday through Saturday it is open from 5:00 to 11:00 p.m. Sundays it is open from 11: a.m. to 3:15 p.m., and 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Feel the love!

- At 8:30 p.m. return to the Holiday Inn. Rest up for your next fun day!
Driving Directions (From Holiday Inn to Jay Heritage Center):

1. Start out going southwest on Holiday Inn Dr toward Kisco Ave. (0.2 mi).
2. Turn left onto Kisco Ave. (0.7 mi).
3. Take the 3rd left onto RT-133/Main St/E Main St. Continue to follow Main St/E Main St. (1.0 mi).
4. Turn left onto RT-172/S Bedford Rd. (2.1 mi).
5. Merge onto I-684 S toward White Plains (Passing through Connecticut, then crossing into New York). (11.8 mi)
6. Keep left to take I-684 S via EXIT 1 toward Hutchinson River Pkwy/New York City. (1.3 mi)
7. I-684 S becomes Hutchinson River Pky S. (1.0 mi)
8. Take the RT-127 S exit, EXIT 25, toward Harrison. (0.2 mi)
9. Turn left onto RT-127/North St. (1.3 mi)
10. Turn left onto North St. (1.4 mi)
11. North St becomes Old Post Rd. (0.4 mi)
12. Turn slight right onto Boston Post Rd/US-1. (0.9 mi)
13. 210 BOSTON POST RD is on the left.

Jay Heritage Center (Day 2/Night 2)

- Time: 33 minutes
- Length: 21.8 miles
- Features: experience programs and view beautiful architecture
- Admission is free for those who are not coming on a school visit. Students who come in organized groups from school must pay five dollars per student.
- At 10:00 A.M., start walking around the beautiful Jay Heritage Center. Come learn about the boyhood home of New York State’s founding father, John Jay. You can view the beautiful architecture of the 1838 Greek Revival Mansion. At 10:30, go see the breathtaking 1907 Van Norden Carriage House. Enjoy the architecture!
• At 11:00 A.M., view a program at the Jay Heritage Center. You can chose between a cultural or educational program. Offerings of programs focus on topics such as Landscape and Environmental Stewardship. To schedule a program, here is the number to call: (914) 698-9275. If you would like to email instead, here is the address: JAYHC@earthlink.net. Happy learning!

• At 1:15, you can grab lunch at The Rye Grill and Bar! From the Jay heritage Center, The Rye Grill and Bar is only 10 minutes and 2.4 miles away! The address of this great restaurant is 1 Station Plaza Rye, NY 10589. To make reservations, call (914) 967-0332. Here you can get a fantastic lunch! You can have starters, salads, muscles and clams, pizza, sliders, sides, sandwiches, and entrees; prices of the food range from $4 to $32. Happy eating!

• At 3:30, get ready for an adventure! Go to Rye Playland. this is definitely a family-friendly amusement park. The address of this amusement park is 100 Playland Parkway Rye NY 10580; the number to call (914) 813-7010. It is only 8 minutes and 2.8 miles away from The Rye Bar and Grill. If you are a resident and do not want to go on any rides, the cost is free; if this is the case, you can walk around the board walk and enjoy the views of the surrounding beach. If you are a resident and want to go on rides, the price is 30 dollars; you can also purchase a Fun Card. This card enables Westchester residents to receive a $5 discount. Children who are two and under can go on rides for free with an adult; specifically the rides include the following: Gondola Wheel, Grand Carousel, and Playland Express. If your child is under 48 inches, it is considered a junior; the price of admission for this child is 20 dollars. The price of parking includes the following. weekdays is $5, weekends is $7, senior citizen Tuesday through Friday is Westchester Senior ID is $1. Popular rides include the Dragon Coaster, Double Shot, Playland Plunge, Log Flume, Thunder Bolt, Go Karts, and Crazy Mouse.

• At 8:30 p.m. return to the Holiday Inn. Rest up for your next fun day! Go to the Court Yard by Marriot Hotel Rye. The address is Courtyard Rye, 631 Midland Ave, Rye, NY 10580. Rest up for another fun day!
*Driving Directions (From Court Yard by Marriot Hotel Rye to Castle on the Hudson):

1. Head **northeast** on **Midland Ave** (0.2 mi)
2. Turn right onto the **I-287 S/I-95 S** ramp (0.2 mi)
3. Merge onto **I-287 W** (10.4 mi)
4. Take the exit toward **New York 119 W/Route 119 W/White Plains Rd** (0.4 mi)
5. Turn right onto **New York 119 W/Route 119 W/White Plains Rd** (0.3 mi)
6. Slight right onto **Benedict Ave** (Destination will be on the left 0.7 mi)

**Castle On the Hudson**

400 Benedict Avenue  
Tarrytown, NY 10591

**Castle on the Hudson (Day 3/Night 3)**

- Time: 17 minutes
- Distance: 12.2 miles
- Features: guest rooms, suits, evergreens, rare varieties of trees, social events, grasslands, flowers, dinning, bar, and pool

- It is definitely important to book a room at the Castle on the Hudson in two months in advance. The number to call is (914)-631-1980. You can also go to [www.castleonthehudson.com](http://www.castleonthehudson.com) to book your room. The fee for the room is a bit pricey, but it is worth it! The least expensive room is 345 dollars a night in deluxe suit. This includes one bed. The Castle on the Hudson is not recommended for young children, but they are still welcome. The attire for staying at the Castle on the Hudson is dressy. A great feature of this site is that Wi-Fi is for free!

- Arrive at the Castle on the Hudson at 10:00 a.m. Go up to the front desk and ask for your room. Give the luggage to the people who work at the Castle on the Hudson. While waiting for your room, you can look at the beautiful paintings, architecture, and gardens at this site.

- Once you get your room, get your bathing suit on! There is a luxurious pool you can take advantage of here. Around the pool, there are tables where you can eat, and chairs where you can take in the sun. At the pool you can look at the beautiful castle and trees.

- After you enjoy your time swimming, dry off and shower. At 1 p.m., have lunch! There is a 5 star gourmet restaurant called, Equus. It is the only restaurant in the hotel, but you can go there for all of your meals during the day! It is fancy, and the food is great! There are appetizers, main courses, and desserts. There are two dinning rooms that are utilized. The garden room provides exquisite views of the gardens, Manhattan skyline, and the Hudson River Valley. There is the Oak Room, which was once owned by Louis XIV. There is a “Tapestry Lounge”, which has elaborately designed ceilings, where there are beautiful paintings; here, you can enjoy cocktails and relax. Breakfast is served from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Lunch is served from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Dinner is served from 6:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. The dress code is dressy attire; jackets are preferred for gentlemen. Shorts and t-shirts are not permitted in the main dining room, as well as on the Garden Terrace.
- From 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. sightsee in the Garden Terrace. There is a beautiful courtyard where you can play chess. The chess pieces are life-size! There are different varieties of trees to look at, as well as flowers.
- You have an hour to go back to your room and relax. You can shower, freshen up, use restrooms, etc. Get ready for a delicious dinner! Make sure to dress elegant!
- At 6:00 p.m., help yourself to dinner at the Equus restaurant. You can have appetizers, a main course, and a dessert. After, you can go to the bar and have some cocktails.
- After you are dinner with dinner and drinks, you can go back to your room and enjoy sleeping in your luxurious bed, fit for kings and queens! Enjoy!

*Driving Directions (From Castle on the Hudson to Kykuit, the Rockefeller Estate):

1. Head west on Benedict Ave toward Crest Dr (0.3 mi)
2. Turn right onto Highland Ave/Highland Ln (0.3 mi)
3. Take the 2nd right onto Union Ave (0.1 mi)
4. Take the 2nd left onto Sunnyside Ave (0.2 mi)
5. Turn right onto Neperan Rd (0.9 mi)
6. Turn left onto Lake Rd

Destination will be on the left
200 Lake Road
Pocantico Hills
Tarrytown, NY 10591

*Kykuit, the Rockefeller Estate (Day 4/Night 4)*

- Time: 7 minutes
- Distance: 2.3 miles
- Features: galleries, terraces, gardens, pavilions, sculptures, horse drawn vehicles, classic automobiles, tours, beautiful architecture
- This site is open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.. To plan your visit ahead of time, call (914)-631-8200. The website, [www.hudsonvalley.org/historic-sites/kykuit](http://www.hudsonvalley.org/historic-sites/kykuit) is a tool to help plan your visit.
- You can choose between the following tours: classic tour (2 and ¼ hours, runs daily except for Tuesdays prices vary depending on age), the grand tour (daily except Tuesdays at 9:45 a.m. and 1:45 p.m., additional weekend tours at 3:00 p.m., prices vary depending on age), gardens and sculptor tour for groups (2 and ¼ hours and by request, 23 dollars per person), and time saver tour (1 and ½ hours, daily except Tuesdays at 12:50 p.m. and 3:50 p.m.).

- Arrive here at 11:00 a.m. get ready to take the classic tour! This is perfect for first-time visitors, and it includes the main floor of the house. Your can view fine furnishings and art of this exquisite estate. There is also subterranean art galleries, views of the Hudson River, and the outdoor sculptor collection. A special aspect of this tour is the mammoth Coach Barn, with its collection of old carriages and classic automobiles. This tour is wheelchair accessible; it is important to note that strollers are prohibited.

- At 1:45 p.m., get ready for lunch! You can go to the family-friendly T.G.I Fridays. The address is (914)-332-0960. From the estate, it is 4.8 miles away, and 10 minutes away. Here, you can enjoy appetizers, main courses, and desserts. Burgers are fries are the specialty here! Yum!

- At 3:15 p.m., get ready for the garden and sculptor tour. You must make sure to be in a group of at least 10 for this special tour. This tour includes sites of the morning and brook gardens, the Italian Garden, the Adam and Eve Fountain area, as well as several terraced areas featuring both contemporary and classical sculptures. This tour does not include viewing any buildings, and is not wheelchair accessible due to the hilly terrain and many steps. Sturdy shoes are highly recommended, and this tour is not recommended for those who have mobility or balance problems.

- At 6:00 p.m., go to the Blue Hill at Stone Barns restaurant. It is 2 minutes away from the estate! The number to call is (914)-366-9600, and the address is 630 Bedford Road Pocantico Hills, NY, 10591. The menu is not traditional; it is a multi-course tasting around the days harvest. You can choose between green garlic, goose eggs, fiddlehead ferns, spring lamb, purple Wonder strawberries, and head lettuce. It is a bit pricey, but worth it! Enjoy!

- When you have finished dinner, rest up at the Double Tree by Hilton Hotel. It is 10 minutes and 3.6 miles away from the Blue Hill at Stone Barns restaurant. The number to call is (914) 631-5700, and the address is DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel – Tarrytown, 455 South Broadway, Tarrytown, NY 10591.
• *Driving Directions (From DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel to Van Cortlandt Manor):*

1. Head **south** (171 ft)
2. Turn left toward **S Broadway** (148 ft)
3. Take the 1st right onto **S Broadway** (36 ft)
4. Turn left to merge onto **I-287 E/I-87 S** toward **New York/White Plains** Continue to follow I-87 S (1.3 mi)
5. Take exit **8A** for **NY-119/Saw Mill Pkwy N** toward **Elmsford** (0.9 mi)
6. Keep left at the fork and merge onto **Saw Mill Pkwy N** (4.4 mi)
7. Take exit **26** toward **Taconic Parkway/Albany** (0.7 mi)
8. Merge onto **Taconic State Parkway** (1.0 mi)
9. Take the exit onto **New York 9A N/NY-100 N** Continue to follow New York 9A N (5.8 mi)
10. Take the exit on the left onto **New York 9A N/U.S. 9 N** toward **Peekskill** (0.9 mi).
11. Take the **Croton Point Ave** exit toward **Croton Harmon Station** (0.1 mi)
12. Turn right onto **Croton Point Ave** (446 ft)
13. Turn right onto **S Riverside Ave** Destination will be on the left (0.2 mi)

**Van Cortlandt Manor (Day 5/Night 5)**
- Time: 24 minutes
- Distance: 15.4 miles
- Features: tours, blacksmiths, open-hearth cooking, weaving spinning, and other crafts from the New Nation period
- Arrive at Van Cortlandt Manor at 1:00 p.m. Enter the manor house and see an amazing collection of furnishings from the federal and colonial periods in their natural setting. Then walk downstairs to learn about one of the biggest and most equipped colonial kitchens in America; also, see samples of medicine and foodways from the 1700s.
- At 1:30, have lunch! Make sure you packed lunch before hand. You can have a nice picnic here.
- At 2:00, go to the Ferry House, and learn about this rural tavern that was built before 1750. Here, pause to look at the extensive collection of Hudson River Valley furnishings.
At 2:45 p.m., walk through the gardens and look at the array of flowers, herbs, and vegetables that were available to American gardeners in the late 1700s.

At 3:00 p.m., pay $6.00 for an hour and a half tour about changes that occurred in the new republic as Americans evolved from colonists to be citizens of an independent nation. Learn about the lives of the Van Cortlandt family.

At 4:30, pay $7.00 for an hour and a half program to learn about how citizens in early America met their fundamental needs. You can also learn about the cultural and physical aspects of daily life through a tour and hands-on workshops. The workshops include open-hearth cooking, medicine, and textiles.

At 6:30, get something to eat for dinner! Go to T.K. Casquarelli’s. Here, you can order delicious Italian style food. From Van Cortlandt Manor, it is literally 1 second away, and 82 feet. The prices range from $7.00-$24.00. The number to call is (914)-271-2800. The address is 440 South Riverside Ave (in ShopRite Center) Croton on Hudson, NY, 10520. The email address is tkcasquarelli@gmail.com. Enjoy!

After a fun-filled 5 days of exploring sites in Westchester County, head home 😊
In 1800, The Westchester Turnpike, (1st commercial toll road) was opened
toll gates at intervals
ran through Pelham and New Rochelle
four cents for a horse and rider, ten cents for a one-horse passenger vehicle, and twenty cents for a stagecoach
**Brickyards & Iron Foundries**

**Brickyards**
- Croton and Verplanck
- one of booming industrial businesses of the 19th century

**Iron Foundries**
- Port Chester, Peekskill, and Morrisania
- mainly produced stoves and plowshares
- ideal for home and farming needs
- emergence of new modes of transportation set wheels for industry in motion
- first steamboat appeared on Hudson on 1800’s, Westchester Turnpike, Erie Canal, trains

- Roads used to carry market produce and mail
- Turnpikes made roads for the public
- Roads free by end of 19th century
Marble Quarries

- Tuckahoe, Sing Sing, Hastings, and Thornwood
- Important for type of architecture that was popular
  - “neoclassic architecture” for national buildings
- Referred to as “Westchester Marble”
- Mainly federal buildings rebuilt with “Westchester Marble” after the War of 1812
- Sing Sing chosen as main location b/c prison located there
RAILROADS

- built in 1840’s
- “shift from subsistence farming to dairying”
- farms commercially produced milk
- railroad allowed for distribution of milk through “daily milk runs”
- led to population shift; immigration from Northern part of county to Southern
END OF 19TH CENTURY

- production of medicine started (Ossining)
  * pills and patent medicine
- greenhouses (Irvington)
- beer in Dobbs Ferry
- sugar, paving material, conduit (Hastings)
- elevators and carpet (Yonkers)

All of this production/industry was made possible by the new modes of travel; mostly along Hudson River and Nepperhan Creek.
Castle on the Hudson

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Castle on the Hudson
19 miles off New York Thruway
Muscoot Farms
12 Miles
from Saw Mill River Parkway
John Jay Heritage Center
33 miles
From New York Thruway
John Jay Heritage Center
33 miles From New York Thruway

John Jay Heritage Center 4 miles
Kykuit
20 miles
From New York Thruway
Van Cortlandt Manor
33 miles
From New York Thruway
Westchester County
Demographics for Census of 1860 and 2010

Alyssa D’Onofrio
### Population between Races

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<td>Population (total)</td>
<td>99,497</td>
<td>949,113</td>
<td>Westchester County’s population has increased especially in 2010.</td>
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<td>Whites</td>
<td>69,420</td>
<td>646,471</td>
<td>Hispanics, Latinos, Mexicans and more diverse people came in 2010.</td>
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<td>Blacks</td>
<td>1,931</td>
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Abe Lincoln: 1860 white
## Housing Types in 2010 Census

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<td>Family Households</td>
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<td>236,419</td>
<td>Housing is very significant in 2010 in Westchester County.</td>
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<td>Husband-wife family</td>
<td><img src="image" alt="Greek Revival House" /></td>
<td>177,077</td>
<td>In 1860, there were no statistics found on housing it was not a major issue.</td>
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<td>Nonfamily households</td>
<td><img src="image" alt="Leasburg Architecture in 1861" /></td>
<td>110,813</td>
<td>In 2010, as the population was increasing, the amount of families were increasing</td>
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<td>Households with individuals under 18</td>
<td><img src="image" alt="Leasburg Architecture in 1861" /></td>
<td>122,639</td>
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People in the 1860s’ would have to work these jobs in order to maintain their place in society.

Being a farmer, farmer laborer and a blacksmith were the top three most common occupations during this time.
## Occupations in 2010

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<td>Construction</td>
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<td>Manufacturing</td>
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More occupations were available to the population in 2010.

There were many opportunities for people to get jobs.

Occupations varied in Westchester County compared to 1860 where there were not that many opportunities for everyone to work.


Work Cited

This is where I got my information about Kykuit, and Van Cortlandt Manor.

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This is where I found all the information I provided about Westchester County.

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I used this slide to get a picture of the Hudson River.

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I used this website to get a picture of Verrazano.

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