

# List of Districts in West Bengal

West Bengal is a state in eastern India. It's the fourth-most-populous state in India. As of 2021, there are a total of 23 districts in

	<b>District</b>	<b>Population (2011)</b>	<b>Area(Km2)</b>
1	Alipurduar	17,00,000	3,383
2	Bankura	35,96,292	6,882
3	Paschim Bardhaman	28,82,031	1,603
4	Purba Bardhaman	48,35,532	5,433
5	Birbhum	35,02,387	4,545
6	Cooch Behar	28,22,780	3,387
7	Dakshin Dinajpur	16,70,931	2,183
8	Darjeeling	18,42,034	3,149
9	Hooghly	55,20,389	3,149
10	Howrah	48,41,638	1,467
11	Jalpaiguri	38,69,675	6,227
12	Jhargram	11,36,548	3,038
13	Kalimpong	2,51,642	1,054
14	Kolkata	44,86,679	206.08
15	Maldah	39,97,970	3,733
16	Murshidabad	71,02,430	5,324
17	Nadia	51,68,488	3,927
18	North 24 Parganas	1,00,82,852	4,094
19	Paschim Medinipur	50,94,238	9,345
20	Purba Medinipur	44,17,377	4,736
21	Purulia	29,27,965	6,259
22	South 24 Parganas	81,53,176	9,960
23	Uttar Dinajpur	30,00,849	3,180

## Largest & Smallest District in West Bengal by Area

**South 24 Parganas** district covering an area of 9960 km<sup>2</sup> is the largest district of West Bengal. Kolkata District is the smallest district of West Bengal with a total area of 206 km<sup>2</sup>

<b>By Area</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Area</b>
Largest	<b>South 24 Parganas</b>	9960 km <sup>2</sup>
Smallest	<b>Kolkata</b>	206 km <sup>2</sup>

## Largest & Smallest District in West Bengal by Population

North 24 Parganas District is the most populated district in West Bengal. Its Population as per census 2011 is 1 Crore. Kalimpong District with a population of 251,642 is the least populated district in West Bengal.

<b>Population</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Population (Census 2011)</b>
Most Populated	North 24 Parganas	10,082,852
Least	Kalimpong	251,642

### **Highest and Lowest Population Density**

Kolkata District (24252 people per km) has the highest Population density in West Bengal. Alipurdaur District with a population density of 400 people per km is the lowest density district in West Bengal.

<b>Density</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Density (person/km)</b>
Highest	Kolkata	24252
Least	Alipurdaur	400

### **West Bengal District with Highest & Lowest Literacy rate**

Purba Medinipur district has the highest literacy rate in West Bengal. Its literacy rate is 87.02%. Uttar Dinajpur with a literacy rate of 59.07% is the least literate district in West Bengal

<b>Literacy Rate</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Literacy Rate</b>
Most Literate	Purba Medinipur	87.02%
Least	Uttar Dinajpur	59.07%

### **West Bengal District with Highest & Lowest Male Female Ratio**

Darjiling district (970) has the highest Male-Female Sex ratio in West Bengal. Kolkata District (908) has the lowest male-female sex ratio in West Bengal.

<b>Sex ratio</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Sex ratio</b>
Highest	Darjiling	970 females to 1000 males
Lowest	Kolkata	908 females to 1000 males