Schoolcraft County, MI

Schoolcraft County is located at the top of Lake Michigan. Its boundaries extend from Point O’Keefe in Thompson Township, 53 miles north of the Alger County Line, to just 10 miles south of Lake Superior. The county is home to hundreds of inland lakes including Indian Lake, the 4th largest inland lake in the Upper Peninsula at 8,000 acres. Schoolcraft County has 2 golf courses, 130 miles of snowmobile trails, numerous cross-country ski trails, ORV trails, and miles of rivers for the avid canoeist.

**CENSUS**

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Population</th>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>8,485</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>8,345</td>
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**LAND AREA:** 1,171 square miles

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

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<th>Year</th>
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<td>2014</td>
<td>Manistique Area Schools: 850</td>
<td>Bethel Baptist Christian School: 9</td>
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<td>2015</td>
<td>Big Bay de Noc Area Schools: 221</td>
<td>St. Francis de Sales School: 214</td>
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**CLIMATE:**

- **Average Temperatures in °F**
  - Summer: 76°F
  - Winter: 26°F
- **Annual Snowfall:** 84.4 inches

**HEALTHCARE**

- Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital, Woodland Meadows, monthly visiting specialists from U.P. Health System-Marquette, the Regional Medical Center, and OSF Medical Group

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

- Public Safety: Schoolcraft County Sheriff, Michigan State Police, Manistique Public Safety
- Ambulance Services: County wide service available

**FINANCIAL SERVICES**

- Limestone Federal Credit Union, Manistique Federal Credit Union, mBank-Manistique, State Savings Bank-Manistique, Northern Initiatives

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

- Local and Cellular: CenturyLink, AT&T, Hiawatha Telephone
- Internet: Charter Communications, CenturyLink, U.P.Logon.com

**UTILITIES**

- Electricity: Cleverland Electric, Wisconsin Electric
- Natural Gas: SEMCO Energy
- Water and Sewer: Municipal in Manistique, the Village of Germfask, and the Village of Seney, well and septic in other areas
- Waste Disposal: Waste Management

**RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES**

- 934 campsites, 372 hotel/motel rooms, 135 miles of hiking, skiing, and bike trails, 130 miles of snowmobile trails, 113 miles of scenic highway, 46 miles of Great Lakes Shoreline, 29 miles of ORV trails, 27 public access sites, 6 bed and breakfasts, 3 State Parks, 2 Lighthouses, Kewadin Casino, Stony Point Golf Course, Indian Lake Golf Course, The Manistique Boardwalk and River Walk