

Life in the municipality of Ljungby



WORK

Private employers: There are 2,000 companies in Ljungby, 1,700 of which are small or average size. Engineering industry predominates. World-known companies are for example: Strålfors, Electrolux, Svetruck, Kalmar Industries, Enertech and Tenneco.

Large public employers: the Municipality of Ljungby and the County Council of Kronoberg.

Solid labour-market: A strong industry, a growing service-sector and a large number of companies give Ljungby a solid labour-market with very low unemployment.



ABOUT LJUNGBY

No. of residents: 27,100, of which 15,000 live in the city of Ljungby

Area: 2,000 square kilometers

Residents per square kilometer: 15

Rivers and lakes: 178

Located: in southern Småland, where European highway No 4 meets road 25.

STUDIES

The Center for College Studies in Ljungby offers several college-educations created in close cooperation between industry, colleges/universities and the municipality of Ljungby.

In 2006, a new, modern high school was built in Ljungby.



LIVING

In Ljungby you can choose between living in the city, a community 10-30 km from the city or in the countryside. Whichever you choose, you are always close to forests, lakes and open fields.

FOR THE CHILDREN

Child-care is well developed; there are both public and private alternatives, located in the city and the communities. Elementary schools are also located in the city as well as several communities.



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SPARE TIME

Hiking, fishing, canoeing and skating on the frozen lakes – the large forests and many lakes offer many opportunities to relax and enjoy. Ljungby also has a rich cultural arena which offers quality in your spare time. Museums featuring local artist Sven Ljungberg, story-telling and local history, music and theatre, antiques, art and crafts, and sports such as ice-hockey and soccer are just a few examples of possibilities for recreation in Ljungby.

