

## Essay on why I feel Tolland is a great place to live

Tolland is very special to me, because I have lived in Tolland all my life. I think Tolland is the best place to live because, there are lots and lots of trees. Which also means that we get more oxygen and we never run out. Every season the trees look beautiful. In the Spring, blossoms on trees fill the air. In the Summer, green leaves twinkle like the stars in the night sky. In the Fall, colorful leaves blow away in the gentle breeze. In the Winter, snow falls down gently in the frosty wind. I also have good neighbors. My next door neighbors are very helpful. One of our neighbors snowblowed our driveway when we were out for a night. I go to Birch Grove and I love my teachers and have lots of friends. I take the bus to school with my little brother and the bus driver is awesome. Crandall park is special too, because I can go to swimming lessons right there. If Crandall park didn't have swimming lessons we might get late if we drove too far. The swimming teachers there are very nice. I think Big Y is special too, because if we ran out of food, where will we get some? Well we could always go to a different store. But Big Y is the closest store to our house, so we usually go there. The Library is my one of my favorite places to go. I like the Library a lot because its very quiet. It also has all the books you need. If you don't know where one of the books are ask the librarian and she will tell you. The librarian is very kind. They never say sorry I don't know where that book is. The Post office is important too. The Post office is important because if we didn't have our mail I wouldn't be entering this essay. If we didn't have the post office, how would you get a birthday invitation?! The old jail museum is great for looking back into history. After you visit the jail museum you can compare Tolland's history to our life right now. You would probably feel really lucky to be living in Tolland today! No wonder Tolland is a great place to live!

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