Top 25 Employers in Johnston County Source: Access NC 2019

| | Business Name | Industry | Number of Employees |
|----|----------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| 1 | JOHNSTON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS | Educational Services | 1000+ |
| 2 | JOHNSTON HEALTH | Health Care and Social Assistance | 1000+ |
| 3 | GRIFOLS THERAPEUTICS INC | Manufacturing | 1000+ |
| 4 | COUNTY OF JOHNSTON | Public Administration | 1000+ |
| 5 | NOVO NORDISK PHARMACEUTICAL | Manufacturing | 1000+ |
| 6 | ASPLUNDH TREE EXPERT CO INC TALX | Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services | 1000+ |
| 7 | FOOD LION | Retail Trade | 500-999 |
| 8 | WAL-MART ASSOCIATES INC. | Retail Trade | 500-999 |
| 9 | CATERPILLAR INC | Manufacturing | 500-999 |
| 10 | JOHNSTON TECHNICAL INSTITUTE | Educational Services | 500-999 |
| 11 | PRECIONAIRE | Manufacturing | 500-999 |
| 12 | SYSCO RALEIGH LLC | Wholesale Trade | 250-499 |
| 13 | AIRFLOW PRODUCTS COMPANY INC | Manufacturing | 250-499 |
| 14 | LOWES HOME CENTERS INC | Retail Trade | 250-499 |
| 15 | MCDONALDS | Accommodation and Food Services | 250-499 |
| 16 | TOWN OF CLAYTON | Public Administration | 250-499 |
| 17 | BOJANGLES | Accommodation and Food Services | 250-499 |
| 18 | EXECUTIVE PERSONNEL GROUP LLC | Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services | 250-499 |
| 19 | OPW FUELING COMPONENTS INC | Manufacturing | 250-499 |
| 20 | 3C PACKAGING INC | Manufacturing | 250-499 |
| 21 | PRINCIPLE LONG TERM CARE INC | Health Care and Social Assistance | 100-249 |
| 22 | NIKE RETAIL SERVICE | Retail Trade | 100-249 |
| 23 | DEPT OF PUBLIC SAFETY | Public Administration | 100-249 |
| 24 | PGI/CHICOPEE INC | Manufacturing | 100-249 |
| 25 | TOWN OF SMITHFIELD | Public Administration | 100-249 |