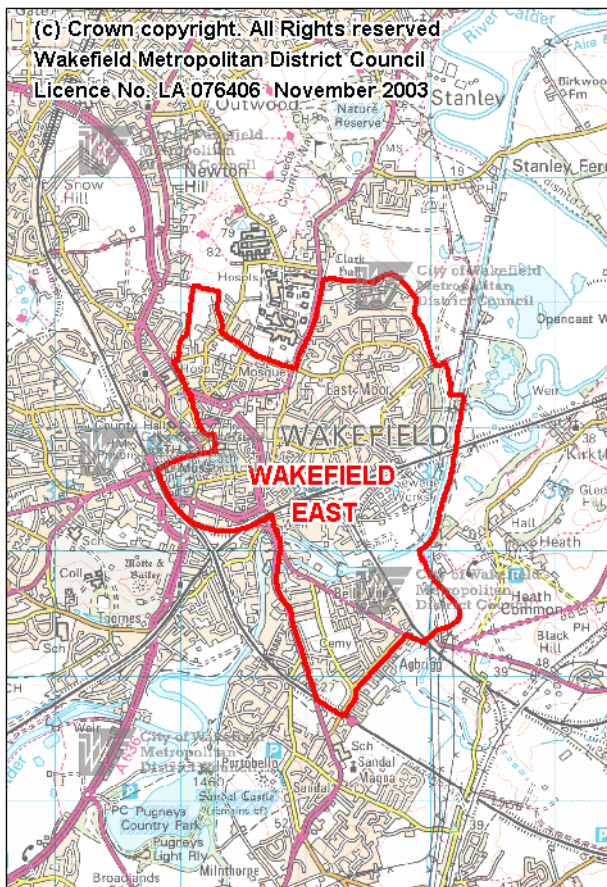


WAKEFIELD EAST CENSUS 2001 WARD PROFILE



This profile contains a selection of key statistics taken from the 2001 Census for the Wakefield East ward. The 2001 Census was taken on the 29th April 2001 and the subsequent results provide the most comprehensive survey of the UK population. Detailed data is available down to small area levels, the smallest being census output areas which contain around 125 households.

The following data tables compare Wakefield East ward to that of the Wakefield District and national averages. Percentages are calculated on a base figure for each category or sub-category, which appears in italic type at the top of each appropriate section. Please note that in some cases the data shown in this summary may have been rounded and figures shown may differ slightly from those published elsewhere. Due to rounding of percentages, the addition of categories may not sum to exactly 100 per cent in all cases. It should also be noted that in some cases, different tables may show different counts for the same population, due to disclosure protection measures used to prevent the inadvertent disclosure of information about identifiable individuals. Figures quoted should therefore be used for guidance only.

A series of area and neighbourhood profiles has been prepared by the Council's spatial policy group, for further information regarding availability, please contact the spatial policy group or visit www.wakefield.org.uk/census2001. Further profiles and data can also be found at the National Statistics website: www.statistics.gov.uk/census

CENSUS 2001 KEY STATISTICS

	Wakefield East	%	Wakefield District %	England %
POPULATION				
<i>All People</i>	15,572			
Residents in households	15,408	98.9	98.7	98.2
Residents in communal establishments	164	1.1	1.3	1.8
Males	7,620	48.9	48.6	48.7
Females	7,952	51.1	51.4	51.3
Aged 0-4	925	5.9	5.7	6.0
5-15	2,208	14.2	14.8	14.2
16 to 74	11,214	72.0	72.4	72.3
75 and over	1,225	7.9	7.1	7.5
HEALTH				
<i>All People</i>	15,572			
Limiting long-term illness ⁱ	3,743	24.0	22.4	17.9
General health ⁱⁱ 'not good'	2,104	13.5	12.3	9.0
General health ⁱⁱ 'fairly good'	3,983	25.6	23.1	22.2
General health ⁱⁱ 'good'	9,485	60.9	64.6	68.8
People providing unpaid care ⁱⁱⁱ	1,569	10.1	11.1	9.9
Providing unpaid care 50+ hours per week	428	2.7	2.7	2.0

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PEOPLE PLACES AND FAMILIES				
Marital status (all people aged 16 and over)	12,439			
Single people (never married)	4,268	34.3	26.1	30.2
Married or re-married people	5,155	41.4	53.4	50.9
Separated or divorced	1,844	14.8	11.7	10.6
Widowed	1,172	9.4	8.8	8.3
Transport (all households)	7,020			
Households without car/van	3,261	46.5	30.6	26.8
Household with 1 car or van	2,839	40.4	44.6	43.7
Household with 2 or more cars/vans	920	13.1	24.8	29.5
Composition (all households)	7,020			
One person households	2,880	41.0	28.3	30.0
Married couple households	1,807	25.7	39.6	36.5
Cohabiting couple households	593	8.4	9.4	8.3
Households with dependent children ^{iv}	1,811	25.8	30.9	29.4
Lone parent households	729	10.4	9.7	9.5
Lone parent households with dependent children ^{iv}	500	7.1	6.6	6.4
Households with at least one person of pensionable age	2,143	30.5	31.0	31.6
Pensioner only households	1,697	24.2	23.6	23.7
Pensioners living alone	1,186	16.9	14.5	14.4
ETHNICITY AND RELIGION				
All People	15,572			
Ethnic Group				
White	13,286	85.3	97.7	90.9
Mixed	140	0.9	0.5	1.3
Asian or Asian British	2,028	13.0	1.4	4.6
Black or Black British	63	0.4	0.1	2.3
Chinese or other Ethnic Group	55	0.4	0.3	0.9
Country of Birth				
Born in UK	14,091	90.5	97.5	90.7
Born elsewhere in EU	206	1.3	0.8	2.4
Born outside EU	1,275	8.2	1.7	6.9
Religion				
Christian	9,747	62.6	78.2	71.7
Muslim	1,908	12.3	1.1	3.1
Other	154	1.0	0.5	2.9
No religion	2,258	14.5	11.7	14.6
Religion not stated	1,505	9.7	8.3	7.7
WORK				
All people aged 16-74	11,214			
Economically active	6,643	59.2	64.3	66.9
Full-time ^v employees	4,023	35.9	40.1	40.8
Part-time ^{vi} employees	1,136	10.1	12.9	11.8
Self-employed	573	5.1	5.8	8.3
Unemployed	606	5.4	3.5	3.3
Full-time student	305	2.7	1.9	2.6
Economically inactive	4,571	40.8	35.7	33.1
Retired	1,432	12.8	14.4	13.5
Permanently sick or disabled	1,044	9.3	8.3	5.3
Looking after home/family	855	7.6	6.5	6.5
Student	690	6.2	3.1	4.7
Other	550	4.9	3.4	3.1
Qualifications				
Degree level or higher ^{vii}	1,484	13.2	12.5	19.9
No qualifications	4,512	40.2	39.1	28.9
Travel to work (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,972			
Car, van, motorcycle, taxi	3,460	57.9	68.1	62.7
Public transport ^{viii}	972	16.3	11.5	14.9
Bicycle or foot	1,157	19.4	12.2	12.8

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Occupation (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,974			
Managers and senior officials	612	10.2	12.3	15.3
Professional	460	7.7	7.6	11.2
Associate professional & technical	705	11.8	11.6	13.8
Administrative & secretarial	688	11.5	12.0	13.4
Skilled trades	656	11.0	12.3	11.5
Personal service occupations	512	8.6	7.1	6.9
Sales and customer service	481	8.1	8.7	7.7
Process, plant & machine operatives	723	12.1	11.9	8.4
Elementary	1,137	19.0	16.4	11.8
Industry (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,974			
Agriculture	38	0.6	0.8	1.5
Energy	77	1.3	2.3	1.0
Manufacturing	881	14.7	16.7	14.8
Construction	375	6.3	7.5	6.8
Wholesale, retail trade; repair of motor vehicles	1,200	20.1	21.7	16.8
Hotels & Catering	395	6.6	4.5	4.7
Transport, storage & communication	471	7.9	6.8	7.1
Finance & business services	720	12.1	12.4	18.0
Public administration & defence	334	5.6	5.8	5.7
Education	394	6.6	6.7	7.7
Health and social work	818	13.7	10.9	10.7
Other ^{ix}	271	4.5	4.0	5.2
HOUSING				
Households (all household spaces)	7,406			
Detached	734	9.9	20.1	22.5
Semi-detached	2,282	30.8	45.0	31.6
Terraced	1,854	25.0	24.5	25.8
Flat	2,502	33.8	10.3	19.7
Non permanent accommodation ^x	34	0.5	0.2	0.4
Vacant household spaces	374	5.1	3.1	3.2
Tenure (all household tenures)	7,020			
Owner-occupied	3,041	43.3	65.2	68.7
Rented from Council ^{xi}	2,675	38.1	25.7	13.2
Rented from Housing Association or Registered Social Landlord ^{xii}	404	5.8	2.2	6.1
Private or other rented	900	12.8	6.9	12.0
Amenities (all households with residents)	7,020			
Households with central heating & sole use of bath/shower and toilet	6,224	88.7	93.3	91.1

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- i Limiting long-term illness covers any long-term illness; health problem or disability that limits daily activities or work.
- ii General health refers to health over the 12 months prior to Census day (29 April 2001)
- iii Provision of unpaid care: looking after; giving help or support to family members; friends; neighbours or others because of long-term physical or mental ill-health or disability or problems relating to old age.
- iv A dependent child is a person in a household aged 0 - 15 (whether or not in a family) or a person aged 16 - 18 who is a full-time student and in a family with parent(s).
- v working 31 or more hours a week
- vi working 30 or less hours a week
- vii First Degree, Higher degree; NVQ levels 4 and 5; HNC; HND; Qualified Teacher Status; Qualified Medical Doctor; Qualified Dentist; Qualified Nurse; Midwife; Health Visitor.
- viii Defined as Underground metro light rail or tram; train and bus minibus or coach.
- ix Other includes: other community; social and personal service activities; private households with employed persons and extra-territorial organisations and bodies.
- x Households in non permanent accommodation (caravans, houseboats)
- xi Includes Housing Co-operative and Charitable Trust
- xii Includes employer of a household member and relative or friend of a household member and living rent free