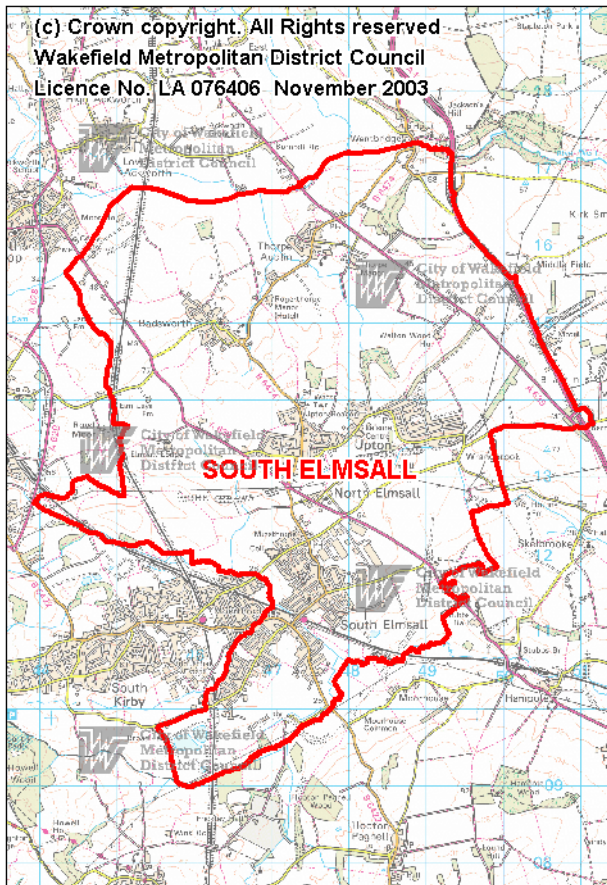


## SOUTH ELMSALL CENSUS 2001 WARD PROFILE



This profile contains a selection of key statistics taken from the 2001 Census for the South Elmsall 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 South Elmsall 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](http://www.wakefield.org.uk/census2001). Further profiles and data can also be found at the National Statistics website: [www.statistics.gov.uk/census](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census)

### CENSUS 2001 KEY STATISTICS

	South Elmsall	%	Wakefield District %	England %
<b>POPULATION</b>				
<i>All People</i>	<b>14,983</b>			
Residents in households	<b>14,868</b>	<b>99.2</b>	98.7	98.2
Residents in communal establishments	<b>115</b>	<b>0.8</b>	1.3	1.8
Males	<b>7,324</b>	<b>48.9</b>	48.6	48.7
Females	<b>7,659</b>	<b>51.1</b>	51.4	51.3
Aged 0-4	<b>976</b>	<b>6.5</b>	5.7	6.0
5-15	<b>2,288</b>	<b>15.3</b>	14.8	14.2
16 to 74	<b>10,660</b>	<b>71.1</b>	72.4	72.3
75 and over	<b>1,059</b>	<b>7.1</b>	7.1	7.5
<b>HEALTH</b>				
<i>All People</i>	14,983			
Limiting long-term illness <sup>i</sup>	<b>4,088</b>	<b>27.3</b>	22.4	17.9
General health <sup>ii</sup> 'not good'	<b>2,260</b>	<b>15.1</b>	12.3	9.0
General health 'fairly good'	<b>3,481</b>	<b>23.2</b>	23.1	22.2
General health 'good'	<b>9,242</b>	<b>61.7</b>	64.6	68.8
People providing unpaid care <sup>iii</sup>	<b>1,865</b>	<b>12.4</b>	11.1	9.9
Providing unpaid care 50+ hours per week	<b>554</b>	<b>3.7</b>	2.7	2.0

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<b>PEOPLE PLACES AND FAMILIES</b>				
<b>Marital status</b> (all people aged 16 and over)	11,719			
Single people (never married)	2,887	24.6	26.1	30.2
Married or re-married people	6,459	55.1	53.4	50.9
Separated or divorced	1,342	11.5	11.7	10.6
Widowed	1,031	8.8	8.8	8.3
<b>Transport</b> (all households)	6,223			
Households without car/van	1,917	30.8	30.6	26.8
Household with 1 car or van	2,803	45.0	44.6	43.7
Household with 2 or more cars/vans	1,503	24.2	24.8	29.5
<b>Composition</b> (all households)	6,223			
One person households	1,666	26.8	28.3	30.0
Married couple households	2,476	39.8	39.6	36.5
Cohabiting couple households	584	9.4	9.4	8.3
Households with dependent children <sup>iv</sup>	2,035	32.7	30.9	29.4
Lone parent households	645	10.4	9.7	9.5
Lone parent households with dependent children <sup>iv</sup>	460	7.4	6.6	6.4
Households with at least one person of pensionable age	2,017	32.4	31.0	31.6
Pensioner only households	1,518	24.4	23.6	23.7
Pensioners living alone	893	14.3	14.5	14.4
<b>ETHNICITY AND RELIGION</b>				
All People	14,981			
<b>Ethnic Group</b>				
White	14,866	99.2	97.7	90.9
Mixed	60	0.4	0.5	1.3
Asian or Asian British	28	0.2	1.4	4.6
Black or Black British	13	0.1	0.1	2.3
Chinese or other Ethnic Group	14	0.1	0.3	0.9
<b>Country of Birth</b>				
Born in UK	14,750	98.4	97.5	90.7
Born elsewhere in EU	130	0.9	0.8	2.4
Born outside EU	103	0.7	1.7	6.9
<b>Religion</b>				
Christian	12,111	80.8	78.2	71.7
Muslim	15	0.1	1.1	3.1
Other	42	0.3	0.5	2.9
No religion	1,511	10.1	11.7	14.6
Religion not stated	1,301	8.7	8.3	7.7
<b>WORK</b>				
All people aged 16-74	10,660			
<b>Economically active</b>	6,174	57.9	64.3	66.9
Full-time <sup>v</sup> employees	3,716	34.9	40.1	40.8
Part-time <sup>vi</sup> employees	1,341	12.6	12.9	11.8
Self-employed	603	5.7	5.8	8.3
Unemployed	347	3.3	3.5	3.3
Full-time student	167	1.6	1.9	2.6
<b>Economically inactive</b>	4,486	42.1	35.7	33.1
Retired	1,656	15.5	14.4	13.5
Permanently sick or disabled	1,294	12.1	8.3	5.3
Looking after home/family	817	7.7	6.5	6.5
Student	284	2.7	3.1	4.7
Other	435	4.1	3.4	3.1
<b>Qualifications</b>				
Degree level or higher <sup>vii</sup>	1,093	10.3	12.5	19.9
No qualifications	4,698	44.1	39.1	28.9
<b>Travel to work</b> (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,804			
Car, van, motorcycle, taxi	4,158	71.6	68.1	62.7
Public transport <sup>viii</sup>	543	9.4	11.5	14.9
Bicycle or foot	678	11.7	12.2	12.8

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<b>Occupation</b> (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,803			
Managers and senior officials	657	11.3	12.3	15.3
Professional	384	6.6	7.6	11.2
Associate professional & technical	598	10.3	11.6	13.8
Administrative & secretarial	628	10.8	12.0	13.4
Skilled trades	651	11.2	12.3	11.5
Personal service occupations	404	7.0	7.1	6.9
Sales and customer service	395	6.8	8.7	7.7
Process, plant & machine operatives	731	12.6	11.9	8.4
Elementary	1,355	23.3	16.4	11.8
<b>Industry</b> (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,803			
Agriculture	65	1.1	0.8	1.5
Energy	124	2.1	2.3	1.0
Manufacturing	791	13.6	16.7	14.8
Construction	449	7.7	7.5	6.8
Wholesale, retail trade; repair of motor vehicles	1,632	28.1	21.7	16.8
Hotels & Catering	216	3.7	4.5	4.7
Transport, storage & communication	462	8.0	6.8	7.1
Finance & business services	601	10.4	12.4	18.0
Public administration & defence	300	5.2	5.8	5.7
Education	396	6.8	6.7	7.7
Health and social work	558	9.6	10.9	10.7
Other <sup>ix</sup>	209	3.6	4.0	5.2
<b>HOUSING</b>				
Households (all household spaces)	6,459			
Detached	1,694	26.2	20.1	22.5
Semi-detached	2,610	40.4	45.0	31.6
Terraced	1,737	26.9	24.5	25.8
Flat	414	6.4	10.3	19.7
Non permanent accommodation <sup>x</sup>	4	0.1	0.2	0.4
Vacant household spaces	224	3.5	3.1	3.2
<b>Tenure</b> (all household tenures)	6,223			
Owner-occupied	4,132	66.4	65.2	68.7
Rented from Council <sup>xi</sup>	1,358	21.8	25.7	13.2
Rented from Housing Association or Registered Social Landlord <sup>xii</sup>	112	1.8	2.2	6.1
Private or other rented	621	10.0	6.9	12.0
<b>Amenities</b> (all households with residents)	6,223			
Households with central heating & sole use of bath/shower and toilet	6,018	96.7	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