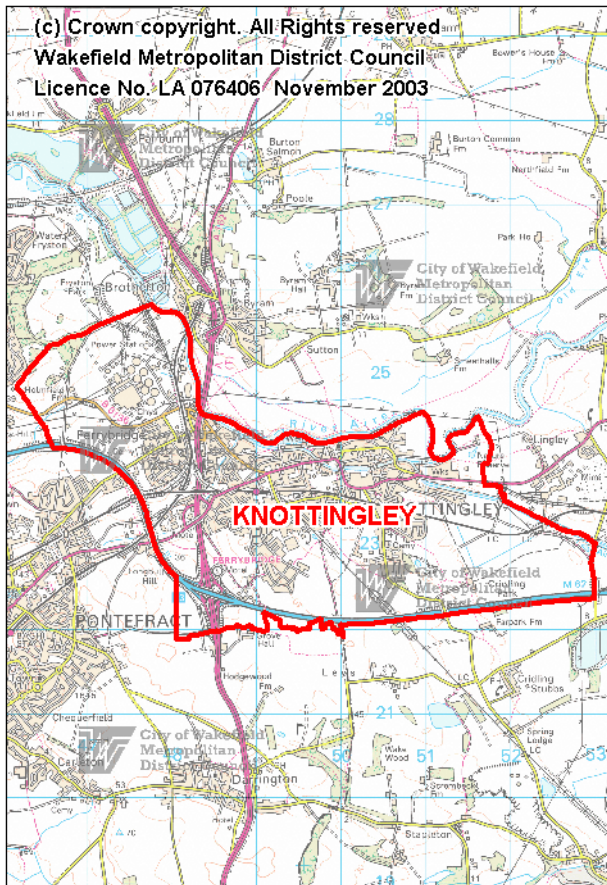


KNOTTINGLEY CENSUS 2001 WARD PROFILE



This profile contains a selection of key statistics taken from the 2001 Census for the Knottingley 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 Knottingley 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

	Knottingley	%	Wakefield District %	England %
POPULATION				
<i>All People</i>	13,503			
Residents in households	13,368	99.0	98.7	98.2
Residents in communal establishments	135	1.0	1.3	1.8
Males	6,542	48.4	48.6	48.7
Females	6,961	51.6	51.4	51.3
Aged 0-4	741	5.5	5.7	6.0
5-15	2,133	15.8	14.8	14.2
16 to 74	9,650	71.5	72.4	72.3
75 and over	979	7.3	7.1	7.5
HEALTH				
<i>All People</i>	13,503			
Limiting long-term illness ⁱ	3,313	24.5	22.4	17.9
General health ⁱⁱ 'not good'	1,855	13.7	12.3	9.0
General health 'fairly good'	3,404	25.2	23.1	22.2
General health 'good'	8,244	61.1	64.6	68.8
People providing unpaid care ⁱⁱⁱ	1,374	10.2	11.1	9.9
Providing unpaid care 50+ hours per week	403	3.0	2.7	2.0

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PEOPLE PLACES AND FAMILIES				
Marital status (all people aged 16 and over)	10,629			
Single people (never married)	2,862	26.9	26.1	30.2
Married or re-married people	5,462	51.4	53.4	50.9
Separated or divorced	1,235	11.6	11.7	10.6
Widowed	1,070	10.1	8.8	8.3
Transport (all households)	5,710			
Households without car/van	2,131	37.3	30.6	26.8
Household with 1 car or van	2,628	46.0	44.6	43.7
Household with 2 or more cars/vans	951	16.7	24.8	29.5
Composition (all households)	5,710			
One person households	1,701	29.8	28.3	30.0
Married couple households	2,110	37.0	39.6	36.5
Cohabiting couple households	508	8.9	9.4	8.3
Households with dependent children ^{iv}	1,796	31.5	30.9	29.4
Lone parent households	670	11.7	9.7	9.5
Lone parent households with dependent children ^{iv}	487	8.5	6.6	6.4
Households with at least one person of pensionable age	1,859	32.6	31.0	31.6
Pensioner only households	1,412	24.7	23.6	23.7
Pensioners living alone	893	15.6	14.5	14.4
ETHNICITY AND RELIGION				
All People	13,507			
Ethnic Group				
White	13,395	99.2	97.7	90.9
Mixed	35	0.3	0.5	1.3
Asian or Asian British	40	0.3	1.4	4.6
Black or Black British	13	0.1	0.1	2.3
Chinese or other Ethnic Group	24	0.2	0.3	0.9
Country of Birth				
Born in UK	13,316	98.6	97.5	90.7
Born elsewhere in EU	90	0.7	0.8	2.4
Born outside EU	97	0.7	1.7	6.9
Religion				
Christian	11,142	82.5	78.2	71.7
Muslim	14	0.1	1.1	3.1
Other	47	0.3	0.5	2.9
No religion	1,326	9.8	11.7	14.6
Religion not stated	974	7.2	8.3	7.7
WORK				
All people aged 16-74	9,650			
Economically active	5,959	61.8	64.3	66.9
Full-time ^v employees	3,686	38.2	40.1	40.8
Part-time ^{vi} employees	1,280	13.3	12.9	11.8
Self-employed	376	3.9	5.8	8.3
Unemployed	462	4.8	3.5	3.3
Full-time student	155	1.6	1.9	2.6
Economically inactive	3,691	38.2	35.7	33.1
Retired	1,484	15.4	14.4	13.5
Permanently sick or disabled	918	9.5	8.3	5.3
Looking after home/family	674	7.0	6.5	6.5
Student	214	2.2	3.1	4.7
Other	401	4.2	3.4	3.1
Qualifications				
Degree level or higher ^{vii}	518	5.4	12.5	19.9
No qualifications	4,700	48.7	39.1	28.9
Travel to work (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,473			
Car, van, motorcycle, taxi	3,479	63.6	68.1	62.7
Public transport ^{viii}	602	11.0	11.5	14.9
Bicycle or foot	1,047	19.1	12.2	12.8

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Occupation (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,473			
Managers and senior officials	432	7.9	12.3	15.3
Professional	191	3.5	7.6	11.2
Associate professional & technical	467	8.5	11.6	13.8
Administrative & secretarial	487	8.9	12.0	13.4
Skilled trades	749	13.7	12.3	11.5
Personal service occupations	390	7.1	7.1	6.9
Sales and customer service	568	10.4	8.7	7.7
Process, plant & machine operatives	1,126	20.6	11.9	8.4
Elementary	1,063	19.4	16.4	11.8
Industry (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	5,473			
Agriculture	39	0.7	0.8	1.5
Energy	257	4.7	2.3	1.0
Manufacturing	1,510	27.6	16.7	14.8
Construction	347	6.3	7.5	6.8
Wholesale, retail trade; repair of motor vehicles	1,082	19.8	21.7	16.8
Hotels & Catering	299	5.5	4.5	4.7
Transport, storage & communication	365	6.7	6.8	7.1
Finance & business services	529	9.7	12.4	18.0
Public administration & defence	182	3.3	5.8	5.7
Education	220	4.0	6.7	7.7
Health and social work	474	8.7	10.9	10.7
Other ^{ix}	169	3.1	4.0	5.2
HOUSING				
Households (all household spaces)	5,951			
Detached	571	9.6	20.1	22.5
Semi-detached	2,986	50.2	45.0	31.6
Terraced	1,460	24.5	24.5	25.8
Flat	867	14.6	10.3	19.7
Non permanent accommodation ^x	66	1.1	0.2	0.4
Vacant household spaces	238	4.0	3.1	3.2
Tenure (all household tenures)	5,710			
Owner-occupied	3,063	53.6	65.2	68.7
Rented from Council ^{xi}	2,264	39.6	25.7	13.2
Rented from Housing Association or Registered Social Landlord ^{xii}	54	0.9	2.2	6.1
Private or other rented	329	5.8	6.9	12.0
Amenities (all households with residents)	5,710			
Households with central heating & sole use of bath/shower and toilet	5,444	95.3	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