

Census 2001 Parish Profile:

District: Blaby

Parish: Cosby

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Simple 'Profiles' containing around 100 variables have been released for all Parishes in Leicestershire with at least 50 residents and 20 households and these are presented in this profile. The themes covered are: People; Households; Work & Qualifications and Accommodation & Tenure. These profiles have not been released for higher geographies such as Wards or Districts so there is no comparison with other areas. Please note that due to rounding in the data adding individual counts may not equal the relevant total.

If the information you are looking for is not in this profile then look at the more detailed Parish Key Statistics tables which provide around 500 variables for all Parishes with at least 100 residents and 40 households. These are available from the contact details below.

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Cosby

Total

Population/ Households	Total
All people	3,647
Males	1,767
Females	1,880
People living in households	3,647
People living in communal establishments	-

Definitions

Health (1)

Limiting long-term illness covers any long-term illness, health problem or disability that limits daily activities or work.

General Health refers to health over the 12 months prior to Census day. (29 April 2001)

Provision of unpaid care: persons looking after, giving help or support to family members and/or neighbours because of long-term physical or mental ill-health or disability or problems relating to age.

Qualifications (2)

Level 1 = 1+ 'O' level passes, 1+CSE/GCSE, NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ

Level 2 = 5+ 'O' level passes, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grades (A-C), 1+ 'A'levels/'AS' levels, NVQ level 2, intermediate GNVQ

Level 3 = 2+ 'A' levels, 4+ 'AS' levels, NVQ 3 Advanced GNVQ

Level 4/5 = First degree, NVQ 4/5, HNC, HND, Qualified Teacher, Doctor, Dentist, Nurse, Midwife and Health Visitor.

Travel to work (3)

Public transport is defined as underground, metro, light rail or tram; bus, minibus or coach (but excludes car-sharing)

Average Distance is the distance in kilometres of a straight line between the residence postcode and the workplace postcode

Household Reference Person (4)

Determines a 'head of household' from all members in the household by using a criteria based on economic activity and age.

Amenities (5)

Occupancy rating is a census measure developed to calculate household overcrowding. It assumes that every household, including one person households, requires a minimum of two common rooms. E.g. -1 implies that there is one room too few.

	Total	Percentage
Age Structure		
0 - 4	220	6.0%
5 - 15	591	16.2%
16 - 24	296	8.1%
25 - 44	1,083	29.7%
45 - 64	987	27.1%
65 - 74	268	7.3%
75 and over	202	5.5%
Mean age of population in the area	38.2	-
Median age of population in the area	38.0	-
All people aged 16 and over in households	2,836	-
Living Arrangements		
All people aged 16 and over and living in a couple	2,006	70.7%
Marital Status (All people aged 16 and over)		
Single	641	22.6%
Married	1,824	64.3%
Divorced or widowed	371	13.1%
Health¹		
All people with a limiting long-term illness	472	12.9%
All people whose health was good	2,675	73.3%
All people providing unpaid care	397	10.9%
Economic Activity (All people aged 16 to 74)		
All people aged 16 to 74	2,634	-
Employed	1,869	71.0%
Unemployed	44	1.7%
Economically inactive	669	25.4%

	Total	Percentage
Industry (All people aged 16 to 74 in employment)		
Extractive and Manufacturing Industries	613	31.9%
Service Industries	1,304	67.9%

Qualifications² (All people aged 16 to 74)		
No qualifications/highest qualification level 1/other qualifications/unknown	1,460	55.4%
Highest qualification at level 2	539	20.5%
Highest qualification at level 3; 4 or 5	635	24.1%

Travel to Work³ (All people aged 16 to 74 in employment)		
Travel to work by public transport	101	5.3%
Travel to work by motorcycle; car or van	1,455	75.7%
Travel to work by other means or work at home	361	18.8%
Average distance travelled to fixed place of work (km)	11.9	-

Household Composition		
All households	1,431	-
One Person Household - Pensioner	156	10.9%
One Person Household - Other	145	10.1%
One Family and no others		
All pensioner households	136	9.5%
Couple households with no children	337	23.5%
Couple households with dependent children	385	26.9%
Lone parent households with dependent children	72	5.0%
Households with all children non-dependent	146	10.2%
Other households	54	3.8%

Household Characteristics		
Households with dependent children and no adult in employment	36	2.5%
Households with one or more persons with limiting long-term illness	401	28.0%
Lone parents in part-time employment	24	33.3%
Lone parents in full -time employment	16	22.2%
Households with one family and dependent children and with the sole use of bath/shower and toilet and central heating	449	98.2%
Households with one family with dependent children and no car or van	21	2.0%
Households with one family with dependent children in owned tenure	378	35.1%
Lone Pensioner and all pensioner one family households with sole use of bath/shower and toilet, central Heating	277	94.9%

	Total	Percentage
Car Ownership		
Number of cars/vans in the area	2,096	-
No cars/ vans in household	171	11.9%
Households with one car	609	42.6%
Households with two cars	511	35.7%
Households with three or more cars	140	9.8%
Lone pensioner and all pensioner one family households without a car/van	114	39.0%
Lone pensioner and all pensioner one family households in owned tenure	210	71.9%

Ethnicity⁴		
Ethnic group of Household Reference Person: White	1,413	98.7%

Type		
All dwellings	1,454	-
Household spaces with residents	1,431	98.4%
Vacant household spaces	23	1.6%
Second residence/holiday accommodation	0	0.0%
Detached house/bungalows	476	32.7%
Semi-detached/terraced houses/bungalow	911	62.7%
Flat maisonette or apartment; or caravan or temporary structure	67	4.6%
Average household size	2.55	-
Average number of rooms per household	5.9	-

Amenities⁵		
Occupancy rating -1 or less	33	2.3%
Households with central heating and sole use of bath/shower and toilet	1,391	97.2%
Households with lowest floor level above ground level	36	2.5%

Tenure		
Households with owner-occupied tenure	1,216	85.0%
Households with tenure rented from Council (local authority) or Housing Association/Registered Social Landlord	150	10.5%
Households rented from private landlord/letting agency/other tenure	65	4.5%