

Census 2001 Parish Profile:

District: Charnwood

Parish: Cossington

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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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Cossington

Total

Population/ Households	
All people	583
Males	306
Females	277
People living in households	466
People living in communal establishments	117

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	24	4.1%
5 - 15	116	19.9%
16 - 24	78	13.4%
25 - 44	120	20.6%
45 - 64	126	21.6%
65 - 74	59	10.1%
75 and over	60	10.3%
Mean age of population in the area	38.8	-
Median age of population in the area	38.0	-
All people aged 16 and over in households	382	-
Living Arrangements		
All people aged 16 and over and living in a couple	278	72.8%
Marital Status (All people aged 16 and over)		
Single	124	28.0%
Married	264	59.6%
Divorced or widowed	55	12.4%
Health¹		
All people with a limiting long-term illness	85	14.6%
All people whose health was good	398	68.3%
All people providing unpaid care	65	11.1%
Economic Activity (All people aged 16 to 74)		
All people aged 16 to 74	383	-
Employed	216	56.4%
Unemployed	6	1.6%
Economically inactive	157	41.0%

	Total	Percentage
Industry (All people aged 16 to 74 in employment)		
Extractive and Manufacturing Industries	63	28.6%
Service Industries	157	71.4%
Qualifications² (All people aged 16 to 74)		
No qualifications/highest qualification level 1/other qualifications/unknown	168	43.9%
Highest qualification at level 2	90	23.5%
Highest qualification at level 3; 4 or 5	125	32.6%
Travel to Work³ (All people aged 16 to 74 in employment)		
Travel to work by public transport	10	4.5%
Travel to work by motorcycle; car or van	152	69.1%
Travel to work by other means or work at home	58	26.4%
Average distance travelled to fixed place of work (km)	18.5	-
Household Composition		
All households	203	-
One Person Household - Pensioner	28	13.8%
One Person Household - Other	21	10.3%
One Family and no others		
All pensioner households	37	18.2%
Couple households with no children	39	19.2%
Couple households with dependent children	46	22.7%
Lone parent households with dependent children	7	3.4%
Households with all children non-dependent	19	9.4%
Other households	6	3.0%
Household Characteristics		
Households with dependent children and no adult in employment	7	3.4%
Households with one or more persons with limiting long-term illness	61	30.0%
Lone parents in part-time employment	0	0.0%
Lone parents in full-time employment	0	0.0%
Households with one family and dependent children and with the sole use of bath/shower and toilet and central heating	53	100.0%
Households with one family with dependent children and no car or van	3	2.0%
Households with one family with dependent children in owned tenure	40	27.0%
Lone Pensioner and all pensioner one family households with sole use of bath/shower and toilet, central Heating	62	95.4%

	Total	Percentage
Car Ownership		
Number of cars/vans in the area	317	-
No cars/ vans in household	20	9.9%
Households with one car	79	38.9%
Households with two cars	81	39.9%
Households with three or more cars	23	11.3%
Lone pensioner and all pensioner one family households without a car/van	14	21.5%
Lone pensioner and all pensioner one family households in owned tenure	50	76.9%

Ethnicity⁴		
Ethnic group of Household Reference Person: White	200	98.5%

Type		
All dwellings	206	-
Household spaces with residents	203	98.5%
Vacant household spaces	3	1.5%
Second residence/holiday accommodation	0	0.0%
Detached house/bungalows	124	60.2%
Semi-detached/terraced houses/bungalow	78	37.9%
Flat maisonette or apartment; or caravan or temporary structure	4	1.9%
Average household size	2.30	-
Average number of rooms per household	6.6	-

Amenities⁵		
Occupancy rating -1 or less	0	0.0%
Households with central heating and sole use of bath/shower and toilet	199	98.0%
Households with lowest floor level above ground level	3	1.5%

Tenure		
Households with owner-occupied tenure	163	80.3%
Households with tenure rented from Council (local authority) or Housing Association/Registered Social Landlord	18	8.9%
Households rented from private landlord/letting agency/other tenure	22	10.8%