

Census 2001 Key Statistics: Blaby District Ravenhurst and Fosse Ward

The release of the Census Key Statistics tables by the Office of National Statistics (ONS) presents users with a set of summary ward results from the 2001 Census of Population. This area profile provides a summary of this data for a Leicestershire Ward with comparison figures for the District and County area.

The 24 Key Statistics tables cover the main Census topics and consist of approximately 375 counts. These tables are available at output area, ward, local authority district, unitary, county, regional and national level.

To prevent the inadvertent disclosure of information about individuals ONS has independently adjusted all the tables; this means that counts of the same population in two different tables may not necessarily be the same.

The percentage results have also been rounded to two decimal places. Hence, multiplying the percentages by the relevant total population count may give a slightly different figure to the Totals column.

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	Ravenhurst and Fosse	Blaby	Leicestershire
Population / Households	Total	Total	Total
Total resident population	7,158	90,252	609,578
Population living in households	7,147	89,002	596,120
- Males	3,513	44,851	301,268
- Females	3,645	45,401	308,310
Number of households	2,761	35,908	245,245
Average household size	2.59	2.48	2.43
Population living in communal establishments	11	1,250	13,458

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2001 Census Area Profile

Keys Statistics Definitions

1991 Census Comparison

- Care must be taken when interpreting inter-census population. Firstly, the data in this profile is based on the new ward boundaries that came in effect May 2003. Secondly, some of the questions asked have been modified for 2001. Lastly, unlike 1991, the 2001 counts have been adjusted to account for underenumeration.

Amenities (1)

- 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.

Qualifications (2)

- 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.

Health (3)

- 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.

Car / Van Ownership (4)

- 'All cars/vans' may not be exact as households with more than 10 cars are counted as having 10 cars.

Long-term Unemployed (5)

- A person is defined as being long term unemployed if the year they last worked was 1999 or earlier.

Travel to work (6)

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

	Ravenhurst and Fosse		Blaby		Leicestershire	
	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
Age Structure						
All people:	7,158	—	90,252	—	609,578	—
0-4 years:	397	5.55%	5,208	5.77%	34,232	5.62%
5-9 years:	455	6.35%	5,817	6.44%	37,794	6.20%
10-15 years:	638	8.91%	7,068	7.83%	47,276	7.76%
16-19 years:	376	5.25%	4,256	4.71%	31,189	5.12%
20-29 years:	797	11.14%	9,697	10.74%	68,783	11.29%
30-44 years:	1,724	24.08%	21,576	23.91%	137,945	22.63%
45-59 years:	1,290	18.02%	18,314	20.29%	126,292	20.72%
60-64 years:	339	4.74%	4,669	5.17%	30,619	5.02%
65-74 years:	678	9.47%	7,696	8.53%	51,675	8.48%
75 and over	464	6.48%	5,951	6.60%	43,773	7.19%
Ethnic Group						
White	5,727	80.01%	85,113	94.31%	577,360	94.71%
British	5,530	77.26%	83,378	92.38%	565,401	92.75%
Irish	69	0.96%	683	0.76%	4,097	0.67%
Other White	128	1.79%	1,052	1.17%	7,862	1.29%
Mixed	64	0.90%	831	0.92%	4,537	0.75%
White & Black Caribbean	26	0.36%	365	0.40%	1,573	0.26%
White & Black African	4	0.06%	63	0.07%	342	0.06%
White & Asian	29	0.41%	251	0.28%	1,692	0.28%
Other Mixed	5	0.07%	152	0.17%	930	0.15%
Asian or Asian British	1,237	17.28%	3,411	3.78%	22,506	3.70%
Indian	1,110	15.51%	3,043	3.37%	18,519	3.04%
Pakistani	28	0.39%	115	0.13%	903	0.15%
Bangladeshi	0	0.00%	10	0.01%	1,385	0.23%
Other Asian	99	1.38%	243	0.27%	1,699	0.28%
Black or Black British	110	1.54%	452	0.49%	1,949	0.32%
Caribbean	75	1.05%	320	0.35%	1,106	0.18%
African	23	0.32%	85	0.09%	676	0.11%
Other Black	12	0.17%	47	0.05%	167	0.03%
Chinese	13	0.18%	348	0.39%	2,209	0.36%
Other Ethnic Group	7	0.10%	97	0.11%	1,017	0.17%

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	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
Religion (Voluntary Question)						
Christian	4,350	60.77%	66,491	73.67%	452,347	74.21%
Buddhist	7	0.10%	116	0.13%	904	0.15%
Hindu	493	6.89%	1,689	1.87%	12,329	2.02%
Jewish	4	0.06%	69	0.08%	614	0.10%
Muslim	76	1.06%	372	0.41%	4,937	0.81%
Sikh	592	8.27%	1,280	1.42%	4,971	0.82%
Other	36	0.50%	172	0.19%	1,287	0.21%
No religion or not stated	1,600	22.35%	20,063	22.23%	132,189	21.69%
Household Composition						
Households with dependent children	910	32.96%	11,198	31.18%	74,236	30.27%
Lone parent households with dependent children	124	4.49%	1,470	4.09%	11,375	4.64%
All pensioner households	706	25.57%	8,170	22.75%	57,837	23.58%
Accommodation Type						
All household spaces	2,824	—	36,638	—	252,661	—
Detached	302	10.69%	13,486	36.81%	94,129	37.26%
Semi-detached	2,213	78.36%	17,745	48.43%	100,478	39.77%
Terraced	186	6.59%	3,547	9.68%	39,586	15.67%
Flat, maisonette or apartment	121	4.28%	1,774	4.84%	17,462	6.91%
Other	0	0.00%	86	0.23%	1,006	0.40%
Tenure						
Owner-occupied	2,464	89.24%	31,252	87.03%	199,020	81.15%
Rented from council / housing association	129	4.68%	2,942	8.19%	26,982	11.00%
Private landlord / letting agency	129	4.67%	1,222	3.40%	13,463	5.49%
Other	39	1.41%	492	1.37%	5,780	2.36%
Amenities (1)						
Without central heating	153	5.54%	1,095	3.05%	10,947	4.47%
Without sole use of bath / shower and toilet	3	0.11%	36	0.10%	631	0.26%
Occupancy rating of -1 or less	162	5.87%	1,049	2.92%	8,302	3.39%
Qualifications (2) (People aged 16-74)						
Number of people aged 16-74	5,204	—	66,208	—	446,503	—
No qualification	1,768	33.97%	18,413	27.81%	125,964	28.21%
Highest qualification attained level 3	295	5.67%	4,393	6.64%	38,401	8.60%
Highest qualification attained level 4/5	636	12.22%	11,407	17.23%	81,305	18.21%
Health and Provision of Unpaid Care (3)						
People with a limiting long-term illness	1,172	16.37%	13,298	14.73%	94,171	15.45%
People of working age population with limiting long-term illness	537	—	5,720	—	40,241	—
People with 'not good' general health	576	8.05%	6,343	7.03%	44,838	7.36%
People providing unpaid care	786	10.98%	9,535	10.56%	63,387	10.40%
Car / Van Ownership (4)						
Number of cars / vans	3,298	—	49,709	—	327,036	—
No car or van	514	18.62%	4,807	13.39%	41,235	16.81%
Households with 1 car or van	1,405	50.89%	16,123	44.90%	107,027	43.64%
Households with 2 cars or vans	682	24.70%	12,166	33.88%	77,479	31.59%
Households with 3+ cars or vans	160	5.80%	2,812	7.84%	19,504	7.95%

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	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
People aged 16-74 in employment	3,501		47,138		304,302	

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Industry of Employment (people aged 16-74 in employment)	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	38	1.09%	466	0.99%	4,853	1.59%
Energy & water	48	1.38%	675	1.43%	4,297	1.41%
Manufacturing	739	21.11%	9,317	19.77%	64,421	21.17%
Construction	250	7.14%	3,370	7.15%	20,403	6.70%
Distribution, hotels, restaurants & retail	916	26.17%	10,816	22.94%	67,569	22.20%
Transport and communication	223	6.37%	2,974	6.31%	19,492	6.41%
Banking, finance & insurance	448	12.80%	6,962	14.77%	43,181	14.19%
Public administration, education & health	738	21.08%	10,810	22.93%	67,590	22.21%
Other	101	2.88%	1,748	3.71%	12,496	4.11%

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Occupation Groups (people aged 16-74 in employment)	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
Managers & senior officials	335	9.57%	7,506	15.92%	48,659	15.99%
Professional	220	6.28%	4,543	9.64%	32,494	10.68%
Associate professional & technical	413	11.79%	6,425	13.63%	37,872	12.45%
Administrative & secretarial	453	12.94%	6,604	14.01%	38,854	12.77%
Skilled trades	542	15.48%	6,186	13.12%	38,842	12.76%
Personal service	270	7.71%	3,058	6.49%	19,513	6.41%
Sales & customer service	337	9.62%	3,544	7.52%	20,960	6.89%
Plant operative	454	12.96%	4,383	9.30%	30,657	10.07%
Elementary occupations	478	13.65%	4,887	10.37%	36,451	11.98%

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Economic Activity (people aged 16-74)	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
Number of people aged 16-74	5,204	—	66,208	—	446,503	—
Number of males aged 16-74	2,582	—	33,267	—	223,149	—
Number of females aged 16-74	2,622	—	32,941	—	223,354	—
Economically Active Rate	3,666	70.45%	48,667	73.51%	316,051	70.78%
Male	1,963	76.02%	26,357	79.23%	172,305	77.22%
Female	1,703	64.95%	22,310	67.73%	143,746	64.35%
Employees	3,032	58.27%	39,916	60.29%	253,482	56.77%
Male	1,552	60.10%	20,459	61.50%	131,520	58.94%
Female	1,480	56.45%	19,457	59.07%	121,962	54.60%
Unemployed	149	2.86%	1,387	2.09%	10,513	2.35%
Male	81	3.14%	819	2.46%	6,081	2.73%
Female	68	2.59%	568	1.72%	4,432	1.98%
Long term unemployed (5)	38	25.50%	333	24.01%	2,628	25.00%
Male	16	19.75%	177	21.61%	1,392	22.89%
Female	22	32.35%	156	27.46%	1,236	27.89%
Economically Inactive Rate	1,538	29.56%	17,541	26.49%	130,452	29.22%
Male	619	23.98%	6,910	20.76%	50,844	22.79%
Female	919	35.05%	10,631	32.28%	79,608	35.64%
Permanently sick/disabled	229	4.40%	2,100	3.17%	14,972	3.35%
Male	120	4.65%	1,072	3.22%	7,752	3.47%
Female	109	4.16%	1,028	3.12%	7,220	3.23%

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Travel to Work (6) (people aged 16-74 in employment)	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
by car or van (driving or passenger)	2,226	63.59%	34,103	72.35%	214,877	70.61%
by public transport	497	14.19%	3,672	7.79%	17,707	5.82%