

## Census 2001 Parish Profile:

**District: Melton**

**Parish: Sproxton**

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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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## Sproxton

## Total

Population/ Households	Total
All people	480
Males	232
Females	248
People living in households	480
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
<b>Age Structure</b>		
0 - 4	44	9.2%
5 - 15	51	10.6%
16 - 24	37	7.7%
25 - 44	137	28.5%
45 - 64	146	30.4%
65 - 74	35	7.3%
75 and over	30	6.3%
Mean age of population in the area	39.7	-
Median age of population in the area	40.0	-
All people aged 16 and over in households	385	-
<b>Living Arrangements</b>		
All people aged 16 and over and living in a couple	282	73.2%
<b>Marital Status (All people aged 16 and over)</b>		
Single	91	23.6%
Married	249	64.7%
Divorced or widowed	45	11.7%
<b>Health<sup>1</sup></b>		
All people with a limiting long-term illness	66	13.8%
All people whose health was good	370	77.1%
All people providing unpaid care	56	11.7%
<b>Economic Activity (All people aged 16 to 74)</b>		
All people aged 16 to 74	355	-
Employed	237	66.8%
Unemployed	9	2.5%
Economically inactive	103	29.0%

	Total	Percentage
<b>Industry (All people aged 16 to 74 in employment)</b>		
Extractive and Manufacturing Industries	88	36.2%
Service Industries	154	63.4%

<b>Qualifications<sup>2</sup> (All people aged 16 to 74)</b>		
No qualifications/highest qualification level 1/other qualifications/unknown	153	43.1%
Highest qualification at level 2	83	23.4%
Highest qualification at level 3; 4 or 5	119	33.5%

<b>Travel to Work<sup>3</sup> (All people aged 16 to 74 in employment)</b>		
Travel to work by public transport	3	1.2%
Travel to work by motorcycle; car or van	156	64.2%
Travel to work by other means or work at home	83	34.2%
Average distance travelled to fixed place of work (km)	27.5	-

<b>Household Composition</b>		
All households	192	-
One Person Household - Pensioner	14	7.3%
One Person Household - Other	22	11.5%
<b>One Family and no others</b>		
All pensioner households	23	12.0%
Couple households with no children	50	26.0%
Couple households with dependent children	45	23.4%
Lone parent households with dependent children	9	4.7%
Households with all children non-dependent	19	9.9%
Other households	10	5.2%

<b>Household Characteristics</b>		
Households with dependent children and no adult in employment	5	2.6%
Households with one or more persons with limiting long-term illness	56	29.2%
Lone parents in part-time employment	4	44.4%
Lone parents in full -time employment	3	33.3%
Households with one family and dependent children and with the sole use of bath/shower and toilet and central heating	50	92.6%
Households with one family with dependent children and no car or van	4	2.7%
Households with one family with dependent children in owned tenure	38	26.0%
Lone Pensioner and all pensioner one family households with sole use of bath/shower and toilet, central Heating	26	70.3%

	Total	Percentage
<b>Car Ownership</b>		
Number of cars/vans in the area	323	-
No cars/ vans in household	21	10.9%
Households with one car	62	32.3%
Households with two cars	82	42.7%
Households with three or more cars	27	14.1%
Lone pensioner and all pensioner one family households without a car/van	13	35.1%
Lone pensioner and all pensioner one family households in owned tenure	26	70.3%

<b>Ethnicity<sup>4</sup></b>		
Ethnic group of Household Reference Person: White	191	99.5%

<b>Type</b>		
All dwellings	202	-
Household spaces with residents	192	95.0%
Vacant household spaces	10	5.0%
Second residence/holiday accommodation	0	0.0%
Detached house/bungalows	121	59.9%
Semi-detached/terraced houses/bungalow	77	38.1%
Flat maisonette or apartment; or caravan or temporary structure	4	2.0%
Average household size	2.50	-
Average number of rooms per household	6.9	-

<b>Amenities<sup>5</sup></b>		
Occupancy rating -1 or less	3	1.6%
Households with central heating and sole use of bath/shower and toilet	167	87.0%
Households with lowest floor level above ground level	4	2.1%

<b>Tenure</b>		
Households with owner-occupied tenure	142	74.0%
Households with tenure rented from Council (local authority) or Housing Association/Registered Social Landlord	12	6.3%
Households rented from private landlord/letting agency/other tenure	38	19.8%