

Census 2001 Key Statistics: North West Leicestershire District Measham 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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	Measham	North West Leicestershire	Leicestershire
Population / Households	Total	Total	Total
Total resident population	4,849	85,503	609,578
Population living in households	4,837	84,836	596,120
- Males	2,410	42,240	301,268
- Females	2,439	43,263	308,310
Number of households	1,971	35,394	245,245
Average household size	2.45	2.40	2.43
Population living in communal establishments	12	667	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)

	Measham		North West Leicestershire		Leicestershire	
	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
Age Structure						
All people:	4,849	—	85,503	—	609,578	—
0-4 years:	356	7.34%	5,034	5.89%	34,232	5.62%
5-9 years:	355	7.32%	5,293	6.19%	37,794	6.20%
10-15 years:	370	7.63%	6,546	7.66%	47,276	7.76%
16-19 years:	178	3.67%	3,631	4.24%	31,189	5.12%
20-29 years:	590	12.17%	9,201	10.76%	68,783	11.29%
30-44 years:	1,166	24.05%	19,687	23.02%	137,945	22.63%
45-59 years:	1,018	20.99%	18,135	21.21%	126,292	20.72%
60-64 years:	215	4.43%	4,329	5.06%	30,619	5.02%
65-74 years:	350	7.22%	7,175	8.39%	51,675	8.48%
75 and over	251	5.18%	6,472	7.57%	43,773	7.19%
Ethnic Group						
White	4,779	98.66%	84,458	98.78%	577,360	94.71%
British	4,683	96.68%	83,256	97.37%	565,401	92.75%
Irish	32	0.66%	460	0.54%	4,097	0.67%
Other White	64	1.32%	742	0.87%	7,862	1.29%
Mixed	36	0.75%	420	0.50%	4,537	0.75%
White & Black Caribbean	13	0.27%	159	0.19%	1,573	0.26%
White & Black African	3	0.06%	40	0.05%	342	0.06%
White & Asian	8	0.17%	124	0.15%	1,692	0.28%
Other Mixed	12	0.25%	97	0.11%	930	0.15%
Asian or Asian British	15	0.31%	351	0.40%	22,506	3.70%
Indian	15	0.31%	294	0.34%	18,519	3.04%
Pakistani	0	0.00%	20	0.02%	903	0.15%
Bangladeshi	0	0.00%	3	0.00%	1,385	0.23%
Other Asian	0	0.00%	34	0.04%	1,699	0.28%
Black or Black British	7	0.14%	79	0.09%	1,949	0.32%
Caribbean	7	0.14%	45	0.05%	1,106	0.18%
African	0	0.00%	29	0.03%	676	0.11%
Other Black	0	0.00%	5	0.01%	167	0.03%
Chinese	0	0.00%	109	0.13%	2,209	0.36%
Other Ethnic Group	7	0.14%	86	0.10%	1,017	0.17%

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	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
Religion (Voluntary Question)						
Christian	3,711	76.59%	66,835	78.17%	452,347	74.21%
Buddhist	10	0.21%	89	0.1%	904	0.15%
Hindu	10	0.21%	170	0.2%	12,329	2.02%
Jewish	0	0.00%	47	0.05%	614	0.10%
Muslim	12	0.25%	112	0.13%	4,937	0.81%
Sikh	0	0.00%	75	0.09%	4,971	0.82%
Other	7	0.14%	179	0.21%	1,287	0.21%
No religion or not stated	1,095	22.60%	17,996	21.05%	132,189	21.69%
Household Composition						
Households with dependent children	622	31.56%	10,443	29.51%	74,236	30.27%
Lone parent households with dependent children	112	5.68%	1,668	4.71%	11,375	4.64%
All pensioner households	354	17.97%	8,351	23.59%	57,837	23.58%
Accommodation Type						
All household spaces	2,036	—	36,838	—	252,661	—
Detached	779	38.26%	14,591	39.61%	94,129	37.26%
Semi-detached	716	35.17%	13,189	35.8%	100,478	39.77%
Terraced	369	18.12%	6,616	17.96%	39,586	15.67%
Flat, maisonette or apartment	172	8.45%	2,230	6.06%	17,462	6.91%
Other	0	0.00%	212	0.58%	1,006	0.40%
Tenure						
Owner-occupied	1,450	73.61%	27,115	76.61%	199,020	81.15%
Rented from council / housing association	403	20.46%	5,715	16.14%	26,982	11.00%
Private landlord / letting agency	72	3.65%	1,667	4.71%	13,463	5.49%
Other	45	2.28%	897	2.53%	5,780	2.36%
Amenities (1)						
Without central heating	46	2.33%	1,137	3.21%	10,947	4.47%
Without sole use of bath / shower and toilet	0	0.00%	86	0.24%	631	0.26%
Occupancy rating of -1 or less	52	2.64%	975	2.75%	8,302	3.39%
Qualifications (2) (People aged 16-74)						
Number of people aged 16-74	3,517	—	62,158	—	446,503	—
No qualification	1,303	37.05%	20,638	33.2%	125,964	28.21%
Highest qualification attained level 3	208	5.91%	4,150	6.68%	38,401	8.60%
Highest qualification attained level 4/5	399	11.34%	10,085	16.22%	81,305	18.21%
Health and Provision of Unpaid Care (3)						
People with a limiting long-term illness	801	16.52%	15,255	17.84%	94,171	15.45%
People of working age population with limiting long-term illness	401	—	6,696	—	40,241	—
People with 'not good' general health	438	9.03%	7,531	8.81%	44,838	7.36%
People providing unpaid care	496	10.23%	9,358	10.94%	63,387	10.40%
Car / Van Ownership (4)						
Number of cars / vans	2,635	—	46,792	—	327,036	—
No car or van	326	16.54%	6,623	18.71%	41,235	16.81%
Households with 1 car or van	847	42.97%	14,644	41.37%	107,027	43.64%
Households with 2 cars or vans	647	32.83%	11,197	31.64%	77,479	31.59%
Households with 3+ cars or vans	151	7.66%	2,930	8.28%	19,504	7.95%

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People aged 16-74 in employment	2,384		41,918		304,302	

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Industry of Employment (people aged 16-74 in employment)	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage	Total	Percentage
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	39	1.64%	652	1.57%	4,853	1.59%
Energy & water	35	1.47%	939	2.24%	4,297	1.41%
Manufacturing	578	24.24%	9,182	21.90%	64,421	21.17%
Construction	193	8.10%	3,125	7.45%	20,403	6.70%
Distribution, hotels, restaurants & retail	569	23.87%	9,277	22.13%	67,569	22.20%
Transport and communication	209	8.77%	3,488	8.32%	19,492	6.41%
Banking, finance & insurance	312	13.08%	5,580	13.32%	43,181	14.19%
Public administration, education & health	338	14.17%	8,026	19.14%	67,590	22.21%
Other	111	4.66%	1,649	3.93%	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	355	14.89%	6,775	16.16%	48,659	15.99%
Professional	181	7.59%	3,977	9.49%	32,494	10.68%
Associate professional & technical	272	11.41%	4,837	11.54%	37,872	12.45%
Administrative & secretarial	217	9.10%	4,692	11.19%	38,854	12.77%
Skilled trades	325	13.63%	5,372	12.82%	38,842	12.76%
Personal service	137	5.75%	2,770	6.61%	19,513	6.41%
Sales & customer service	133	5.58%	2,748	6.56%	20,960	6.89%
Plant operative	377	15.81%	5,068	12.09%	30,657	10.07%
Elementary occupations	387	16.23%	5,680	13.55%	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	3,517	—	62,158	—	446,503	—
Number of males aged 16-74	1,732	—	31,063	—	223,149	—
Number of females aged 16-74	1,785	—	31,095	—	223,354	—
Economically Active Rate	2,476	70.40%	43,535	70.03%	316,051	70.78%
Male	1,378	79.56%	24,115	77.64%	172,305	77.22%
Female	1,098	61.52%	19,420	62.45%	143,746	64.35%
Employees	2,087	59.34%	35,668	57.38%	253,482	56.77%
Male	1,116	64.43%	19,013	61.21%	131,520	58.94%
Female	971	54.40%	16,655	53.56%	121,962	54.60%
Unemployed	90	2.56%	1,503	2.42%	10,513	2.35%
Male	49	2.83%	848	2.73%	6,081	2.73%
Female	41	2.30%	655	2.11%	4,432	1.98%
Long term unemployed (5)	28	31.11%	406	27.01%	2,628	25.00%
Male	12	24.49%	207	24.41%	1,392	22.89%
Female	16	39.02%	199	30.38%	1,236	27.89%
Economically Inactive Rate	1,041	29.60%	18,623	29.96%	130,452	29.22%
Male	354	20.43%	6,948	22.37%	50,844	22.79%
Female	687	38.49%	11,675	37.54%	79,608	35.64%
Permanently sick/disabled	166	4.72%	2,871	4.62%	14,972	3.35%
Male	87	5.02%	1,567	5.04%	7,752	3.47%
Female	79	4.43%	1,304	4.19%	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)	1,797	75.38%	31,265	74.59%	214,877	70.61%
by public transport	67	2.81%	1,416	3.38%	17,707	5.82%