



Northumberland Knowledge 2011 Census Fact Sheet

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WHO WE ARE			HOW WE LIVE		
Key Population Statistics (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Households (all household spaces)	Number	Per cent
All People	29,413	-	All Household spaces	12,777	-
All Males	14,146	48.1	Household spaces with at least one resident	12,534	98.1
All Females	15,267	51.9	Household spaces with no residents	243	1.9
Number of people per hectare*	12.9	-	Average Household size	2.3	-
Number of people per square kilometre*	1,286.1	-			
			Overcrowded households (all households)	Number	Per cent
Population by Age (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Occupancy rating of -1 or worse (rooms)	531	4.2
0 – 15 years	5,279	17.9	Households without central heating	103	0.8
0 – 4	1,594	5.4			
5 – 15	3,685	12.5	Accommodation Type (all household spaces)	Number	Per cent
16 – 64 years	19,444	66.1	Whole house or bungalow	11,126	87.1
16 – 24	3,051	10.4	Detached	2,577	20.2
25 – 64	16,393	55.7	Semi-detached	4,983	39.0
65 + years	4,690	15.9	Terraced	3,566	27.9
65 – 74	2,836	9.6	Flat maisonette or apartment	1,648	12.9
75 +	1,854	6.3	Caravan/other mobile or temporary structure	3	0.0
Health (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Household by Tenure (all households)	Number	Per cent
Day-to-day activities limited a lot	2,715	9.2	Owned outright	3,804	30.3
Day-to-day activities limited a little	2,907	9.9	Owned with a mortgage or loan	5,230	41.7
Day-to-day activities not limited	23,791	80.9	Shared ownership (part owned & part rented)	41	0.3
General health is very good	13,332	45.3	Social rented	2,257	18.0
General health is good	10,128	34.4	Private rented including living rent free	1,202	9.6
General health is fair	4,246	14.4			
General health is bad	1,320	4.5	Household Composition (all households)	Number	Per cent
General health is very bad	387	1.3	One person household	3,286	26.2
			Aged 65 and over	1,348	10.8
Religion (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Other	1,938	15.5
Christian	19,635	66.8	One family only	8,771	70.0
Buddhist	39	0.1	All aged 65 and over	1,060	8.5
Hindu	19	0.1	Married/same-sex civil partnership couple	5,130	40.9
Jewish	18	0.1	Cohabiting couple	1,272	10.1
Muslim	68	0.2	Lone parent	1,309	10.4
Sikh	22	0.1	Other household type	477	3.8
Other	67	0.2			
No Religion	7,886	26.8	Marital & Civil Partnership Status (aged 16+)	Number	Per cent
Not stated	1,659	5.6	Single (never married/registered in a SSCP*)	6,755	28.0
			Married	12,834	53.2
Ethnic Group (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	In a Registered SSCP	34	0.1
White	29,052	98.8	Separated	601	2.5
Mixed / multiple	181	0.6	Divorced or Formerly in a SSCP	2,271	9.4
Asian / Asian British	145	0.5	Widowed or Surviving Partner from a SSCP	1,639	6.8
Black / African / Caribbean / Black British	20	0.1			
Other	15	0.1	Car or Van Availability (all households)	Number	Per cent
			No cars or vans in household	2,544	20.3
			1 car or van in household	5,811	46.4
			2 cars or vans in household	3,427	27.3
			3 cars or vans in household	589	4.7
			4 or more cars or vans in household	163	1.3
			Average number of cars per household	1.2	-



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WHAT WE DO			Industry (aged 16-74 in employment)	Number	Per cent
Provision of Unpaid Care (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Agriculture, forestry & fishing	29	0.2
People providing unpaid care	3,278	11.1	Mining & quarrying	52	0.4
Providing 1 – 19 hours	2,048	7.0	Manufacturing	1,742	12.0
Providing 20 – 49 hours	421	1.4	Elec, gas, steam & air conditioning supply	103	0.7
Providing 50 + hours	809	2.8	Water sply; sewage, wste mgmt & remediaton	87	0.6
People providing no unpaid care	26,135	88.9	Construction	1,089	7.5
			Whsale & ret trade; repair motor vehicles...	2,286	15.8
Highest Level of Qualification (aged 16+)	Number	Per cent	Transport & Storage	637	4.4
No qualifications	5,407	22.4	Accommodation & Food Svc Activities	715	4.9
Level 1 qualifications	3,763	15.6	Information & Communication	471	3.3
Level 2 qualifications	4,416	18.3	Financial & Insurance Activities	552	3.8
Apprenticeship	1,327	5.5	Real Estate	177	1.2
Level 3 qualifications	3,278	13.6	Professional, Scientific & Technical	660	4.6
Level 4 qualifications and above	5,116	21.2	Administrative & Support Service	635	4.4
Other qualifications	827	3.4	Pub Admin & Def; Compulsory Soc Sec	1,700	11.7
			Education	1,199	8.3
Weekly Hours Worked (aged 16 - 74 in employment)	Number	Per cent	Human Health & Social Work	1,823	12.6
15 hours or less (part-time)	1,148	7.9	Other	521	3.6
16-30 hours (part-time)	3,018	20.8			
31-48 hours (full-time)	9,018	62.3	Occupation (aged 16-74 in employment)	Number	Per cent
49 hours or more (full-time)	1,294	8.9	Managers, Directors and Senior Officials	1,171	8.1
			Professional Occupations	1,907	13.2
			Associate Professional and Technical	1,888	13.0
Method of Travel to Work (aged 16-74 in employment)	Number	Per cent	Administrative and Secretarial Occupations	2,407	16.6
Car/van/taxi/motorcycle	11,105	76.7	Skilled Trades Occupations	1,544	10.7
Public transport	1,387	9.6	Caring, Leisure and Other Service Occupations	1,325	9.2
On foot	1,162	8.0	Sales and Customer Service Occupations	1,633	11.3
Bicycle	295	2.0	Process, Plant and Machine Operatives	1,150	7.9
Work from home	430	3.0	Elementary Occupations	1,453	10.0
Other	99	0.7			
			Socio-Economic Classification (aged 16-74 in employment)	Number	Per cent
Economic Activity (aged 16-74)	Number	Per cent	Higher Managerial, Admin & Prof Occupations	1,772	8.0
Economically Active	15,499	69.6	Lower Managerial, Admin & Prof Occupations	4,740	21.3
Employees part-time	3,379	15.2	Intermediate Occupations	3,992	17.9
Employees full-time	9,368	42.0	Small Employers & Own Account Workers	1,311	5.9
Self-employed	1,246	5.6	Lower Supervisory & Technical Occupations	1,875	8.4
Unemployed	897	4.0	Semi-Routine Occupations	3,598	16.1
Full-time student	609	2.7	Routine Occupations	2,726	12.2
Economically Inactive	6,781	30.4	Never Worked and Long-Term Unemployed	901	4.0
Retired	4,050	18.2	Not Classified	1,365	6.1
Student (Including Full-Time Students)	779	3.5			
Looking After Home or Family	730	3.3			
Long-Term Sick or Disabled	957	4.3			
Other	265	1.2			

*SSCP – Same-Sex Civil Partnership.

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