

## Census 2001 - Key Statistics for Sandwell Neighbourhoods Beeches Road

Population	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
Total number of people	3447		
Total Female:	1799	52.2%	51.8%
Total Male:	1646	47.8%	48.2%
Aged 0-4:	263	7.6%	6.4%
Aged 5-15:	508	14.7%	15.3%
Aged 16-24:	481	14.0%	10.5%
Aged 25-29:	286	8.3%	6.8%
Aged 30-44:	700	20.3%	22.1%
Aged 45-59:	512	14.9%	17.3%
Aged 60-74:	463	13.4%	13.8%
Aged 75 and Over:	234	6.8%	7.7%

Population Change	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
Change since 1991:	-673	-19.5%	-3.4%

Ethnic Group	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
White (inc. British; Irish; Other White)	1279	37.1%	79.7%
Mixed (inc. White and Black Caribbean; White and Black African; White and Asian; Other Mixed)	130	3.8%	2.1%
Asian or Asian British: Indian	1072	31.1%	9.1%
Asian or Asian British: Pakistani	366	10.6%	2.9%
Asian or Asian British: Bangladeshi	60	1.7%	1.2%
Asian or Asian British: Other Asian	57	1.7%	0.7%
Black or Black British: Caribbean	421	12.2%	3.3%
Black or Black British: African	9	0.3%	0.2%
Black or Black British: Other Black	32	0.9%	0.3%
Chinese or other ethnic group: Chinese	4	0.1%	0.2%
Chinese or other ethnic group: Other Ethnic Group	15	0.4%	0.2%

Qualifications (all aged 16-74)	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
No qualifications:	1195	48.9%	45.6%
Qualifications at degree level or higher:	250	10.2%	9.7%

Religion <sup>i</sup>	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
Christian:	1385	40.2%	68.6%
Buddhist:	6	0.2%	0.1%
Hindu:	326	9.5%	2.0%
Jewish:	0	0.0%	0%
Muslim:	456	13.2%	4.6%
Sikh:	700	20.3%	6.9%
Other religions:	21	0.6%	0.2%
No religion:	279	8.1%	10.4%
Religion not stated:	273	7.9%	7.2%

Health	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
Limiting long-term illness:	873	25.3%	21.7%
General health 'not good':	513	14.9%	11.9%
People providing unpaid care:	279	8.1%	10.6%
People providing unpaid care 50 or more hrs/week:	70	2.0%	2.8%

Household Composition	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
One person households:	513	37.6%	30.4%
Married couple households:	352	25.8%	34.9%
Cohabiting couple households:	67	4.9%	7.4%
Lone Parent Households:			
with dependent children:	142	10.4%	8.0%
with non-dependent children:	49	3.6%	4.1%
All other households:	240	17.6%	15.2%
Total households:	1363	1.2%	100%

Transport	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
Households without car/van:	706	51.8%	37.5%
Households with 1 car or van:	506	37.1%	43.2%
Households with 2 or more cars/vans:	151	11.1%	19.4%

Travel to Work (all aged 16-74 in employment)	Area		Sandwell
	No.	%	%
Travel to work by car:	514	47.4%	62.4%
Travel to work by public transport:	290	26.7%	17.2%

<b>Working Status (all aged 16-74)</b>	<b>Area</b>		<b>Sandwell</b>
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>%</b>
Employed:	1048	42.8%	55.3%
Unemployed:	194	7.9%	5.3%
Long-term unemployed:	71	2.9%	2.0%
Student (economically active):	69	2.8%	2.0%
Retired:	296	12.1%	14.1%
Student (economically inactive):	155	6.3%	3.8%
Looking after home/family:	216	8.8%	7.7%
Permanently sick or disabled:	290	11.9%	7.3%
Other economically inactive:	178	7.3%	4.4%

<b>Housing <sup>ii</sup></b>	<b>Area</b>		<b>Sandwell</b>
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>%</b>
Number of household spaces with residents:	1359		
Average household size:	2.53		2.43
Vacant household spaces:	53	3.8%	3.5%
Without central heating:	189	13.9%	18.1%
Without own bath/shower and toilet:	3	0.2%	0.3%
Overcrowding indicator:	173	12.7%	6.6%

<b>Tenure</b>	<b>Area</b>		<b>Sandwell</b>
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>%</b>
Owner-occupied:	686	50.7%	60.3%
Rented from Council (Local Authority):	178	13.2%	26.6%
Rented from Housing Association / reg. social landlord:	281	20.8%	3.8%
Rented from private landlord / letting agency:	151	11.2%	4.6%
Rented: Other	57	4.2%	4.7%

This is a selection of indicators from the 2001 Census. Data for other areas and more detailed analyses are available from the National Statistics website: [www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001) and further local statistics are available from [www.smbc.sandwell.gov.uk](http://www.smbc.sandwell.gov.uk)

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<sup>i</sup> Voluntary Question

<sup>ii</sup> Household spaces are dwellings and other accommodation