

# Inner West Council

2011 Census results

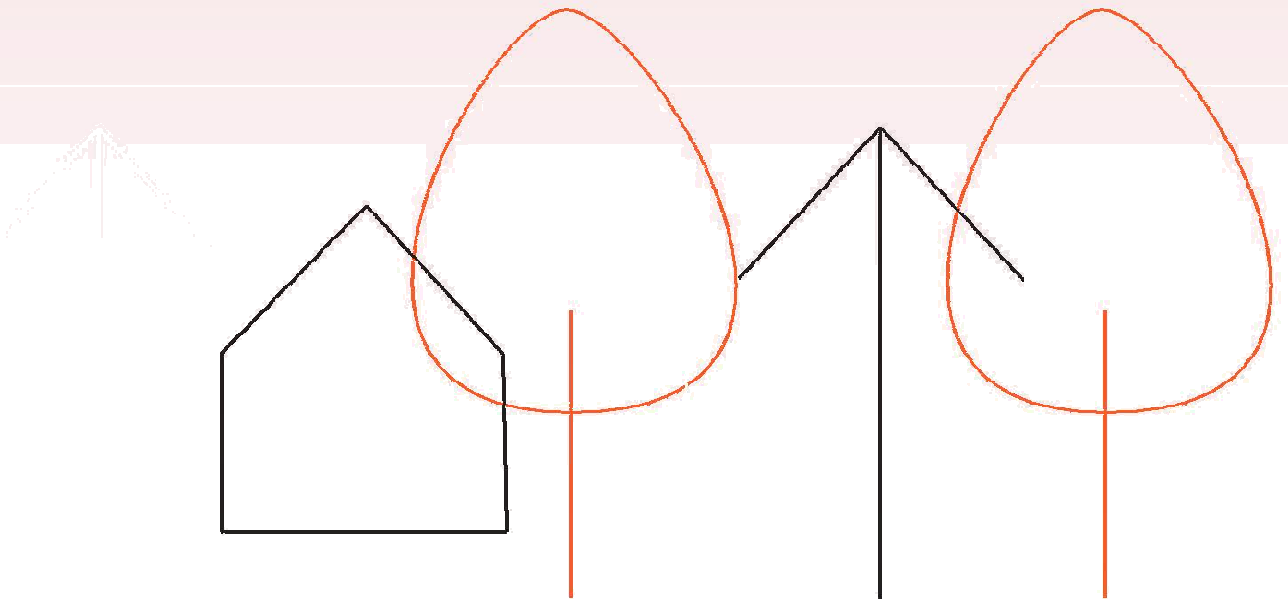
Marrickville Ward

Comparison year: 2006

Benchmark area: Inner West Council area

Community profile reports Marrickville Ward

community profile



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# Welcome to the Inner West Council area Community Profile

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The Inner West Council area is located in the inner-western Sydney suburbs, about 4-10 kilometres west of the Sydney CBD.

The Inner West Council area Community Profile provides demographic analysis for the Council and its suburbs based on results from the 2011, 2006, 2001, 1996 and 1991 Censuses of Population and Housing. The profile is updated with population estimates when the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) releases new figures.

## Important Statistics

Population

**189,576**

ABS ERP 2016

Land area

**3,519**

hectares (35 Km<sup>2</sup>)

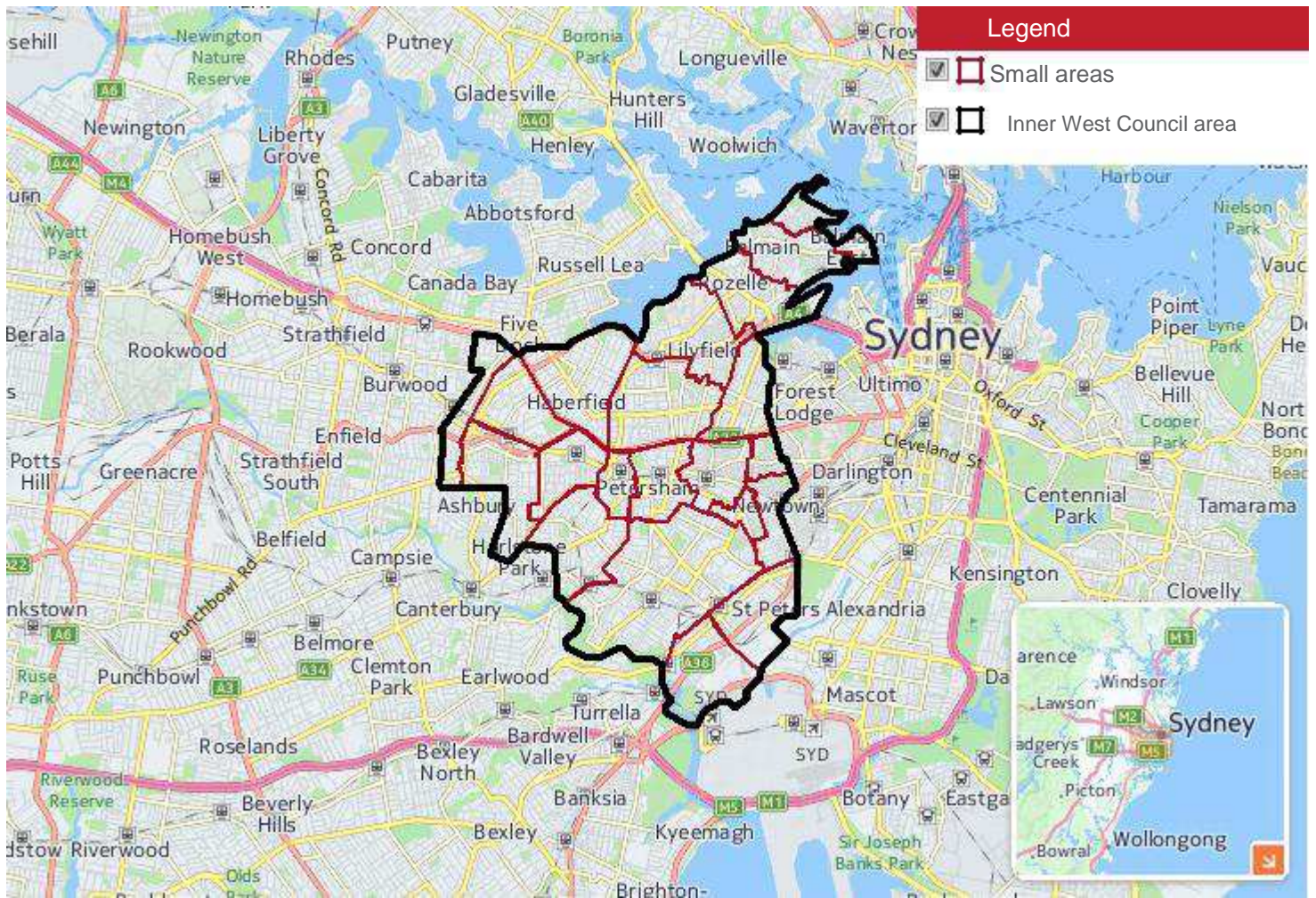
Population density

**53.87**

persons per hectare

# Profile areas

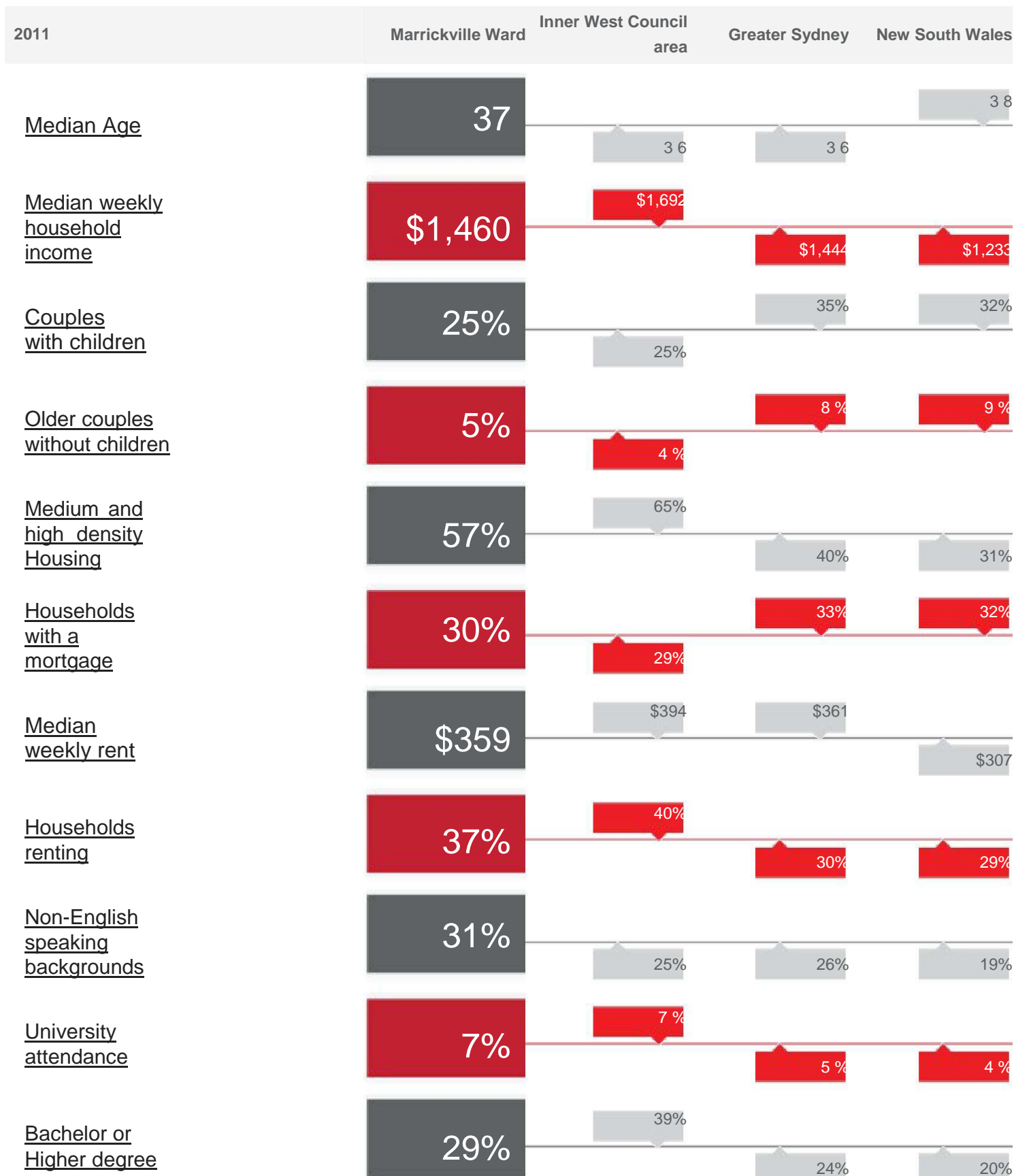
## Inner West Council area



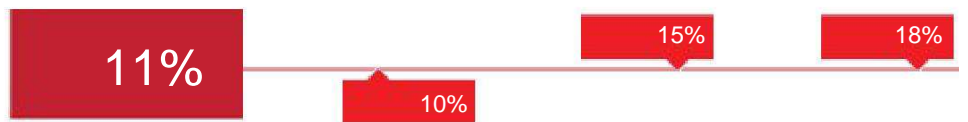
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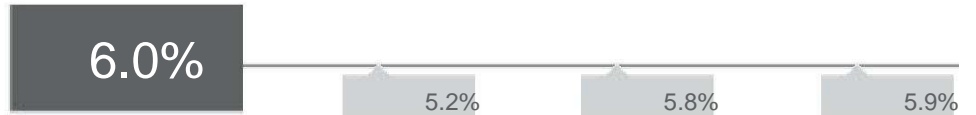
## Population highlights



Vocational



Unemployment



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# Marrickville Ward

About the profile areas

## Location and boundaries

Marrickville Ward is bounded by Frazer Street, John Street, Newington Road, Enmore Road, Juliet Street, Lynch Avenue, Lynch Lane, Edgeware Road and the railway line in the north, the Princes Highway, the City of Sydney, Canal Road, Ricketty Street and the Alexandra Canal in the east, the Cooks River in the south, and Wardell Road in the west.

### Important Statistics

Population

**35,863**

2016 ABS ERP

Land area

**964**

hectares (10 Km<sup>2</sup>)

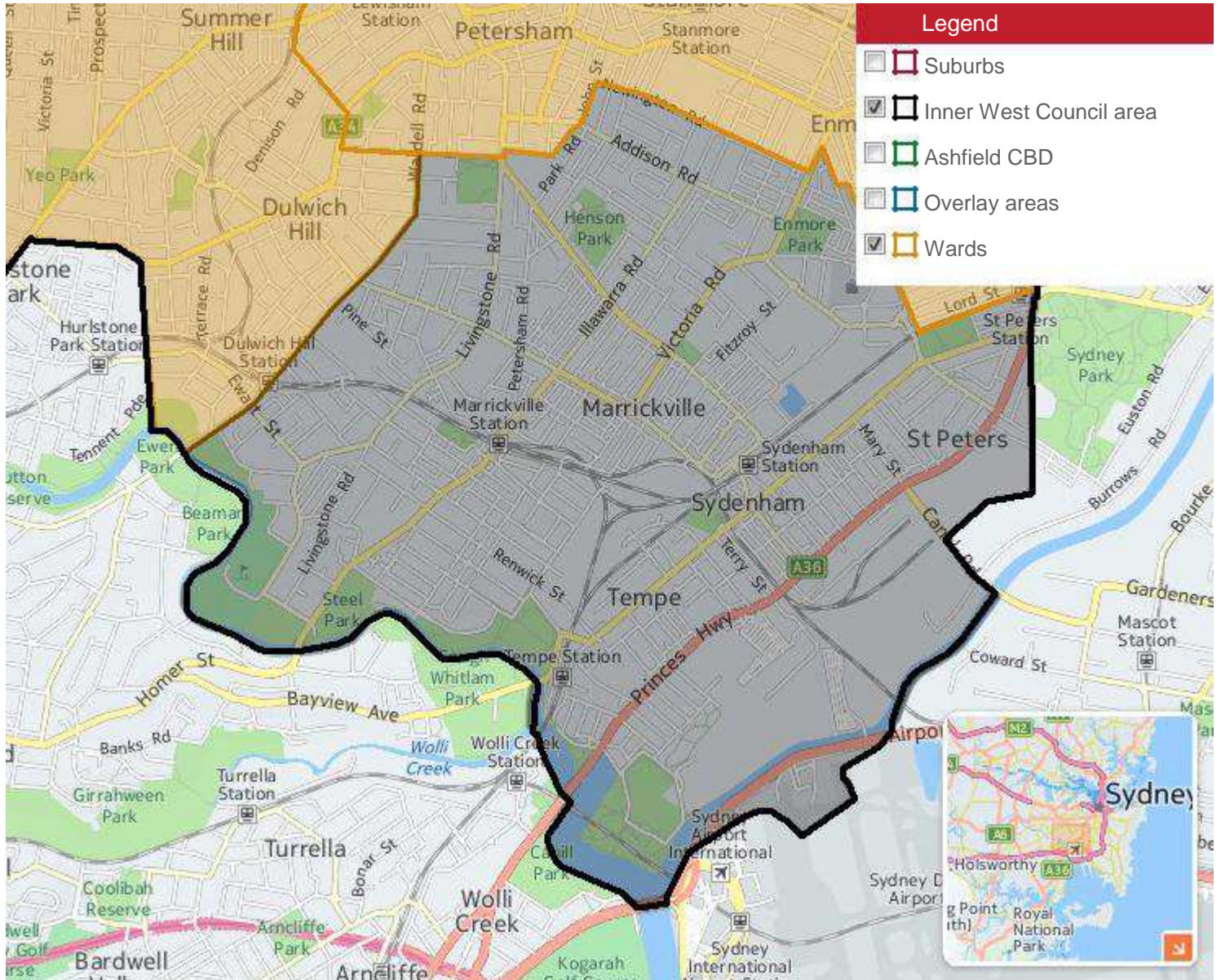
Population density

**37.20**

persons per hectare

# Profile areas

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## Settlement history

Settlement of the area dates from 1794 when the first land grant was made. Land was used mainly for farming, market gardening and quarrying. Population was minimal until the late 1830s, with several small villages established after this. Residential and industrial growth took place from the 1880s into the 1920s, aided by the opening of the railway line and the establishment of a brickworks business. Many apartments and units were built from the 1950s, while some industries closed or decentralised. The population declined slightly between 1991 and 2006, a result of little change in dwelling stock and a decline in the average number of persons living in each dwelling. The population then increased slightly between 2006 and 2011 as new dwellings were added to the area, particularly medium and high density housing.

## Land use

Marrickville Ward is an established residential and industrial area, with some commercial areas (particularly along Illawarra Road, Marrickville Road, the Princes Highway and Wardell Road).



## Major features

Major features of the area include Marrickville Metro Shopping Centre, the retail areas along Illawarra Road, Marrickville Road, the Princes Highway and Wardell Road, Marrickville Golf Club, Marrickville Town Hall, St Peters Town Hall, Addison Road Community Centre, Annette Kellerman Aquatic Centre, The Debbie and Abbey Borgia Recreation Centre, Robyn Webster Sports Centre, the Cooks River, Camdenville Park, Enmore Park, Fraser Park, Gilbert Barry Reserve, Henson Park, H J Mahoney Memorial Park, Green Street Park, Jarvie Park, Kendrick Park, Louisa Lawson Reserve, Mackey Park, Marrickville Park, May Street Reserve, McNeilly Park, Memory Reserve, Ness Park, Simpson Park, Station Street Reserve, Steel Park, Sydenham Green, Tempe Lands, Tempe Recreational Reserve, Tillman Park, Tom Kenny Reserve, Toyer Street Reserve, Warren Park, Waterplay Park, Wicks Park, Tempe Wetlands, Tempe Golf Driving Range, Tempe Boat Ramp, Alexandria Landfill, St Peters Business Park, the Cooks River Rail Freight Terminal, the Dulwich Hill, Marrickville, St Peters, Sydenham and Tempe railway stations, and numerous schools.

## Included areas

Marrickville Ward encompasses the suburbs of Sydenham and Tempe, most of the suburb of Marrickville, the Inner West Council area part of the suburb of Mascot, most of the Inner West Council area part of the suburb of St Peters, and small parts of the suburbs of Dulwich Hill, Newtown and Petersham.

# Marrickville Ward

## Population and dwellings

### Population

Marrickville Ward - Total persons	2011				2006				Change
Population	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		2006 to 2011		
		%	%		%	%			
Estimated Resident Population	33,983	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Usual Resident Population	31,987	--	--	30,207	--	--	+1,781		
Enumerated Population	31,692	--	--	29,999	--	--	+1,694		

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#), the population experts.

### Selected sub-population categories

Marrickville Ward - Total people (Usual residence)	2011				2006				Change
Population group	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		2006 to 2011		
		%	%		%	%			
Males	16,027	50.1	48.6	15,013	49.7	48.8	+1,014		
Females	15,960	49.9	51.4	15,193	50.3	51.2	+767		
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population	533	1.7	1.1	547	1.8	1.1	-14		
Australian citizens	25,887	80.9	80.1	24,271	80.4	78.9	+1,615		
Eligible voters (citizens aged 18+)	21,085	65.9	64.7	19,817	65.6	64.5	+1,268		
Population over 15	27,231	85.1	84.6	25,686	85.0	85.6	+1,544		
Employed population	16,239	94.5	94.9	14,551	93.7	95.4	+1,688		
Overseas visitors (enumerated)	253	--	--	309	--	--	-56		

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011 (Usual residence). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#), the population experts.

### Dwellings

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011				2006				Change
Dwellings	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		2006 to 2011		
		%	%		%	%			
Total dwellings	13,647	100.0	100.0	13,025	100.0	100.0	+623		
Occupied private dwellings	12,694	93.0	92.6	12,099	92.9	92.3	+595		
Population in non-private dwellings	893	--	--	897	--	--	-3		
Average household size (persons per dwelling)	2.44	--	2.32	2.43	--	2.27	+0.01		

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011 (Enumerated). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#), the population experts.

#### [a](#) Population density 2011

**a** Separate houses (low density dwellings) 2011

\*Note that this is an experimental estimate based on ERP at the SA1 level. It is subject to review after the next Census data release and may not match .id's population forecasts.

# Marrickville Ward

## Estimated Resident Population (ERP)

The Estimated Resident Population is the OFFICIAL Inner West Council area population for 2016. For areas within the Inner West Council area, the ERP is not an official count but an experimental estimate which is subject to review after the next Census.

Populations are counted and estimated in various ways. The most comprehensive population count available in Australia is derived from the Census of Population and Housing conducted by the Australian Bureau of Statistics every five years. However the Census count is generally an under-estimate of the actual population, due to people missed in the Census and people overseas on Census night. To provide a more accurate population figure which is updated more frequently than every five years, the Australian Bureau of Statistics also produces "Estimated Resident Population" (ERP) numbers for the Inner West Council area. Estimates for areas within the Inner West Council area are based on aggregates of SA1s derived from population distributions applicable at the 2011 Census. Actual populations may vary slightly where population growth has not been uniform since the previous Census.

See [data notes](#) for a detailed explanation of different population types, how they are calculated and when to use each one.

## Estimated Resident Population (ERP)

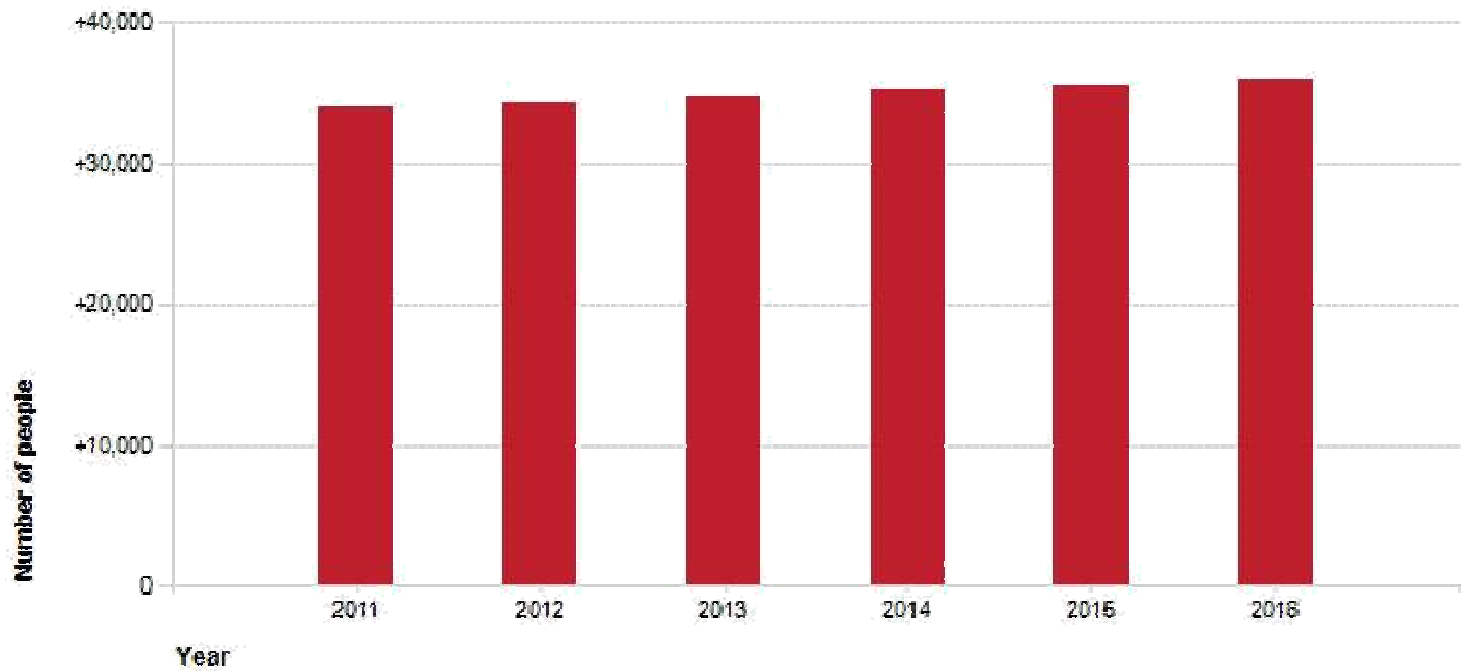
Marrickville Ward			
Year (ending June 30)	Number	Change in number	Change in percent
2011	33,983	--	--
2012	34,256	+273	+0.80
2013	34,629	+374	+1.09
2014	35,247	+617	+1.78
2015	35,556	+309	+0.88
2016	35,863	+307	+0.86

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Regional Population Growth, Australia (3218.0). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#), the population experts.

[ERP benchmarked to New South Wales and Australia](#)

# Estimated Resident Population (ERP)

Marrickville Ward

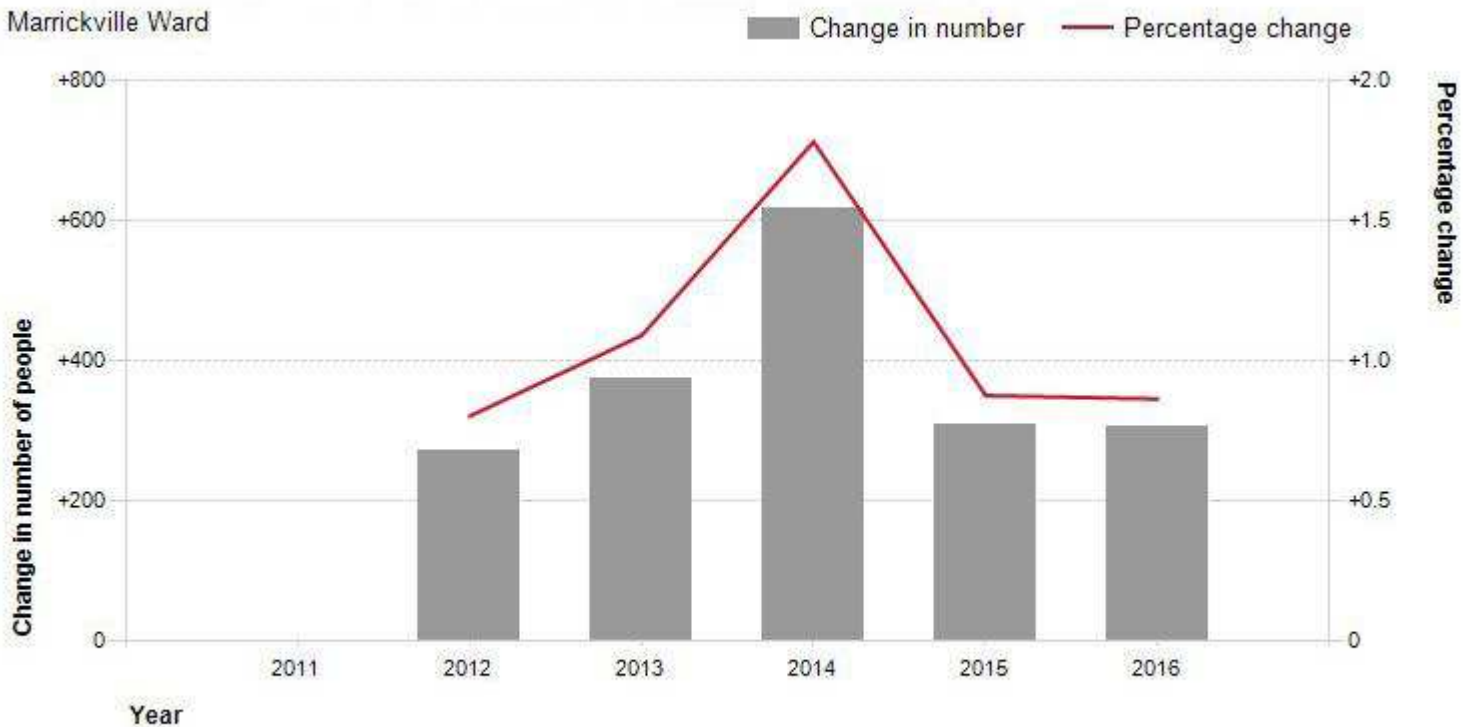


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# Annual change in Estimated Resident Population (ERP)

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# Marrickville Ward

## Service age groups

The Age Structure of Marrickville Ward provides key insights into the level of demand for age based services and facilities such as child care. It is an indicator of Marrickville Ward's residential role and function and how it is likely to change in the future.

Service age groups divide the population into age categories that reflect typical life-stages. They indicate the level of demand for services that target people at different stages in life and how that demand is changing.

To get a more complete picture Marrickville Ward's Age Structure should be viewed in conjunction with [Household Types](#) and [Dwelling Types](#).

## Age structure - Service age groups

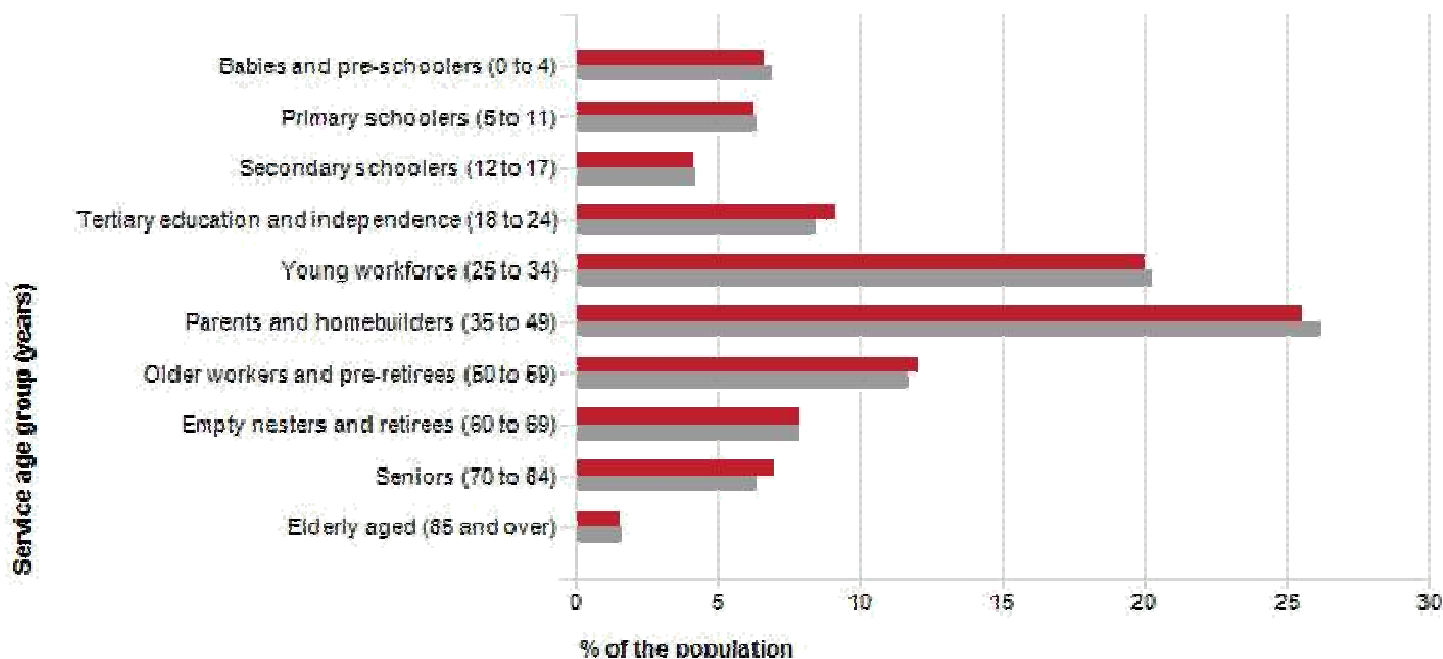
Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		
Service age group (years)		%	%		%	%	2006 to 2011
<b>a</b> Babies and pre-schoolers (0 to 4)	2,106	6.6	6.9	1,853	6.1	6.2	+253
Primary schoolers (5 to 11)	1,994	6.2	6.3	1,867	6.2	5.9	+128
<b>a</b> Secondary schoolers (12 to 17)	1,318	4.1	4.2	1,630	5.4	4.7	-312
Tertiary education and independence (18 to 24)	2,931	9.2	8.5	2,760	9.1	8.9	+171
<b>a</b> Young workforce (25 to 34)	6,392	20.0	20.3	5,858	19.4	21.0	+534
Parents and homebuilders (35 to 49)	8,179	25.6	26.2	7,753	25.7	26.2	+427
<b>a</b> Older workers and pre-retirees (50 to 59)	3,844	12.0	11.7	3,573	11.8	11.9	+272
Empty nesters and retirees (60 to 69)	2,510	7.8	7.9	2,281	7.6	7.1	+229
<b>a</b> Seniors (70 to 84)	2,220	6.9	6.3	2,204	7.3	6.6	+16
Elderly aged (85 and over)	487	1.5	1.6	410	1.4	1.5	+76
<b>Total</b>	<b>31,987</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30,194</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,793</b>

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

## Age structure - service age groups, 2011

Total persons

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area

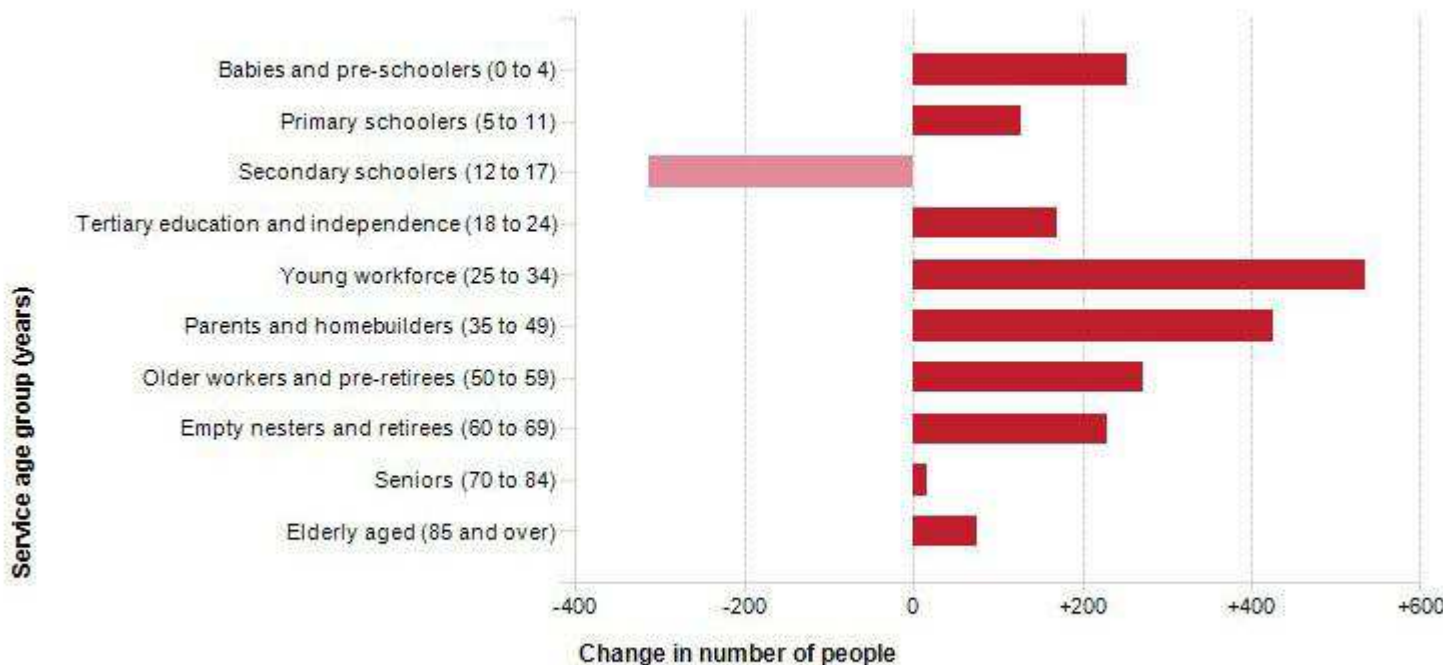


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## Change in age structure - service age groups, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the service age groups of Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of people in the younger age groups (0 to 17 years) and a similar proportion of people in the older age groups (60+ years).

Overall, 16.9% of the population was aged between 0 and 17, and 16.3% were aged 60 years and over, compared with 17.5% and 15.8% respectively for Inner West Council area.

*There were no major differences between Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area in 2011.*

## Emerging groups

From 2006 to 2011, Marrickville Ward's population increased by 1,793 people (5.9%). This represents an average annual population change of 1.16% per year over the period.

**The largest changes in the age structure in this area between 2006 and 2011 were in the age groups:**

- Young workforce (25 to 34) (+534 people)
- Parents and homebuilders (35 to 49) (+427 people)
- Secondary schoolers (12 to 17) (-312 people)
- Older workers and pre-retirees (50 to 59) (+272 people)



# Marrickville Ward

## Five year age groups

The Age Structure of Marrickville Ward provides key insights into the level of demand for age based services and facilities such as child care. It is also an indicator of Marrickville Ward's residential role and function and how it is likely to change in the future.

Five year age groups present a classic age profile of the population. Each age group covers exactly five years, which enables direct comparison between each group.

To get a more complete picture Marrickville Ward's Age Structure should be viewed in conjunction with [Household Types](#) and [Dwelling Types](#).

## Age structure - Five year age groups

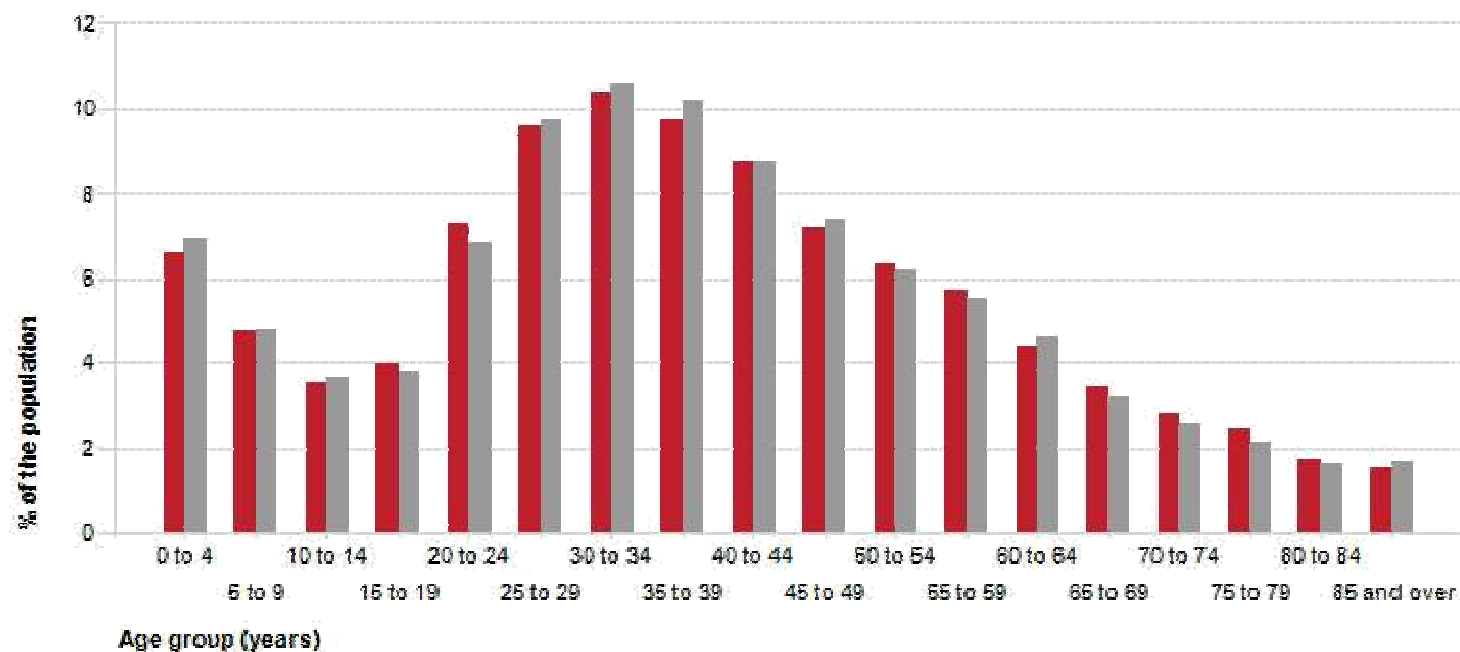
Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change 2006 to 2011
	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		
Five year age groups (years)		%	%		%	%	
0 to 4	2,106	6.6	6.9	1,853	6.1	6.2	+253
5 to 9	1,518	4.7	4.8	1,366	4.5	4.3	+152
10 to 14	1,130	3.5	3.7	1,299	4.3	3.9	-169
15 to 19	1,271	4.0	3.8	1,464	4.8	4.2	-193
20 to 24	2,323	7.3	6.8	2,127	7.0	7.1	+196
25 to 29	3,068	9.6	9.7	2,721	9.0	9.6	+347
30 to 34	3,324	10.4	10.6	3,137	10.4	11.4	+187
35 to 39	3,101	9.7	10.2	2,999	9.9	10.4	+102
40 to 44	2,790	8.7	8.7	2,545	8.4	8.6	+245
45 to 49	2,287	7.2	7.4	2,208	7.3	7.1	+80
50 to 54	2,023	6.3	6.2	1,912	6.3	6.3	+111
55 to 59	1,821	5.7	5.5	1,660	5.5	5.6	+161
60 to 64	1,402	4.4	4.6	1,239	4.1	4.1	+162
65 to 69	1,108	3.5	3.2	1,041	3.4	3.0	+66
70 to 74	889	2.8	2.6	959	3.2	2.8	-70
75 to 79	784	2.5	2.1	740	2.5	2.2	+44
80 to 84	546	1.7	1.6	505	1.7	1.6	+41
85 and over	487	1.5	1.6	422	1.4	1.5	+64
<b>Total population</b>	<b>31,987</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30,206</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,781</b>

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

## Age structure - five year age groups, 2011

Total persons

Marrickville Ward Inner West Council area

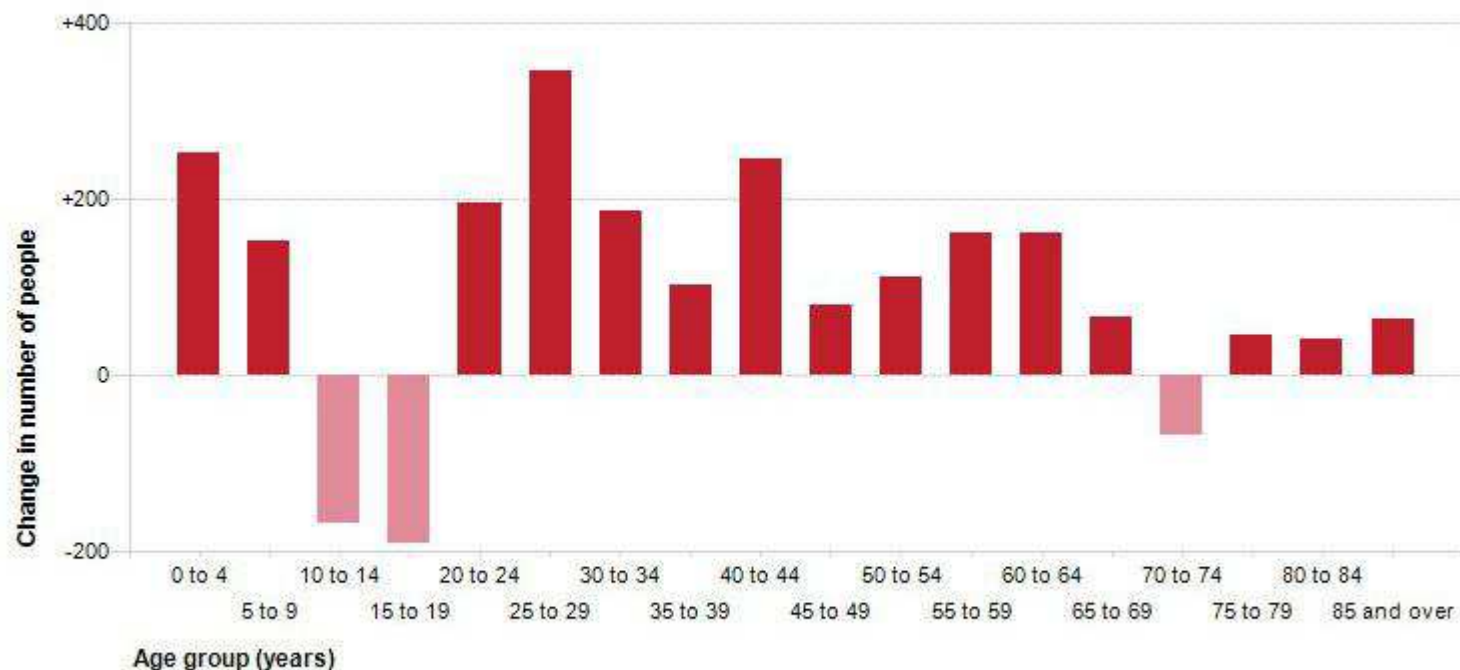


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## Change in age structure - five year age groups, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the five year age groups of Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of people in the younger age groups (under 15) and a higher proportion of people in the older age groups (65+).

Overall, 14.9% of the population was aged between 0 and 15, and 11.9% were aged 65 years and over, compared with 15.4% and 11.2% respectively for Inner West Council area.

*There were no major differences between Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area in 2011.*

## Emerging groups

From 2006 to 2011, Marrickville Ward's population increased by 1,781 people (5.9%). This represents an average annual population change of 1.15% per year over the period.

**The largest changes in age structure in this area between 2006 and 2011 were in the age groups:**

- 25 to 29 (+347 persons)
- 0 to 4 (+253 persons)
- 40 to 44 (+245 persons)
- 20 to 24 (+196 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Single year of age

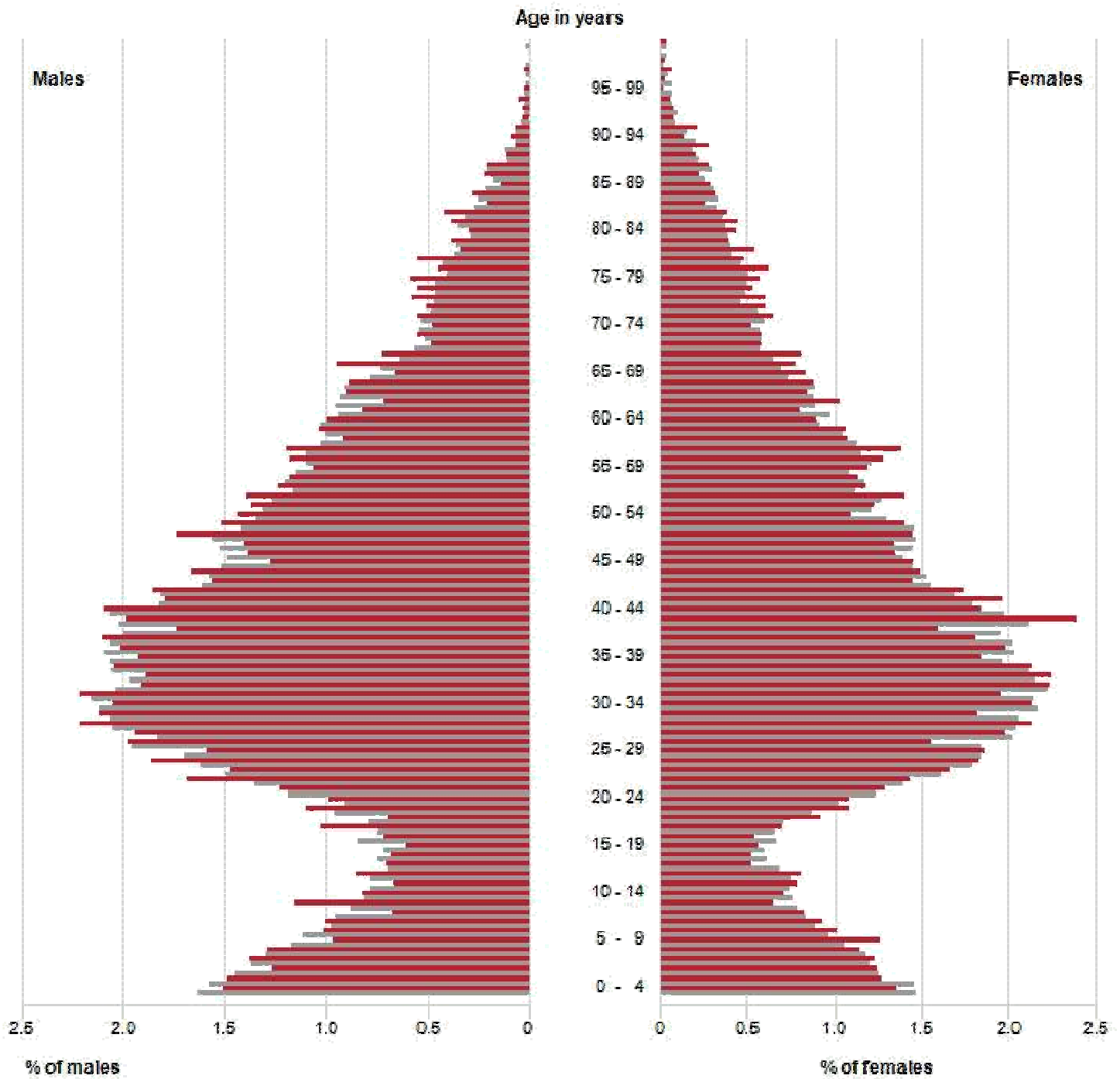
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Single year of age data is presented as an age-sex pyramid which enables the shape of the population to be compared geographically, temporally and by gender. For example, longer female life expectancy usually leads to the pyramid skewing to the right in the older age groups.

To get a more complete picture Marrickville Ward's Age Structure should be viewed in conjunction with [Household Types](#) and [Dwelling Types](#).

# Age and sex pyramid, 2011

■ Marrickville Ward    ■ Inner West Council area



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2011 (Usual residence data)  
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# Marrickville Ward

## Ancestry

Ancestry defines the cultural association and ethnic background of an individual going back three generations. Ancestry is a good measure of the total size of cultural groups in Marrickville Ward regardless of where they were born or what language they speak.

Ancestry data, should be combined with data on [Birthplace](#), [Language Spoken at Home](#) and [Religion](#) for a more complete picture of Marrickville Ward's ethnic characteristics.

Please note that the "Australian Aboriginal" and "Torres Strait Islander" categories in this topic are not considered to be a reliable estimate of the indigenous peoples of Australia. For information on this group, please use the "Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Population" found on the [Population](#) page.

## Ancestry - Ranked by size

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)		2011		2006		Change	
Ancestry	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
English	7,023	22.0	27.1	5,399	17.9	24.1	+1,624
Australian	6,497	20.3	24.0	6,327	21.0	25.5	+170
<b>a</b> Irish	3,337	10.4	12.3	2,587	8.6	11.2	+749
Greek	2,751	8.6	4.4	2,843	9.4	4.7	-91
<b>a</b> Scottish	2,051	6.4	8.1	1,658	5.5	7.3	+393
Vietnamese	2,035	6.4	1.9	2,049	6.8	1.9	-14
Chinese	1,916	6.0	7.5	2,137	7.1	7.3	-221
Lebanese	1,099	3.4	1.9	1,105	3.7	1.9	-6
Italian	1,004	3.1	6.4	929	3.1	6.5	+75
German	871	2.7	3.0	680	2.3	2.8	+190

Excludes ancestries with fewer than 20 responses, or less than 0.1% of the total population.

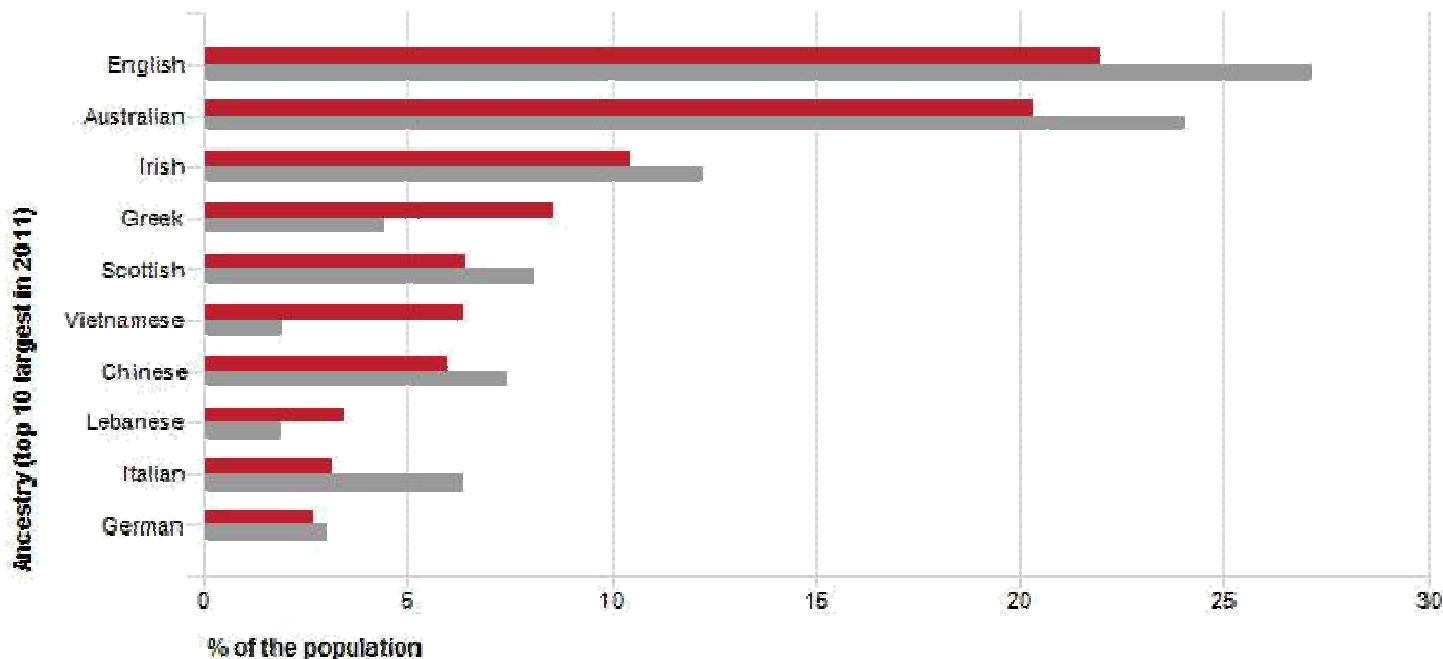
## Ancestry - Totals

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)		2011		2006		Change	
Ancestry totals	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Not stated	2,456	7.7	7.5	3,164	10.5	10.2	-707
Total people	31,987	100.0	100.0	30,195	100.0	100.0	+1,793
Total responses	40,964	--	--	37,239	--	--	+3,725

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

# Ancestry, 2011

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area

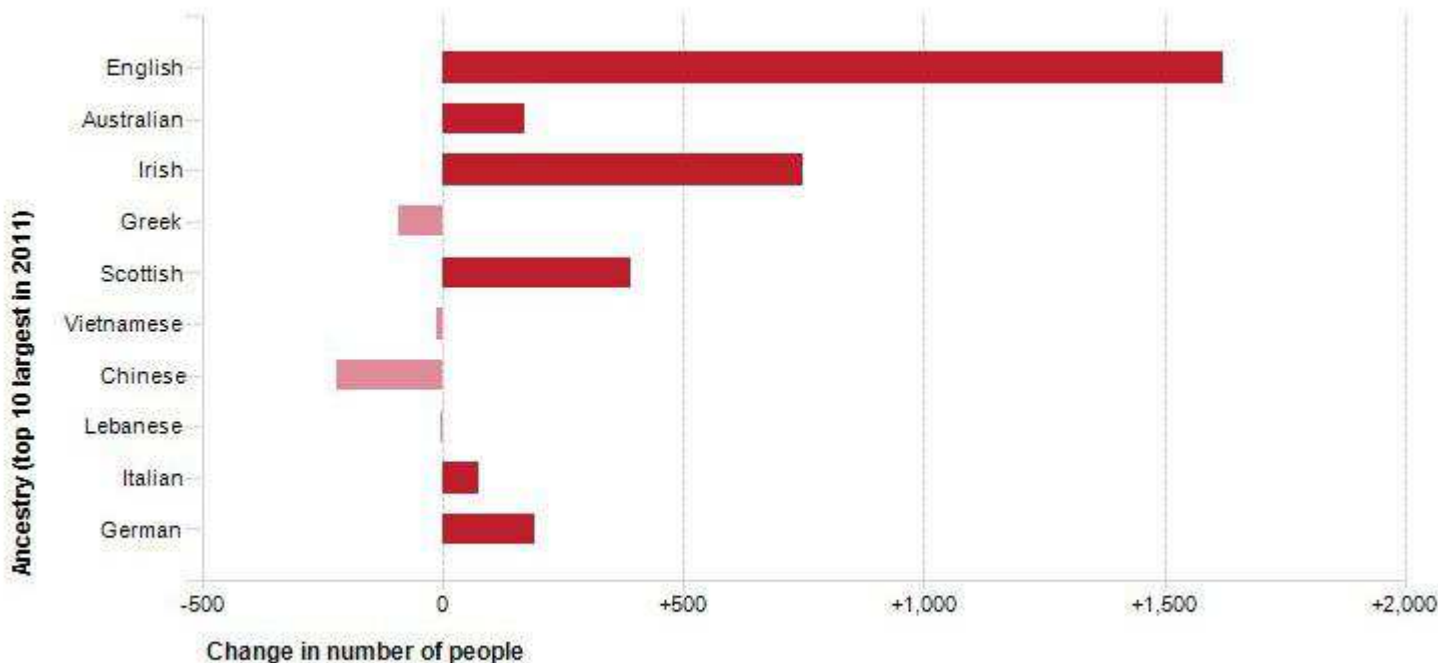


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# Change in ancestry, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2006 and 2011 (Usual residence data)  
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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the ancestry responses of the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 shows that the top five ancestries nominated were:

- English (7,023 people or 22.0%)
- Australian (6,497 people or 20.3%)
- Irish (3,337 people or 10.4%)
- Greek (2,751 people or 8.6%)
- Scottish (2,051 people or 6.4%)

In combination these five ancestries account for 21,659 responses in total, or 67.71% of all responses.

**The major differences between the ancestries of the population in Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of people with Vietnamese ancestry (6.4% compared to 1.9%)
- A *larger* percentage of people with Greek ancestry (8.6% compared to 4.4%)
- A *smaller* percentage of people with English ancestry (22.0% compared to 27.1%)
- A *smaller* percentage of people with Australian ancestry (20.3% compared to 24.0%)

## Emerging groups

**The largest changes in the reported ancestries of the population in this area between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- English (+1,624 persons)
- Irish (+749 persons)
- Nepalese (+450 persons)
- Scottish (+393 persons)



# Marrickville Ward

## Birthplace

Country of Birth data identifies where people were born and is indicative of the level of cultural diversity in Marrickville Ward. The mix of Country of Birth groups is also indicative of historical settlement patterns, as source countries for Australia's immigration program have varied significantly over time.

To get a more complete picture of cultural and ethnic characteristics, Marrickville Ward's Country of Birth data should be viewed together with [Ancestry](#), [Language Spoken at Home](#) and [Religion](#).

## Birthplace - Ranked by size

Marrickville Ward - Overseas born (Usual residence)		2011		2006		Change	
Birthplace	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		2006 to 2011
		%	%		%	%	
<b>a</b> Vietnam	1,704	5.3	1.7	1,853	6.1	1.8	-149
Greece	1,420	4.4	1.8	1,552	5.1	2.1	-132
United Kingdom	1,165	3.6	5.3	1,021	3.4	5.1	+144
New Zealand	687	2.1	2.5	731	2.4	2.6	-44
<b>a</b> China	555	1.7	3.3	704	2.3	3.5	-150
Nepal	513	1.6	1.1	93	0.3	0.3	+421
Portugal	464	1.5	0.8	552	1.8	1.0	-88
Lebanon	447	1.4	0.7	546	1.8	0.8	-99
Philippines	416	1.3	1.1	352	1.2	0.9	+64
India	303	0.9	1.3	165	0.5	1.1	+137

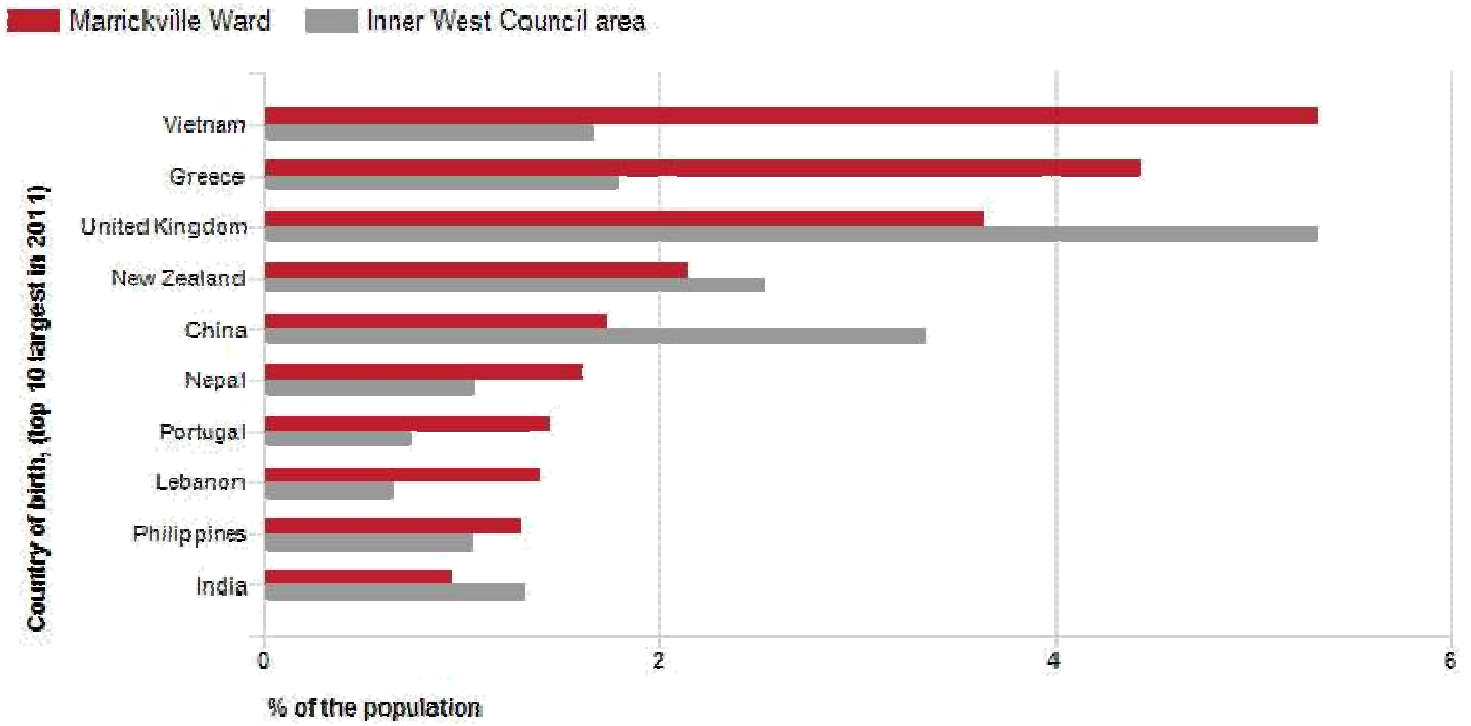
Excludes countries with fewer than 20 people, or less than 0.1% of the total population.

## Birthplace - Summary

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)		2011		2006		Change	
Birthplace	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		2006 to 2011
		%	%		%	%	
<b>a</b> Total overseas born	12,408	38.8	34.8	12,056	39.9	34.4	+352
Non-English speaking backgrounds	9,993	31.2	24.7	9,960	33.0	24.8	+33
▪ Main English speaking countries	2,414	7.5	10.1	2,096	6.9	9.5	+318
Australia	17,367	54.3	58.4	15,402	51.0	56.2	+1,965
Not stated	2,209	6.9	6.8	2,743	9.1	9.5	-534
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>31,984</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30,201</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,783</b>

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# Birthplace, 2011

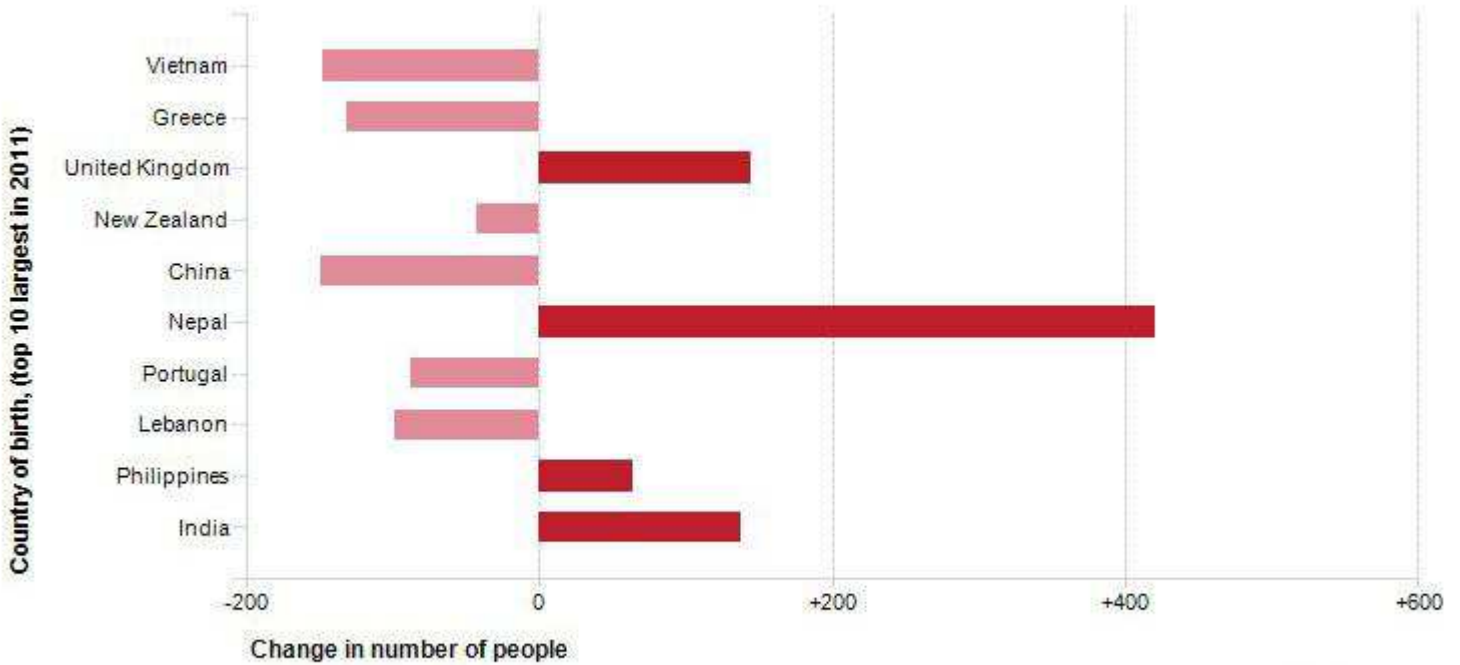


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# Change in birthplace, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the country of birth of the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a larger proportion of people born overseas, as well as a larger proportion of people from a non-English speaking background.

Overall, 38.8% of the population was born overseas, and 31.2% were from a non-English speaking background, compared with 34.8% and 24.7% respectively for Inner West Council area.

The largest non-English speaking country of birth in Marrickville Ward was Vietnam, where 5.3% of the population, or 1,704 people, were born.

**The major differences between the countries of birth of the population in Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of people born in Vietnam (5.3% compared to 1.7%)
- A *larger* percentage of people born in Greece (4.4% compared to 1.8%)
- A *smaller* percentage of people born in United Kingdom (3.6% compared to 5.3%)
- A *smaller* percentage of people born in China (1.7% compared to 3.3%)

## Emerging groups

Between 2006 and 2011, the number of people born overseas increased by 352 or 2.9%, and the number of people from a non-English speaking background increased by 33 or 0.3%.

**The largest changes in birthplace countries of the population in this area between 2006 and 2011 were for those born in:**

- Nepal (+421 persons)
- China (-150 persons)
- Vietnam (-149 persons)
- United Kingdom (+144 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Overseas arrivals

The Year of Arrival data records when the overseas born population arrived in Australia. The data shows the degree to which areas are 'ports' for new overseas arrivals and reveals the role of Marrickville Ward in housing the overseas-born. The number of recent overseas arrivals in an area is often determined by housing affordability, employment opportunities and pre-existing communities located in the area.

Marrickville Ward's Year of Arrival data, when used with [Birthplace](#), [Religion](#) and [Language Spoken at Home](#) data, is a good indicator of the likely need for services in migrant communities.

## Overseas arrivals

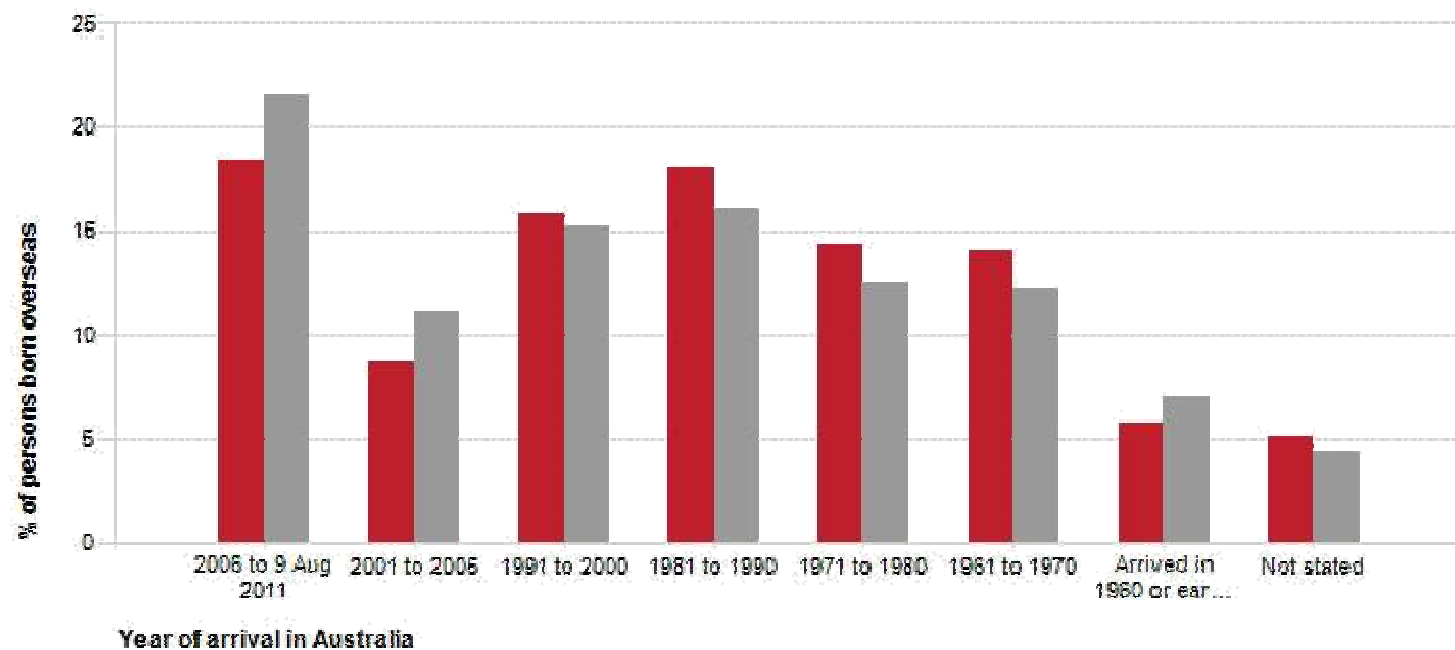
Marrickville Ward - Overseas born (Usual residence)		2011		
Year of arrival in Australia		Number	%	Inner West Council area %
<b>a</b>	2006 to 9 Aug 2011	2,278	18.4	21.6
	2001 to 2005	1,073	8.6	11.1
	1991 to 2000 (10 year period)	1,959	15.8	15.2
	1981 to 1990 (10 year period)	2,229	18.0	16.1
	1971 to 1980 (10 year period)	1,784	14.4	12.5
	1961 to 1970 (10 year period)	1,741	14.0	12.2
	Arrived in 1960 or earlier	713	5.7	7.0
	Not stated	632	5.1	4.3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>12,410</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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# Overseas arrivals, 2011

Total persons

Marrickville Ward Inner West Council area



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the year of arrival for the overseas born population of Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a larger proportion of people who arrived before 2001, and a smaller proportion of recent overseas arrivals (those who arrived between 2006 and 2011).

Overall, 67.9% of the overseas born population arrived before 2001, and 18.4% arrived during or after 2006, compared with 63.0% and 21.6% respectively for Inner West Council area.

The major differences in year of arrival data in the population between Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area are:

- A larger percentage of arrivals between 1971 and 1980 (14.4% compared to 12.5%)
- A larger percentage of arrivals between 1981 and 1990 (18.0% compared to 16.1%)
- A smaller percentage of arrivals between 2006 and 9 Aug 2011 (18.4% compared to 21.6%)
- A smaller percentage of arrivals between 2001 and 2005 (8.6% compared to 11.1%)

# Marrickville Ward

## Proficiency in English

Proficiency in English measures the self-assessed proficiency in spoken English of people who speak a language other than English at home. The data, when viewed with other ethnic and cultural indicators, such as [Ancestry](#), [Country of Birth](#), [Language Spoken at Home](#) and [Religion](#), reflects Marrickville Ward's ethnic composition and how long the overseas born have been in Australia. This helps service providers determine whether they need to communicate with the local population in languages other than English.

## Proficiency in English

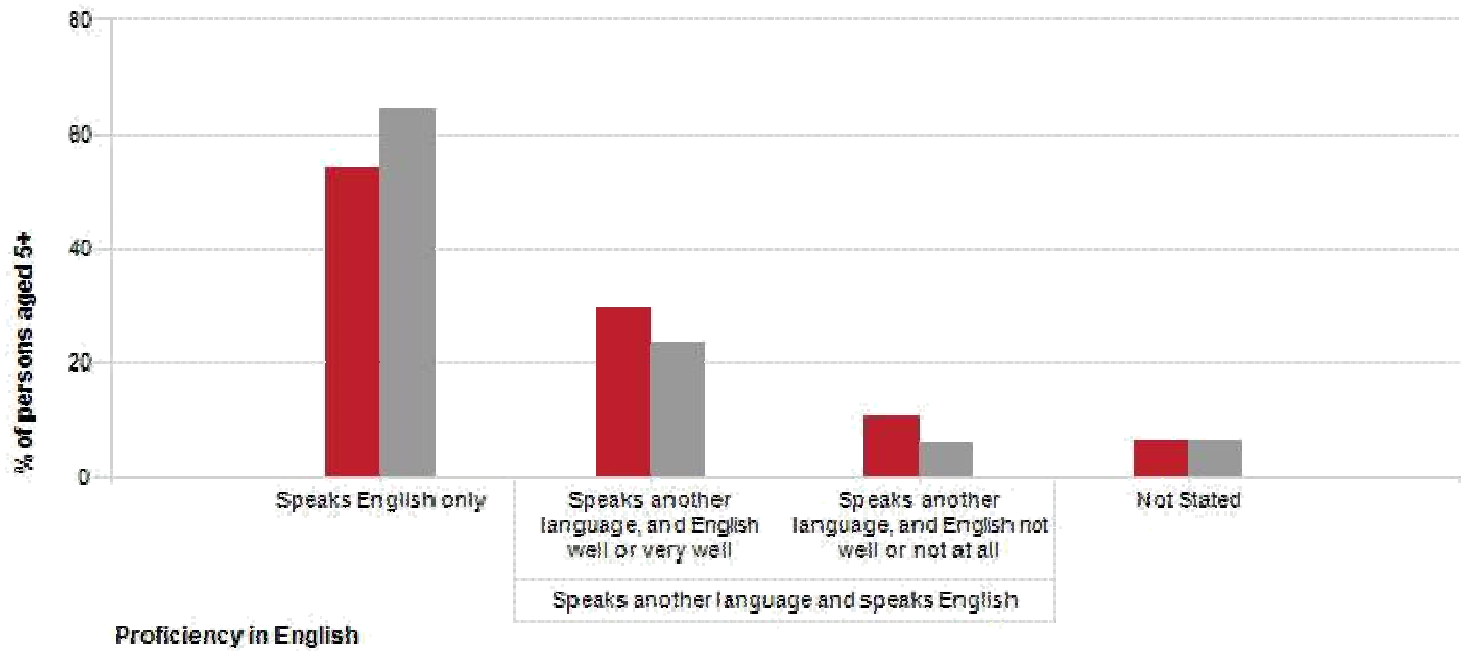
Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
English proficiency	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Speaks English only	17,216	53.8	64.5	14,783	48.9	62.0	+2,433
Speaks another language, and English well or very well	9,359	29.2	23.3	9,273	30.7	22.8	+86
Speaks another language, and English not well or not at all	3,381	10.6	5.9	3,778	12.5	6.8	-397
Not Stated	2,051	6.4	6.3	2,368	7.8	8.4	-317
<b>Total population</b>	<b>32,006</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30,202</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,805</b>

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# Proficiency in English, 2011

Total persons

Marrickville Ward Inner West Council area

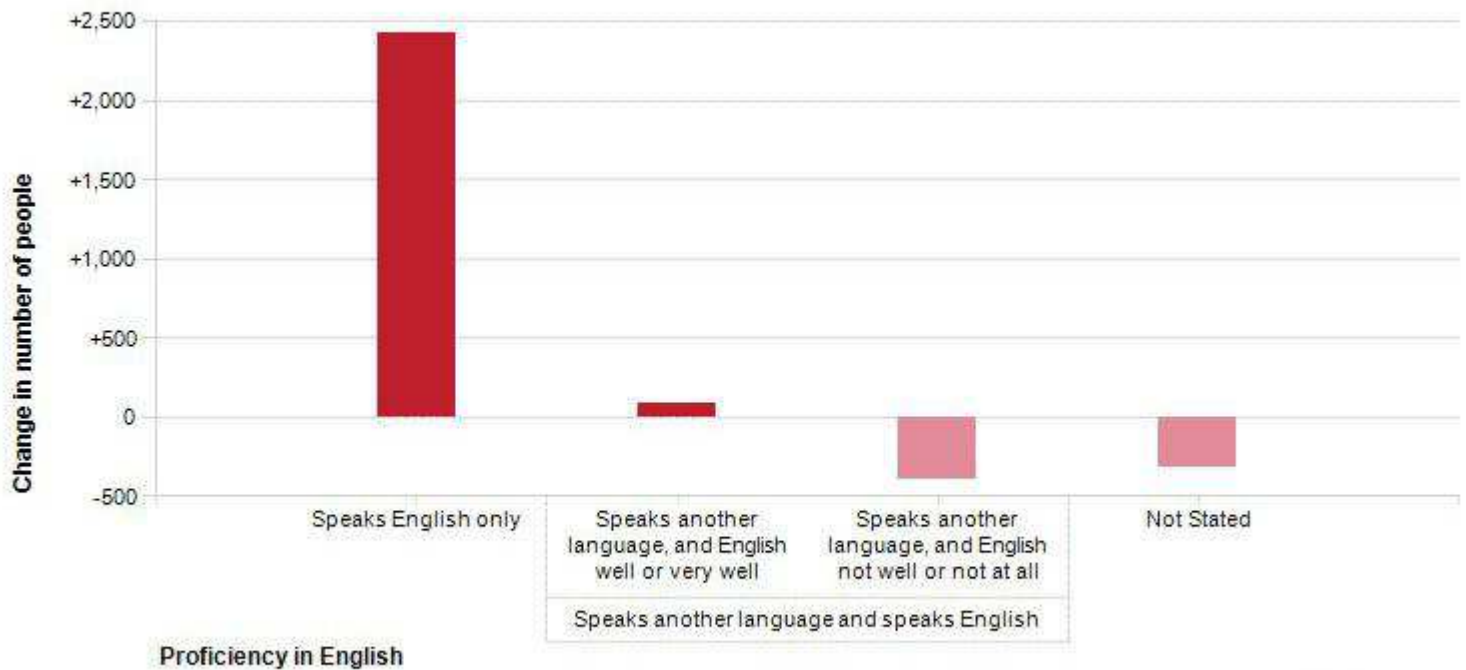


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# Change in Proficiency in English, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the proficiency in English data of the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of people who spoke English only, and a higher proportion of people who spoke another language and English not well or not at all.

Overall, 53.8% of people spoke English only, and 10.6% spoke another language and English not well or not at all, compared with 64.5% and 5.9% respectively for Inner West Council area.

## Emerging groups

The most significant changes in the proficiency in English of the population in this area between 2006 and 2011 were in those speaking:

- Speaks English only (+2,433 persons)
- Speaks another language, and English not well or not at all (-397 persons)
- Speaks another language, and English well or very well (+86 persons)



# Marrickville Ward

## Language spoken at home

Marrickville Ward's language statistics show the proportion of the population who speak a language at home other than English. They indicate how culturally diverse a population is and the degree to which different ethnic groups and nationalities are retaining their language.

Marrickville Ward's language statistics should be analysed in conjunction with [Country of Birth](#) and [Proficiency in English](#) to assist in identifying specific cultural and ethnic groups in the area and the services required by the multicultural community.

## Language spoken at home - Ranked by size

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Language (excludes English)	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Greek	2,473	7.7	3.5	2,677	8.9	3.9	-204
Vietnamese	2,201	6.9	2.0	2,280	7.6	2.1	-80
<b>a</b> Arabic	1,153	3.6	1.7	1,337	4.4	1.9	-184
Cantonese	743	2.3	2.1	891	2.9	2.4	-148
<b>a</b> Portuguese	629	2.0	1.1	770	2.5	1.3	-141
Nepali	501	1.6	1.1	108	0.4	0.3	+393
<b>a</b> Mandarin	443	1.4	3.0	561	1.9	3.1	-118
Spanish	424	1.3	1.4	340	1.1	1.3	+84
<b>a</b> Italian	389	1.2	3.3	402	1.3	3.7	-14
Filipino/Tagalog	330	1.0	0.8	291	1.0	0.8	+39

Excludes languages with fewer than 20 people speaking them at home, or less than 0.1% of the total population.

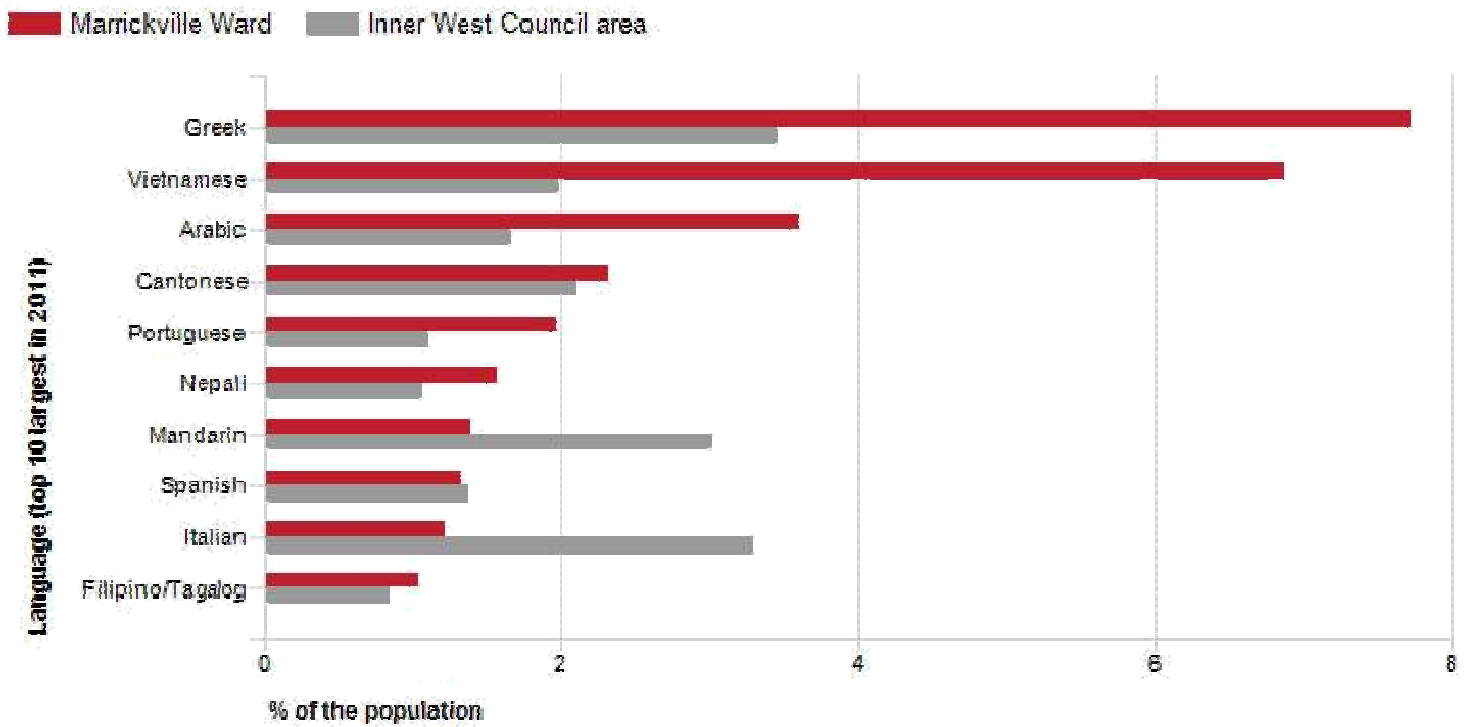
## Language spoken at home - Summary

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Language summary	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Speaks English only	17,246	53.9	64.5	14,803	49.0	62.1	+2,444
Non-English total	12,770	39.9	29.2	13,107	43.4	29.6	-337
Not stated	1,971	6.2	6.3	2,284	7.6	8.3	-312
Total Population	31,988	100.0	100.0	30,194	100.0	100.0	+1,794

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### **a** [People speaking Chinese languages at home](#)

# Language spoken at home, 2011

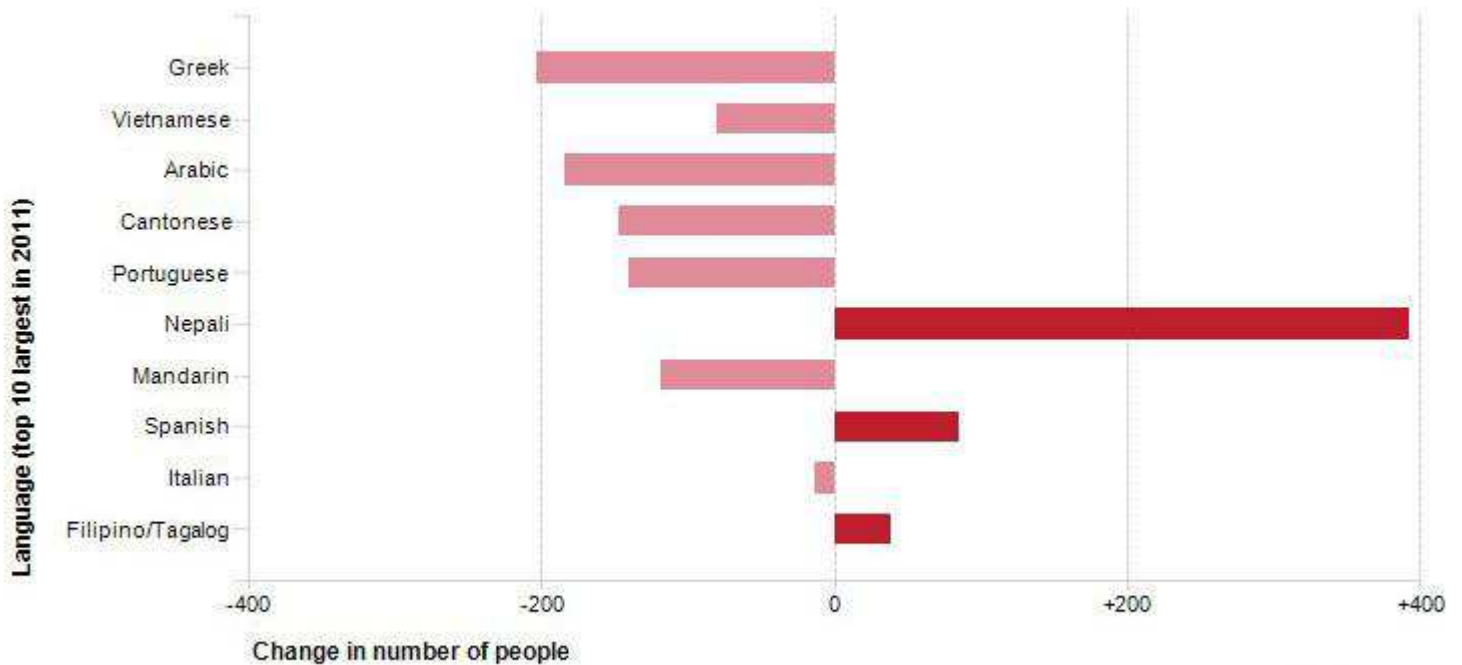


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# Change in language spoken at home, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the language spoken at home by the population of Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a smaller proportion of people who spoke English only, and a larger proportion of those speaking a non-English language (either exclusively, or in addition to English).

Overall, 53.9% of the population spoke English only, and 39.9% spoke a non-English language, compared with 64.5% and 29.2% respectively for Inner West Council area.

The dominant language spoken at home, other than English, in Marrickville Ward was Greek, with 7.7% of the population, or 2,473 people speaking this language at home.

**The major differences between the languages spoken at home for the population of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area in 2011 were:**

- A *larger* percentage speaking Vietnamese at home (6.9% compared to 2.0%)
- A *larger* percentage speaking Greek at home (7.7% compared to 3.5%)
- A *larger* percentage speaking Arabic at home (3.6% compared to 1.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage speaking Italian at home (1.2% compared to 3.3%)

## Emerging groups

Between 2006 and 2011, the number of people who spoke a language other than English at home decreased by 337 or 2.6%, and the number of people who spoke English only increased by 2,443 or 16.5%.

**The largest changes in the spoken languages of the population in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were for those speaking:**

- Nepali (+393 persons)
- Greek (-204 persons)
- Arabic (-184 persons)
- Cantonese (-148 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Religion

Marrickville Ward's religion statistics provide an indicator of cultural identity and ethnicity when observed in conjunction with other key variables. Religion data reveal the major concentrations of religions as well as revealing the proportion of people with no religious affiliation. There are a number of reasons for different religious compositions across areas including the country of birth and ethnic background of the population, the age of the population (belief in religion is generally stronger, the older the population) and changes in values and belief systems.

Marrickville Ward's religion statistics should be analysed in conjunction with other ethnicity statistics such as [Country of Birth](#) data and [Language Spoken](#) data to assist in identifying specific cultural and ethnic groups.

## Religion - Ranked by size

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Religion	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Western (Roman) Catholic	7,264	22.7	25.7	7,400	24.5	27.7	-137
Greek Orthodox	2,733	8.5	4.1	2,953	9.8	4.7	-220
Buddhism	2,361	7.4	4.2	2,522	8.4	4.2	-161
Anglican	2,241	7.0	9.8	2,422	8.0	11.4	-181
Islam	1,321	4.1	1.9	1,461	4.8	1.9	-140
Hinduism	708	2.2	2.3	270	0.9	1.4	+439
Uniting Church	426	1.3	1.8	503	1.7	2.1	-77
Presbyterian and Reformed	387	1.2	1.7	337	1.1	1.8	+50
Christian,nfd	378	1.2	1.1	286	0.9	0.9	+92
Macedonian Orthodox	252	0.8	0.2	237	0.8	0.3	+15

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Excludes religions with fewer than 20 adherents, or less than 0.1% of the total population.

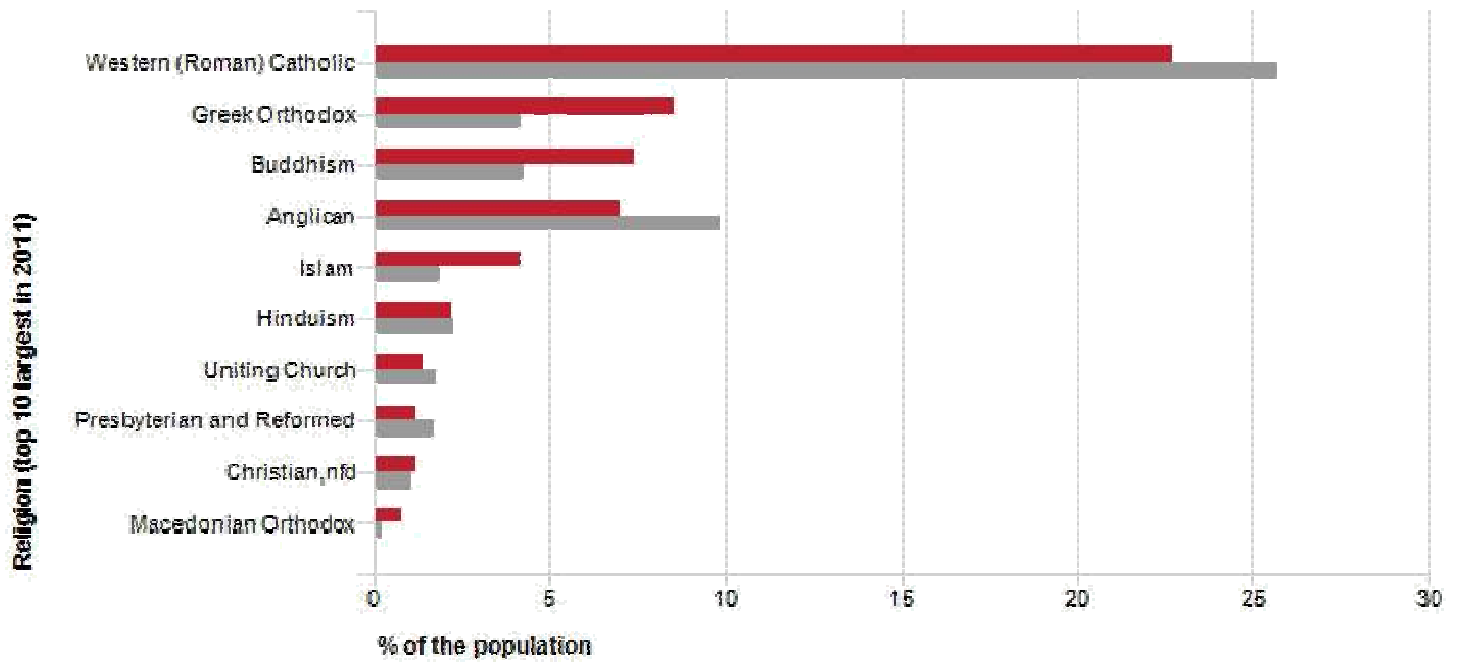
## Religion - Summary

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Religion totals	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
<b>a</b> Christian total	15,174	47.4	48.5	15,692	52.0	53.1	-517
Non Christian total	4,773	14.9	9.5	4,614	15.3	8.6	+159
Non-classifiable religious belief	430	1.3	1.3	353	1.2	1.2	+77
No religion	8,876	27.7	31.8	6,025	20.0	24.2	+2,852
Not stated	2,738	8.6	9.0	3,509	11.6	13.0	-770
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>31,992</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30,193</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,800</b>

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# Religion, 2011

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area

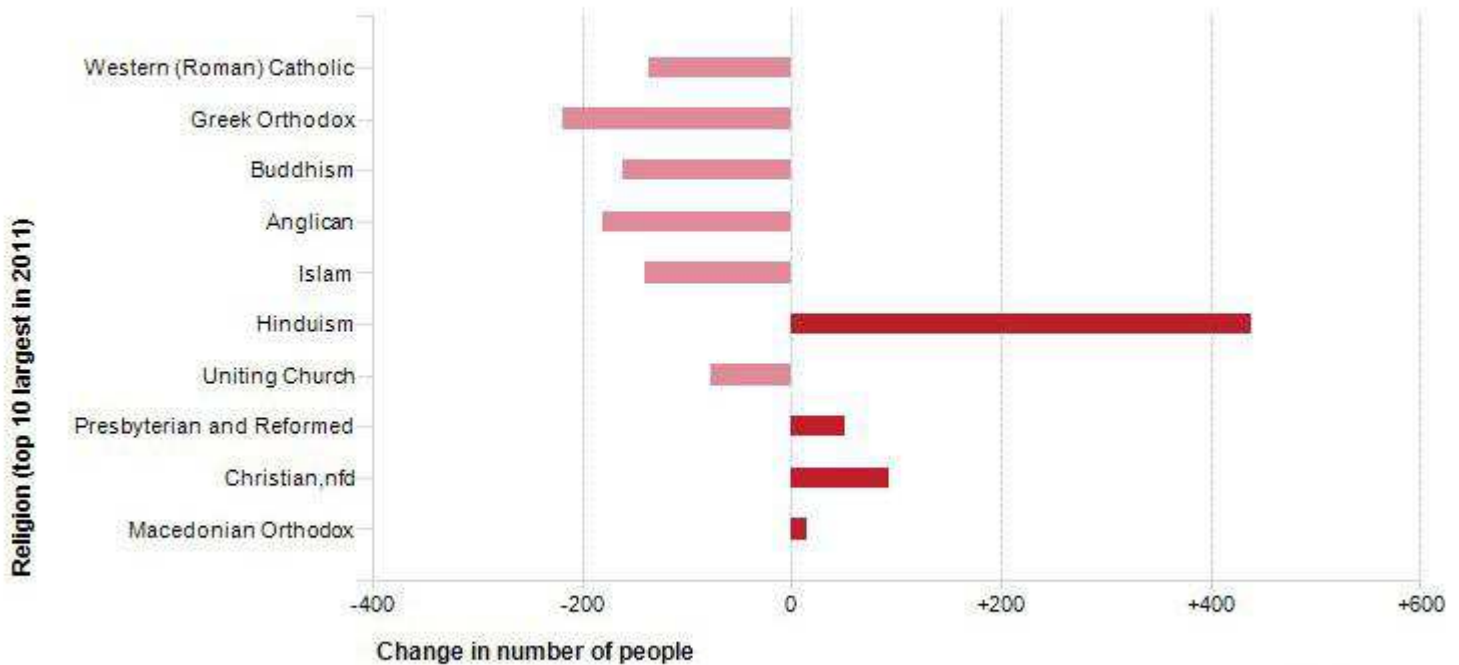


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# Change in religion, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the religious affiliation of the population of Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a higher proportion of people who professed a religion and a lower proportion who stated they had no religion.

Overall, 62.4% of the population nominated a religion, and 27.7% said they had no religion, compared with 58.0% and 31.8% respectively for Inner West Council area.

The largest single religion in Marrickville Ward was Western (Roman) Catholic, with 22.7% of the population or 7,264 people as adherents.

The major differences between the religious affiliation for the population of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:

- A *larger* percentage who nominated Greek Orthodox (8.5% compared to 4.1%)
- A *larger* percentage who nominated Buddhism (7.4% compared to 4.2%)
- A *smaller* percentage who nominated Western (Roman) Catholic (22.7% compared to 25.7%)
- A *smaller* percentage who nominated Anglican (7.0% compared to 9.8%)

## Emerging groups

The largest changes in the religious affiliation of the population in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were for those who nominated:

- Hinduism (+439 persons)
- Greek Orthodox (-220 persons)
- Anglican (-181 persons)
- Buddhism (-161 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Qualifications

Educational Qualifications relate to education outside of primary and secondary school and are one of the most important indicators of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as [Employment Status](#), [Income](#) and [Occupation](#), Marrickville Ward's Educational Qualifications help to evaluate the economic opportunities and socio-economic status of the area and identify skill gaps in the labour market.

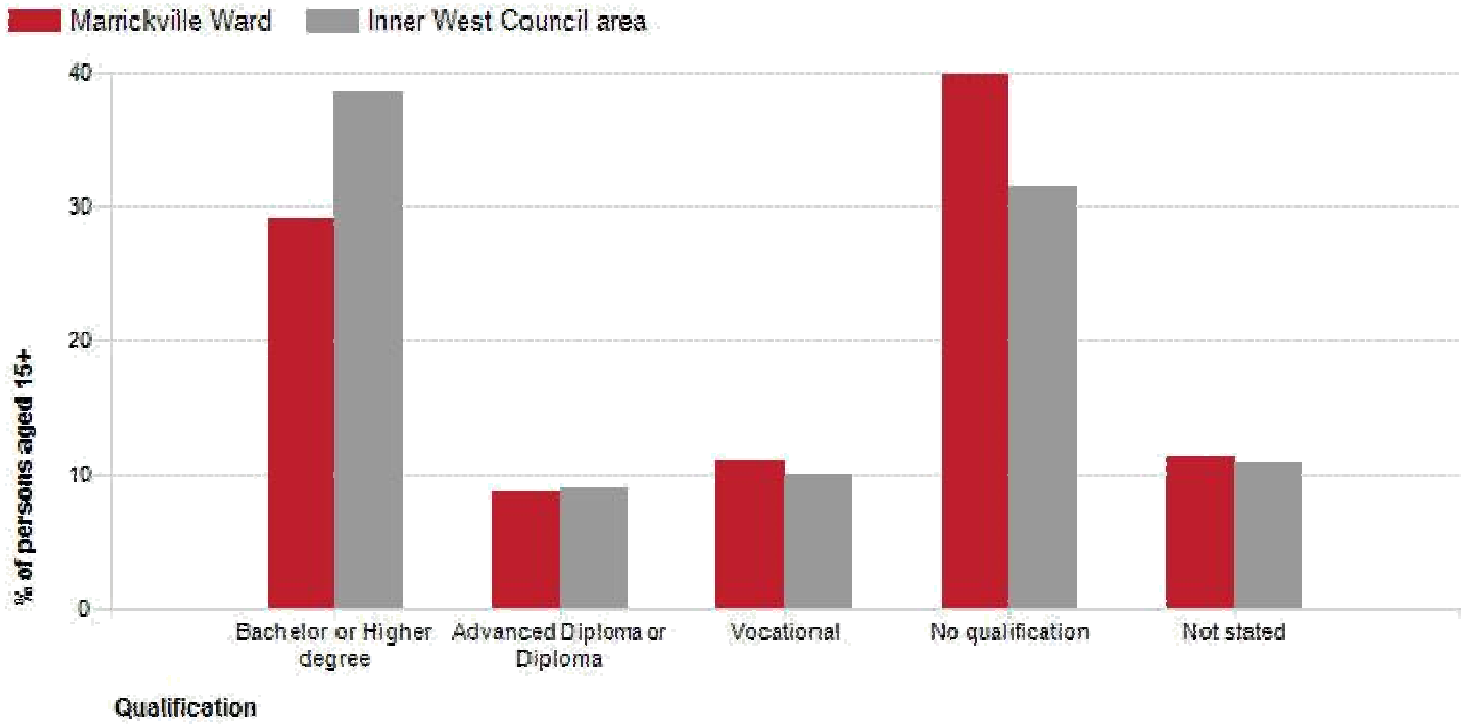
### Highest qualification achieved

Marrickville Ward - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Qualification level	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Bachelor or Higher degree	7,928	29.1	38.5	5,675	22.1	31.7	+2,253
Advanced Diploma or Diploma	2,351	8.6	9.0	1,745	6.8	8.2	+606
Vocational	3,008	11.0	10.0	2,790	10.9	10.4	+218
No qualification	10,861	39.9	31.5	11,554	45.0	35.1	-693
Not stated	3,095	11.4	10.9	3,923	15.3	14.5	-828
<b>Total persons aged 15+</b>	<b>27,242</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>25,686</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,556</b>

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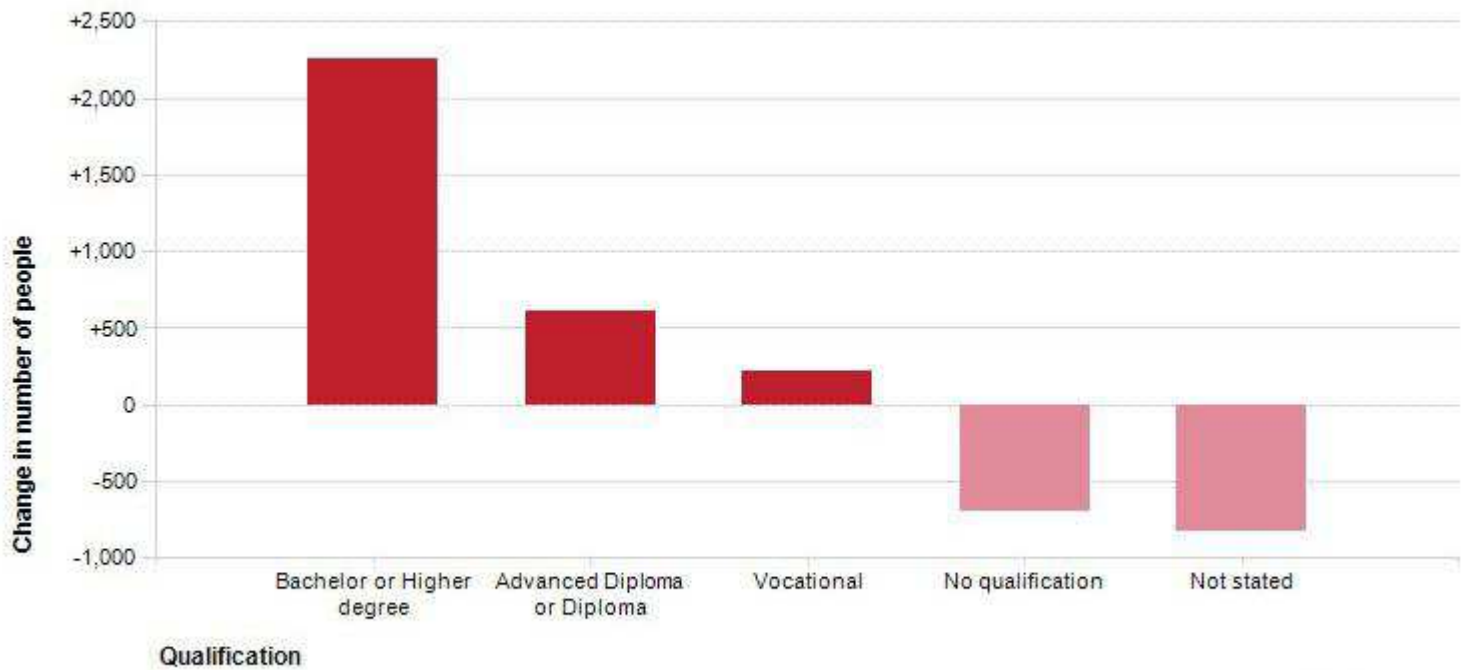


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## Change in highest qualification achieved, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the qualifications of the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of people holding formal qualifications (Bachelor or higher degree; Advanced Diploma or Diploma; or Vocational qualifications), and a higher proportion of people with no formal qualifications. Overall, 48.8% of the population aged 15 and over held educational qualifications, and 39.9% had no qualifications, compared with 57.6% and 31.5% respectively for Inner West Council area.

The major differences between qualifications held by the population of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons with No qualifications (39.9% compared to 31.5%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons with Vocational qualifications (11.0% compared to 10.0%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons with Bachelor or Higher degrees (29.1% compared to 38.5%)

## Emerging groups

The largest changes in the qualifications of the population in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were in those with:

- Bachelor or Higher degrees (+2,253 persons)
- No qualifications (-693 persons)
- Advanced Diploma or Diplomas (+606 persons)
- Vocational qualifications (+218 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Highest level of schooling

Marrickville Ward's school completion data is a useful indicator of socio-economic status. With other indicators, such as [Proficiency in English](#), the data informs planners and decision-makers about people's ability to access services. Combined with [Educational Qualifications](#) it also allows assessment of the skill base of the population.

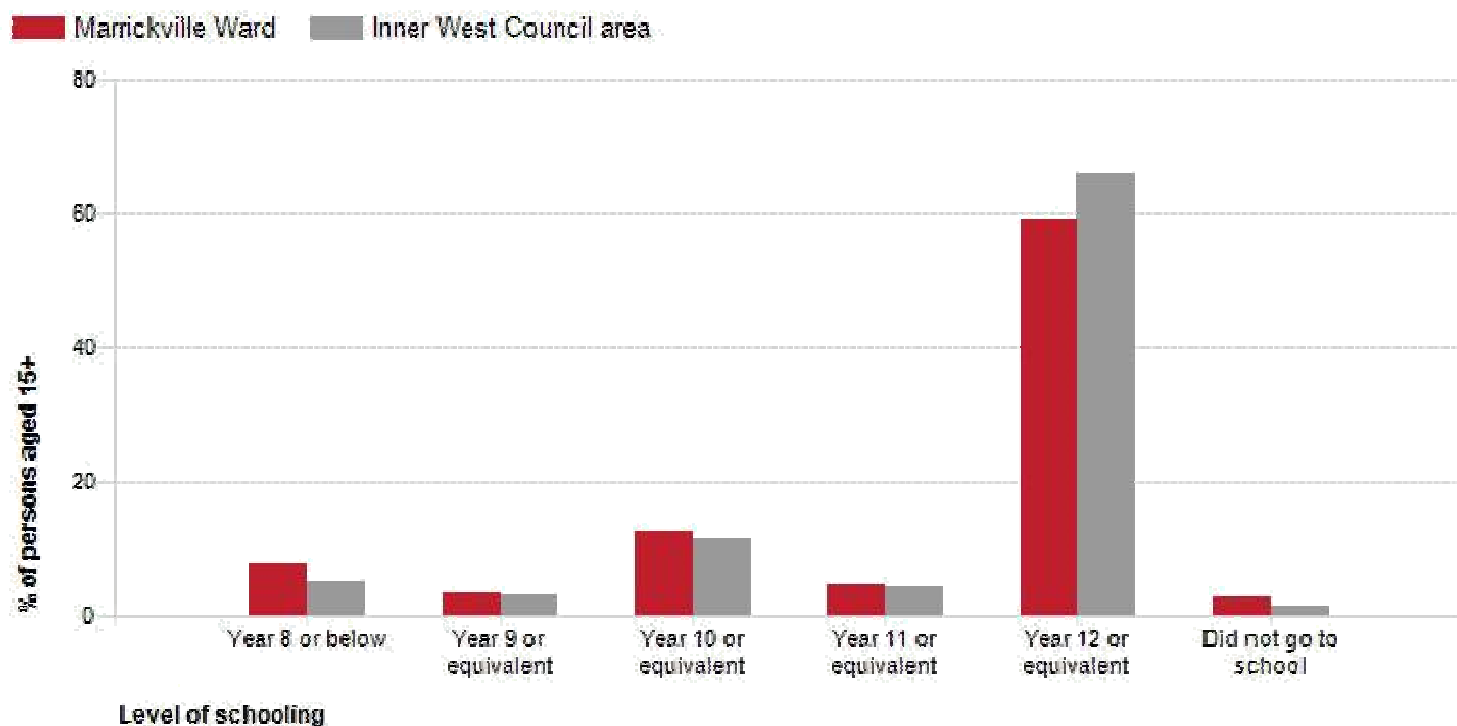
## Highest level of secondary schooling completed

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Level of schooling	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		2006 to 2011
		%	%		%	%	
Year 8 or below	2,132	7.8	5.0	2,269	8.8	6.3	-137
Year 9 or equivalent	919	3.4	3.0	1,047	4.1	3.3	-128
Year 10 or equivalent	3,426	12.6	11.3	3,721	14.5	12.9	-295
Year 11 or equivalent	1,201	4.4	4.1	1,241	4.8	4.4	-40
Year 12 or equivalent	16,141	59.3	66.0	13,184	51.3	59.4	+2,957
Did not go to school	762	2.8	1.4	1,005	3.9	1.7	-243
Not stated	2,659	9.8	9.1	3,251	12.6	12.0	-593
<b>Total persons aged 15+</b>	<b>27,239</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>25,717</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,522</b>

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### **a** [People with below Year 11 schooling](#)

## Highest level of schooling completed, 2011

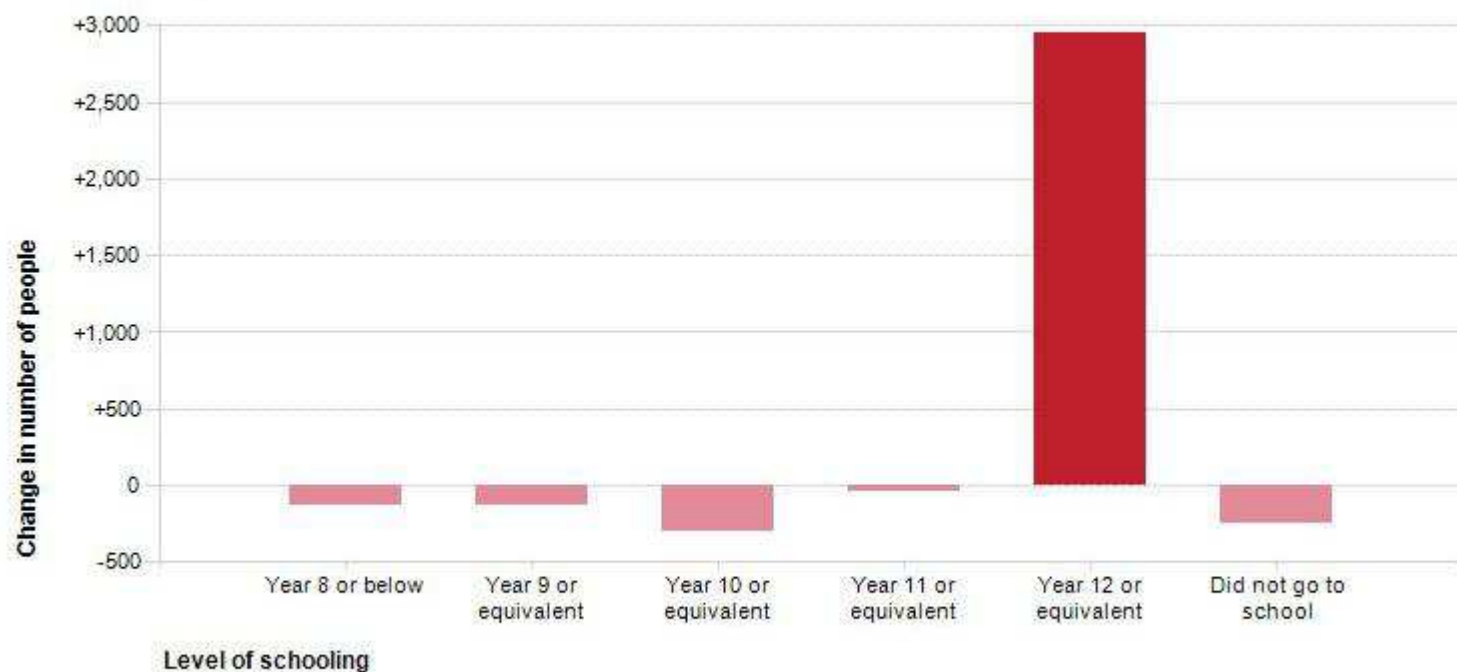


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## Change in highest level of schooling completed, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the highest level of schooling attained by the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a higher proportion of people who had left school at an early level (Year 10 or less) and a lower proportion of people who completed Year 12 or equivalent.

Overall, 26.6% of the population left school at Year 10 or below, and 59.3% went on to complete Year 12 or equivalent, compared with 20.7% and 66.0% respectively for Inner West Council area.

**The major differences between the level of schooling attained by the population in Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of persons who completed year 8 or below (7.8% compared to 5.0%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons who did not go to school (2.8% compared to 1.4%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons who completed year 10 or equivalent (12.6% compared to 11.3%)
- *smaller* percentage of persons who completed year 12 or equivalent (59.3% compared to 66.0%)

## Emerging groups

**The largest changes in the level of schooling attained by the population in Marrickville Ward, between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- Year 12 or equivalent (+2,957 persons)
- Year 10 or equivalent (-295 persons)
- Did not go to school (-243 persons)
- Year 8 or below (-137 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Education institution attending

The share of Marrickville Ward's population attending educational institutions reflects the age structure of the population, as it is influenced by the number of children attending school; proximity to tertiary education, which can mean young adults leaving home to be nearer to educational facilities and; the degree to which people are seeking out educational opportunities in adulthood, especially in their late teens and early twenties.

This data is often combined with [Age Structure](#) to identify areas with significant university student populations.

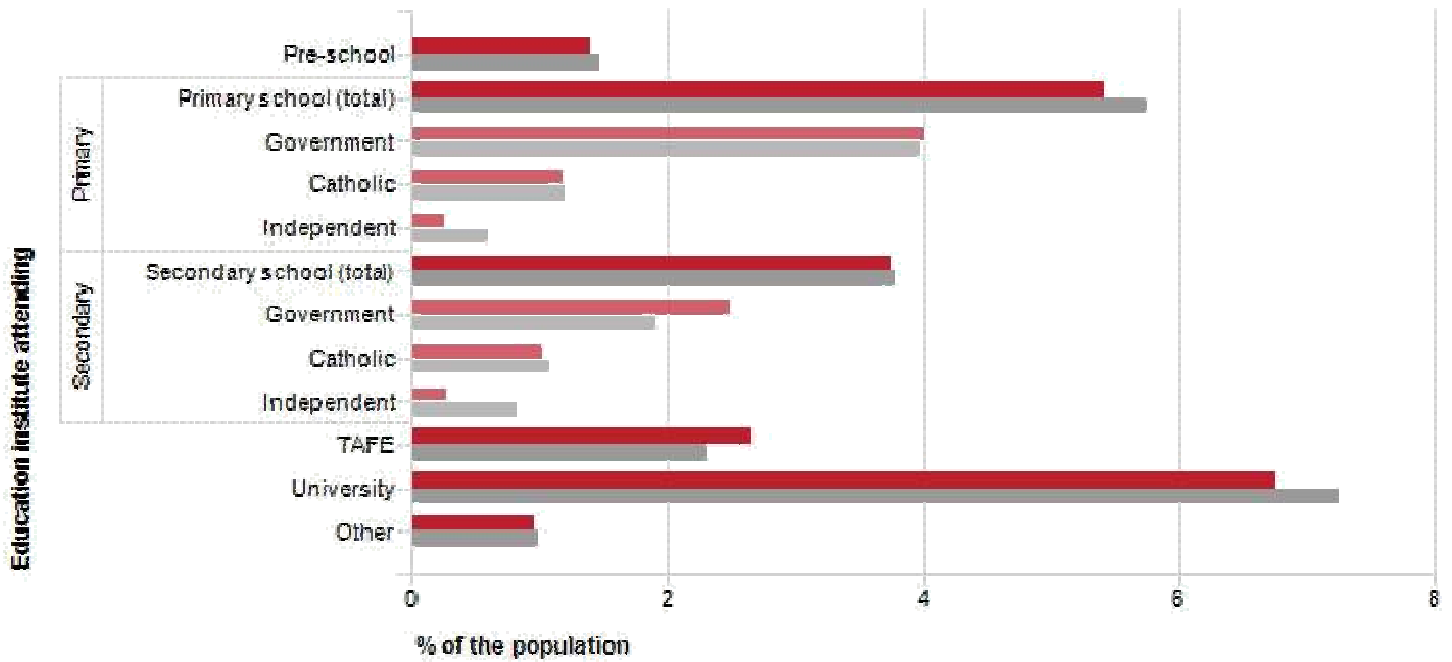
## Education institution attending

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Type of institution	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Pre-school	444	1.4	1.5	358	1.2	1.3	+87
Primary school	1,731	5.4	5.7	1,561	5.2	5.1	+170
▪ Primary - Government	1,279	4.0	4.0	1,111	3.7	3.5	+168
Primary - Catholic	372	1.2	1.2	357	1.2	1.2	+15
▪ Primary - Independent	80	0.2	0.6	93	0.3	0.4	-13
Secondary school	1,200	3.7	3.8	1,345	4.5	4.0	-145
▪ Secondary - Government	796	2.5	1.9	826	2.7	2.1	-30
Secondary - Catholic	323	1.0	1.1	407	1.3	1.1	-84
▪ Secondary - Independent	81	0.3	0.8	113	0.4	0.7	-32
TAFE	848	2.7	2.3	867	2.9	2.4	-19
<b>a</b> University	2,164	6.8	7.2	1,612	5.3	6.5	+552
Other	304	0.9	1.0	295	1.0	1.0	+9
<b>a</b> Not attending	22,750	71.1	71.1	21,067	69.7	69.6	+1,683
Not stated	2,558	8.0	7.4	3,102	10.3	10.1	-543
<b>Total</b>	<b>31,999</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30,207</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,793</b>

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# Education institution attending, 2011

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area

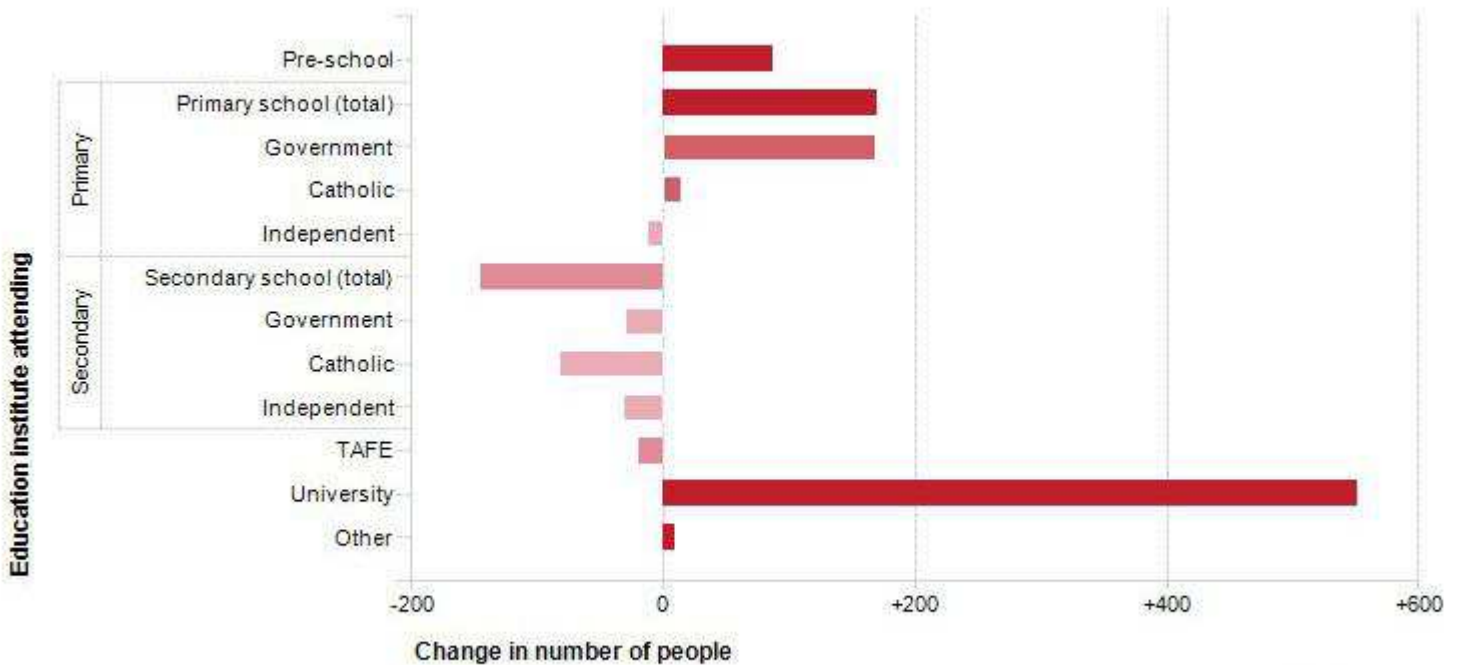


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# Change in education institution attending, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the share of the population attending educational institutions in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a similar proportion attending primary school, a similar proportion attending secondary school, and a similar proportion engaged in tertiary level education.

Overall, 5.4% of the population were attending primary school, 3.7% of the population were attending secondary institutions, and 9.4% were learning at a tertiary level, compared with 5.7%, 3.8% and 9.5% respectively for Inner West Council area.

*There were no major differences between Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area in 2011.*

## Emerging groups

From 2006 to 2011, Marrickville Ward's population increased by 1,791 people (+5.9%). This represents an average annual change of 1.16% per year over the period.

**The largest changes in the number of persons attending education institutions in Marrickville Ward, between 2006 and 2011 were in those who nominated:**

- University (+552 persons)
- Primary school (+170 persons) Primary -
- Government (+168 persons) Secondary
- school (-145 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Need for assistance

Marrickville Ward's disability statistics relate directly to need for assistance due to a severe or profound disability. The information may be used in the planning of local facilities, services such as day-care and occasional care and in the provision of information and support to carers. Marrickville Ward's disability statistics help in understanding the prevalence of people who need support in the community, and along with information on [Unpaid Care](#) to a person with a disability, how that support is provided.

*Please note: A person's reported need for assistance is based on a subjective assessment and should therefore be treated with caution. See the [specific data notes](#) for further detail.*

## Need for assistance with core activities

Marrickville Ward - Persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change 2006 to 2011
	Number	% of total age group	Inner West Council area %	Number	% of total age group	Inner West Council area %	
Assistance needed by age group (years)							
0 to 4	0	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.4	0
5 to 9	43	2.8	1.6	13	1.0	1.4	+30
10 to 19	43	1.7	1.2	22	0.8	1.0	+20
20 to 59	432	2.1	1.5	405	2.1	1.5	+27
60 to 64	116	8.2	5.5	108	8.6	5.4	+8
65 to 69	129	12.1	8.3	120	11.1	8.1	+9
70 to 74	183	18.9	15.7	198	21.0	15.7	-16
75 to 79	306	35.9	28.5	233	32.0	24.7	+73
80 to 84	243	42.0	37.0	198	39.6	35.4	+45
85 and over	274	62.2	61.5	281	65.2	56.5	-7
<b>Total persons needing assistance</b>	<b>1,772</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>1,583</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>+188</b>

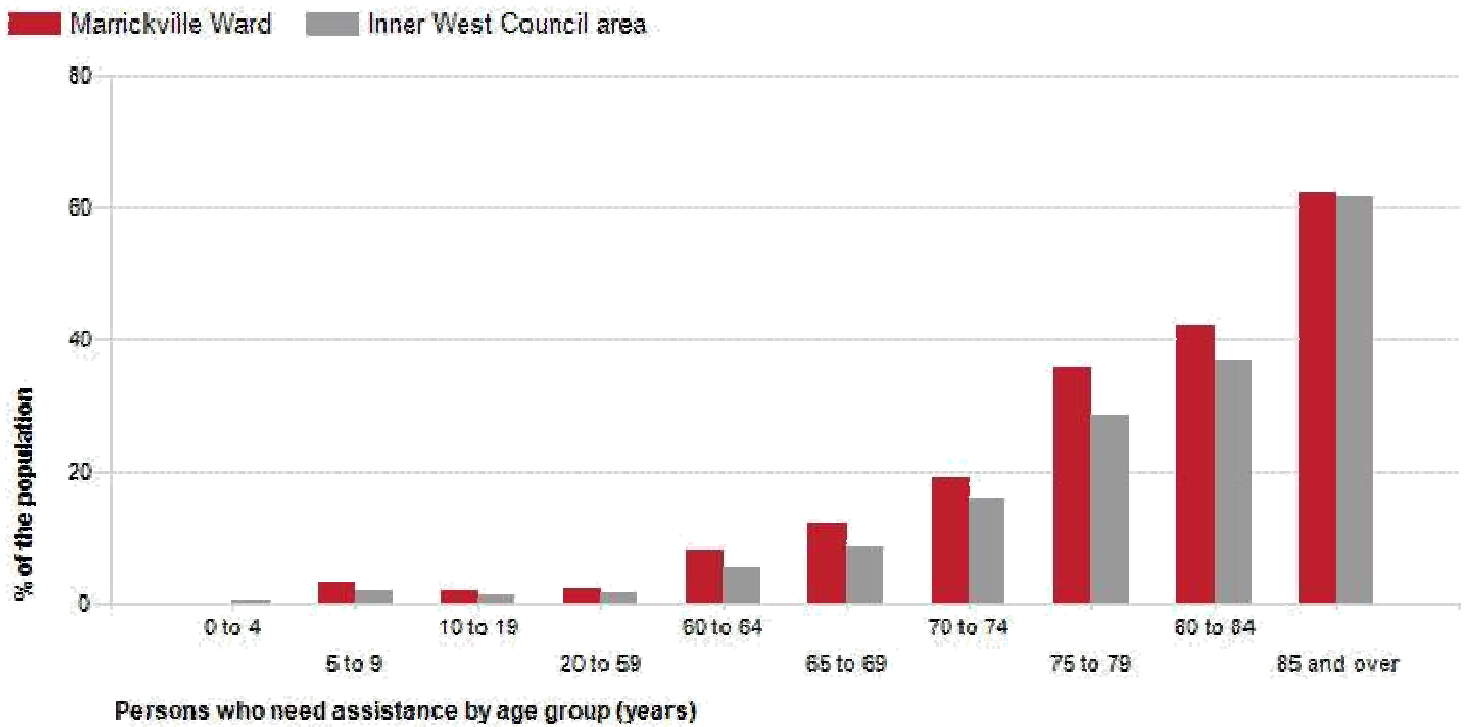
## Need for assistance with core activities

Marrickville Ward - Total persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change 2006 to 2011
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	
Assistance needed by age group (years)							
<b>a</b> Total persons needing assistance	1,772	5.5	4.3	1,583	5.2	4.1	+188
Total persons not needing assistance	27,902	87.2	88.7	26,035	86.2	87.0	+1,867
Not stated	2,320	7.3	6.9	2,574	8.5	8.9	-254
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>31,995</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30,193</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,802</b>

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# Need for assistance with core activities, 2011

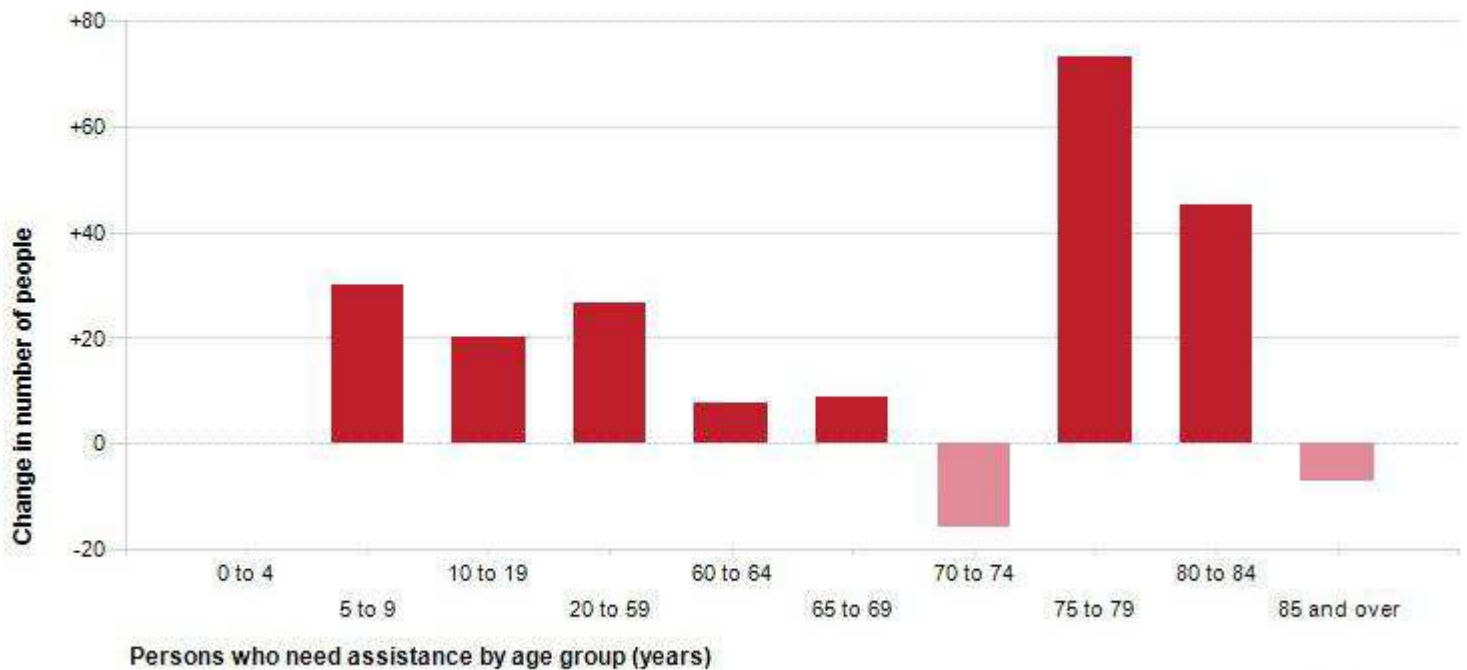


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# Change in need for assistance with core activities, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the need for assistance of people in the Inner West Council area compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a higher proportion of people who reported needing assistance with core activities.

Overall, 5.5% of the population reported needing assistance with core activities, compared with 4.3% for Inner West Council area.

The major differences in the age groups reporting a need for assistance in Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:

- A *larger* percentage of persons aged 75 to 79 (35.9% compared to 28.5%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons aged 80 to 84 (42.0% compared to 37.0%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons aged 65 to 69 (12.1% compared to 8.3%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons aged 70 to 74 (18.9% compared to 15.7%)

## Emerging groups

The major difference in the age groups reporting a need for assistance between 2006 and 2011 in Marrickville Ward was in the age group:

- 75 to 79 (+73 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Employment status

Marrickville Ward's employment statistics are an important indicator of socio-economic status. The levels of full or part-time employment, unemployment and labour force participation indicate the strength of the local economy and social characteristics of the population. Employment status is linked to a number of factors including [Age Structure](#), which influences the number of people in the workforce; the economic base and employment opportunities available in the area and; the education and skill base of the population ([Occupations](#), [Industries](#), [Qualifications](#)).

## Employment status

Marrickville Ward - Persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Employment status	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Employed	16,239	94.5	94.9	14,551	93.7	95.4	+1,688
Employed full-time	10,854	63.1	64.9	10,055	64.7	66.9	+799
Employed part-time	5,024	29.2	28.6	4,046	26.0	26.5	+978
Hours worked not stated	361	2.1	1.4	452	2.9	2.1	-91
Unemployed (Unemployment rate)	949	5.5	5.1	984	6.3	4.6	-35
Looking for full-time work	621	3.6	3.1	585	3.8	2.8	+36
Looking for part-time work	328	1.9	2.0	399	2.6	1.8	-71
<b>Total Labour Force</b>	<b>17,188</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>15,535</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,653</b>

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## Labour force status

Marrickville Ward - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Labour force status	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Total labour force (Participation rate)	17,187	63.1	67.6	15,534	60.5	65.2	+1,653
Not in the labour force	7,973	29.3	25.1	7,734	30.1	25.6	+239
Labour force status not stated	2,080	7.6	7.2	2,426	9.4	9.2	-346
<b>Total persons aged 15+</b>	<b>27,241</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>25,694</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,547</b>

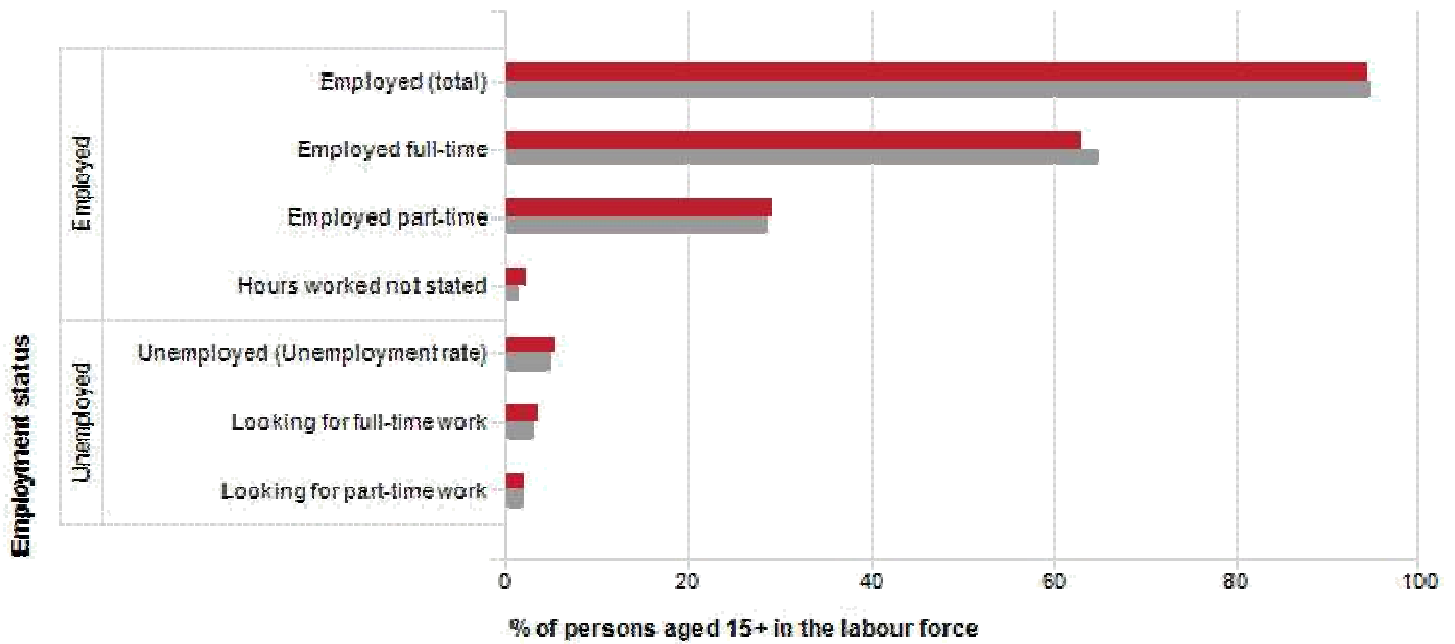
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- [a Youth unemployment rate \(persons aged 15-24\)](#)
- [a Seniors unemployment rate \(persons aged 55 or more\)](#)
- [a Disengaged youth \(aged 15-24 not employed or in education\)](#)
- [a People employed part-time](#)
- [e Annual employed resident totals \(2001-2013\)](#)
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- [e Map of employment locations by industry](#)

# Employment status, 2011

Total persons in the labour force

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area

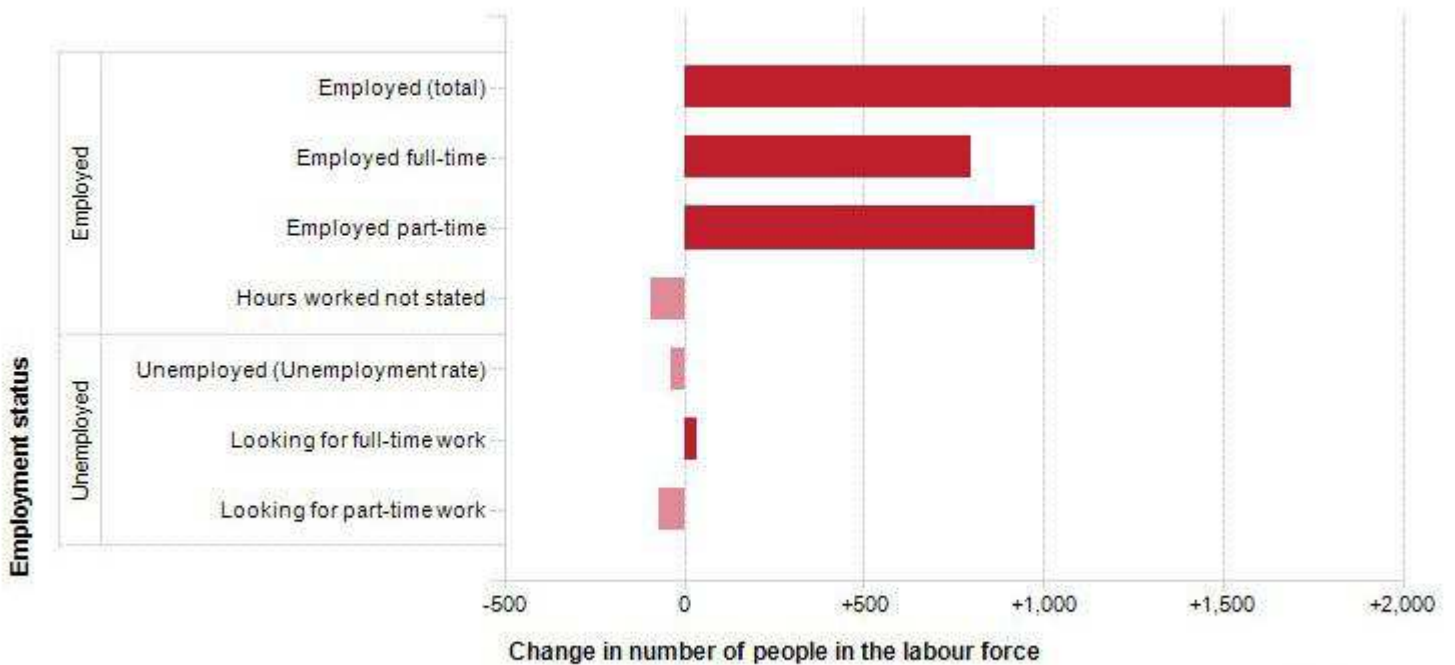


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# Change in employment status, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons in the labour force



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## Dominant groups

The size of Marrickville Ward's labour force in 2011 was 17,188, of which 5,024 were employed part-time and 10,854 were full time workers.

Analysis of the employment status (as a percentage of the labour force) in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a similar proportion in employment, as well as a similar proportion unemployed. Overall, 94.5% of the labour force was employed (59.6% of the population aged 15+), and 5.5% unemployed (3.5% of the population aged 15+), compared with 94.9% and 5.1% respectively for Inner West Council area.

The labour force participation rate refers to the proportion of the population aged 15 years and over that was employed or actively looking for work. *"The labour force is a fundamental input to domestic production. Its size and composition are therefore crucial factors in economic growth. From the viewpoint of social development, earnings from paid work are a major influence on levels of economic well-being."* ([Australian Social Trends 1995](#)).

Analysis of the labour force participation rate of the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 shows that there was a lower proportion in the labour force (63.1%) compared with Inner West Council area (67.6%).

## Emerging groups

Between 2006 and 2011, the number of people employed in Marrickville Ward showed an increase of 1,688, and the number unemployed showed a decrease of 35. In the same period, the number of people in the labour force showed an increase of 1,653 or 10.6%.

# Marrickville Ward

## Industry sector of employment

Marrickville Ward's industry statistics identify the industry sectors in which the residents work (which may be within the residing area or elsewhere). This will be influenced by the skill base and socio-economic status of the residents as well as the industries and employment opportunities present in the region.

When viewed in conjunction with [Residents Place of Work](#) data and [Method of Travel to Work](#), industry sector statistics provide insights into the relationship between the economic and residential role of the area.

## Industry sector of employment

Marrickville Ward - Employed persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Industry sector	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	4	0.0	0.0	22	0.2	0.2	-18
Mining	0	0.0	0.0	8	0.1	0.1	-8
Manufacturing	1,070	6.6	5.0	1,191	8.2	6.1	-121
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	48	0.3	0.4	79	0.5	0.6	-31
Construction	688	4.2	4.2	787	5.4	4.7	-99
Wholesale trade	644	4.0	4.1	666	4.6	4.5	-22
Retail Trade	1,322	8.1	7.4	1,293	8.9	8.1	+29
Accommodation and Food Services	1,164	7.2	6.2	1,069	7.3	6.5	+95
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	815	5.0	3.7	849	5.8	4.1	-34
Information Media and Telecommunications	907	5.6	6.2	712	4.9	5.7	+195
Financial and Insurance Services	953	5.9	7.8	804	5.5	7.5	+150
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	230	1.4	1.8	206	1.4	1.7	+23
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	1,688	10.4	13.5	1,281	8.8	12.3	+407
Administrative and Support Services	731	4.5	3.9	572	3.9	3.8	+159
Public Administration and Safety	1,176	7.2	6.3	986	6.8	6.3	+190
Education and Training	1,499	9.2	10.1	1,257	8.6	9.7	+241
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,706	10.5	10.8	1,432	9.8	10.3	+274
Arts and Recreation Services	537	3.3	3.2	337	2.3	2.4	+200
Other Services	612	3.8	3.2	614	4.2	3.3	-3
Inadequately described or not stated	487	3.0	2.2	421	2.9	2.3	+66
<b>Total employed persons aged 15+</b>	<b>16,279</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14,587</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,692</b>

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing 2006](#) and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

[e Full-time equivalent \(FTE\) local jobs by industry \(NIEIR modelled\)](#)

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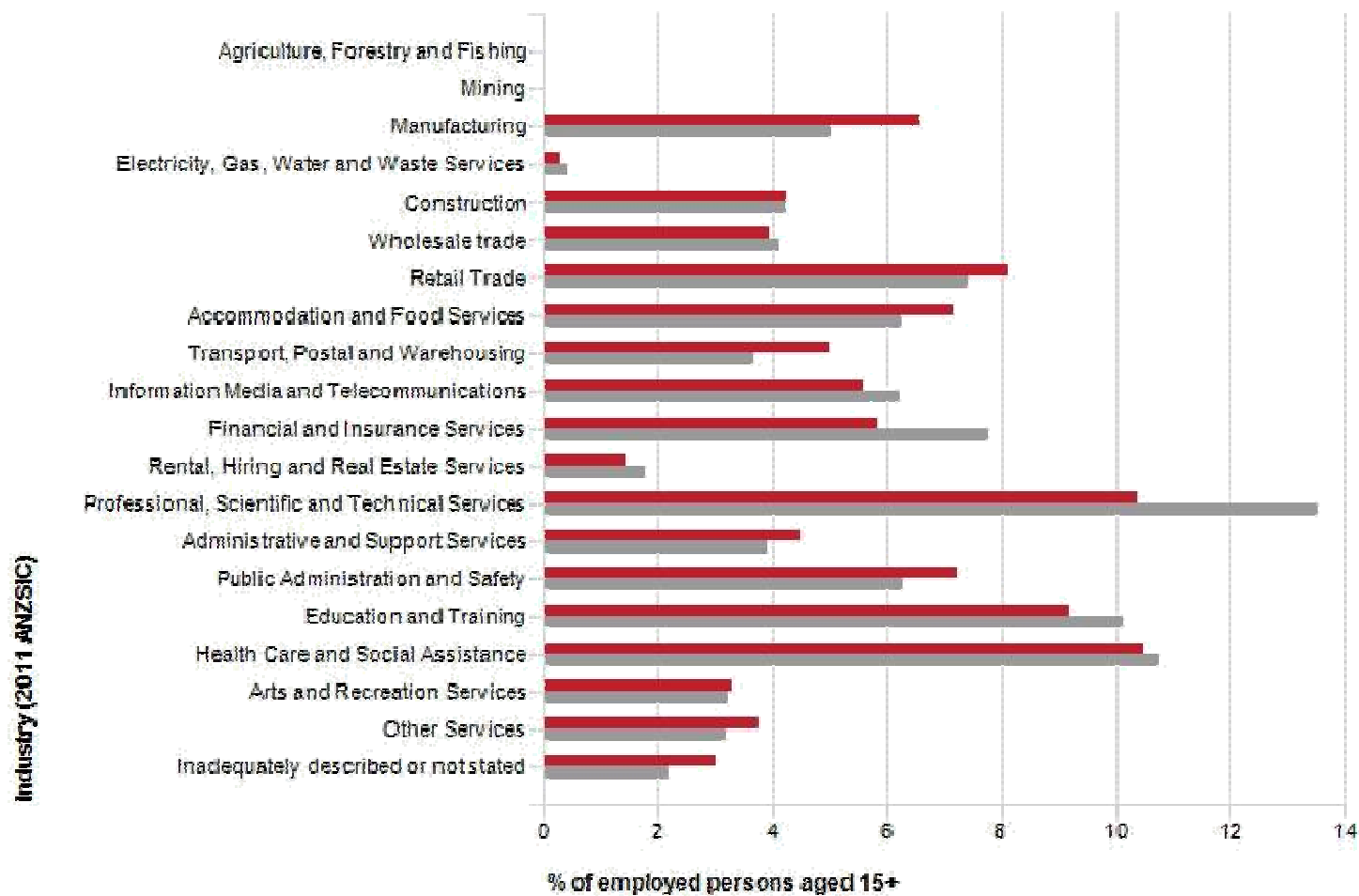
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# Industry sector of employment, 2011

Total employed persons

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area

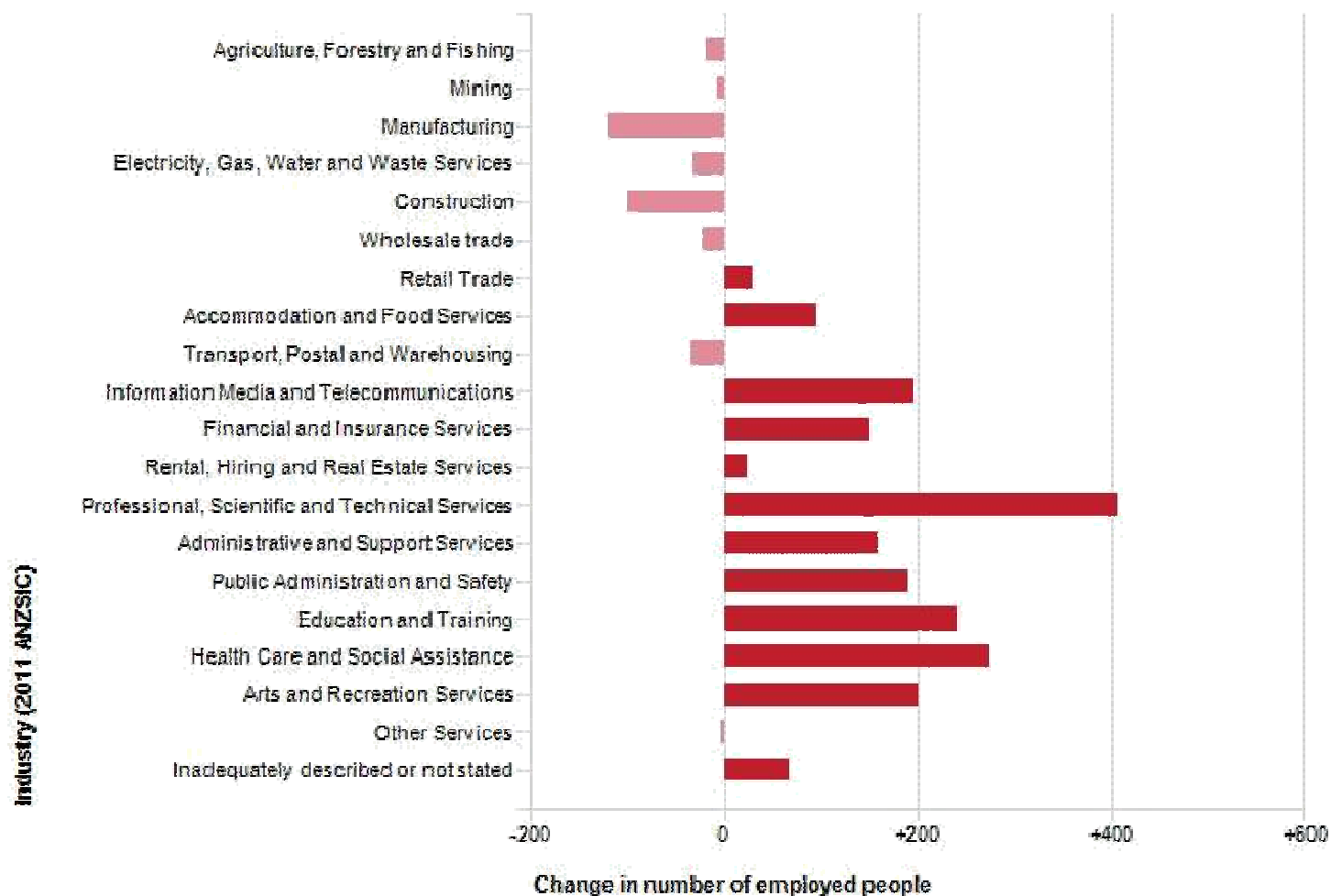


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# Change in industry sector of employment, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total employed persons



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# Marrickville Ward

## Occupation of employment

Marrickville Ward's occupation statistics quantify the occupations in which the residents work (which may be within the residing area or elsewhere). This will be influenced by the economic base and employment opportunities available in the area, education levels, and the working and social aspirations of the population. When viewed with other indicators, such as [Educational Qualifications](#) and [Individual Income](#), Occupation is a key measure for evaluating Marrickville Ward's socio-economic status and skill base.

## Occupation of employment

Marrickville Ward - Employed persons (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Occupation	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Managers	2,036	12.5	15.8	1,674	11.5	14.9	+362
Professionals	4,977	30.6	36.8	3,898	26.8	34.7	+1,079
<b>a</b> Technicians and Trades Workers	1,883	11.6	8.8	1,761	12.1	9.3	+122
Community and Personal Service Workers	1,401	8.6	7.9	1,209	8.3	7.4	+192
Clerical and Administrative Workers	2,412	14.8	14.3	2,300	15.8	15.2	+112
Sales Workers	1,223	7.5	7.3	1,187	8.1	7.8	+36
Machinery Operators And Drivers	751	4.6	2.7	832	5.7	3.3	-81
Labourers	1,238	7.6	4.8	1,365	9.4	5.6	-127
Inadequately described	330	2.0	1.5	338	2.3	1.8	-8
<b>Total employed persons aged 15+</b>	<b>16,251</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14,564</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,687</b>

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**a** [People employed as Managers or Professionals](#)

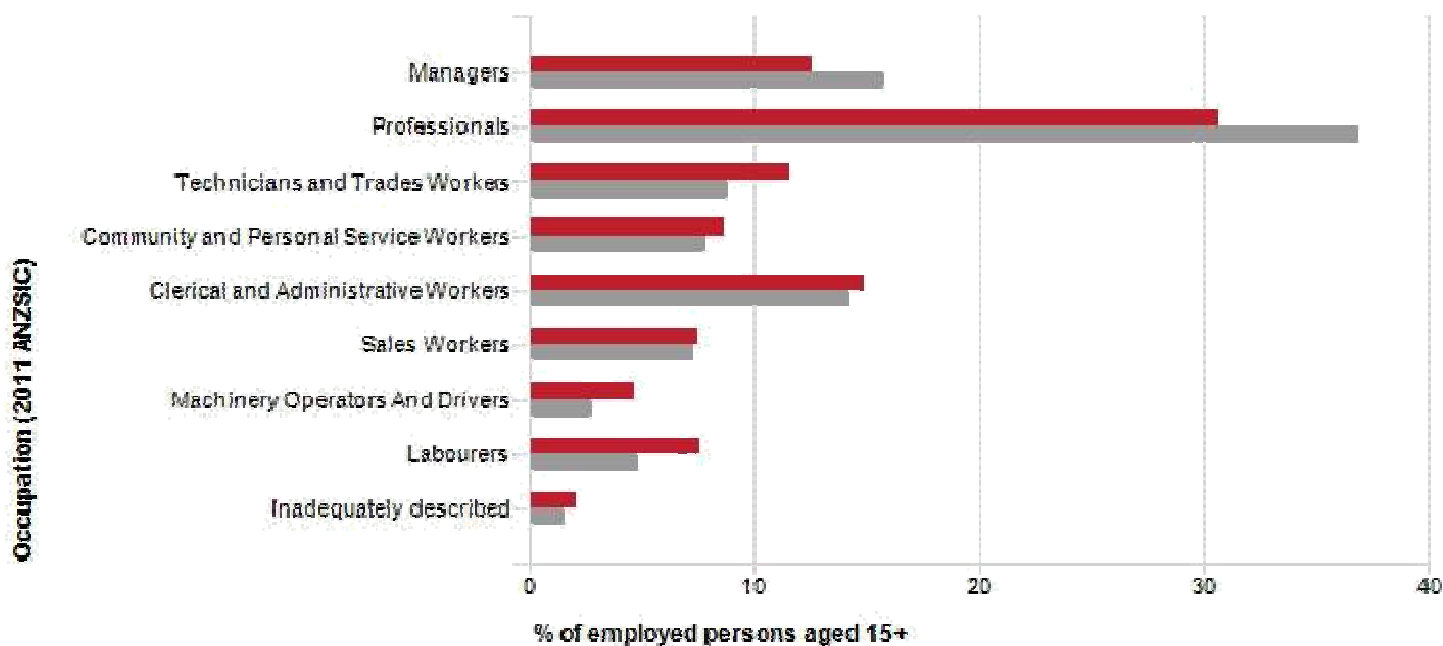
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# Occupation of employment, 2011

Total employed persons

Marrickville Ward Inner West Council area

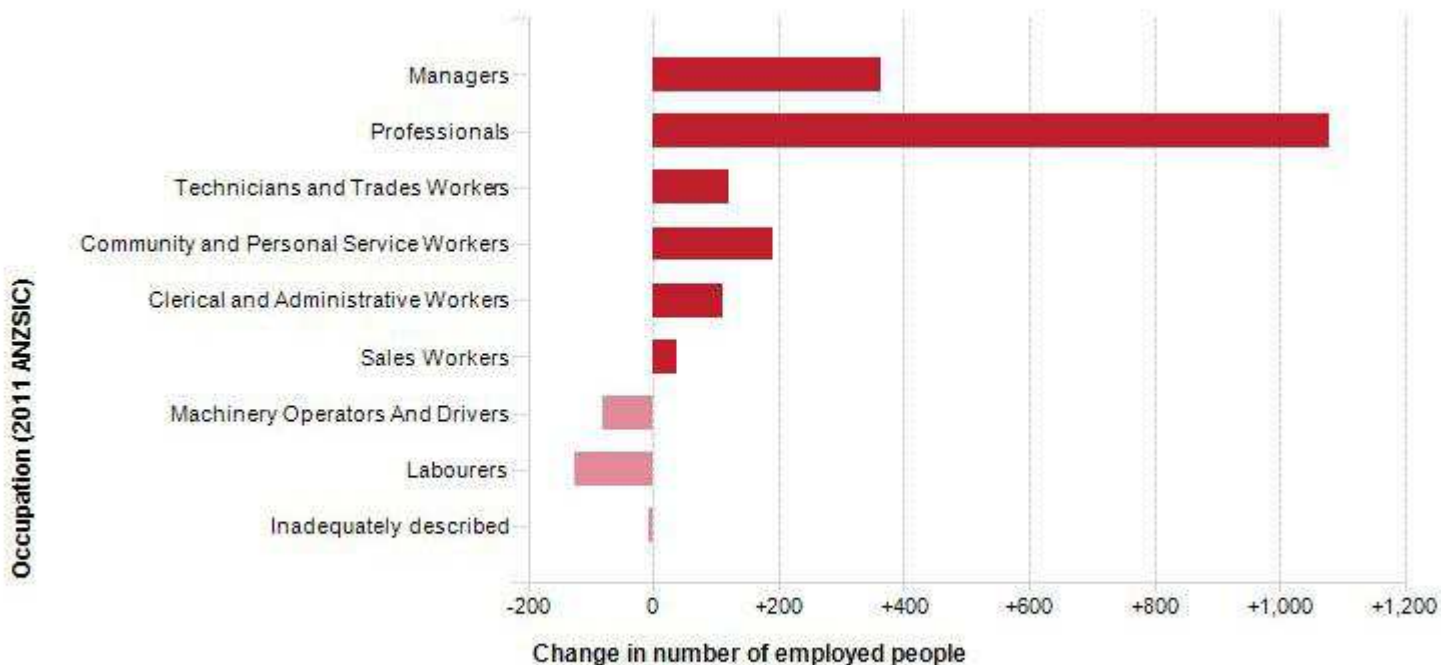


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# Change in occupation of employment, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total employed persons



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## Dominant groups

An analysis of the jobs held by the resident population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 shows the three most popular occupations were:

- Professionals (4,977 people or 30.6%)
- Clerical and Administrative Workers (2,412 people or 14.8%)
- Managers (2,036 people or 12.5%)

In combination these three occupations accounted for 9,425 people in total or 58.0% of the employed resident population.

In comparison, Inner West Council area employed 36.8% in Professionals; 14.3% in Clerical and Administrative Workers; and 15.8% in Managers.

**The major differences between the jobs held by the population of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of persons employed as Labourers (7.6% compared to 4.8%)
- A *larger* percentage of persons employed as Technicians and Trades Workers (11.6% compared to 8.8%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons employed as Professionals (30.6% compared to 36.8%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons employed as Managers (12.5% compared to 15.8%)

## Emerging groups

The number of employed people in Marrickville Ward increased by 1,687 between 2006 and 2011.

**The largest changes in the occupations of residents between 2006 and 2011 in Marrickville Ward were for those employed as:**

- Professionals (+1,079 persons)
- Managers (+362 persons)
- Community and Personal Service Workers (+192 persons)
- Labourers (-127 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Method of travel to work

Marrickville Ward's commuting statistics reveal the main modes of transport by which residents get to work. There are a number of reasons why people use different modes of transport to get to work including the availability of affordable and effective public transport options, the number of motor vehicles available within a household, and the distance travelled to work.

Commuting data is very useful in transport planning as it informs decision-makers about the availability, effectiveness and utilisation of local transport options, particularly when analysed with [Residents Place of Work](#) data and [Car Ownership](#).

## Method of travel to work

Marrickville Ward - Employed persons (Enumerated)	2011			2006			Change 2006 to 2011
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	
Train	4,420	27.4	20.4	3,344	23.1	17.9	+1,075
Bus	1,296	8.0	12.8	1,147	7.9	12.6	+149
Tram or Ferry	0	0.0	1.3	0	0.0	1.2	0
Taxi	87	0.5	0.6	52	0.4	0.6	+35
Car - as driver	6,068	37.6	37.7	5,881	40.6	40.2	+187
Car - as passenger	529	3.3	2.9	698	4.8	4.0	-169
Truck	54	0.3	0.3	87	0.6	0.6	-33
Motorbike	259	1.6	1.6	116	0.8	0.8	+143
<b>a</b> Bicycle	526	3.3	3.1	287	2.0	1.7	+238
Walked only	730	4.5	5.1	742	5.1	5.5	-12
Other	50	0.3	0.8	110	0.8	0.7	-60
Worked at home	564	3.5	4.3	464	3.2	4.1	+100
Did not go to work	1,360	8.4	8.2	1,240	8.6	8.8	+120
Not stated	204	1.3	0.9	326	2.3	1.5	-122
<b>Total employed persons aged 15+</b>	<b>16,146</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14,494</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,652</b>

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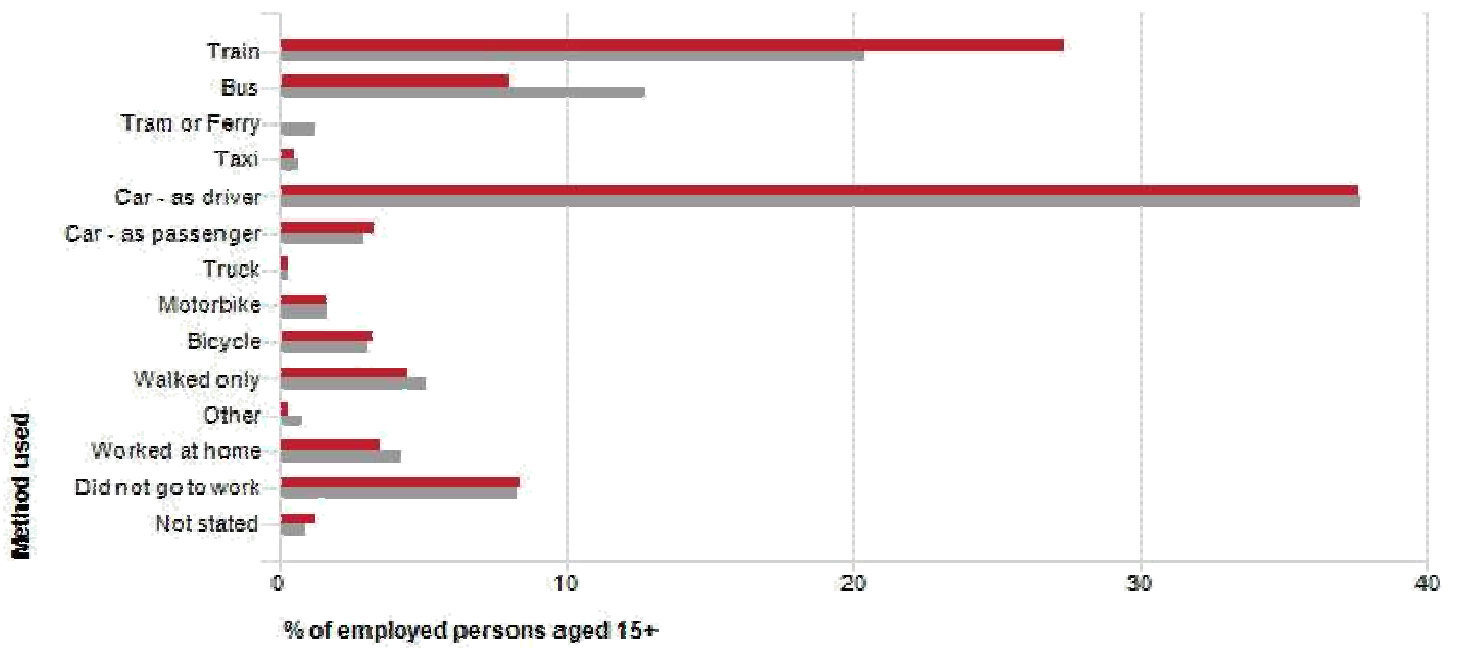
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# Method of travel to work, 2011

Total employed persons

Marrickville Ward Inner West Council area

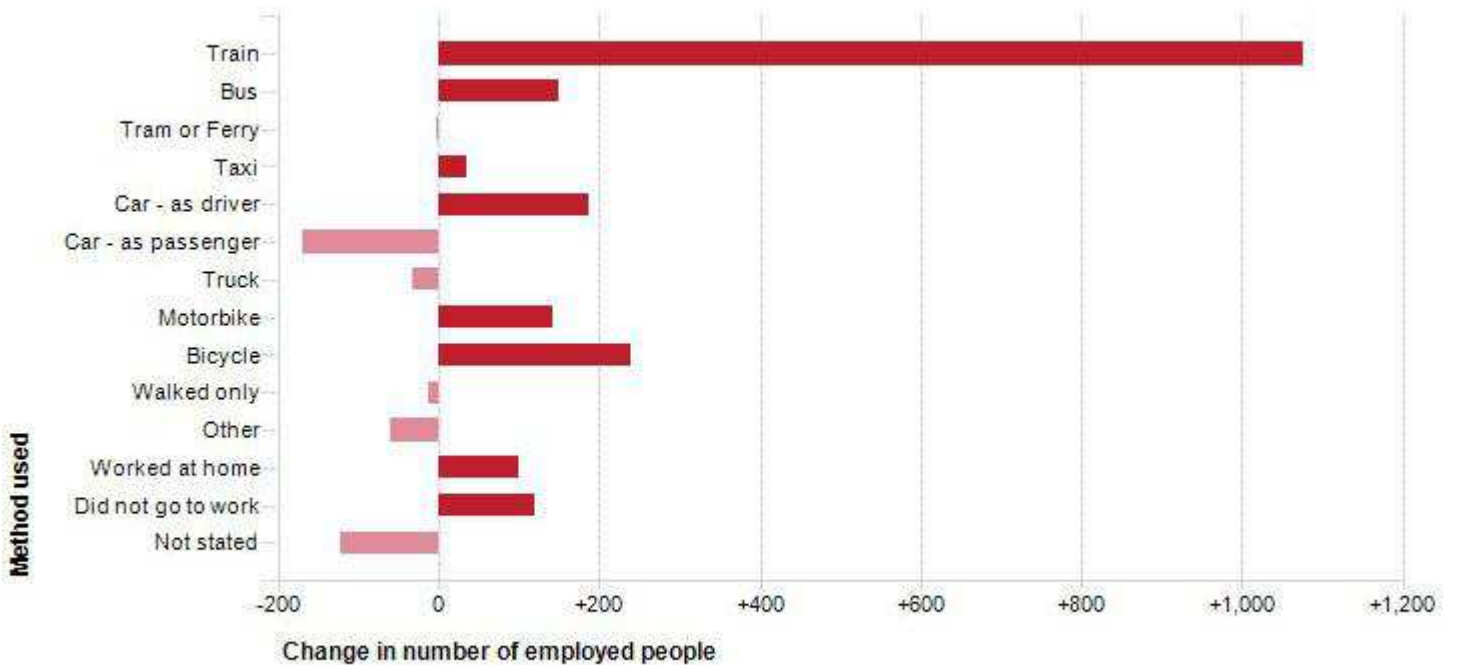


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# Change in method of travel to work, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total employed persons



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## Dominant groups

In 2011, there were 5,716 people who caught public transport to work (train, bus, tram or ferry) in Marrickville Ward, compared with 6,910 who drove in private vehicles (car – as driver, car – as passenger, motorbike, or truck). Analysis of the method of travel to work of the residents in Marrickville Ward in 2011, compared to Inner West Council area, shows that 35.4% used public transport, while 42.8% used a private vehicle, compared with 34.4% and 42.5% respectively in Inner West Council area.

**The major differences in persons between the method of travel to work of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of persons who travelled by train (27.4% compared to 20.4%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who travelled by bus (8.0% compared to 12.8%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who travelled by tram or ferry (0.0% compared to 1.3%)

## Emerging groups

The number of employed people in Marrickville Ward increased by 1,652 between 2006 and 2011.

**The largest changes in the method of travel to work by resident population in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were for those nominated:**

- Train (+1,075 persons)
- Bicycle (+238 persons)
- Car - as driver (+187 persons)
- Car - as passenger (-169 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Volunteer work

The voluntary work sector is an important part of Australia's economy. The level of volunteering can indicate the cohesiveness of the community and how readily individuals are able to contribute to that community. Factors impacting on the level of volunteering in Marrickville Ward include the Age Structure of the population, the level of Proficiency in English, Income and Education levels.

## Volunteer work

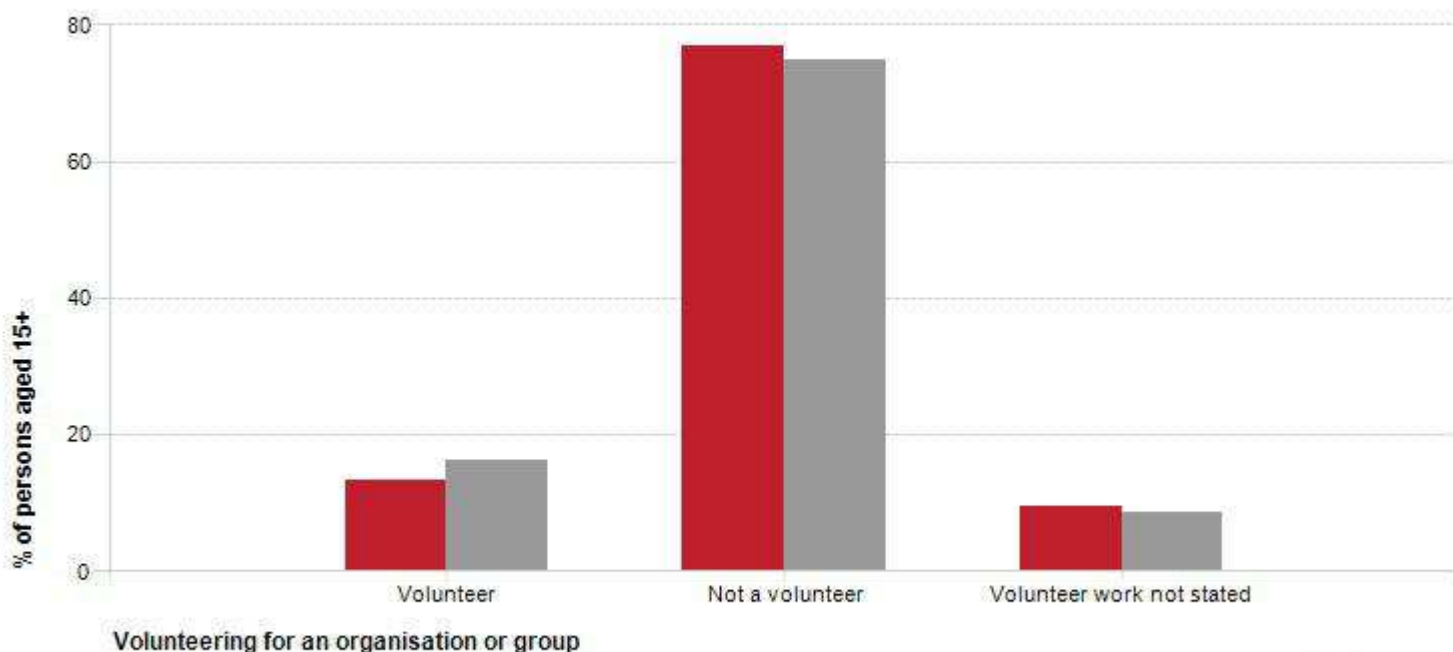
Marrickville Ward - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2011		2006		Change		
Volunteer status	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
<b>a</b> Volunteer	3,662	13.5	16.4	3,100	12.1	15.0	+562
Not a volunteer	20,980	77.0	74.9	19,381	75.4	73.6	+1,599
Volunteer work not stated	2,587	9.5	8.7	3,214	12.5	11.4	-627
<b>Total persons aged 15+</b>	<b>27,229</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>25,694</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,535</b>

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## Volunteer work, 2011

Total persons

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area

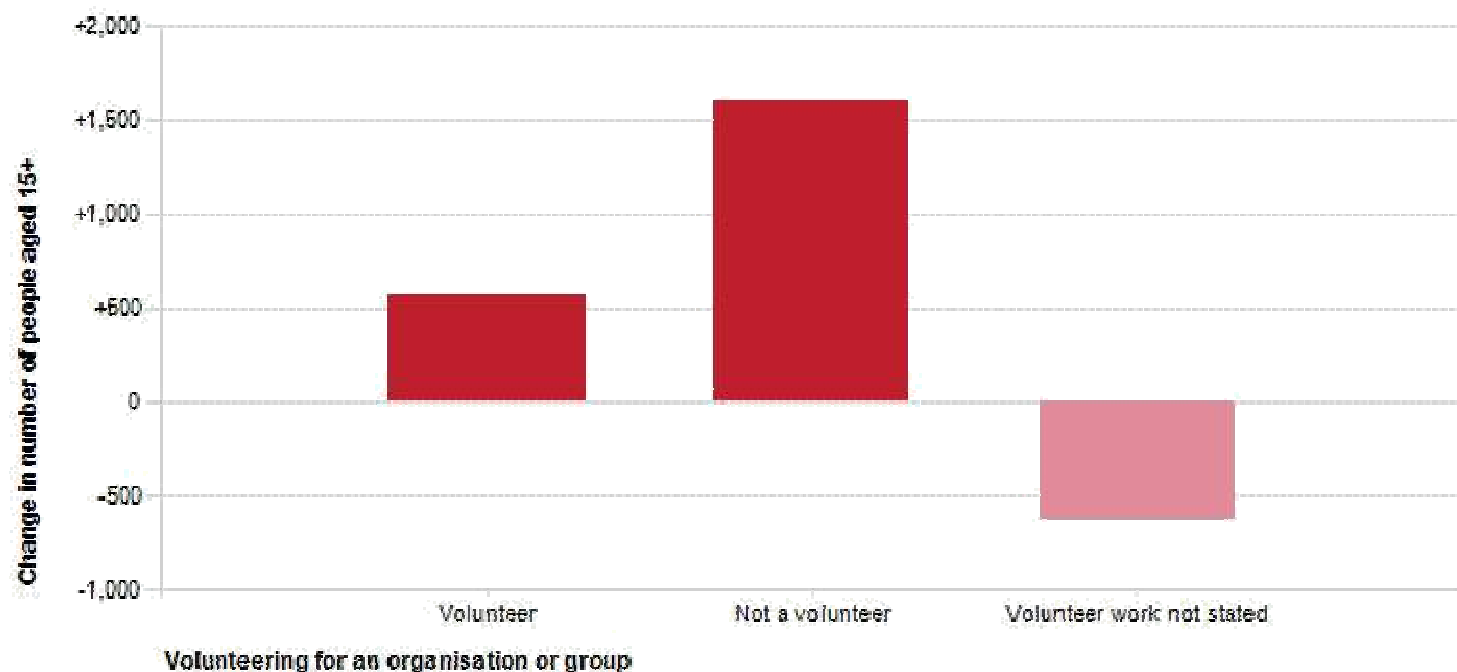


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## Change in volunteer work, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2006 and 2011 (Usual residence data)  
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### Dominant groups

Analysis of the voluntary work performed by the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of people who volunteered for an organisation or group. Overall, 13.5% of the population reported performing voluntary work, compared with 16.4% for Inner West Council area.

### Emerging groups

The number of volunteers in Marrickville Ward increased by 562 people between 2006 and 2011.



# Marrickville Ward

## Unpaid domestic work

There has been increased interest in identifying, acknowledging and valuing the unpaid work that supports home and community life. The changing amount of time spent on unpaid housework in different Household Types and, particularly the distribution of this work within the household, can indicate the changing roles of males, females and older children in society. The level of unpaid domestic work in Marrickville Ward may also be related to Household Income, as higher income households are able to outsource some of these tasks.

## Unpaid domestic work

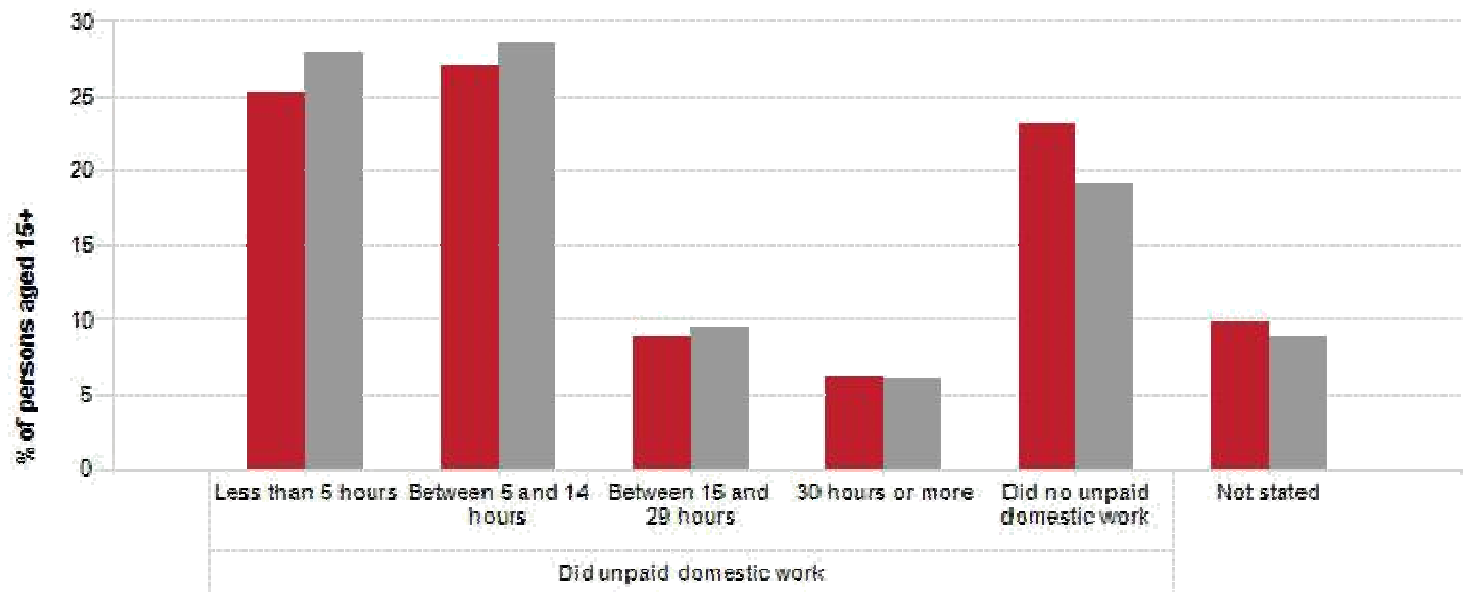
Marrickville Ward - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Hours spent on unpaid domestic work							
Did unpaid domestic work	18,296	67.2	72.0	16,387	63.8	69.2	+1,909
Less than 5 hours	6,878	25.3	27.9	6,127	23.8	26.5	+751
▪ Between 5 and 14 hours	7,329	26.9	28.5	6,290	24.5	26.9	+1,039
Between 15 and 29 hours	2,418	8.9	9.5	2,275	8.9	9.3	+143
▪ 30 hours or more	1,670	6.1	6.1	1,693	6.6	6.5	-23
Did no unpaid domestic work	6,272	23.0	19.2	5,970	23.2	19.1	+302
Not stated	2,662	9.8	8.8	3,342	13.0	11.7	-681
<b>Total persons aged 15+</b>	<b>27,231</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>25,700</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,531</b>

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## Unpaid domestic work, 2011

Total persons

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area



Unpaid domestic work

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## Change in unpaid domestic work, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



Unpaid domestic work

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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the unpaid domestic work performed by the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of persons who performed 15 hours or more of unpaid domestic work per week.

Overall, 15.0% of the population reported performing 15 hours or more of unpaid domestic work, compared with 15.6% for Inner West Council area.

**The major differences between the share of the population performing unpaid domestic work in Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of persons who did no unpaid domestic work (23.0% compared to 19.2%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who did domestic work (67.2% compared to 72.0%)
- A *smaller* percentage of persons who did between 5 and 14 hours of domestic work (25.3% compared to 27.9%) A *smaller*
- percentage of persons who did between 15 and 29 hours of domestic work (26.9% compared to 28.5%)

## Emerging groups

**The largest changes in the number of people performing unpaid domestic work in Marrickville Ward, between 2006 and 2011 were those who:**


- Did unpaid domestic work (+1,909 persons)
- Did between 5 and 14 hours of domestic work (+1,039 persons)
- Did less than 5 hours of domestic work (+751 persons) Did
- no unpaid domestic work (+302 persons)

# Marrickville Ward

## Unpaid care

The proportion of people providing unpaid care for the aged and disabled in Marrickville Ward can be an important indicator of the level of demand for aged care services and facilities by local and state governments. An increasing proportion of carers among the population may indicate inadequate aged care provision, or the need for in-home support, or support for the carers themselves. The level of care provided by individuals is likely to be affected by [Household Income](#), [Age Structure](#) and the ethnic makeup of the community ([Language Spoken](#)), as well as the sense of community cohesiveness.

## Unpaid care

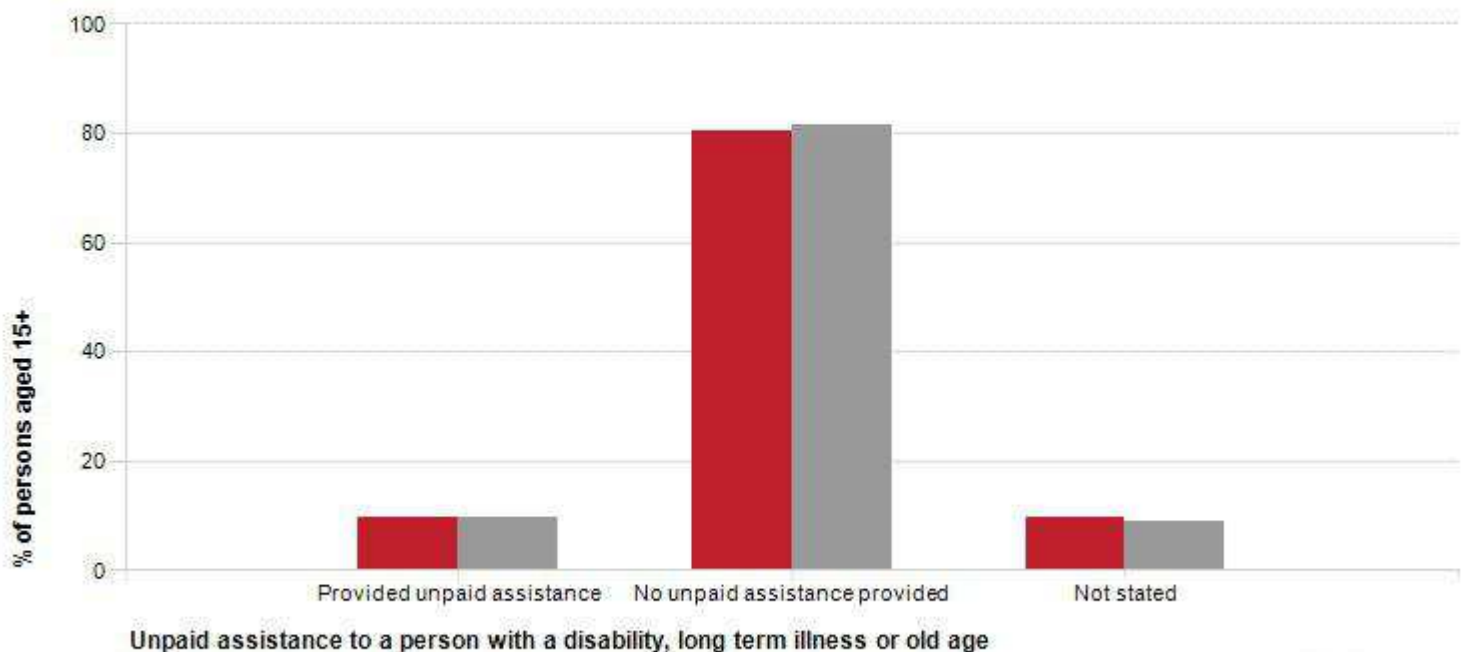
Marrickville Ward - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2011		2006		Change		
Assistance to a person with a disability, long term illness or old age	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area % 2006 to 2011	
 Provided unpaid assistance	2,689	9.9	9.6	2,280	8.9	8.7	+409
No unpaid assistance provided	21,863	80.3	81.4	20,021	77.9	79.5	+1,842
Not stated	2,681	9.8	9.0	3,397	13.2	11.8	-716
<b>Total persons aged 15+</b>	<b>27,234</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>25,699</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,535</b>

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

## Unpaid care, 2011

Total persons

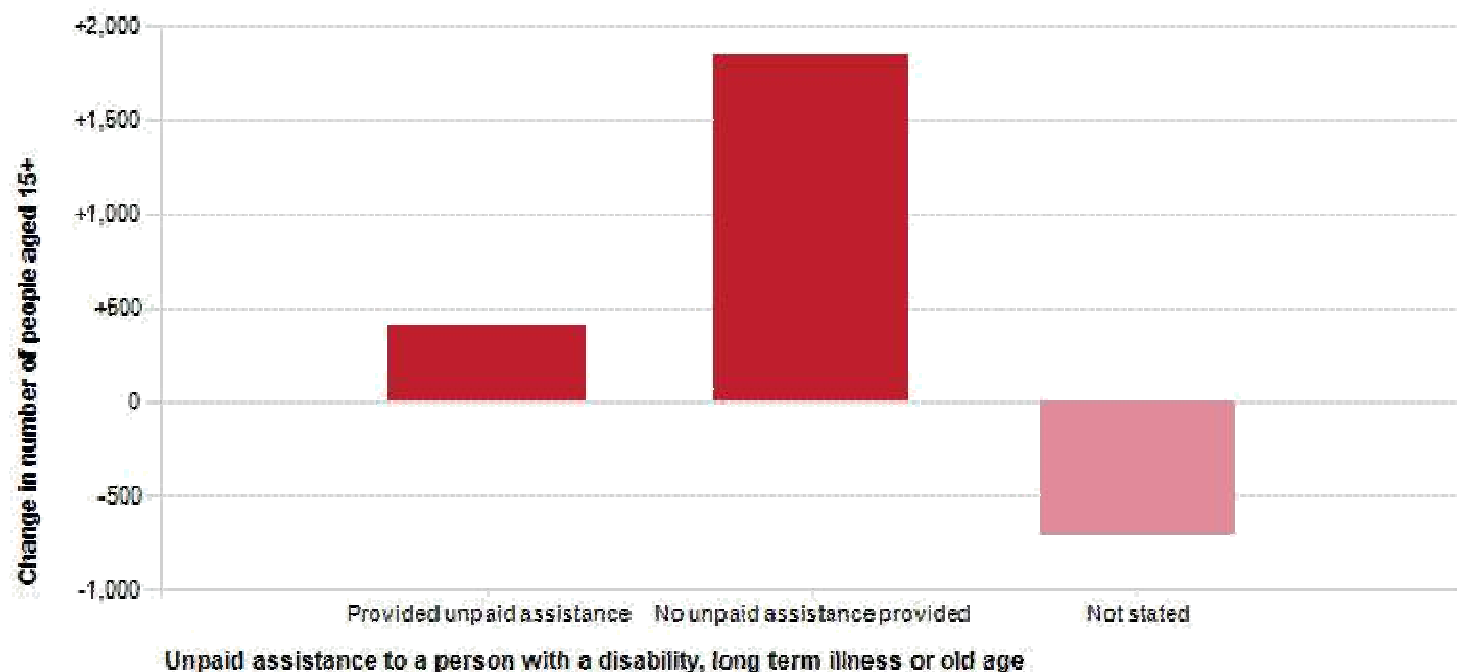
 Marrickville Ward  Inner West Council area



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#), 2011 (Usual residence data)  
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## Change in unpaid care, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



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### Dominant groups

Analysis of the unpaid care provided by the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a similar proportion of people who provided unpaid care either to family members or others.

Overall, 9.9% of the population provided unpaid care, compared with 9.6% for Inner West Council area.

### Emerging groups

The number of people who provided unpaid assistance to a person with a disability, long term illness or old age in Marrickville Ward increased by 409 between 2006 and 2011.

# Marrickville Ward

## Unpaid childcare

The role of unpaid childcare in Marrickville Ward is determined by many different factors. For example areas with high levels of unpaid child care may have a dominance of single income families with one significant earner, or there could be a lack of provision of paid child care in the area. The level to which people care for others children can also indicate the role of extended family (eg. grandparents caring for grandchildren, family day care).

The role of unpaid child care is a complex one so this topic should be viewed in conjunction with several others, including Household Type, Employment, Household Income and Educational Attendance.

## Unpaid childcare

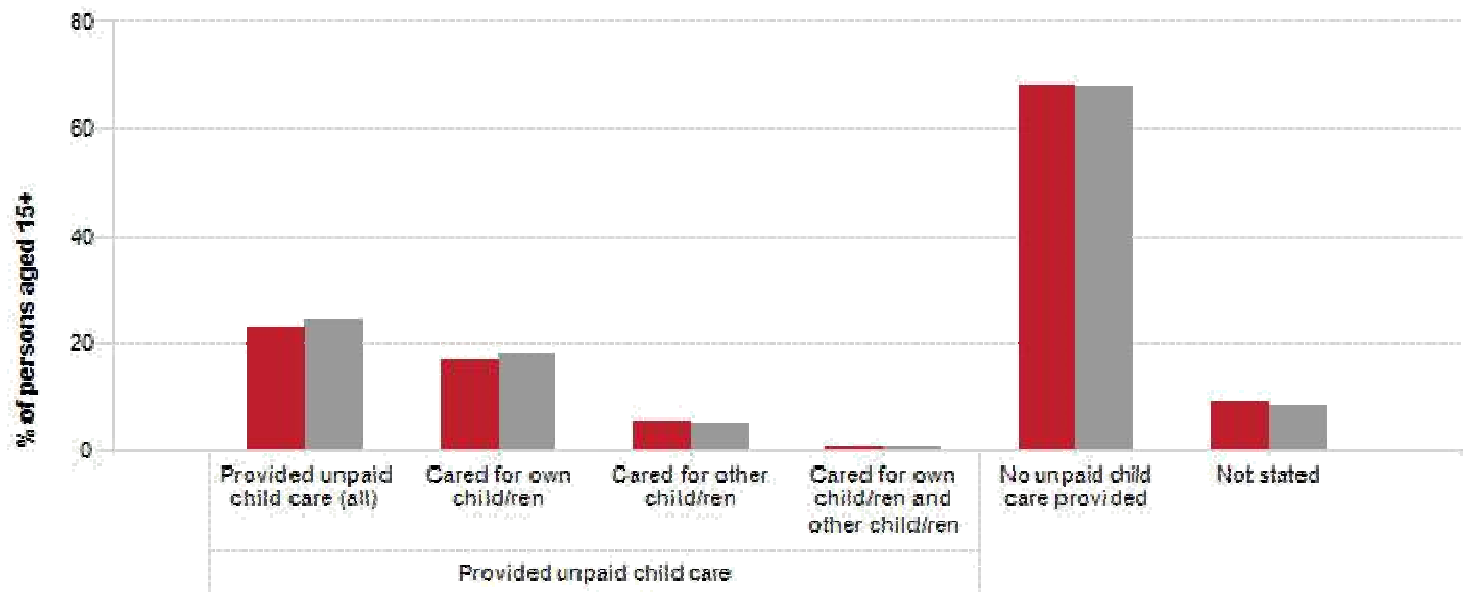
Marrickville Ward - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
<b>Unpaid child care</b>							
<b>a</b> Provided unpaid child care (all)	6,243	22.9	24.0	5,450	21.2	21.8	+792
Cared for own child/ren	4,573	16.8	18.0	3,849	15.0	15.7	+724
Cared for other child/ren	1,478	5.4	5.2	1,430	5.6	5.3	+48
Cared for own child/ren and other child/ren	190	0.7	0.8	170	0.7	0.8	+21
No unpaid child care provided	18,556	68.1	67.7	17,232	67.0	67.3	+1,323
Not stated	2,439	9.0	8.3	3,031	11.8	10.9	-592
<b>Total persons aged 15+</b>	<b>27,239</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>25,715</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+1,524</b>

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# Unpaid childcare, 2011

Total persons

Marrickville Ward Inner West Council area



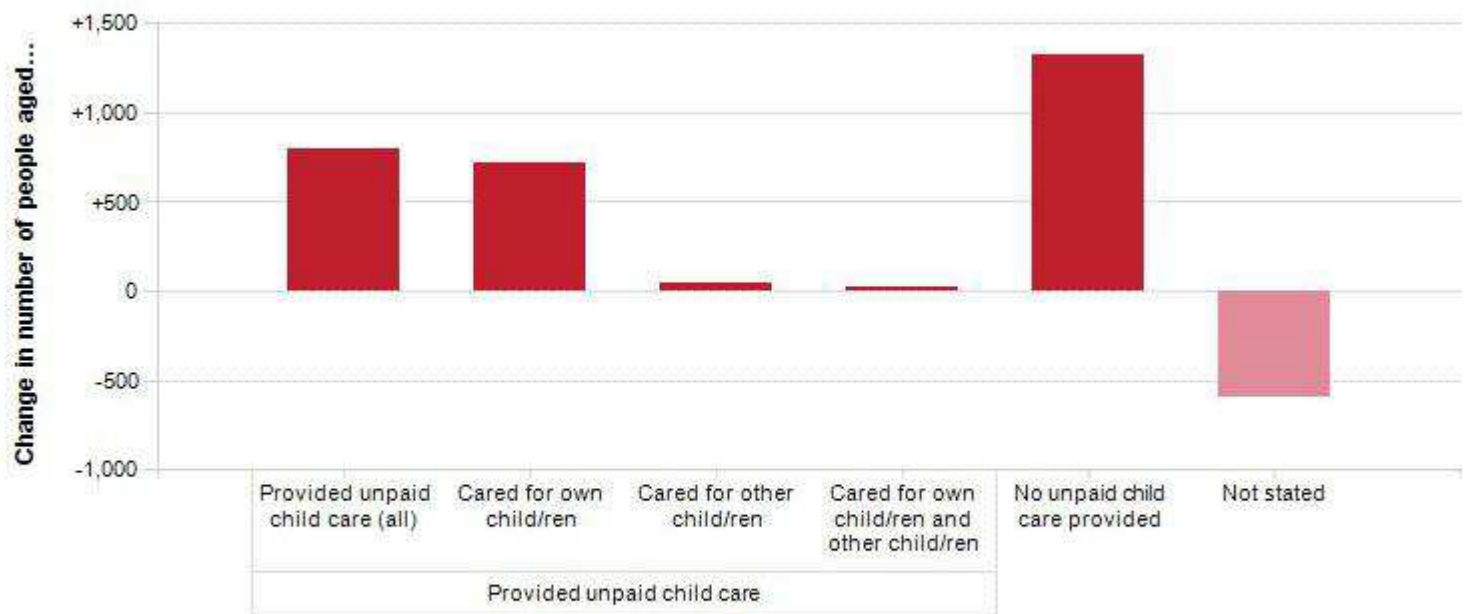
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# Change in unpaid childcare, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward - Total persons



## Unpaid childcare

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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the unpaid child care provided by the population in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of people who provided unpaid child care either to their own or to other children. Overall, 22.9% of the population provided unpaid child care, compared with 24.0% for Inner West Council area.

**The major difference between the share of the population providing unpaid child care in Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area was:**

- A *smaller* percentage who provided unpaid childcare for own child/ren (16.8% compared to 18.0%)

## Emerging groups

The number of people who provided unpaid child care for their own and/or other people's children in Marrickville Ward increased by 793 between 2006 and 2011.

**The largest changes in the number of people performing unpaid child care in Marrickville Ward, between 2006 and 2011 were those who:**

- Provided no unpaid child care (+1,323 persons)
- Cared for their own child/ren (+724 persons)



# Marrickville Ward

## Individual income

Individual Income statistics are an indicator of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as [Household Income](#), [Qualifications](#) and [Occupation](#), they help tell the story of the economic opportunities and socio-economic status of Marrickville Ward. The amount of income an individual receives is linked to a number of factors including [employment status](#), [age](#) (as for instance students and retirees often receive a lower income), qualifications and type of employment.

The incomes presented on this page are for the latest Census year only. For comparison of incomes over time, go to [Individual Income Quartiles](#).

## Weekly individual income

Marrickville Ward - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2011		
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %
Weekly gross income			
Negative Income/ Nil income	1,977	7.3	7.1
\$1-\$199	1,533	5.6	5.0
\$200-\$299	2,905	10.7	8.0
\$300-\$399	2,522	9.3	8.1
\$400-\$599	2,747	10.1	8.6
\$600-\$799	2,594	9.5	8.5
\$800-\$999	2,175	8.0	7.8
\$1000-\$1249	2,290	8.4	8.6
\$1250-\$1499	1,679	6.2	6.9
\$1500-\$1999	2,240	8.2	9.9
\$2000 or more	1,939	7.1	13.0
Not stated	2,610	9.6	8.5
<b>Total persons aged 15+</b>	<b>27,211</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing 2011](#). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#), the population experts.

[e Local labour force individual income by industry](#)

[e Workforce individual income by industry](#)

# Weekly individual income, 2011

Total persons

■ Marrickville Ward ■ Inner West Council area



Weekly gross income

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## Dominant groups

Analysis of individual income levels in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of people earning a high income (those earning \$1,500 per week or more) and a higher proportion of low income people (those earning less than \$400 per week).

Overall, 15.4% of the population earned a high income, and 32.8% earned a low income, compared with 22.8% and 28.2% respectively for Inner West Council area.

The major differences between Marrickville Ward's individual incomes and Inner West Council area's individual incomes were:

- A larger percentage of persons who earned \$200-\$299 (10.7% compared to 8.0%)
- A larger percentage of persons who earned \$400-\$599 (10.1% compared to 8.6%)
- A smaller percentage of persons who earned \$2000 or more (7.1% compared to 13.0%)
- A smaller percentage of persons who earned \$1500-\$1999 (8.2% compared to 9.9%)

# Marrickville Ward

## Individual income quartiles

Marrickville Ward's income statistics are an indicator of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as [Household Income](#), [Qualifications](#) and [Occupation](#), they help tell the story of the area's economic opportunities and socio-economic status. Individual income levels are not comparable over time because of the influences of economic change such as wage level fluctuations and inflation. The income quartile method is the most objective method of comparing change in the income profile of a community over time.

A detailed explanation of how Individual Income quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

## Individual income quartiles

Marrickville Ward - Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)	2011			2006			Change
Quartile group	Number	Inner West Council area		Number	Inner West Council area		2006 to 2011
		%	%		%	%	
Lowest group	5,451	22.2	19.1	5,633	24.5	19.9	-182
Medium lowest	5,705	23.2	19.4	5,376	23.4	19.5	+330
Medium highest	6,154	25.0	23.1	5,721	24.9	23.0	+434
Highest group	7,290	29.6	38.4	6,250	27.2	37.6	+1,040
Total persons aged 15+	24,600	100.0	100.0	22,979	100.0	100.0	+1,622

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

## Individual income - Quartile group dollar ranges

Calculated from income data for New South Wales - Total persons aged 15+

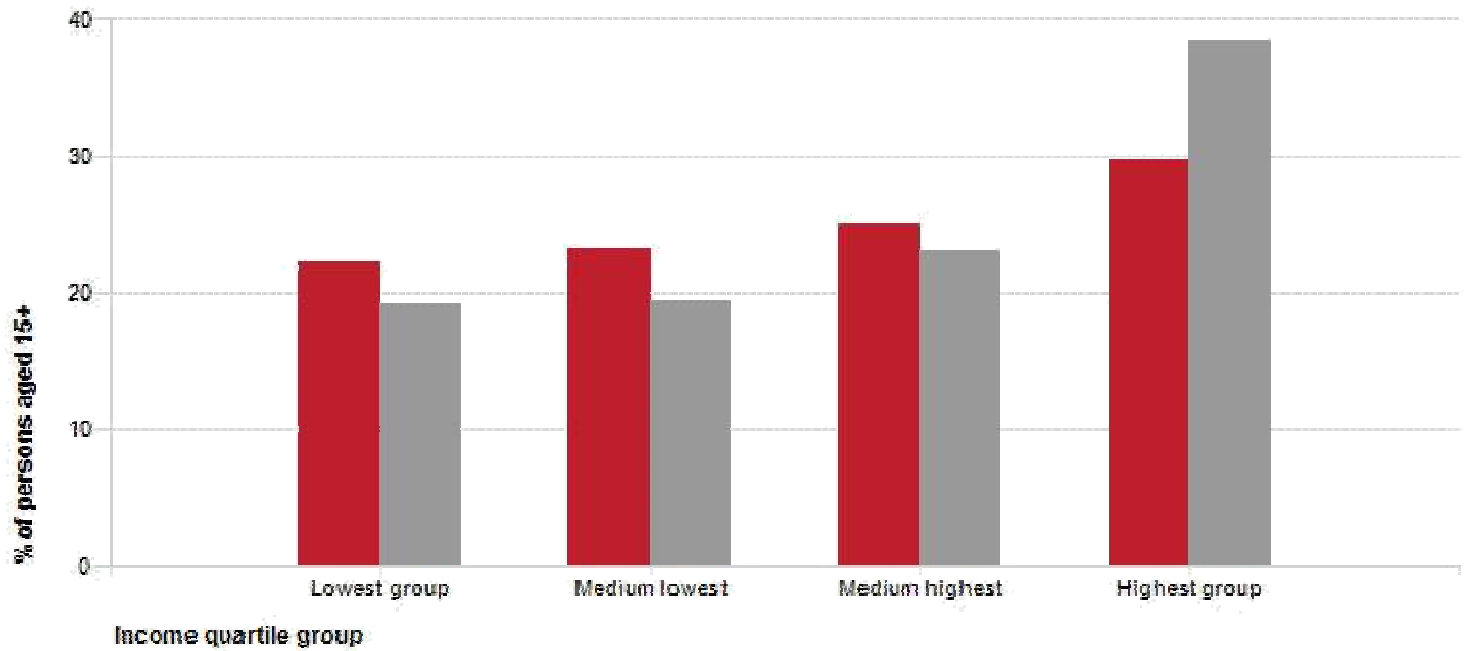
Weekly income by Census year

Individual quartile ranges	2011	2006	2001
Lowest group	\$0 to \$266	\$0 to \$207	\$0 to \$183
Medium lowest	\$267 to \$560	\$208 to \$460	\$184 to \$386
Medium highest	\$561 to \$1,093	\$461 to \$895	\$387 to \$719
Highest group	\$1,094 and over	\$896 and over	\$720 and over

# Individual income quartiles, 2011

Total persons

Marrickville Ward Inner West Council area

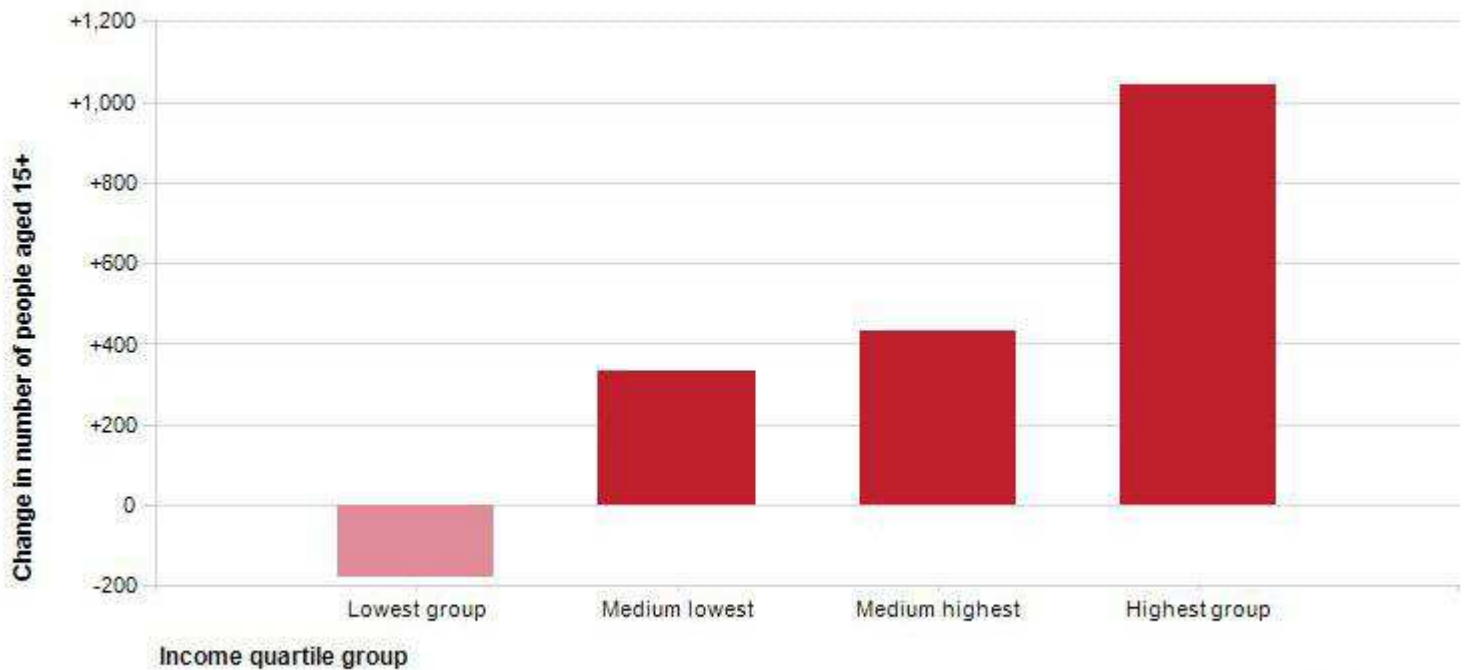


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# Change in individual income quartiles, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Income quartiles allow us to compare relative income-earning capabilities across time. Analysis of the distribution of the population by income quartile in Marrickville Ward compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was lesser proportion of persons in the highest income quartile and a greater proportion in the lowest income quartile.

## Emerging groups

The most significant change in Marrickville Ward in persons between 2006 and 2011 was in the highest quartile which showed an increase of 1,040 persons.

# Marrickville Ward

## Household income

Households form the common 'economic unit' in our society. Marrickville Ward's Household Income is one of the most important indicators of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as [Qualifications](#) and [Occupation](#), it helps to reveal the economic opportunities and socio-economic status of Marrickville Ward. It is important to note that income data is not necessarily a measure of wealth. For example, if an area has a large number of retirees this will produce a higher proportion of households with low income but the retirees may have large capital wealth. For this reason, household income should be viewed in conjunction with [Age](#) and [Household Composition](#).

The incomes presented on this page are for the latest Census year only. For comparison of incomes over time, go to [Household Income Quartiles](#).

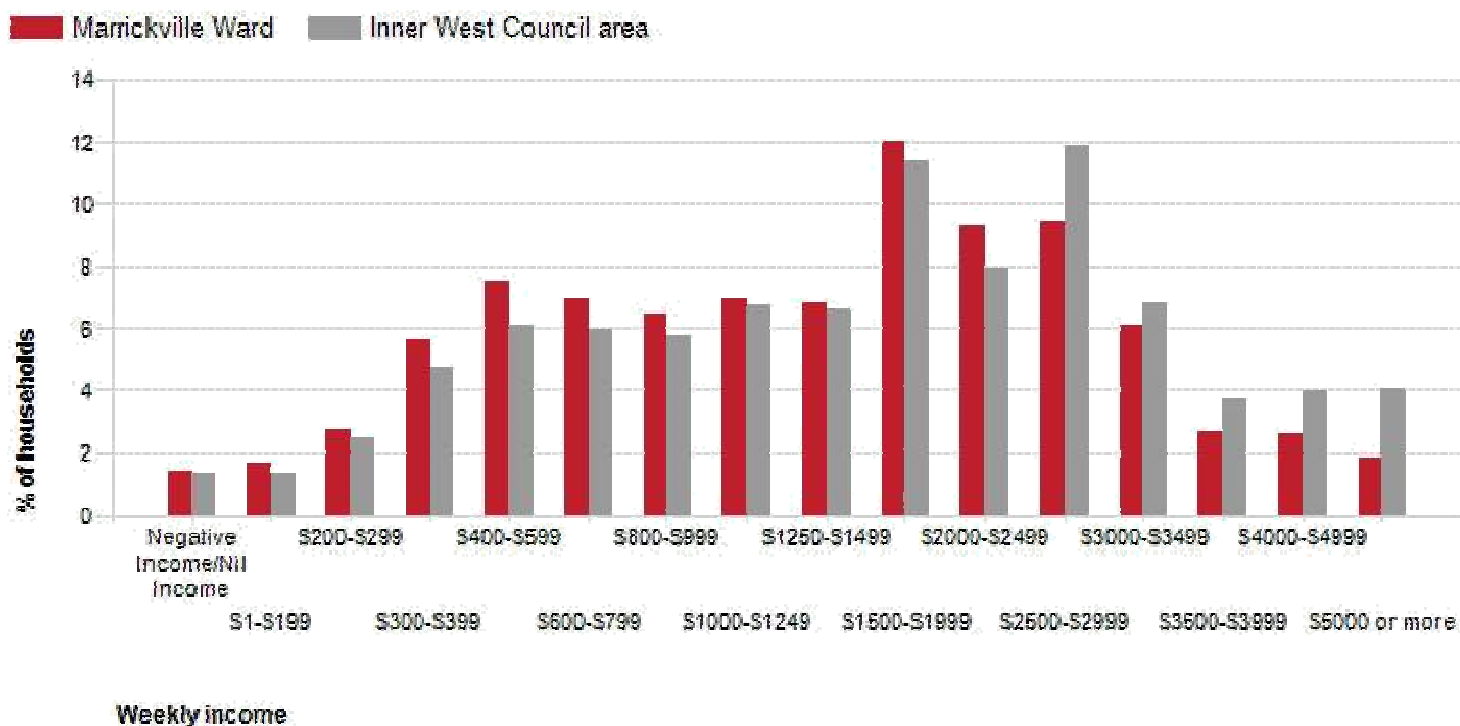
## Weekly household income

Marrickville Ward - Total households (Enumerated)	2011		
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %
Weekly income			
Negative Income/Nil Income	168	1.4	1.3
\$1-\$199	198	1.6	1.3
\$200-\$299	330	2.7	2.5
\$300-\$399	679	5.6	4.7
\$400-\$599	906	7.5	6.1
\$600-\$799	838	7.0	6.0
\$800-\$999	783	6.5	5.8
\$1000-\$1249	834	6.9	6.7
\$1250-\$1499	819	6.8	6.6
\$1500-\$1999	1,448	12.0	11.4
\$2000-\$2499	1,122	9.3	8.0
\$2500-\$2999	1,136	9.4	11.9
\$3000-\$3499	732	6.1	6.8
\$3500-\$3999	324	2.7	3.7
\$4000-\$4999	314	2.6	4.0
\$5000 or more	223	1.9	4.0
Not stated	1,185	9.8	9.3
<b>Total households</b>	<b>12,038</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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- [a Low income households \(less than \\$600 per week\)](#)
- [a High income households \(more than \\$2,500 per week\)](#)
- [a Median household income](#)

# Weekly household income, 2011



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2011 (Enumerated data)  
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## Dominant groups

Analysis of household income levels in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a smaller proportion of high income households (those earning \$2,500 per week or more) and a higher proportion of low income households (those earning less than \$600 per week).

Overall, 22.7% of the households earned a high income and 18.9% were low income households, compared with 30.4% and 15.9% respectively for Inner West Council area.

**The major differences between the household incomes of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of households who earned \$400-\$599 (7.5% compared to 6.1%)
- A *larger* percentage of households who earned \$2000-\$2499 (9.3% compared to 8.0%)
- A *smaller* percentage of households who earned \$2500-\$2999 (9.4% compared to 11.9%)
- A *smaller* percentage of households who earned \$3500-\$3999 (2.7% compared to 3.7%)

# Marrickville Ward

## Household income quartiles

Households form the common 'economic unit' in our society. Household Income is one of the most important indicators of socio-economic status. With other data sources, such as [Qualifications](#) and [Occupation](#), it helps to reveal Marrickville Ward's socio-economic status and economic opportunities. Household income levels are not comparable over time because of the influences of economic change such as wage level fluctuations and inflation. The income quartile method is a powerful and objective way of looking at income data and in particular, how it is changing.

A detailed explanation of how Household Income quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

## Household income quartiles

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011			2006			Change
Quartile group	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	% 2006 to 2011
Lowest group	2,343	21.6	18.0	2,326	23.1	18.6	+17
Medium lowest	2,339	21.6	19.4	2,412	24.0	21.3	-73
Medium highest	2,933	27.0	25.1	2,546	25.3	23.8	+387
Highest group	3,237	29.8	37.5	2,785	27.7	36.3	+452
<b>Total Households</b>	<b>10,853</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>10,070</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+783</b>

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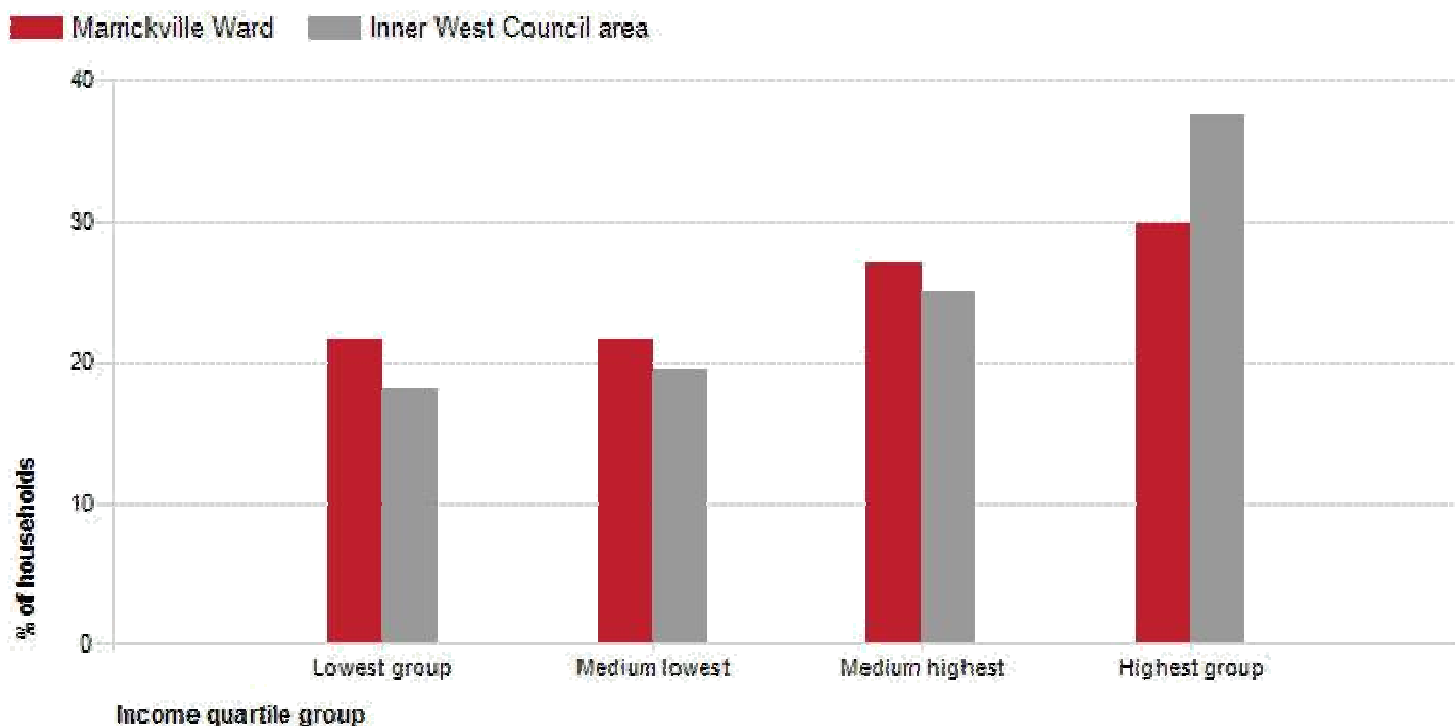
## Household income - Quartile group dollar ranges

Calculated from income data for New South Wales Weekly income by Census year

Household income ranges	2011	2006	2001	1996	1991
Lowest group	\$0 to \$614	\$0 to \$530	\$0 to \$418	\$0 to \$337	\$0 to \$302
Medium lowest	\$615 to \$1,233	\$531 to \$1,034	\$419 to \$828	\$338 to \$652	\$303 to \$582
Medium highest	\$1,234 to \$2,272	\$1,035 to \$1,788	\$829 to \$1,462	\$653 to \$1,146	\$583 to \$975
Highest group	\$2,273 and over	\$1,789 and over	\$1,463 and over	\$1,147 and over	\$976 and over



## Household income quartiles, 2011

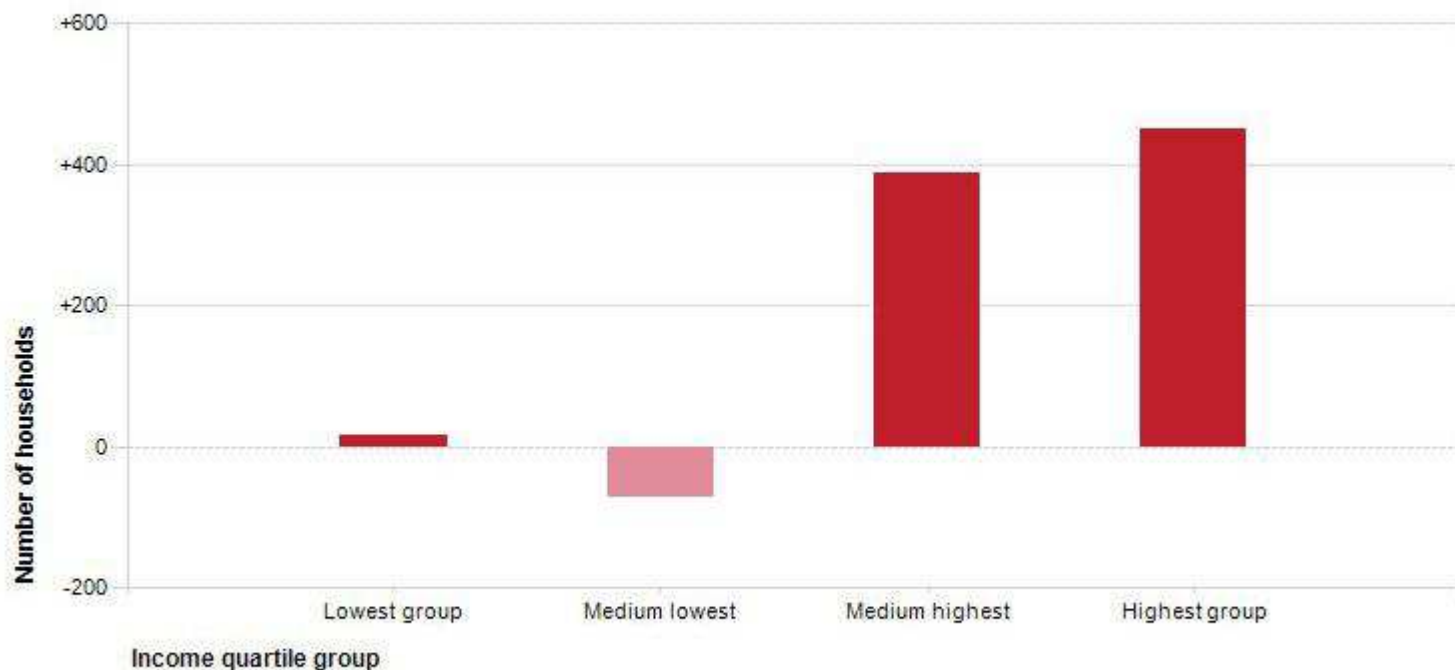


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## Change in household income quartile, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Income quartiles allow us to compare relative income-earning capabilities across time. Analysis of the distribution of households by income quartile in Marrickville Ward compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was lesser proportion of households in the highest income quartile and a greater proportion in the lowest income quartile.

## Emerging groups

The most significant change in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 was in the highest quartile which showed an increase of 452 households.

# Marrickville Ward

## Equivalent household income

While **Household Income** is a useful measure, it is difficult to tell if changes over time and between geographic areas are due to actual changes in income levels, or due to changes in household size and composition. For example, an increase in lower income households could be due to job losses in key economic sectors, or simply due to decreasing household size as adult children leave home.

Equivalent Household Income puts all households on an equal footing independent of household size and composition to enable a true comparison between areas and over time. It is an indicator of the income resource available to a household of standard size and is the best measure of the changing economic fortunes of households living in Marrickville Ward.

A detailed explanation of how Equivalent Household Income quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

## Equivalent household income quartiles

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011			2006			Change
Quartile group	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	% 2006 to 2011
Lowest group	2,339	21.7	16.8	2,335	23.4	17.6	+4
Medium lowest	2,134	19.8	16.6	2,140	21.4	17.1	-6
Medium highest	2,629	24.4	23.2	2,439	24.4	22.7	+190
Highest group	3,673	34.1	43.4	3,069	30.7	42.6	+604
<b>Total Households</b>	<b>10,775</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9,982</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+792</b>

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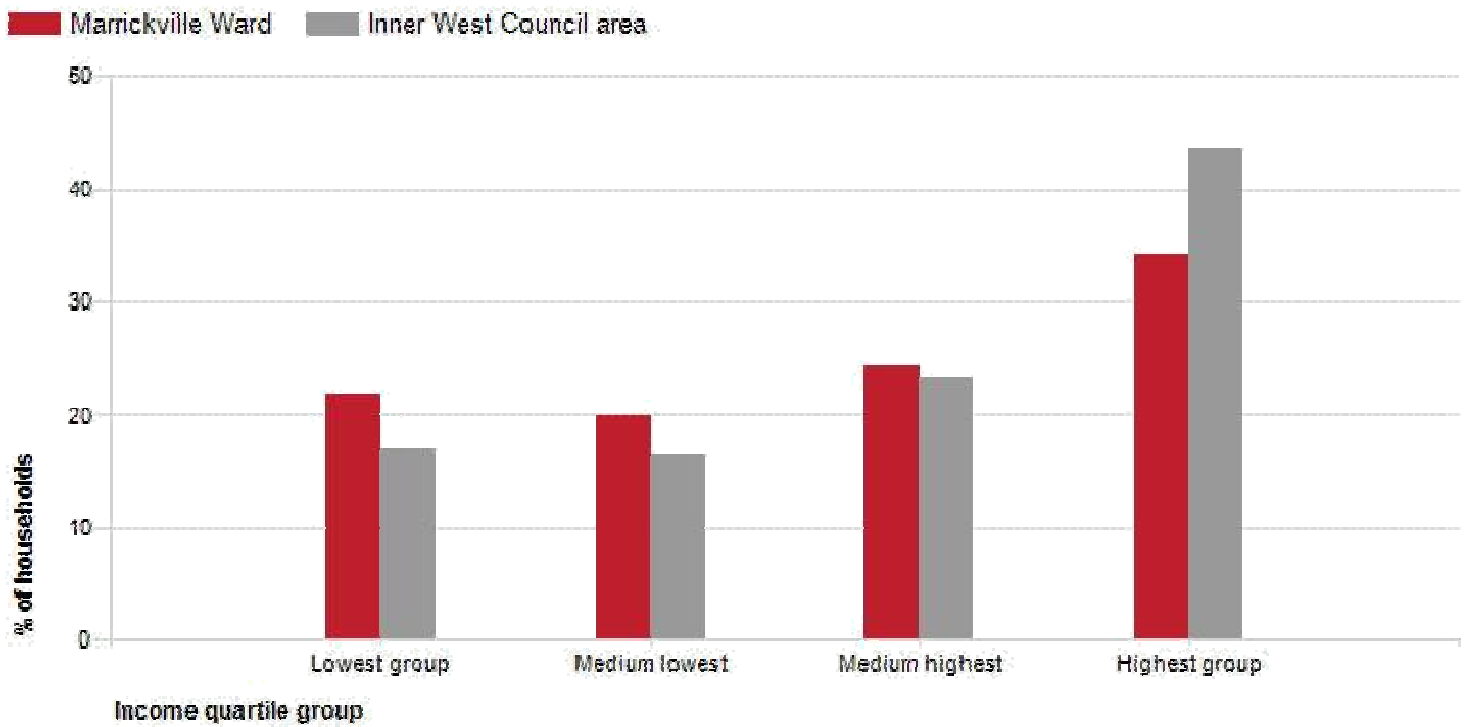
## Equivalent household income - Quartile group dollar ranges

Calculated from income data for New South Wales

Weekly income by Census year

Equivalent household income ranges	2011	2006	2001
Lowest group	\$0 to \$421	\$0 to \$347	\$0 to \$284
Medium lowest	\$422 to \$756	\$348 to \$608	\$285 to \$500
Medium highest	\$757 to \$1,243	\$609 to \$1,022	\$501 to \$823
Highest group	\$1,244 and over	\$1,023 and over	\$824 and over

## Equivalised household income quartiles, 2011

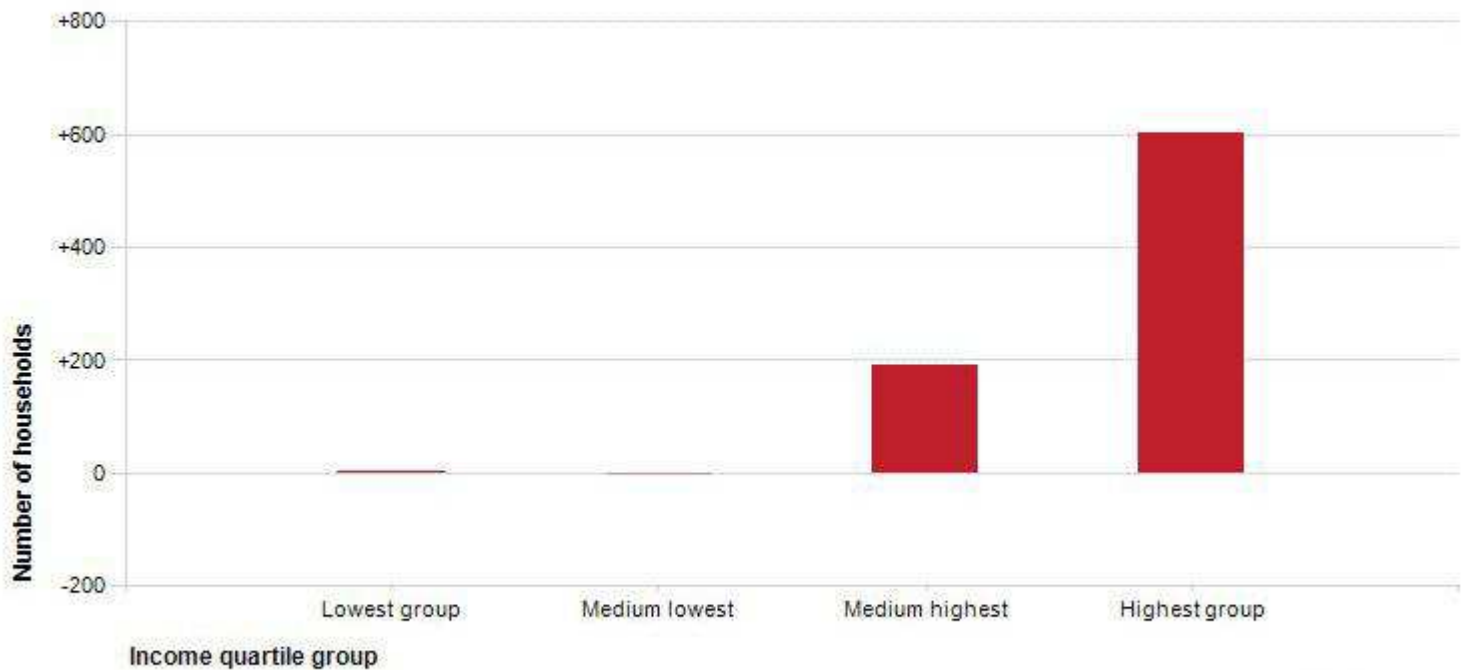


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## Change in equivalised household income quartiles, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Equivalised income quartiles allow us to compare relative income-earning capabilities across time. Because the data is equivalised, households of different size and composition are placed on an equal footing.

Analysis of the distribution of households by income quartile in Marrickville Ward compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lesser proportion of households in the highest equivalised income quartile, and a greater proportion in the lowest equivalised income quartile.

## Emerging groups

The most significant change in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 was in the highest quartile which showed an increase of 604 households.

# Marrickville Ward

## Household type

Marrickville Ward's household and family structure is one of the most important demographic indicators. It reveals the area's residential role and function, era of settlement and provides key insights into the level of demand for services and facilities as most are related to age and household types.

To continue building the story, Marrickville Ward's Household Summary should be viewed in conjunction with [Households with Children](#), [Households without Children](#), [Household Size](#), [Age Structure](#) and [Dwelling Type](#).

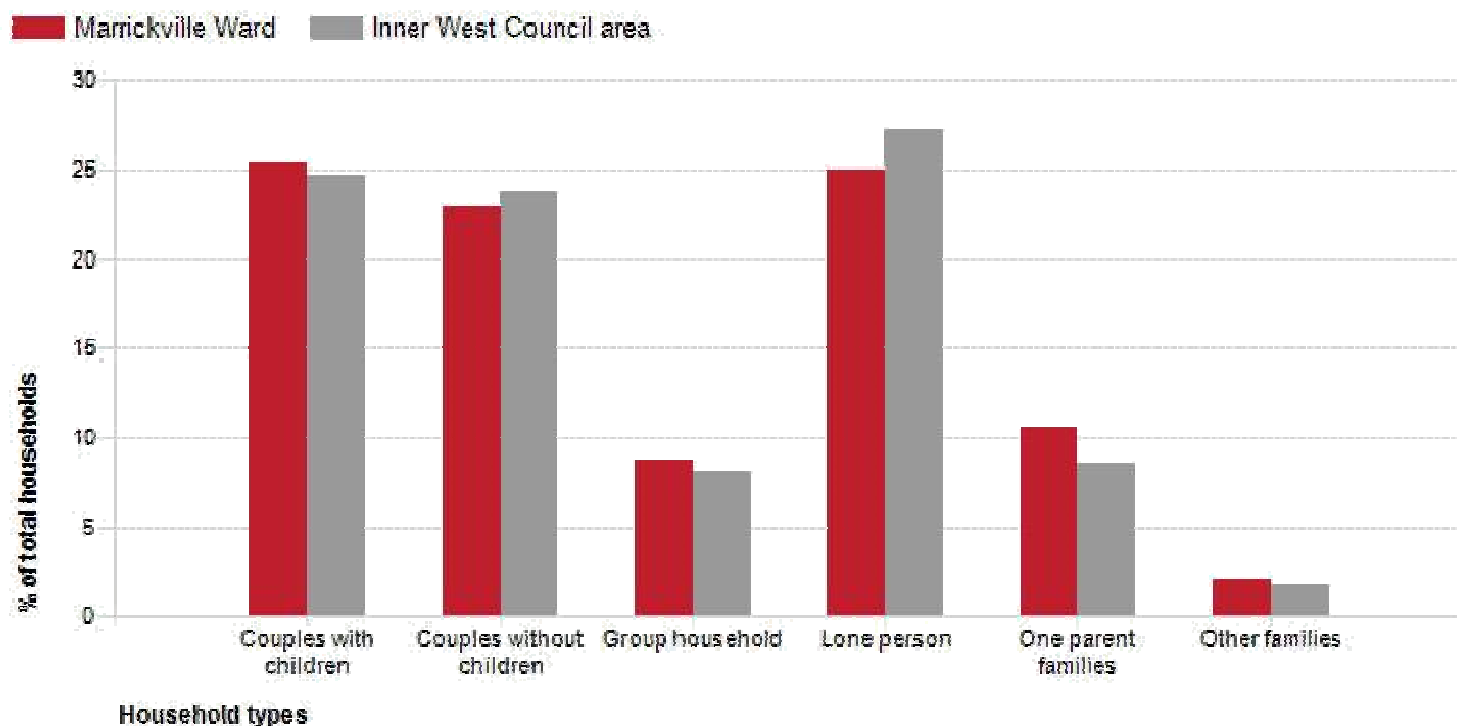
## Household type

Marrickville Ward - Total households (Enumerated)	2011			2006			Change
Households by type	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
<b>a</b> Couples with children	3,217	25.4	24.7	3,030	25.0	22.6	+187
Couples without children	2,900	22.9	23.8	2,636	21.8	23.2	+264
Other not classifiable household	604	4.8	5.1	734	6.1	7.1	-131
Visitor only households	89	0.7	0.9	102	0.8	1.0	-13
<b>a</b> Group household	1,112	8.8	8.1	893	7.4	7.8	+219
Lone person	3,166	25.0	27.3	3,112	25.7	28.1	+54
<b>a</b> One parent families	1,344	10.6	8.5	1,358	11.2	8.5	-13
Other families	255	2.0	1.7	229	1.9	1.8	+25
<b>Total households</b>	<b>12,689</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,098</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+592</b>

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

- a** [One parent families with dependent children](#)
- a** [Couple families with dependent children](#)
- a** [Young couples \(aged 15-44 years\) without children](#)
- a** [Older couples \(65 years and over\) without children](#)
- a** [Young lone person households \(aged 15-44 years\)](#)
- a** [Older lone person households \(aged 65 years and over\)](#)
- a** [Average household size](#)

## Household type, 2011

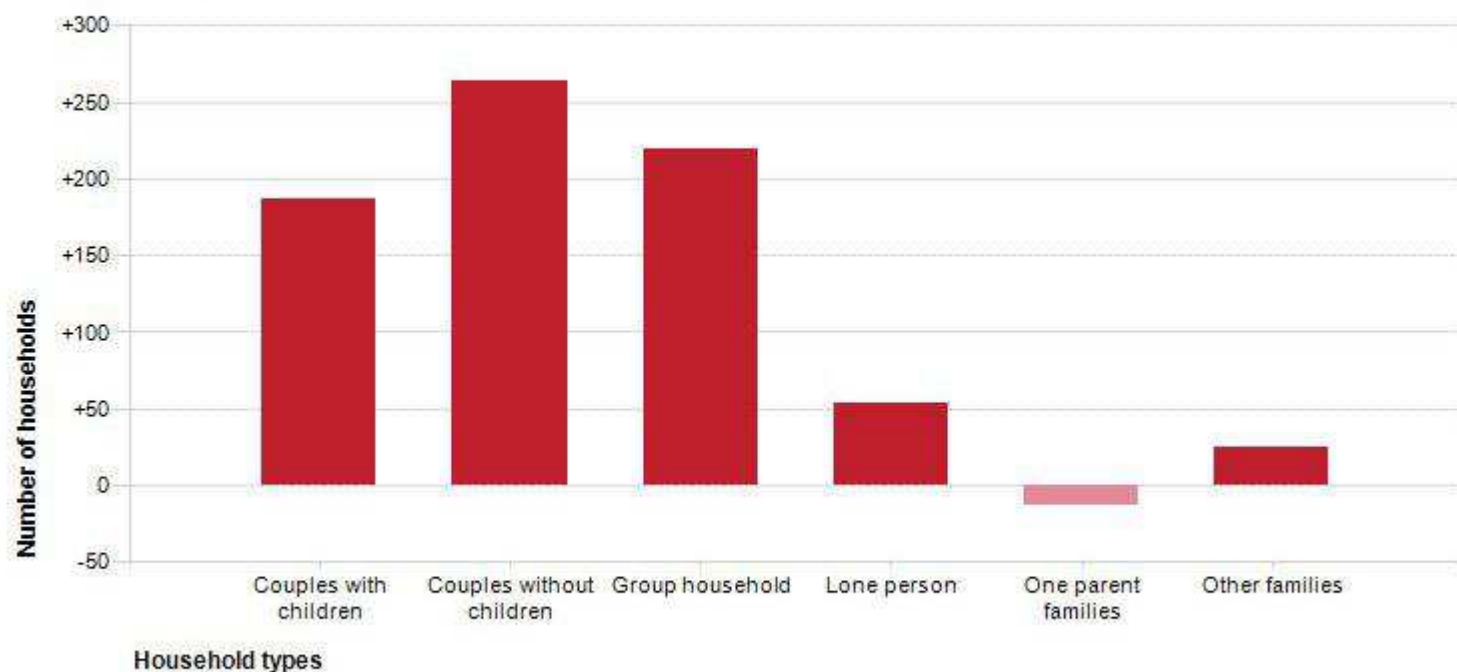


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## Change in household type, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the household/family types in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a higher proportion of couple families with child(ren) as well as a higher proportion of one-parent families. Overall, 25.4% of total families were couple families with child(ren), and 10.6% were one-parent families, compared with 24.7% and 8.5% respectively for Inner West Council area.

There were a lower proportion of lone person households and a lower proportion of couples without children. Overall, the proportion of lone person households was 25.0% compared to 27.3% in Inner West Council area while the proportion of couples without children was 22.9% compared to 23.8% in Inner West Council area.

## Emerging groups

The number of households in Marrickville Ward increased by 591 between 2006 and 2011.

**The largest changes in family/household types in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- Couples without children (+264 households)
- Group household (+219 households) Couples
- with children (+187 households) Lone person
- (+54 households)



# Marrickville Ward

## Households with children

Households with Children require different services and facilities than other household types, and their needs change as both adults and children age. When many families in an area are at the same stage in their individual lifecycles, it creates a suburb lifecycle. Knowing where a suburb is in a cycle of change helps planners make evidence-based decisions about the demand for services both now and in the future.

For Households with Children in Marrickville Ward, life stage is based on the age of children in the household. The age of the parent(s) is not taken into account.

- **Young children:** Children aged under 15 only
- **Mixed age children:** One or more children under 15 and one or more children over 15 (must have 2 or more children)
- **Older children:** Children aged 15 and over only

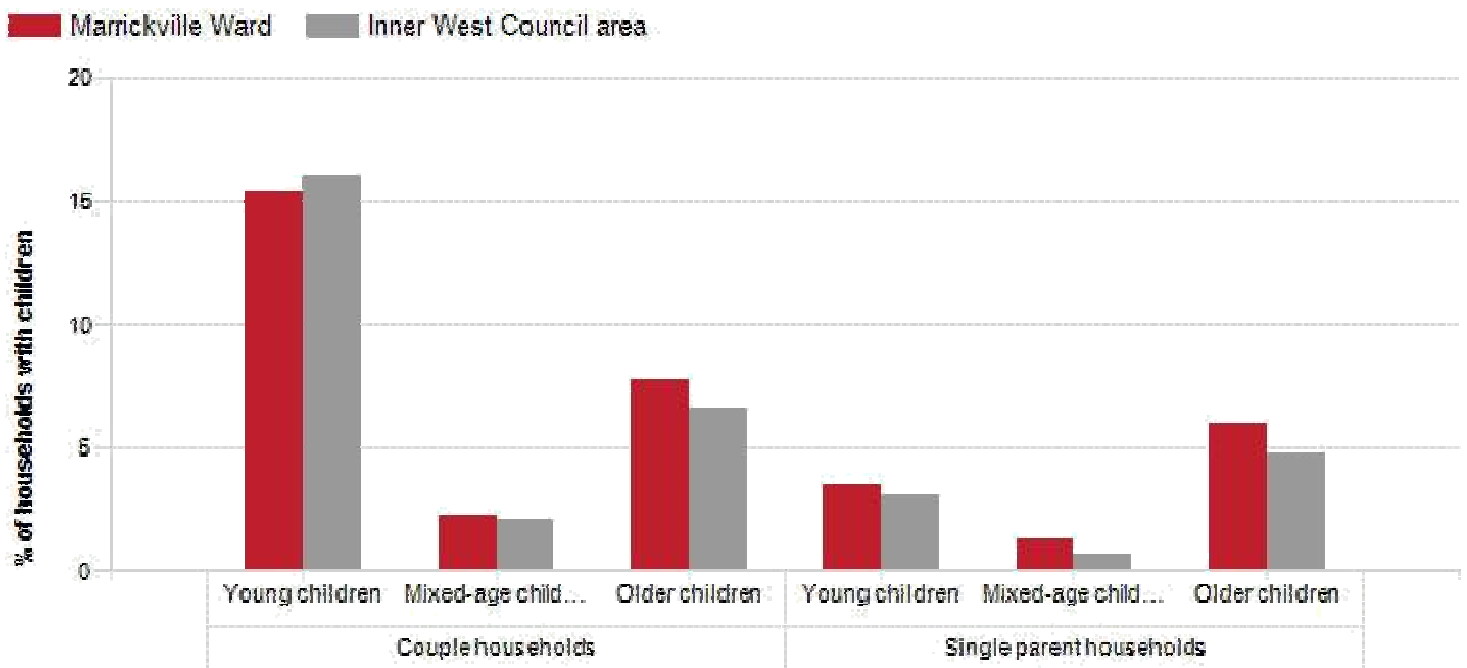
To continue building the story, Marrickville Ward's Household data should be viewed in conjunction with [Household Size](#), [Age Structure](#) and [Dwelling Type](#).

## Households with children by life stage

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011		2006		Change		
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	% 2006 to 2011
<b>a</b> Households with children							
<b>a</b> Couples with children	3,217	25.4	24.7	3,030	25.0	22.6	+187
▪ <b>a</b> Couples with young children	1,957	15.4	16.0	1,594	13.2	13.5	+363
▪ Couples with mixed-age children	277	2.2	2.0	339	2.8	2.3	-62
▪ Couples with older children	981	7.7	6.6	1,095	9.1	6.8	-114
<b>a</b> Single parents with children	1,344	10.6	8.5	1,358	11.2	8.5	-13
▪ <b>a</b> Single parents with young children	433	3.4	3.0	532	4.4	3.3	-98
▪ Single parents with mixed-age children	154	1.2	0.7	183	1.5	0.7	-29
▪ Single parents with older children	756	6.0	4.8	642	5.3	4.5	+114
Total households with children	4,562	36.0	33.1	4,388	36.3	31.1	+173
Total households	12,689	100.0	100.0	12,098	100.0	100.0	+592

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

## Households with children, 2011



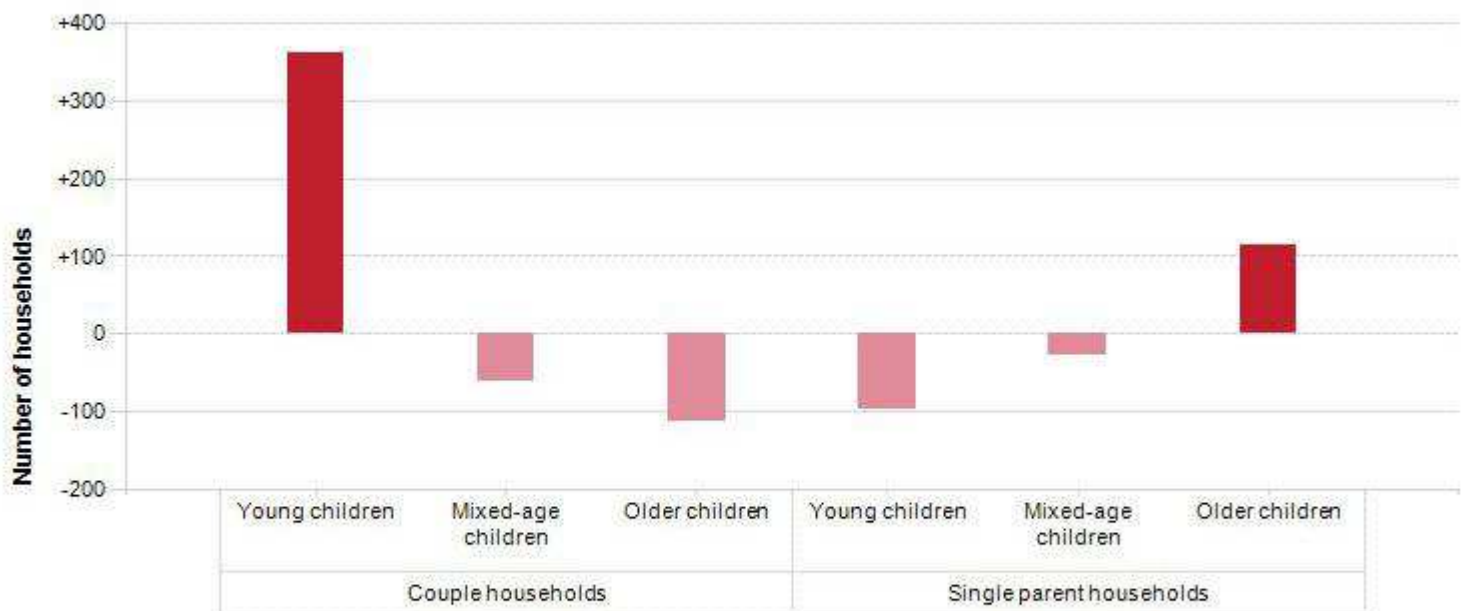
Household type and life stage of children

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## Change in households with children, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



Household type and life stage of children

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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the families with children in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a smaller proportion of couples with young children, and a larger proportion of couples with older children. Overall, 15.4% of total households with children were couple with young children, and 7.7% were couples with older children, compared with 16.0% and 6.6% respectively for Inner West Council area.

There were a similar proportion of single parent households with young children and a larger proportion of single parent households with older children. Overall, the proportion of single parent households with young children was 3.4% compared to 3.0% in Inner West Council area while the proportion of single parent households with older children was 6.0% compared to 4.8% in Inner West Council area.

## Emerging groups

Between 2006 and 2011, the number of households with children increased by 174 households or 4.0%.

**The largest changes in households with children in this area between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- Couples with young children (+363 households)
- Couples with older children (-114 households)
- Single parents with older children (+114 households)
- Single parents with young children (-98 households)

# Marrickville Ward

## Households without children

Households without Children include couples without children and lone person households. They require different services depending on the age of the people in the households. For example young couples who have not had children (yet) compared to older "empty nester" couples whose children may have left home.

For Households without Children in Marrickville Ward, life stage is based on the age of the household reference person (usually person 1 on the Census form):

- **Young:** Aged 15-44
- **Middle-aged:** Aged 45-64
- **Older:** Aged 65 and over

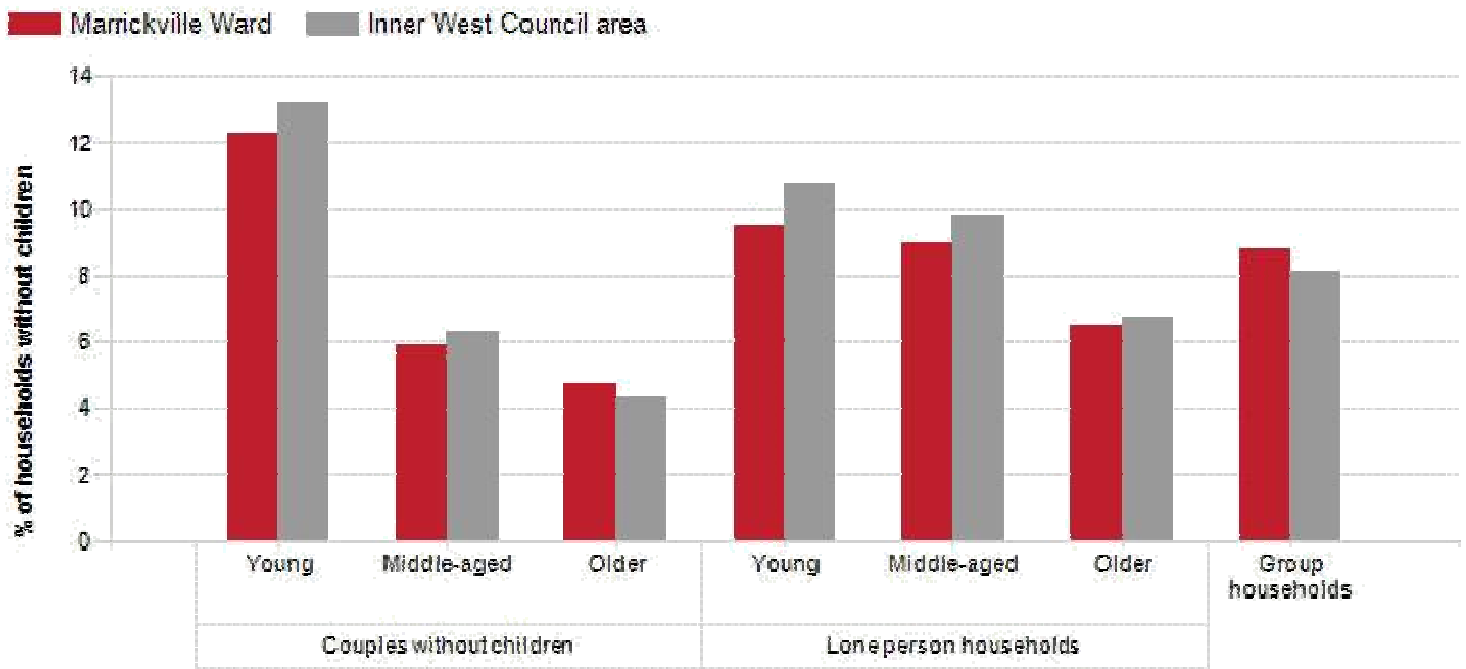
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## Households without children by life stage

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011		2006		Change
	Number	%	Number	%	
<b>Households without children</b>					
<b>a</b> Couples without children	2,900	22.9	2,636	21.8	+264
▪ <b>a</b> Young couples without children	1,554	12.2	1,441	11.9	+112
▪ Middle-aged couples without children	749	5.9	636	5.3	+112
▪ <b>a</b> Older couples without children	597	4.7	557	4.6	+39
<b>a</b> Lone person households	3,166	25.0	3,112	25.7	+54
▪ <b>a</b> Young lone persons	1,202	9.5	1,271	10.5	-68
▪ Middle-aged lone persons	1,138	9.0	1,094	9.1	+43
▪ <b>a</b> Older lone persons	825	6.5	746	6.2	+78
<b>a</b> Group households	1,112	8.8	893	7.4	+219
<b>Total households without children</b>	<b>7,179</b>	<b>56.6</b>	<b>6,642</b>	<b>54.9</b>	<b>+537</b>
<b>Total households</b>	<b>12,689</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,098</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+592</b>

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# Households without children, 2011



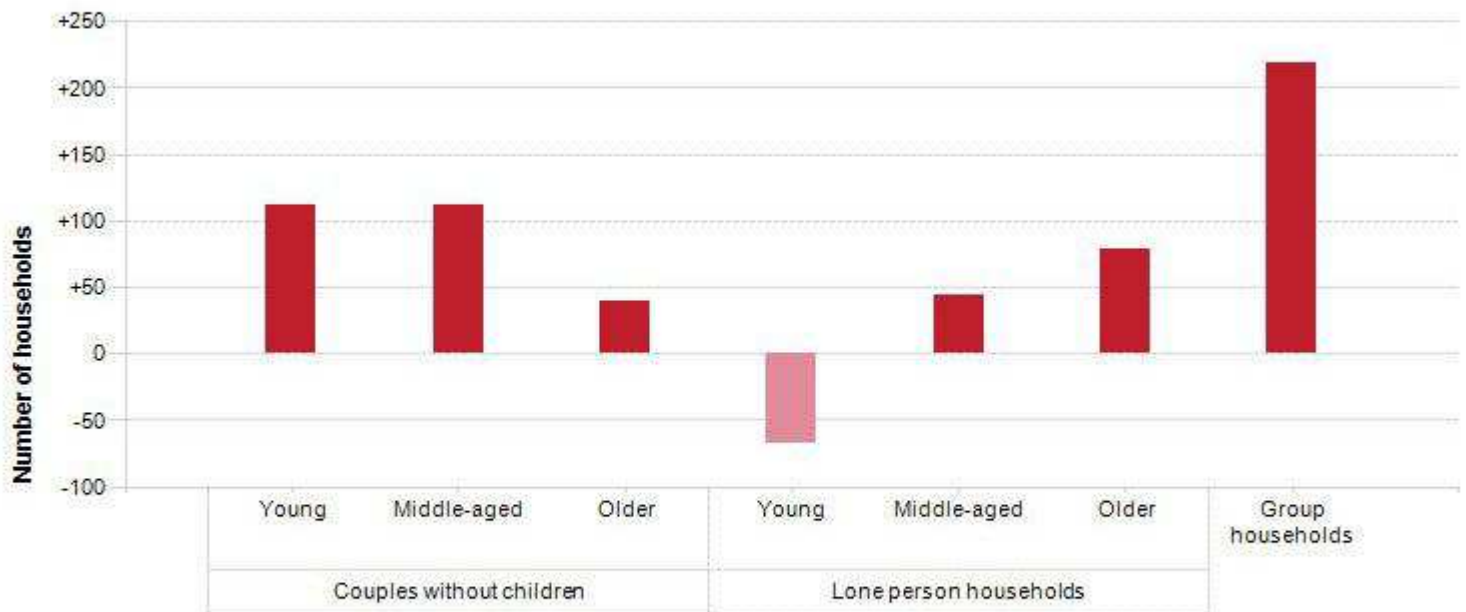
Household type and life stage

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# Change in households without children, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



Household type and life stage

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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the households without children in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a smaller proportion of young couples without children, a similar proportion of middle-aged couples without children, and a similar proportion of older couples without children.

In addition, there were a smaller proportion of young lone person households, a smaller proportion of middle-aged lone person households, and a similar proportion of older lone person households.

## Emerging groups

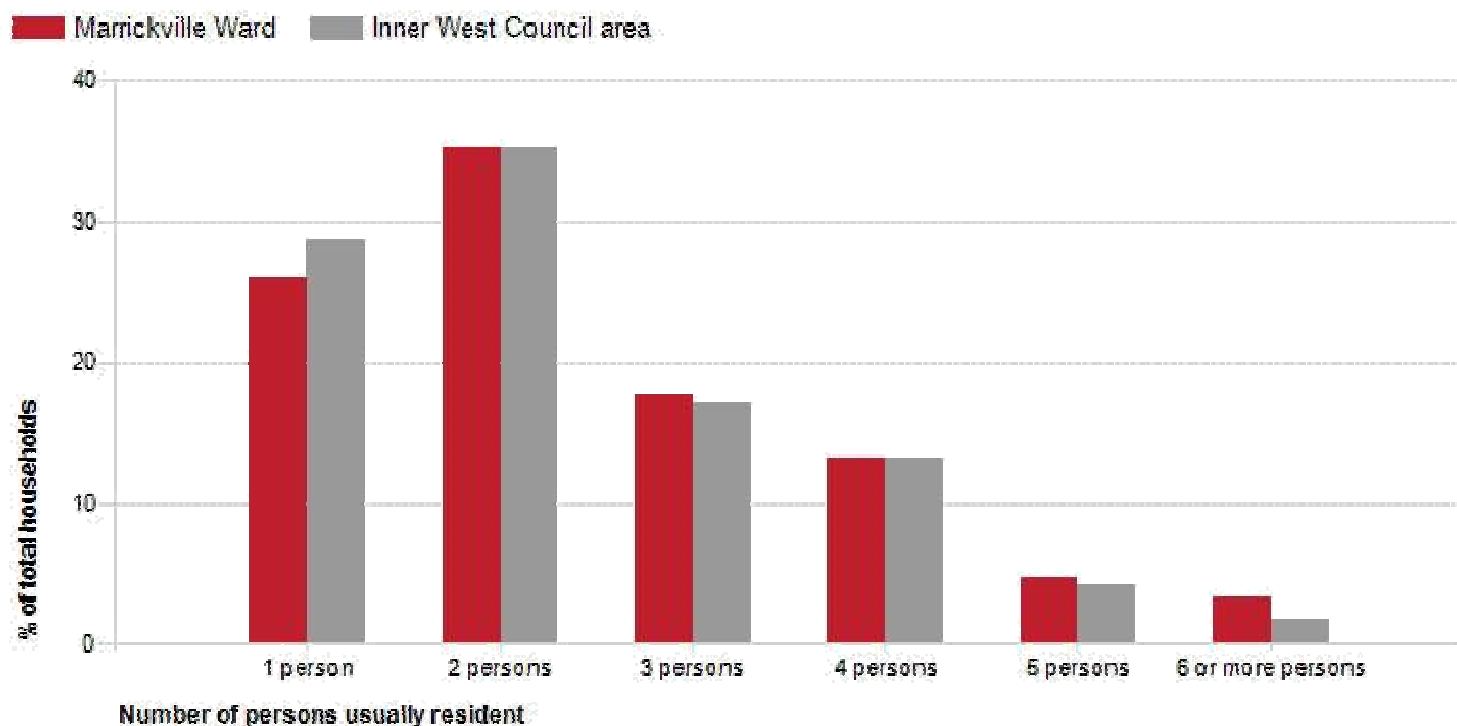
Between 2006 and 2011, the number of households without children increased by 537.

**The largest changes in households without children in Marrickville Ward, between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- Group households (+219 persons)
- Young couples without children (+112 persons)
- Middle-aged couples without children (+112 persons)
- Older lone persons (+78 persons)



## Household size, 2011

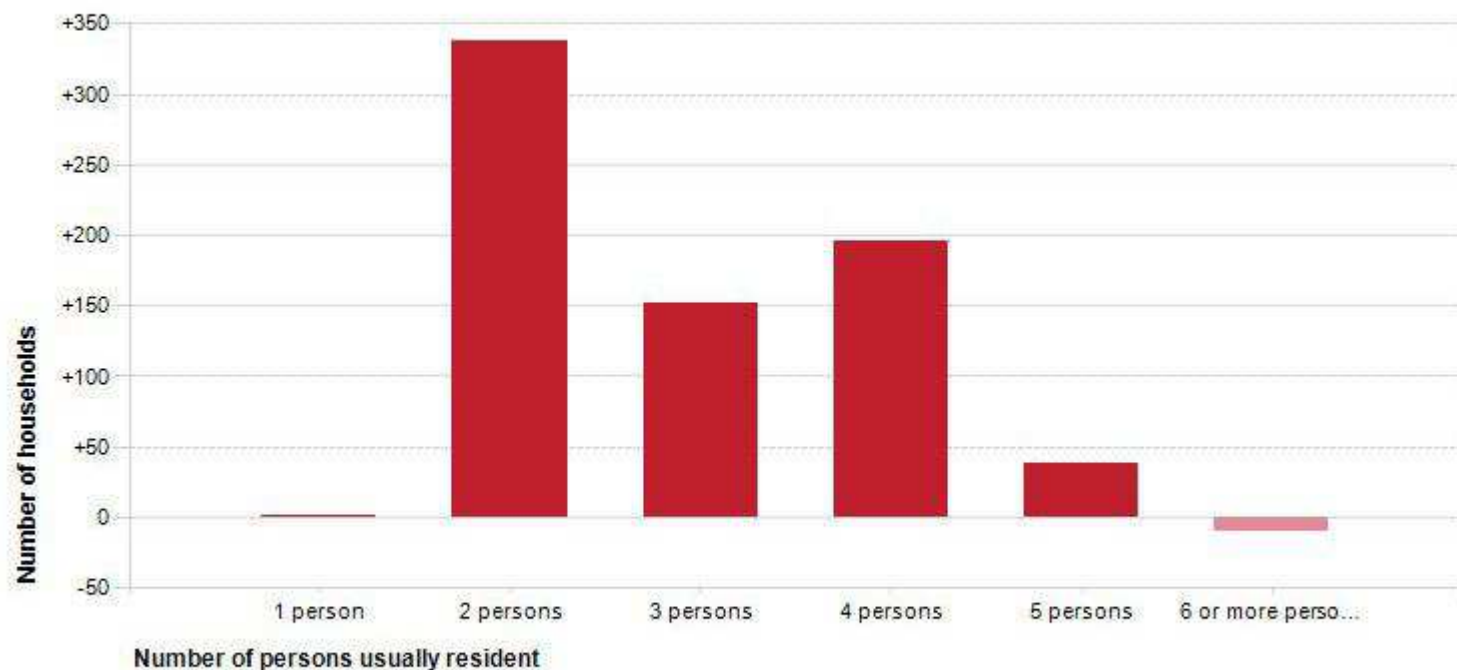


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## Change in household size, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the number of persons usually resident in a household in Marrickville Ward compared with Inner West Council area shows that there were a lower proportion of lone person households, and a higher proportion of larger households (those with 4 persons or more). Overall there were 26.0% of lone person households, and 21.2% of larger households, compared with 28.7% and 19.0% respectively for Inner West Council area.

**The major differences in the household size for Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of households with 6 or more persons usually resident (3.2% compared to 1.7%)
- *smaller* percentage of households with 1 person usually resident (26.0% compared to 28.7%)

## Emerging groups

The number of households in Marrickville Ward increased by 714 between 2006 and 2011.

**The largest changes in the number of persons usually resident in a household in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- 2 persons (+338 households)
- 4 persons (+195 households)
- 3 persons (+152 households)

# Marrickville Ward

## Dwelling type

Dwelling Type is an important determinant of Marrickville Ward's residential role and function. A greater concentration of higher density dwellings is likely to attract more young adults and smaller households, often renting. Larger, detached or separate dwellings are more likely to attract families and prospective families. The residential built form often reflects market opportunities or planning policy, such as building denser forms of housing around public transport nodes or employment centres.

Dwelling Type statistics should be viewed in conjunction with [Household Size](#), [Household Types](#), [Housing Tenure](#) and [Age Structure](#) for a more complete picture of the housing market in Marrickville Ward.

## Dwelling structure

Marrickville Ward - Dwellings (Enumerated)	2011			2006			Change
Dwelling type	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	% 2006 to 2011
Separate house	5,611	41.3	34.0	5,758	44.4	35.7	-147
<a href="#">a</a> Medium density	4,892	36.0	41.4	4,438	34.2	40.6	+454
<a href="#">a</a> High density	2,904	21.4	23.2	2,629	20.3	22.2	+275
Caravans, cabin, houseboat	3	0.0	0.0	6	0.0	0.0	-3
Other	143	1.1	1.3	120	0.9	1.4	+23
Not stated	31	0.2	0.2	10	0.1	0.1	+22
<b>Total Private Dwellings</b>	<b>13,585</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,962</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+623</b>

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2006 and 2011. Compiled and presented by [.id](#), the population experts.

## Dwelling type

Marrickville Ward	2011			2006			Change
Dwelling type	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	% 2006 to 2011
Occupied private dwellings	12,694	93.0	92.6	12,099	92.9	92.3	+595
Unoccupied private dwellings	898	6.6	7.1	871	6.7	7.4	+27
Non private dwellings	55	0.4	0.3	54	0.4	0.4	+1
<b>Total dwellings</b>	<b>13,647</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>13,024</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+623</b>

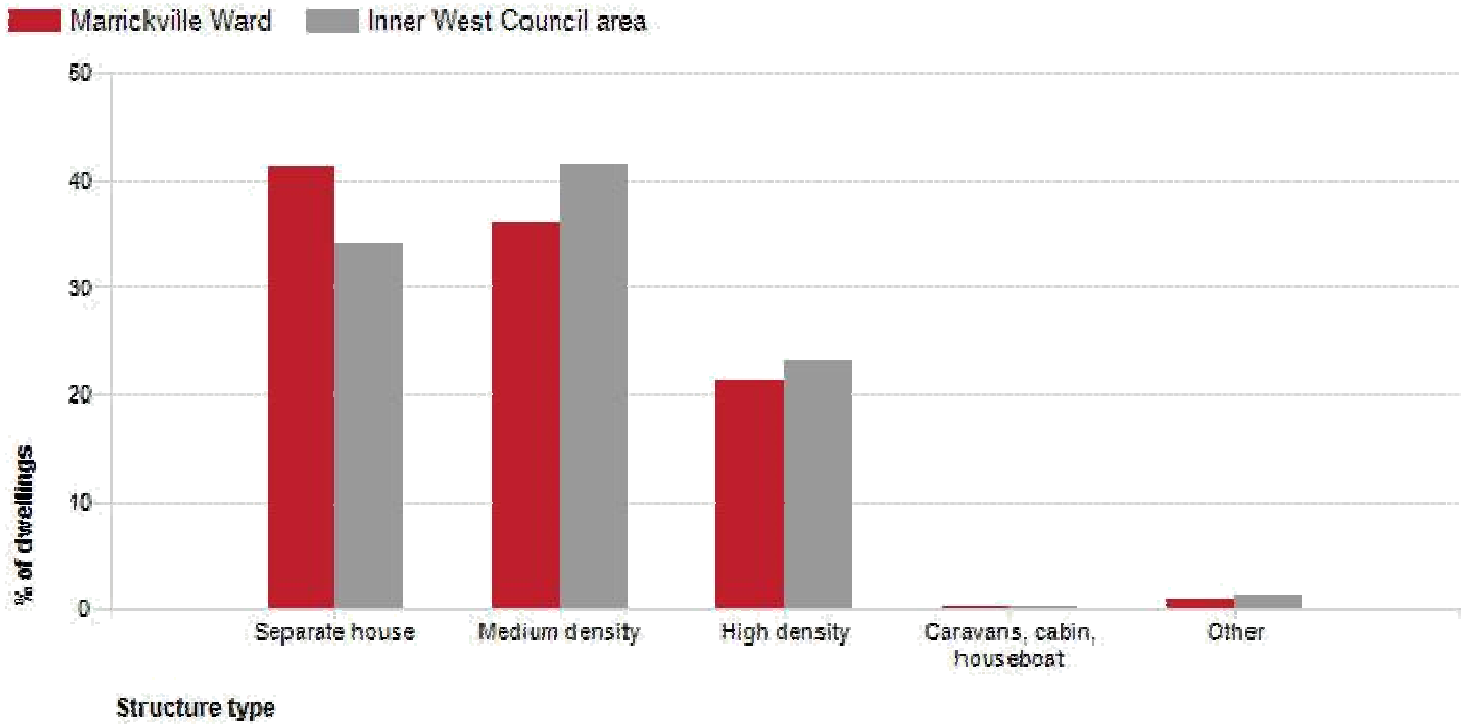
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[a](#) [Dominant dwelling structure](#)

## Dwelling structure, 2011

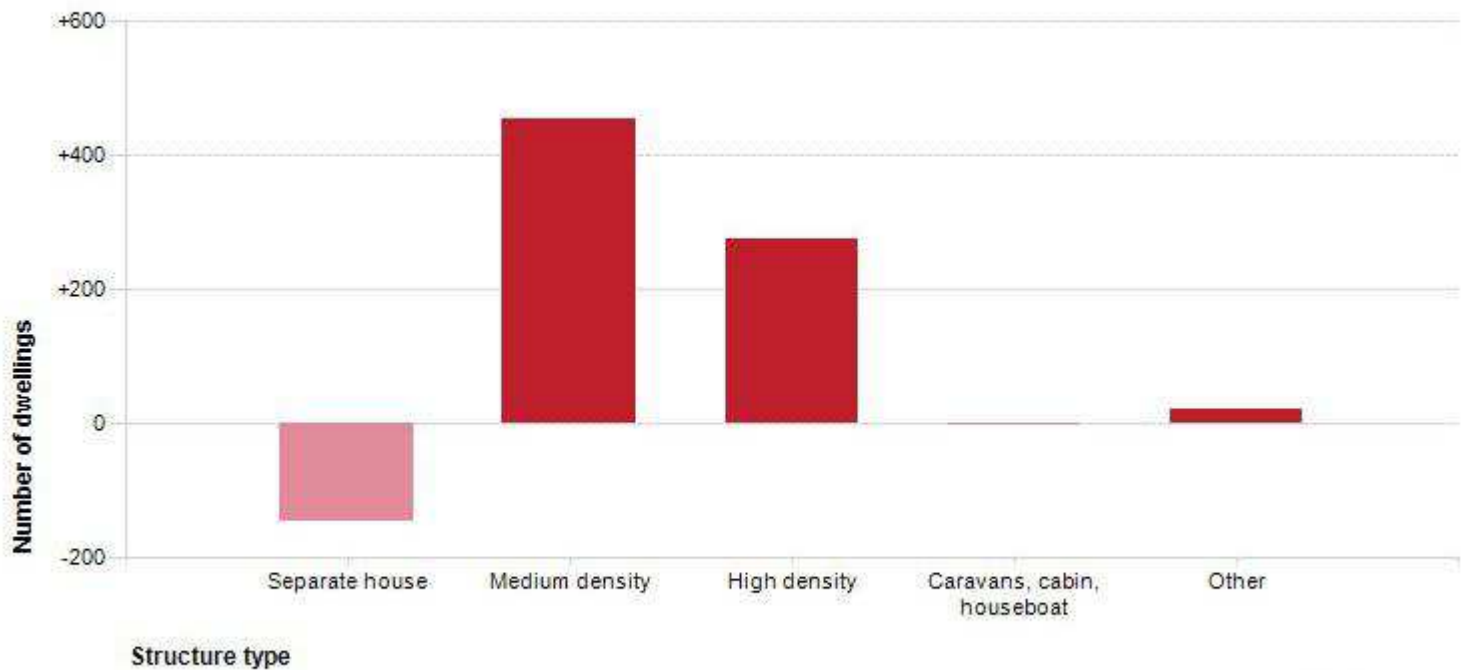


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## Change in dwelling structure, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

In 2011, there were 5,611 separate houses in the area, 4,892 medium density dwellings, and 2,904 high density dwellings.

Analysis of the types of dwellings in Marrickville Ward in 2011 shows that 41.3% of all dwellings were separate houses; 36.0% were medium density dwellings, and 21.4% were in high density dwellings, compared with 34.0%, 41.4%, and 23.2% in the Inner West Council area respectively.

In 2011, a total of 93.0% of the dwellings in Marrickville Ward were occupied on Census night, compared to 92.6% in Inner West Council area. The proportion of unoccupied dwellings was 6.6%, which is smaller compared to that found in Inner West Council area (7.1%).

## Emerging groups

The total number of dwellings in Marrickville Ward increased by 623 between 2006 and 2011.

**The largest changes in the type of dwellings found in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- Medium density (+454 dwellings)
- High density (+275 dwellings)
- Separate house (-147 dwellings)

# Marrickville Ward

## Number of bedrooms per dwelling

The Number of Bedrooms in a dwelling is an indicator of the size of dwellings, and when combined with Dwelling Type information, provides insight into the role Marrickville Ward plays in the housing market. For example, an area of high density dwellings that are predominantly 1-2 bedroom are likely to attract students, single workers and young couples, whereas a high density area with dwellings that are predominantly 2-3 bedroom may attract more empty nesters and some families.

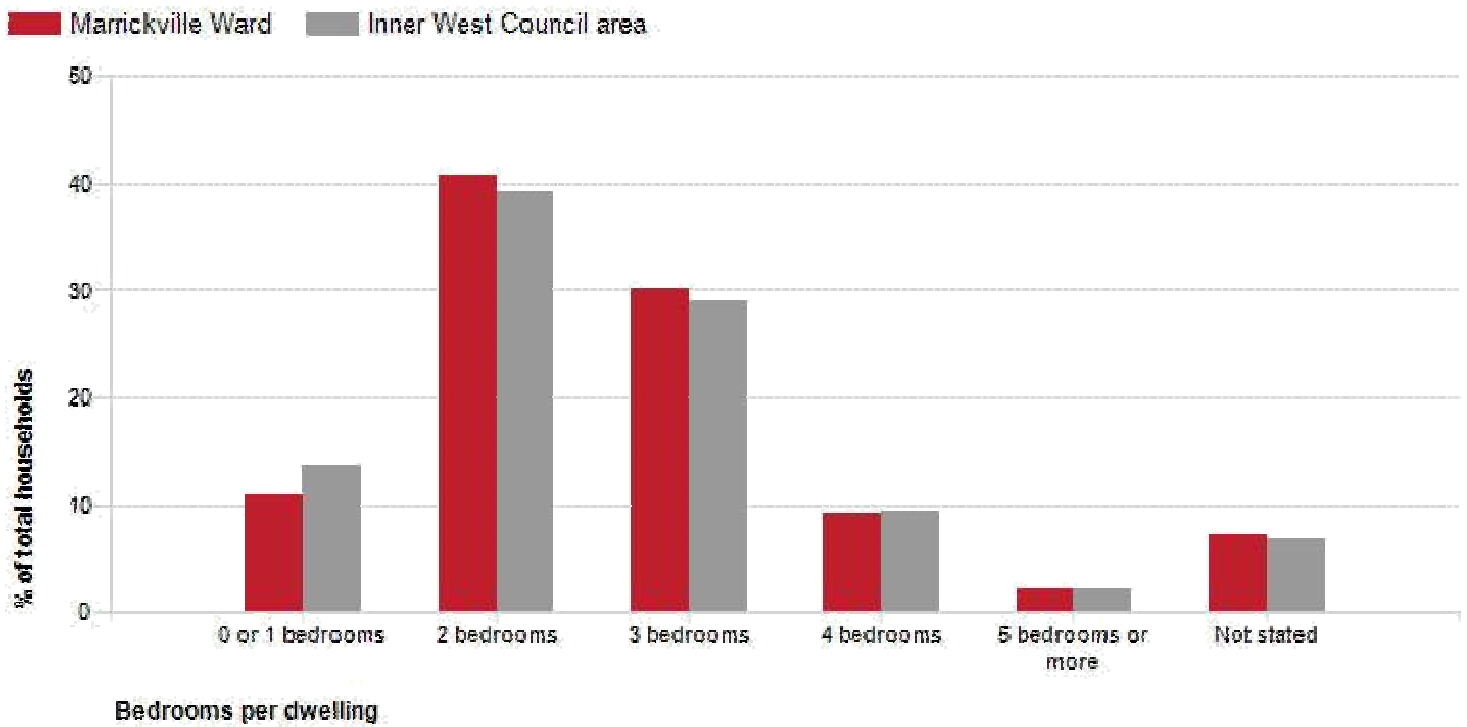
In combination with Household Type and Household Size, the Number of Bedrooms can also indicate issues around housing affordability, overcrowding and other socio-economic factors.

## Number of bedrooms per dwelling

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011		2006		Change
	Inner West Council area		Inner West Council area		% 2006 to 2011
Number of bedrooms	Number	%	Number	%	
0 or 1 bedrooms	1,381	10.9	1,187	9.8	+194
<b>a</b> 2 bedrooms	5,157	40.6	4,855	40.1	+302
3 bedrooms	3,813	30.1	3,655	30.2	+158
<b>a</b> 4 bedrooms	1,159	9.1	1,038	8.6	+121
5 bedrooms or more	268	2.1	281	2.3	-13
Not stated	909	7.2	1,095	9.0	-186
<b>Total households</b>	<b>12,687</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,110</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+577</b>

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## Number of bedrooms per dwelling, 2011

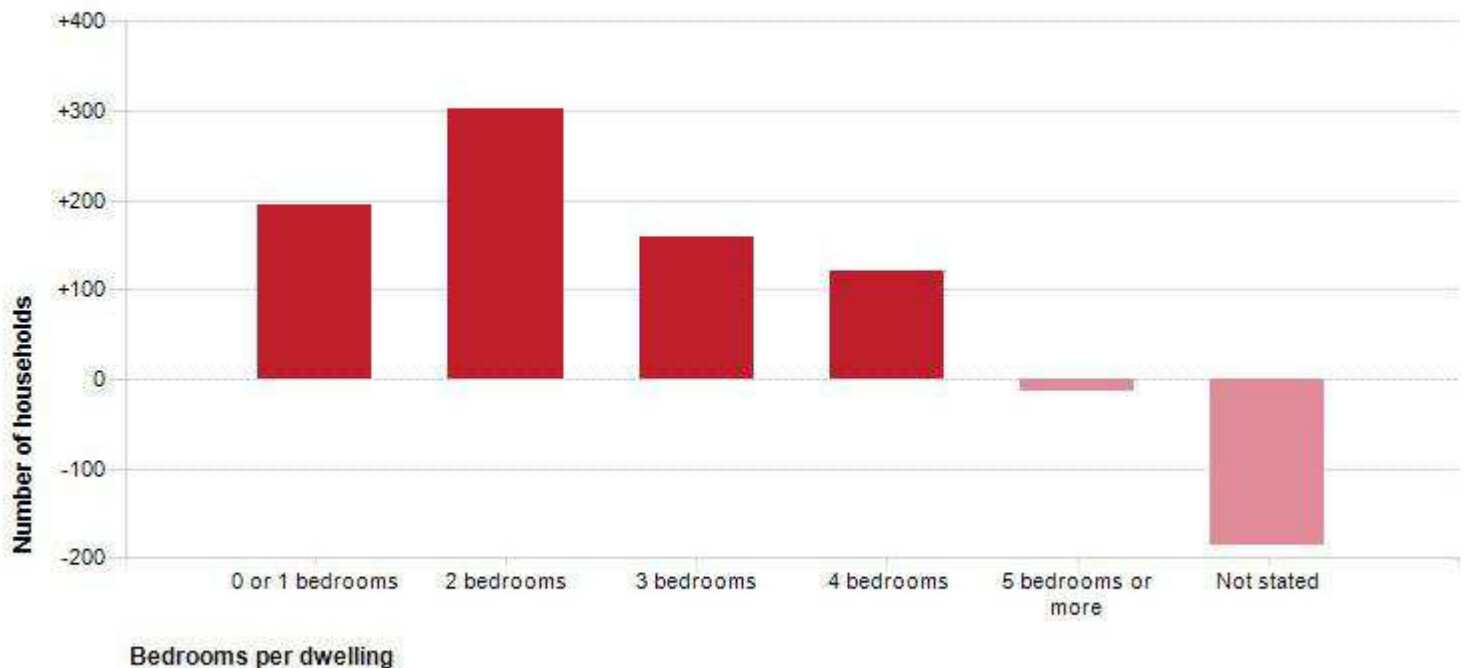


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## Change in number of bedrooms per dwelling, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the number of bedrooms in dwellings in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a lower proportion of dwellings with 2 bedrooms or less, and a similar proportion of dwellings with 4 or more bedrooms.

Overall, 51.5% of households were in dwellings with 2 bedrooms or less, and 11.2% of 4 or more bedroom dwellings, compared with 52.8% and 11.5% for Inner West Council area respectively.

**The major differences between the number of bedrooms per dwelling of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A *larger* percentage of 2 bedroom dwellings (40.6% compared to 39.2%)
- A *larger* percentage of 3 bedroom dwellings (30.1% compared to 28.9%)
- A *smaller* percentage of dwellings with 1 or no bedrooms (includes bedsitters) (10.9% compared to 13.7%)

## Emerging groups

**The largest changes in the number of bedrooms per dwelling in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- 2 bedrooms (+302 dwellings)
- 0 or 1 bedrooms (+194 dwellings)
- 3 bedrooms (+158 dwellings)
- 4 bedrooms (+121 dwellings)

# Marrickville Ward

## Internet connection

A fast Internet Connection is increasingly required for accessing essential information and undertaking domestic and non-domestic business. Households with dial-up or no internet service are being left behind in the digital divide as both government and the private sector are increasingly conducting their business, or aspects of it, on-line.

Internet connectivity in Marrickville Ward can be affected by availability of connection, [Education](#), [Household Income](#) and [Age Structure](#).

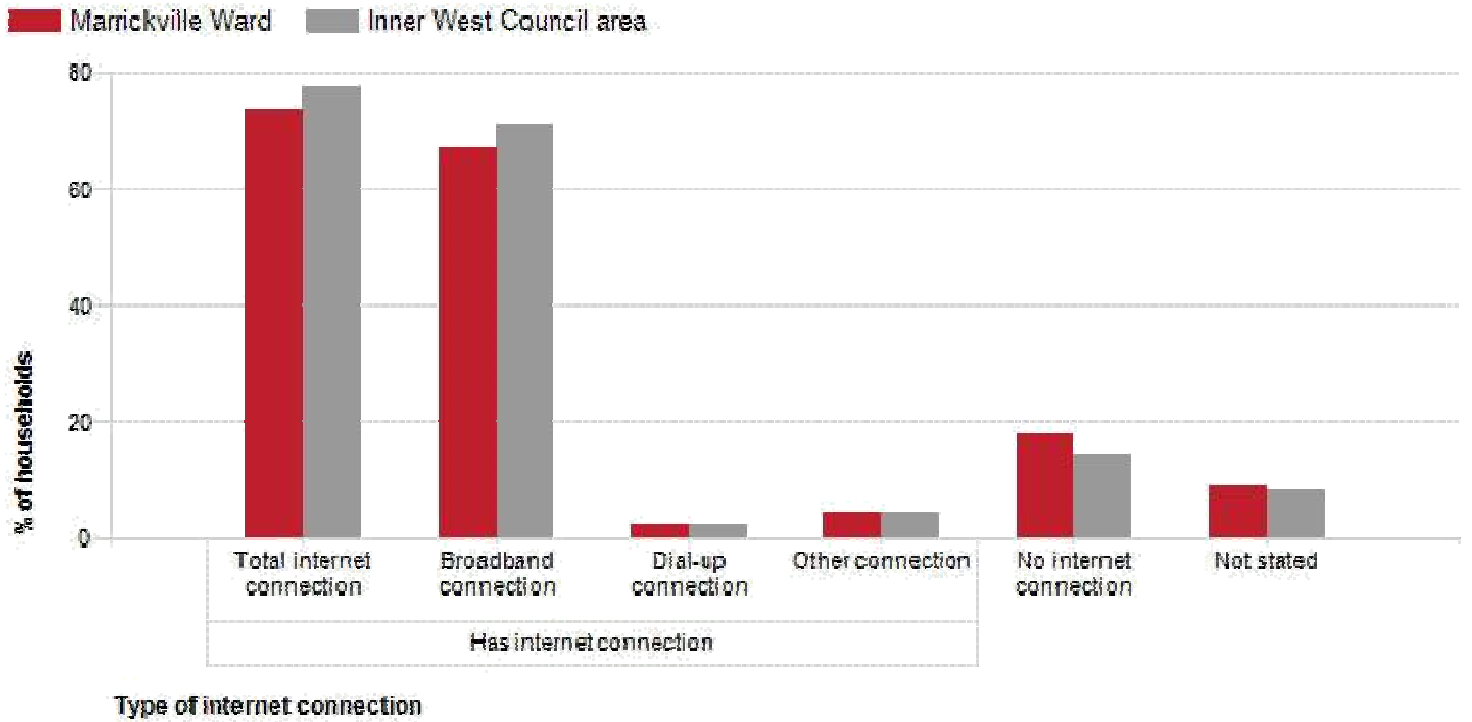
### Type of internet connection

Marrickville Ward - Households	2011		2006		Change		
Connection type	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
Total internet connection	9,345	73.5	77.7	6,856	56.6	62.8	+2,488
Broadband connection	8,512	66.9	71.1	4,830	39.9	45.1	+3,681
Dial-up connection	304	2.4	2.2	1,936	16.0	16.9	-1,632
Other connection	529	4.2	4.4	90	0.7	0.8	+439
No internet connection	2,262	17.8	14.2	4,002	33.1	27.1	-1,741
Not stated	1,113	8.7	8.1	1,249	10.3	10.2	-137
<b>Total households</b>	<b>12,719</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,108</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+611</b>

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## Type of internet connection, 2011

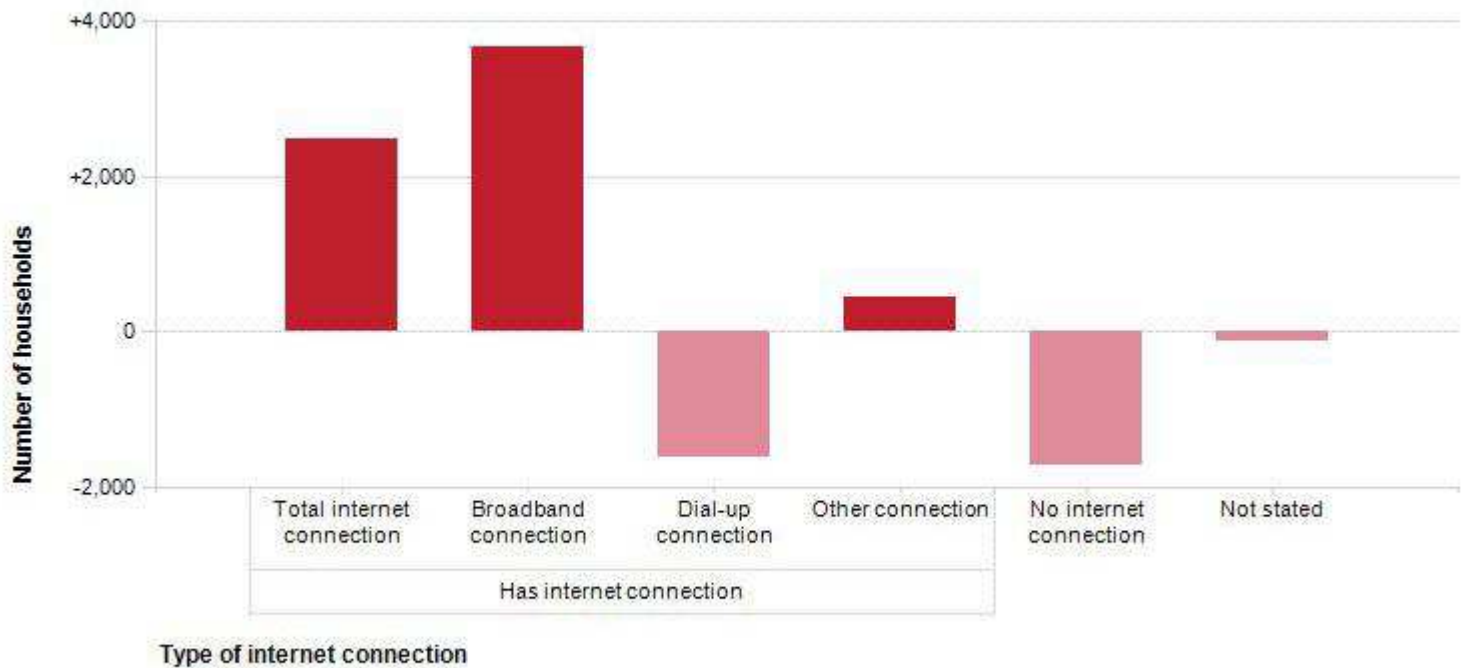


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## Change in type of internet connection, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the type of internet connection of households in Marrickville Ward compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a higher proportion of households with either no internet connection or a dial up connection, and a lower proportion of households with broadband connectivity.

Overall 20.2% of households had no internet connection or a dial up connection, and 66.9% had broadband connectivity, compared with 16.4% and 71.1% respectively in Inner West Council area.

## Emerging groups

Between 2006 and 2011 the number of households with an internet connection increased by 2,489.

**The largest changes in the internet connectivity in Marrickville Ward, between 2006 and 2011 were:**

- Broadband connection (+3,681 households)
- Total internet connection (+2,488 households) No
- internet connection (-1,741 households)

# Marrickville Ward

## Number of cars per household

The ability of the population to access services and employment is strongly influenced by access to transport. The number of motor vehicles per household in Marrickville Ward quantifies access to private transport and will be influenced by [Age Structure](#) and [Household Type](#), which determine the number of adults present; access to [Public Transport](#); distance to shops, services, employment and education; and [Household Income](#). Depending on these factors, car ownership can be seen as a measure of advantage or disadvantage, or a neutral socio-economic measure, which impacts on the environment and quality of life.

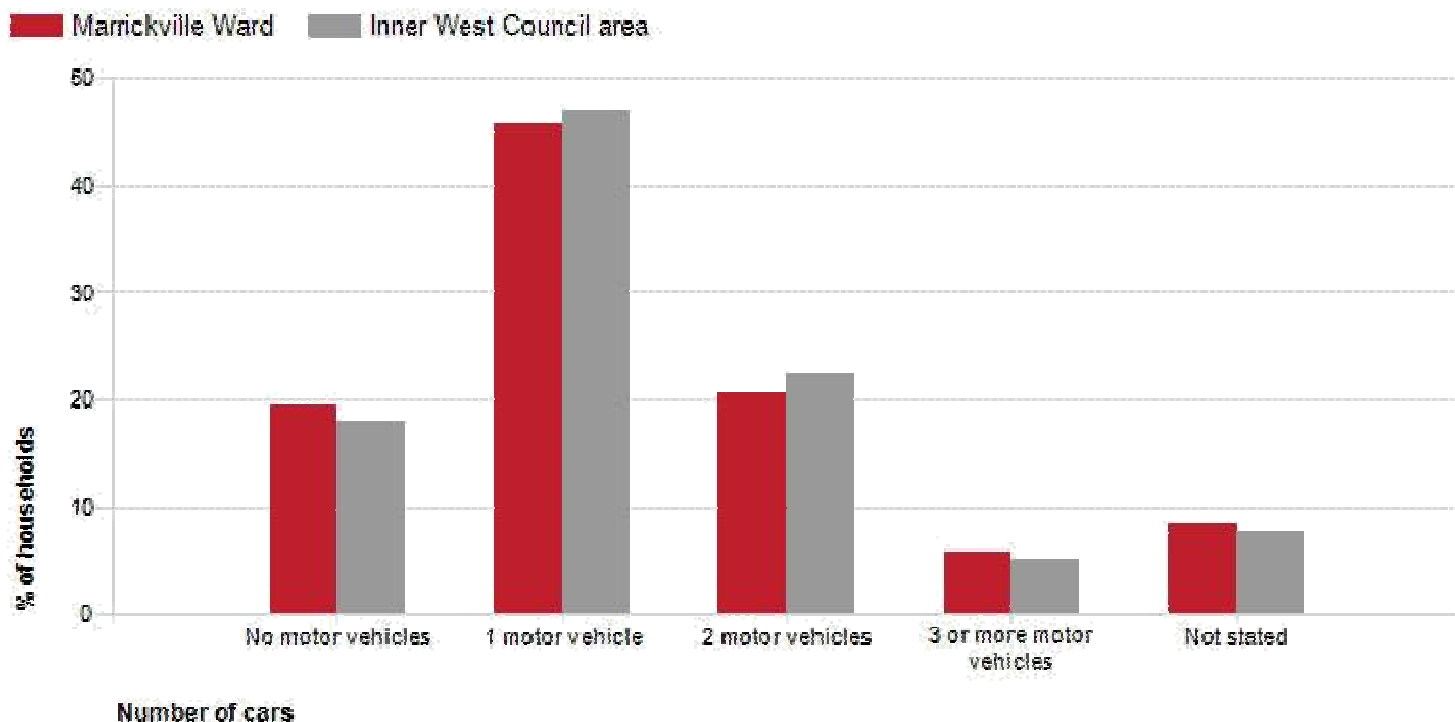
## Car ownership

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011			2006			Change
Number of cars	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	2006 to 2011
<b>a</b> No motor vehicles	2,469	19.4	18.0	2,572	21.2	19.5	-103
1 motor vehicle	5,808	45.7	46.9	5,245	43.3	44.5	+564
<b>a</b> 2 motor vehicles	2,614	20.6	22.4	2,336	19.3	20.7	+278
3 or more motor vehicles	743	5.8	5.0	629	5.2	4.5	+114
Not stated	1,062	8.4	7.7	1,323	10.9	10.7	-261
<b>Total households</b>	<b>12,696</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,104</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+592</b>

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### **a** [People who travelled to work by car](#)

## Car ownership, 2011

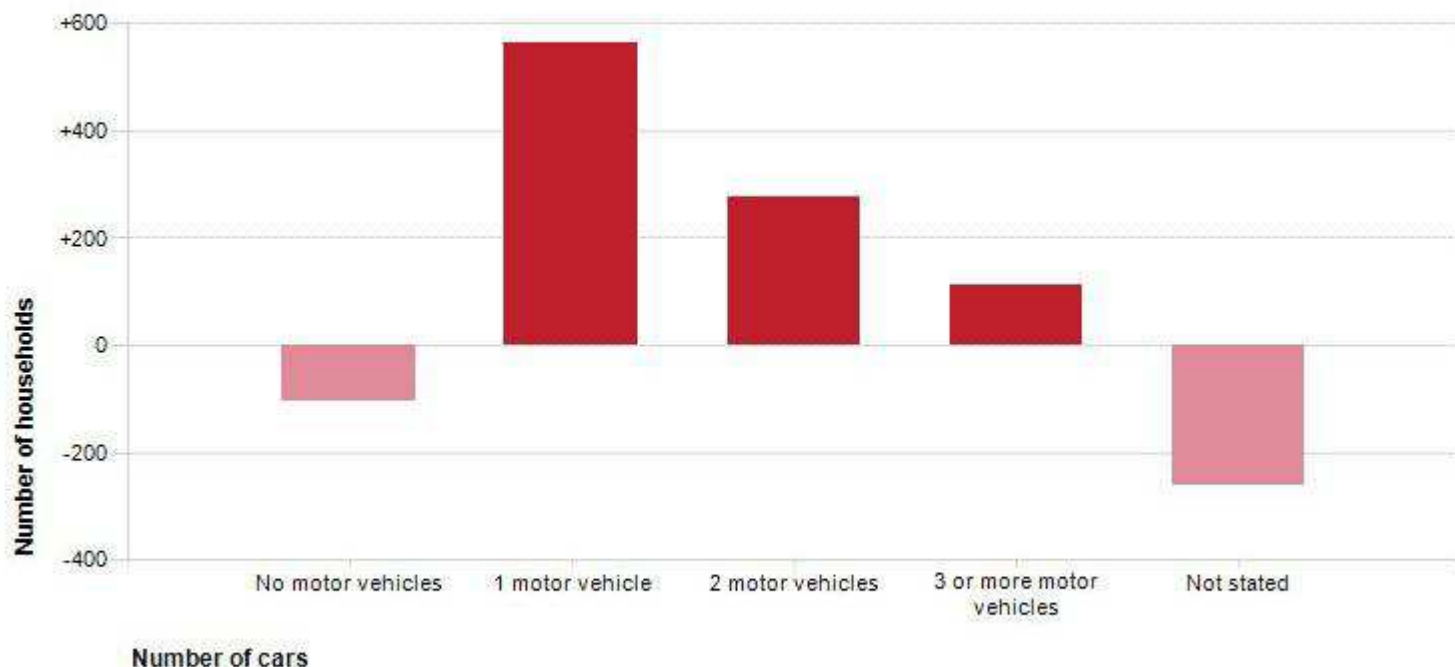


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## Change in car ownership, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the car ownership of the households in Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that 72.2% of the households owned at least one car, while 19.4% did not, compared with 74.3% and 18.0% respectively in Inner West Council area.

Of those that owned at least one vehicle, there was a smaller proportion who owned just one car; a smaller proportion who owned two cars; and a larger proportion who owned three cars or more.

Overall, 45.7% of the households owned one car; 20.6% owned two cars; and 5.8% owned three cars or more, compared with 46.9%; 22.4% and 5.0% respectively for Inner West Council area.

## Emerging groups

The largest changes in the household car ownership in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were:

- 1 motor vehicle (+564 households)
- 2 motor vehicles (+278 households)
- 3 or more motor vehicles (+114 households)
- No motor vehicles (-103 households)

# Marrickville Ward

## Housing tenure

Marrickville Ward's Housing Tenure data provides insights into its socio-economic status as well as the role it plays in the housing market. For example, a high concentration of private renters may indicate a transient area attractive to young singles and couples, while a concentration of home owners indicates a more settled area with mature families and empty-nesters ([Household Summary](#)). Tenure can also reflect built form ([Dwelling Type](#)), with a significantly higher share of renters in high density housing and a substantially larger proportion of home-owners in separate houses, although this is not always the case.

In conjunction with other socio-economic status indicators in Marrickville Ward, Tenure data is useful for analysing housing markets, housing affordability and identifying public housing areas.

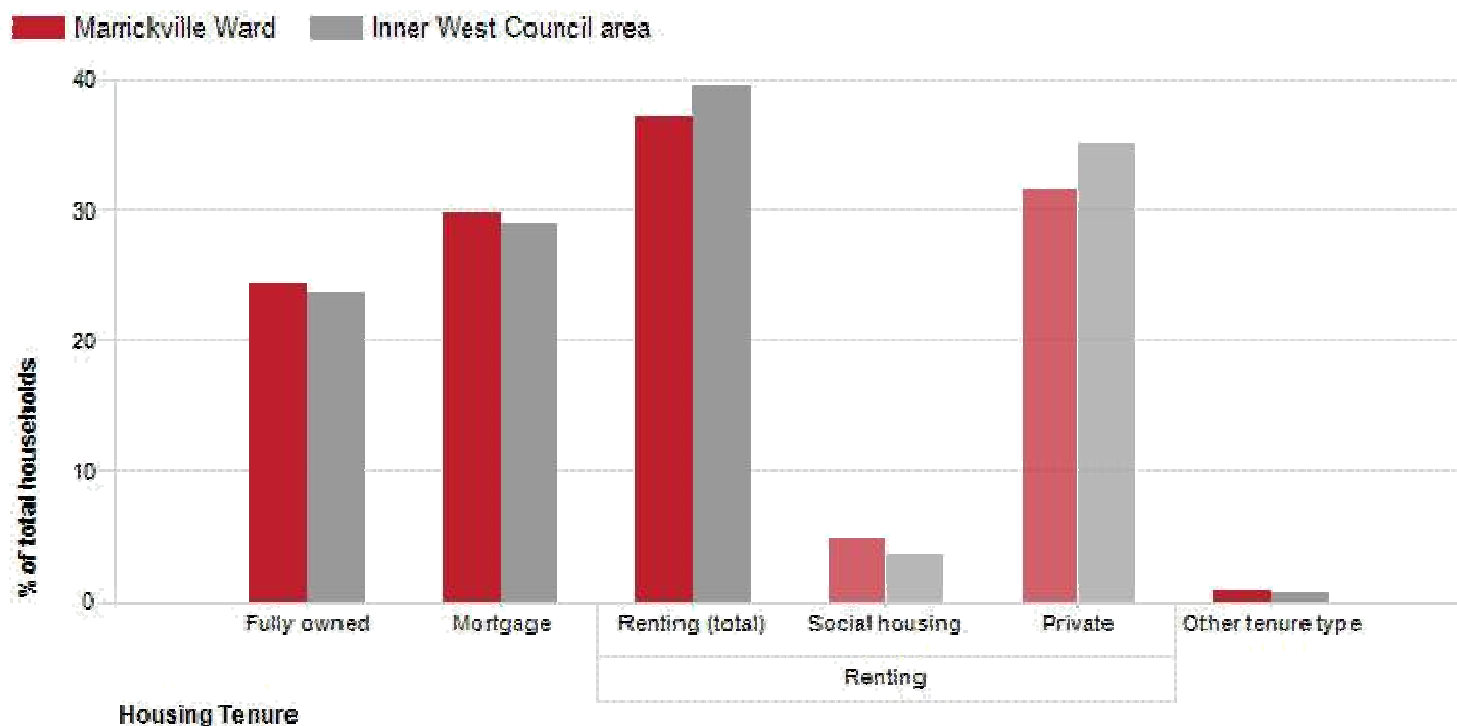
## Housing tenure

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011		2006		Change		
Tenure type	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area % 2006 to 2011	
<b>a</b> Fully owned	3,093	24.4	23.6	3,163	26.1	23.9	-70
<b>a</b> Mortgage	3,786	29.8	29.0	3,199	26.4	26.4	+587
Renting	4,718	37.1	39.6	4,506	37.2	39.5	+212
▪ <b>a</b> Renting - Social housing	619	4.9	3.8	592	4.9	3.6	+27
▪ <b>a</b> Renting - Private	4,038	31.8	35.3	3,858	31.8	35.2	+180
▪ Renting - Not stated	62	0.5	0.4	57	0.5	0.6	+5
Other tenure type	79	0.6	0.5	62	0.5	0.5	+17
Not stated	1,025	8.1	7.3	1,185	9.8	9.7	-160
<b>Total households</b>	<b>12,701</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,114</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+587</b>

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### **a** Dominant tenure type

## Housing tenure, 2011

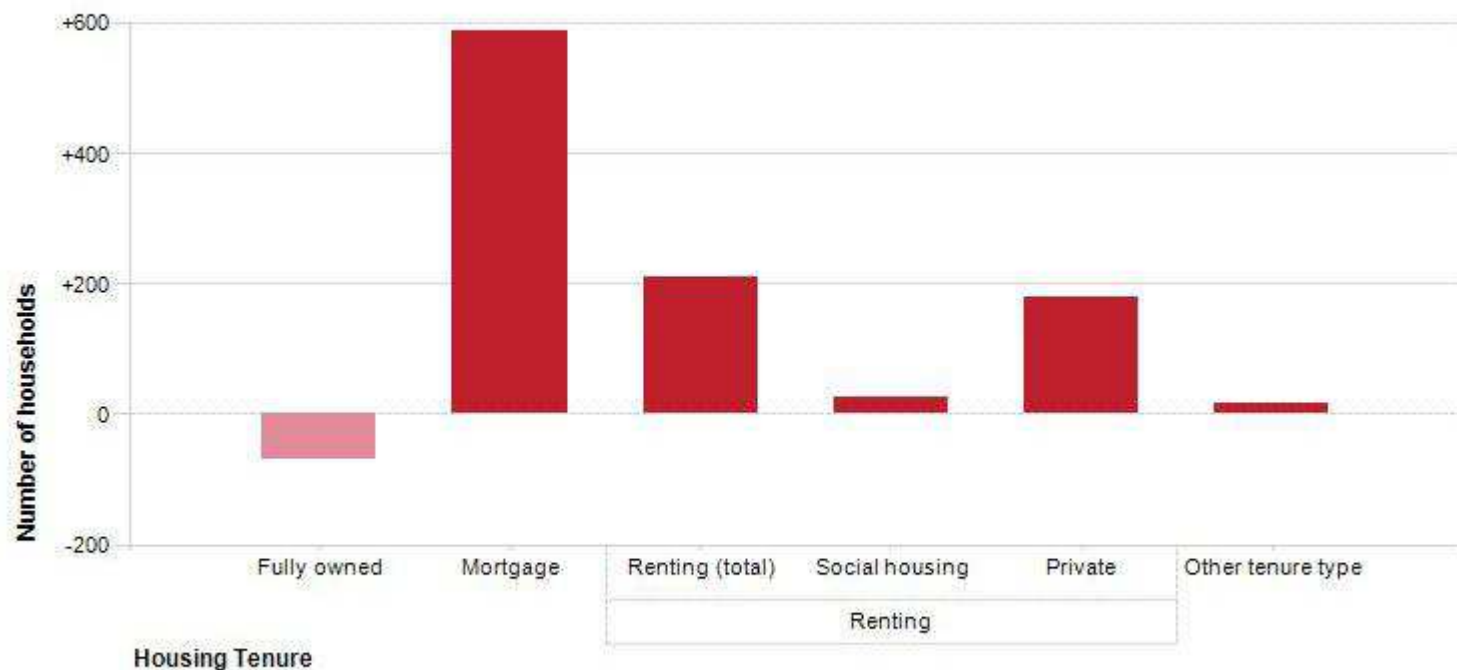


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## Change in housing tenure, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Analysis of the housing tenure of the population of Marrickville Ward in 2011 compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a larger proportion of households who owned their dwelling; a larger proportion purchasing their dwelling; and a smaller proportion who were renters.

Overall, 24.4% of the population owned their dwelling; 29.8% were purchasing, and 37.1% were renting, compared with 23.6%, 29.0% and 39.6% respectively for Inner West Council area.

## Emerging groups

The largest changes in housing tenure categories for the households in Marrickville Ward between 2006 and 2011 were:

- Mortgage (+587 persons)
- Renting - Private (+180 persons)
- Fully owned (-70 persons)

The total number of households in Marrickville Ward increased by 587 between 2006 and 2011.



# Marrickville Ward

## Housing loan repayments

Mortgage repayments are directly related to house prices in Marrickville Ward, length of occupancy and the level of equity of home owners. When viewed with [Household Income](#) data it may also indicate the level of housing stress households in the community are under. In mortgage belt areas it is expected that households will be paying a higher proportion of their income on their housing compared to well-established areas. First home buyer areas are also likely to have larger mortgages than upgrader areas where households move in with equity from elsewhere.

Mortgage payment levels are not directly comparable over time because of inflation. For comparison of mortgage payments over time, go to [Housing Loan Quartiles](#).

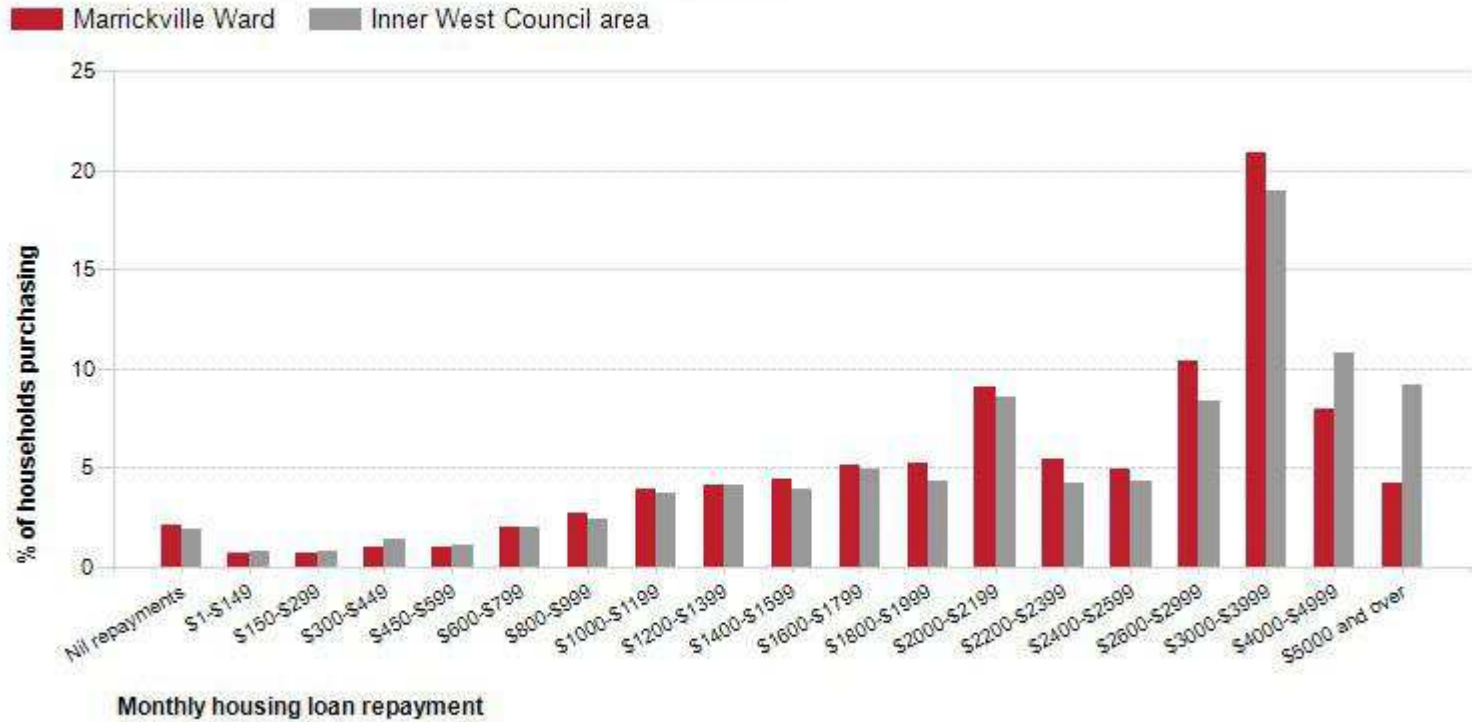
## Monthly housing loan repayments

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011		
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %
Monthly repayment amount			
Nil repayments	78	2.1	1.9
\$1-\$149	27	0.7	0.8
\$150-\$299	25	0.7	0.8
\$300-\$449	39	1.0	1.4
\$450-\$599	38	1.0	1.0
\$600-\$799	76	2.0	2.0
\$800-\$999	102	2.7	2.5
\$1000-\$1199	148	3.9	3.7
\$1200-\$1399	157	4.1	4.1
\$1400-\$1599	169	4.5	3.9
\$1600-\$1799	193	5.1	4.9
\$1800-\$1999	197	5.2	4.4
\$2000-\$2199	343	9.0	8.6
\$2200-\$2399	206	5.4	4.2
\$2400-\$2599	186	4.9	4.3
\$2600-\$2999	393	10.4	8.4
\$3000-\$3999	791	20.9	19.0
\$4000-\$4999	303	8.0	10.8
\$5000 and over	162	4.3	9.1
Not stated	162	4.3	4.2
<b>Total households with a mortgage</b>	<b>3,795</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing 2011](#). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#), the population experts.

- [a Home owners \(households who fully own their dwelling\)](#)
- [a Households with a mortgage](#)
- [a Dominant tenure type](#)
- [a Median monthly mortgage repayments](#)
- [a Households paying high mortgage repayments \(\\$2600 or more\)](#)

## Monthly housing loan repayments, 2011



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### Dominant groups

Analysis of the monthly housing loan repayments of households in Marrickville Ward compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a smaller proportion of households paying high mortgage repayments (\$2,600 per month or more), and a similar proportion of households with low mortgage repayments (less than \$1000 per month). Overall, 43.5% of households were paying high mortgage repayments, and 10.1% were paying low repayments, compared with 47.3% and 10.4% respectively in Inner West Council area.

The major differences between the household loan repayments of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:

- A larger percentage of \$2600-\$2999 (10.4% compared to 8.4%)
- A larger percentage of \$3000-\$3999 (20.9% compared to 19.0%)
- smaller percentage of \$5000 and over (4.3% compared to 9.1%)
- smaller percentage of \$4000-\$4999 (8.0% compared to 10.8%)

# Marrickville Ward

## Housing loan quartiles

Mortgage repayments in Marrickville Ward are directly related to house prices, length of occupancy and the level of equity of home owners. When viewed with [Household Income](#) data it may also indicate the level of housing stress in the community.

The quartile method is the most objective method of comparing change in the mortgage payment profile of a community over time.

A detailed explanation of how Housing Loan Repayment quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

## Housing loan quartiles

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011		2006		Change		
Loan repayment quartile group	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area % 2006 to 2011	
Lowest group	585	16.1	16.1	511	17.0	15.2	+74
Medium lowest	660	18.2	16.5	655	21.8	17.7	+5
Medium highest	988	27.2	23.5	854	28.4	25.9	+134
Highest group	1,400	38.5	43.8	987	32.8	41.2	+413
Total households with a mortgage	3,633	100.0	100.0	3,008	100.0	100.0	+625

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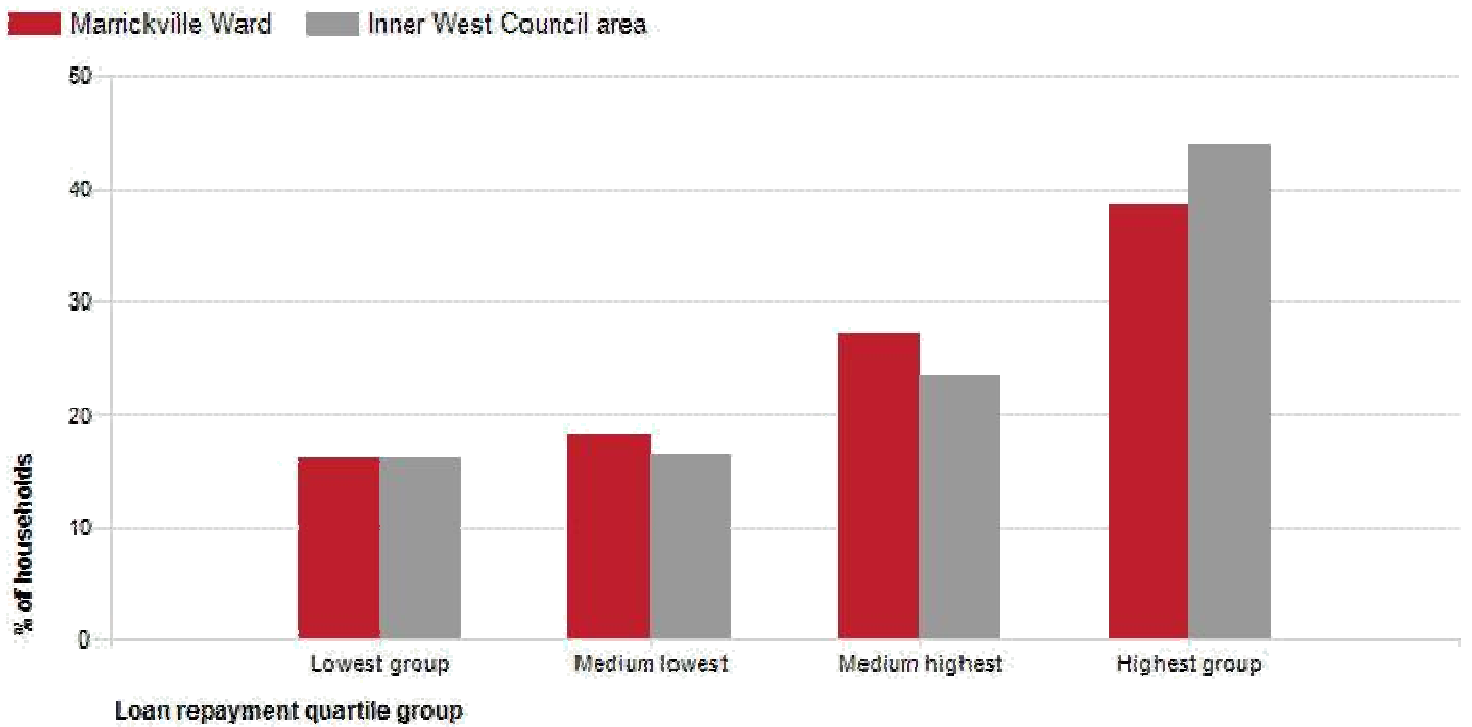
## Housing loan - Quartile group dollar ranges

Calculated from loan repayment data for New South Wales

Monthly housing loan repayments by Census year

Housing loan repayment ranges	2011	2006	2001	1996
Lowest group	\$0 to \$1,266	\$0 to \$993	\$0 to \$723	\$0 to \$605
Medium lowest	\$1,267 to \$1,995	\$994 to \$1,557	\$724 to \$1,069	\$606 to \$905
Medium highest	\$1,996 to \$2,853	\$1,558 to \$2,416	\$1,070 to \$1,550	\$906 to \$1,268
Highest group	\$2,854 and over	\$2,417 and over	\$1,551 and over	\$1,269 and over

## Housing loan quartiles, 2011

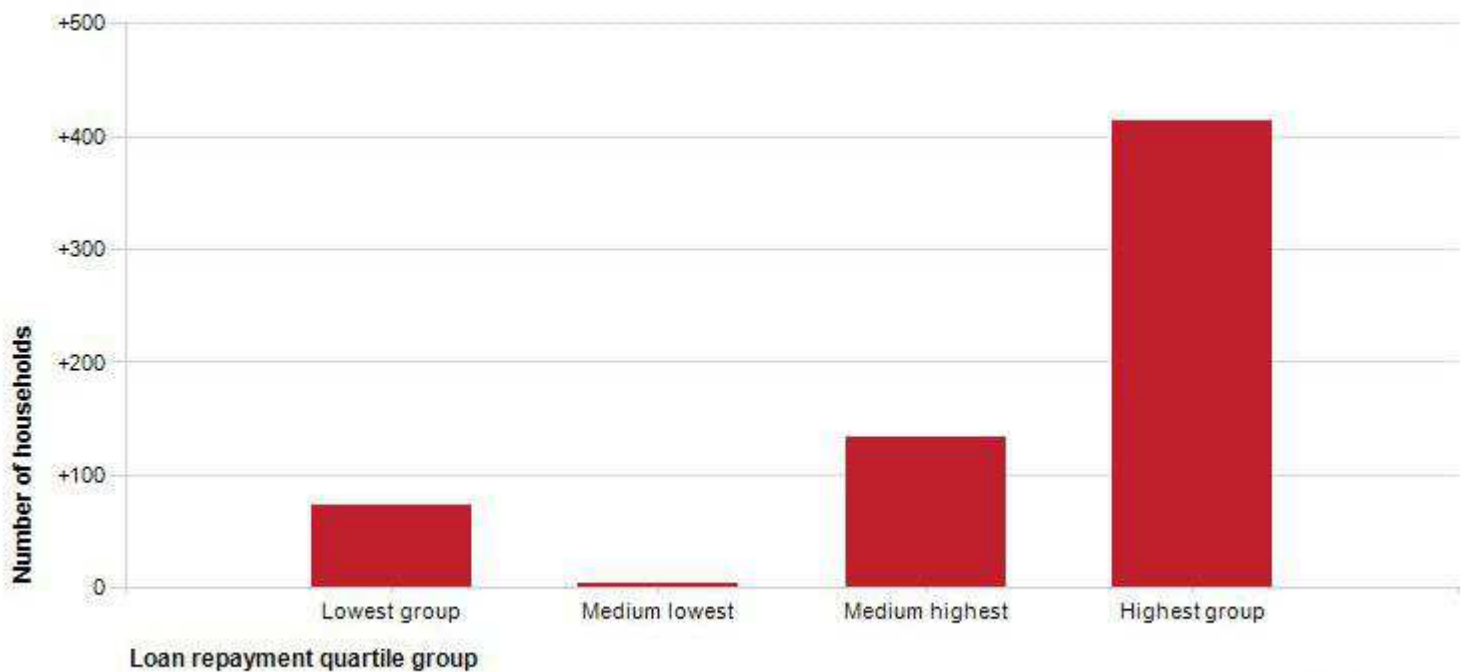


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## Change in housing loan quartiles, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Housing loan repayment quartiles allow us to compare relative repayment liabilities across time. Analysis of the distribution of households by housing loan repayment quartiles in Marrickville Ward compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a smaller proportion of households in the highest repayment quartile, and a similar proportion in the lowest repayment quartile.

## Emerging groups

The total number of households with a mortgage in Marrickville Ward increased by 625 between 2006 and 2011. The most significant change in Marrickville Ward during this period was in the highest quartile which showed an increase of 413 households.

# Marrickville Ward

## Housing rental payments

Rental payments can be a better measure of the cost of housing in Marrickville Ward than mortgage repayments because they are not contingent on length of occupancy or equity in the dwelling.

High rental payments may indicate desirable areas with mobile populations who prefer to rent, or a housing shortage, or gentrification. Low rental payments may indicate public housing (check [Tenure Type](#)), or areas where low income households move by necessity for a lower cost of living.

Rental payments are not directly comparable over time because of inflation. For comparison of rental payments over time, go to [Housing Rental Quartiles](#).

## Weekly housing rental payments

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011		
	Number	%	Inner West Council area %
Weekly rental amount			
Nil	108	2.3	1.7
\$1 - \$74	77	1.6	1.4
\$75 - \$99	166	3.5	2.9
\$100 - \$124	60	1.3	1.1
\$125 - \$149	99	2.1	1.7
\$150 - \$174	111	2.4	1.9
\$175 - \$199	74	1.6	1.5
\$200 - \$224	231	4.9	3.1
\$225 - \$249	144	3.1	2.2
\$250 - \$274	238	5.0	4.3
\$275 - \$299	216	4.6	3.4
\$300 - \$324	391	8.3	7.1
\$325 - \$349	232	4.9	4.4
\$350 - \$374	372	7.9	7.9
\$375 - \$399	210	4.5	5.3
\$400 - \$424	349	7.4	7.4
\$425 - \$449	125	2.7	3.3
\$450 - \$549	699	14.8	14.7
\$550 - \$649	417	8.9	10.5
\$650 - \$749	131	2.8	5.6
\$750 - \$849	75	1.6	2.9
\$850 - \$949	19	0.4	1.4
\$950+	22	0.5	1.8
Rent not stated	148	3.1	2.8
<b>Total households renting</b>	<b>4,713</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

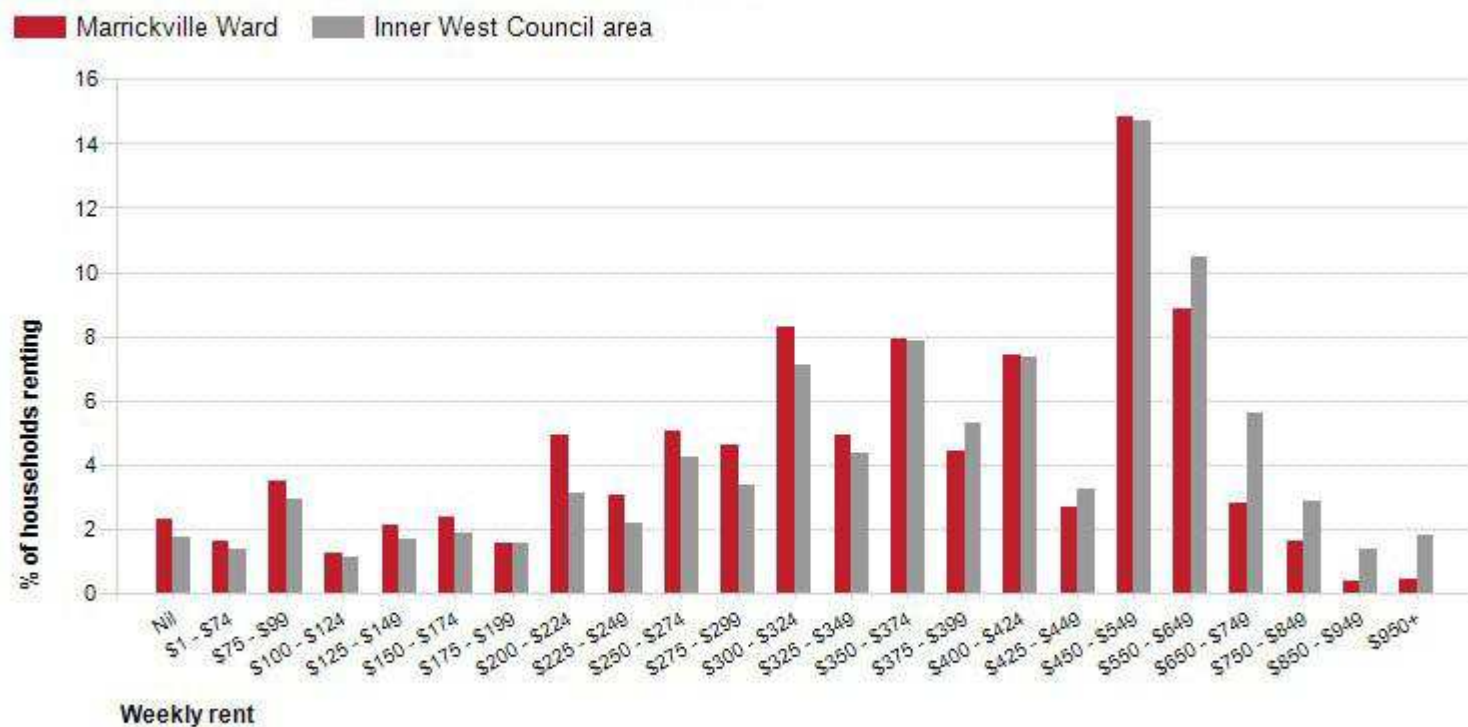
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[a Households renting social housing](#)

[a Households renting privately](#)

- a** Median weekly rental payments
- a** High rental payments (more than \$400 per week)
- a** Rental stress

## Weekly housing rental payments, 2011



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### Dominant groups

Analysis of the weekly housing rental payments of households in Marrickville Ward compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a smaller proportion of households paying high rental payments (\$400 per week or more), and a larger proportion of households with low rental payments (less than \$150 per week).

Overall, 39.0% of households were paying high rental payments, and 10.8% were paying low payments, compared with 47.4% and 8.8% respectively in Inner West Council area.

**The major differences between the housing rental payments of Marrickville Ward and Inner West Council area were:**

- A larger percentage of \$200 - \$224 (4.9% compared to 3.1%)
- A smaller percentage of \$650 - \$749 (2.8% compared to 5.6%)
- smaller percentage of \$550 - \$649 (8.9% compared to 10.5%)
- smaller percentage of \$950+ (0.5% compared to 1.8%)

# Marrickville Ward

## Housing rental quartiles

Rental payments in Marrickville Ward are indicative of its residential role and function and are directly related to the value of residential property. When viewed with [Household Income](#) data they may also indicate the level of 'housing stress' in the community.

The quartile method is the most objective method of comparing change in the rental costs of a community over time. A detailed explanation of how Housing Rental Payment quartiles are calculated and interpreted is available in [specific data notes](#).

## Housing rental quartiles

Marrickville Ward - Households (Enumerated)	2011		2006		Change		
Quartile group	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	Number	%	Inner West Council area %	% 2006 to 2011
Lowest group	656	14.4	11.8	628	14.3	11.6	+28
Medium lowest	974	21.3	16.1	1,117	25.4	19.3	-143
Medium highest	1,360	29.8	29.0	1,287	29.3	27.7	+73
Highest group	1,575	34.5	43.1	1,361	31.0	41.5	+214
Total households renting	4,565	100.0	100.0	4,394	100.0	100.0	+172

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## Housing rental - Quartile group dollar ranges

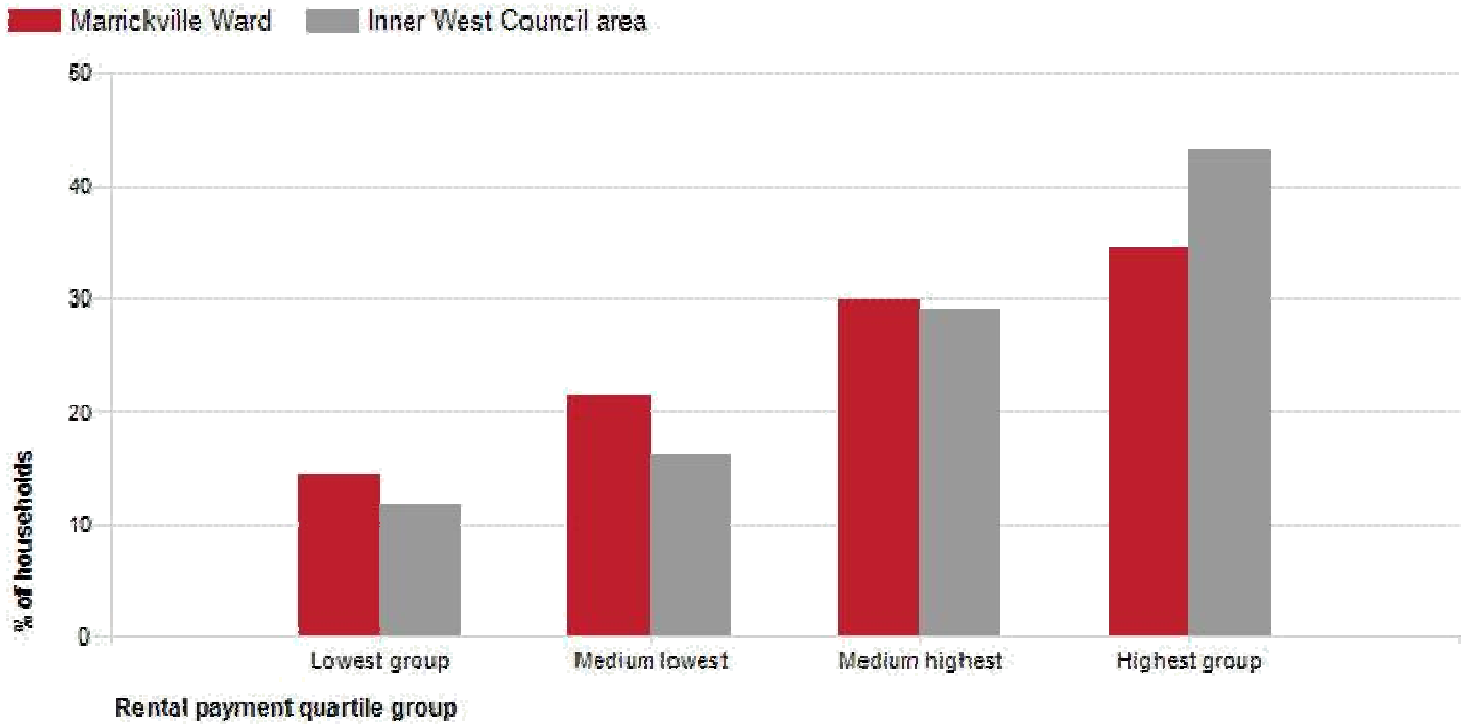
Calculated from rental payment data for New South Wales

Weekly housing rental payments by Census year

Rental payment ranges	2011	2006	2001
Lowest group	\$0 to \$186	\$0 to \$140	\$0 to \$114
Medium lowest	\$187 to \$306	\$141 to \$214	\$115 to \$179
Medium highest	\$307 to \$418	\$215 to \$301	\$180 to \$259
Highest group	\$419 and over	\$302 and over	\$260 and over



# Housing rental quartiles for 2011

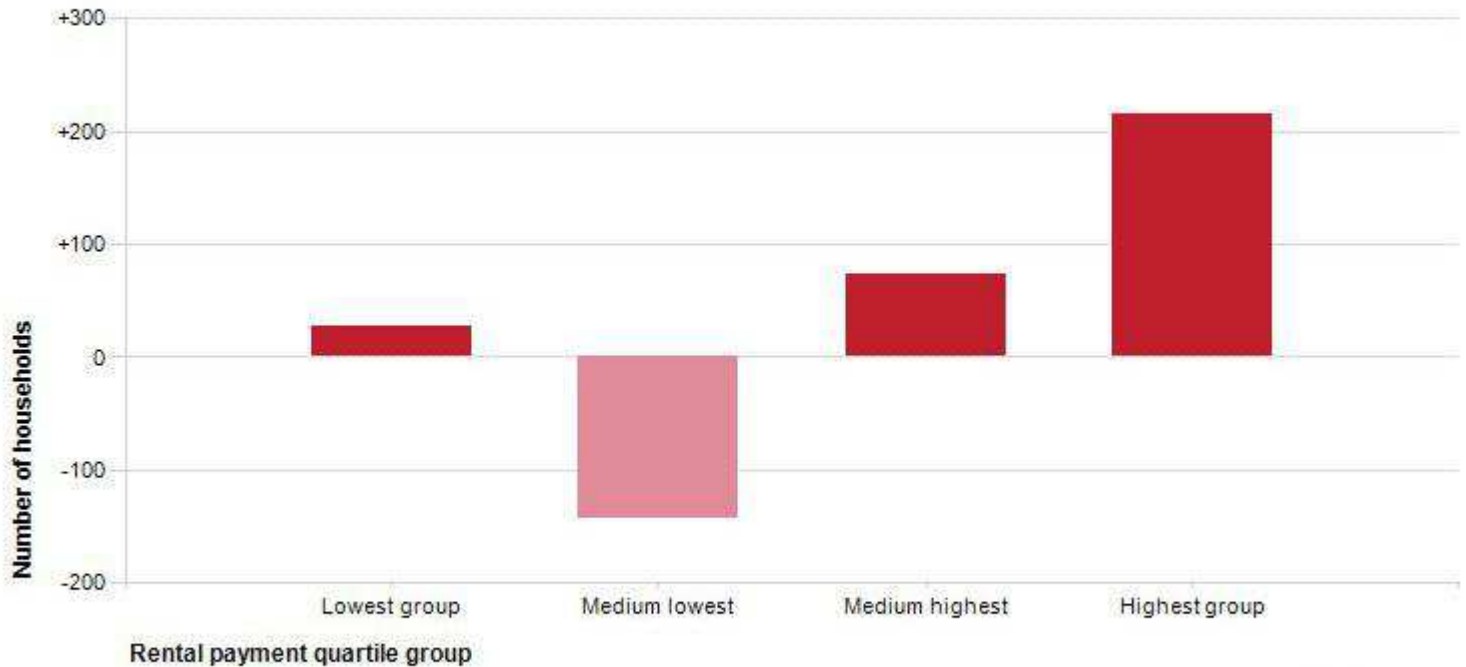


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# Change in housing rental quartiles, 2006 to 2011

Marrickville Ward



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## Dominant groups

Rental payment quartiles allow us to compare relative rental liabilities across time. Analysis of the distribution of households by rental payment quartiles in Marrickville Ward compared to Inner West Council area shows that there was a smaller proportion of households in the highest payment quartile, and a larger proportion in the lowest payment quartile.

## Emerging groups

The total number of households renting their dwelling in Marrickville Ward increased by 171 between 2006 and 2011. The most significant change during this period was in the highest quartile which showed an increase of 214 households.

# Inner West Council area

## Residential building approvals

The Inner West Council area's building approvals are used as a leading indicator of the general level of residential development, economic activity, employment and investment. Residential building activity depends on many factors that vary with the state of the economy including interest rates, availability of mortgage funds, government spending, and business investment. Large financial changes or shocks, such as the Global Financial Crisis of 2008/09 can be observed in the data. However, the number of building approvals can fluctuate substantially from year to year simply as a result of the short-term nature of many construction projects, and the cyclical nature of the industry.

## Residential building approvals

Inner West Council area	Number			Annual change		
	Houses	Other	Total	Houses	Other	Total
Year (ending June 30)						
2016-17 Feb FYTD	73	351	424	--	--	--
2015-16	95	1,353	1,448	+48	+431	+479
2014-15	47	922	969	-12	+327	+315
2013-14	59	595	654	+17	-6	+11
2012-13	42	601	643	+1	+108	+109
2011-12	41	493	534	+1	+294	+295
2010-11	40	199	239	-13	-3	-16
2009-10	53	202	255	-1	+2	+1
2008-09	54	200	254	-4	-65	-69
2007-08	58	265	323	+2	+158	+160
2006-07	56	107	163	+5	-106	-101
2005-06	51	213	264	-28	-115	-143
2004-05	79	328	407	-4	-145	-149
2003-04	83	473	556	+8	-248	-240
2002-03	75	721	796	+19	-9	+10

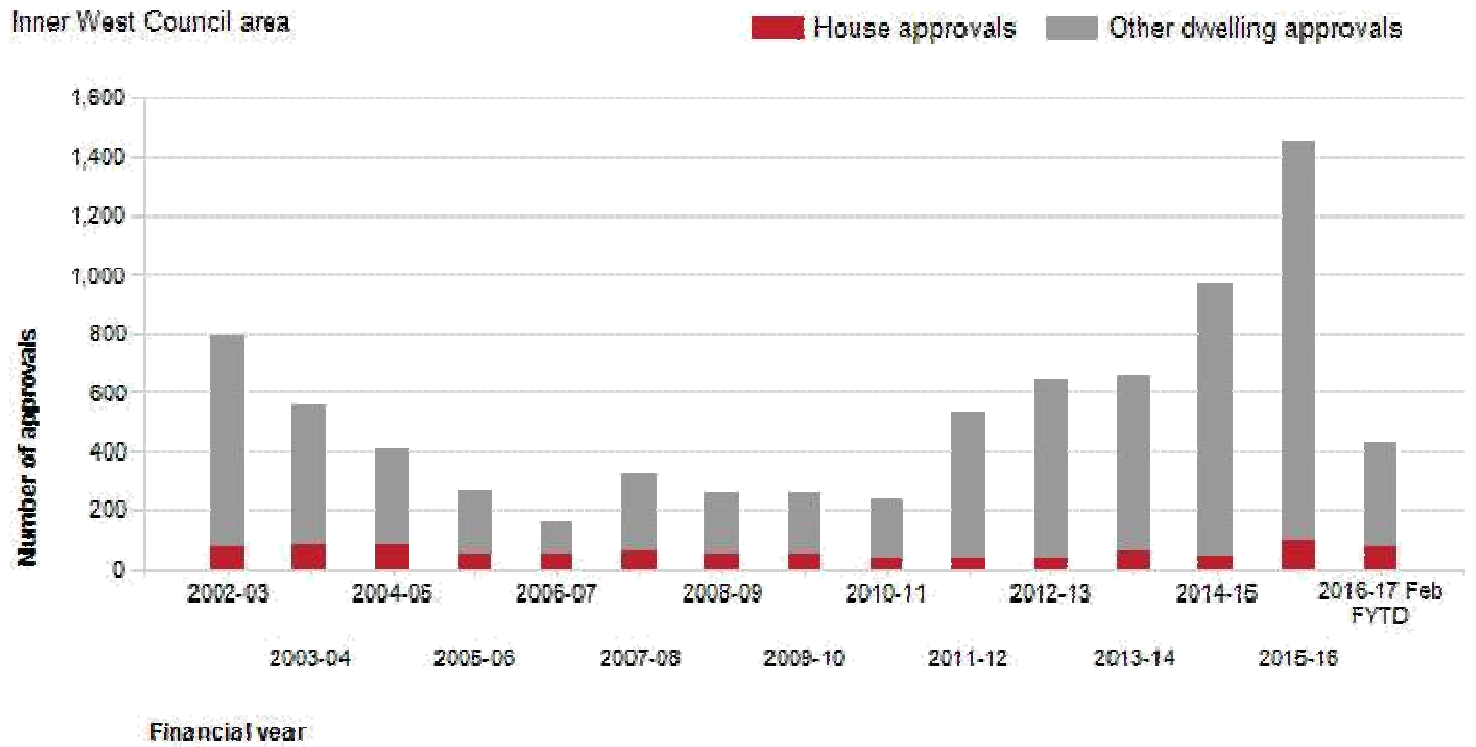
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# Residential building approvals

Inner West Council area



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# Inner West Council area

## Workers' place of residence

Where does the Inner West Council area's workforce come from? Journey to Work data sheds light on how many workers live locally, how many commute from other areas and which areas they commute from. Some areas attract a large external workforce because they have major employment centres or because local residents have a different set of skills or aspirations than the local jobs require. Understanding where workers reside assists in planning and advocacy for roads and public transport provision. It also helps to clarify economic and employment drivers across areas and assists in understanding the degree to which the Inner West Council area provides local employment.

### Overview

#### Residential location of local workers

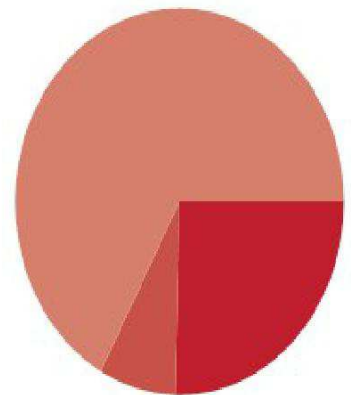
Inner West Council area		2011	
Status	Number	%	
Live and work in the area	17,197	33.0	
Live and work in the same SLA	13,269	25.4	
Live in the area and work in different SLA	3,928	7.5	
Work in the area, but live outside	34,968	67.0	
Total workers in the area	52,165	100.0	

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#### Residential location of local workers, 2011

Inner West Council area

- Live and work in the same SLA
- Live in the area and work in different SLA
- Work in the area, but live outside



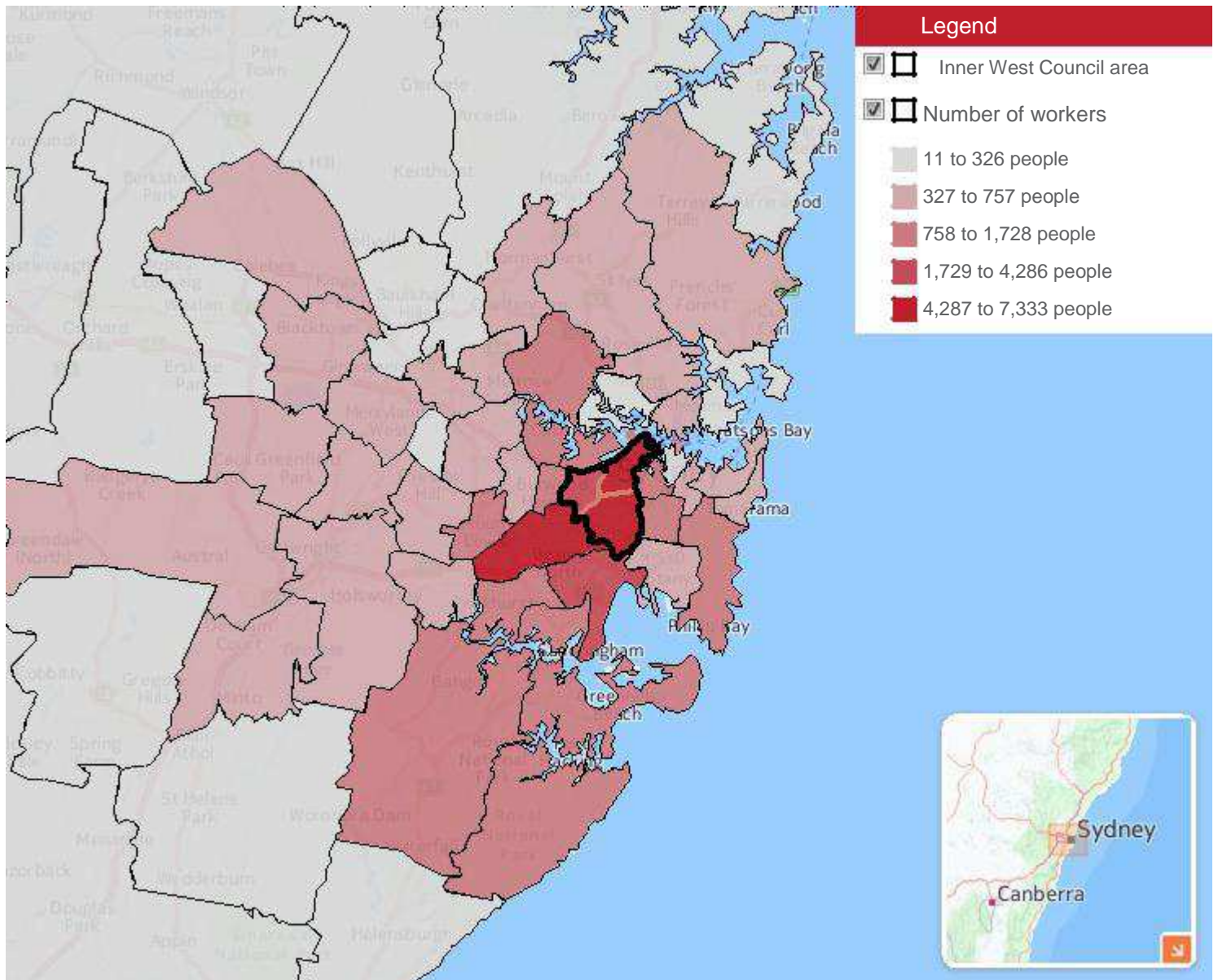
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#### Detailed breakdown by SLA

# Residential locations of workers by SLA, 2011

Inner West Council area - Total area (All SLAs)



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# Residential location of local workers by SLA

Inner West Council area - Total area	2011	
	Number	%
SLA		
Marrickville (A)	7,333	14.1
Leichhardt (A)	6,002	11.5
Canterbury (C)	4,287	8.2
Ashfield (A)	3,862	7.4
Rockdale (C)	1,729	3.3
Canada Bay (A) - Drummoyne	1,523	2.9
Randwick (C)	1,261	2.4
Sydney (C) - South	1,225	2.3
Hurstville (C)	1,093	2.1
Ryde (C)	1,082	2.1
Burwood (A)	991	1.9
Canada Bay (A) - Concord	989	1.9
Sutherland Shire (A) - East	895	1.7
Sutherland Shire (A) - West	889	1.7
Sydney (C) - West	868	1.7
Kogarah (C)	828	1.6
Bankstown (C) - North-East	758	1.5
Auburn (C)	756	1.4
Strathfield (A)	742	1.4
Waverley (A)	670	1.3

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing 2011](#). Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#), the population experts.

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## Residents' place of work

Where do the Inner West Council area's residents go to work? Journey to Work data shows how many residents work locally, and how many commute out of the area and where they commute to. Some areas consist mainly of dormitory suburbs and the majority of the residents commute out to work. Other areas have large employment centres which attract a local workforce. Understanding where the Inner West Council area's residents go to work assists in planning and advocacy for roads and public transport provision. It also helps to clarify the economic and employment drivers across areas and assists in understanding the degree of employment self-containment within the Inner West Council area.

### Overview

#### Employment location of resident workers

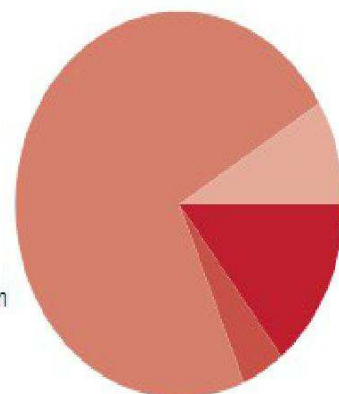
Inner West Council area		2011	
Status	Number	%	
Live and work in the area	17,197	18.6	
Live and work in the same SLA	13,269	14.3	
Live in the area and work in different SLA	3,928	4.2	
Live in the area, but work outside	67,172	72.6	
Work location unknown	8,129	8.8	
<b>Total employed residents</b>	<b>92,498</b>	<b>100.0</b>	

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, [Census of Population and Housing](#) 2011. Compiled and presented in profile.id by [.id](#), the population experts.

#### Employment location of resident workers, 2011

Inner West Council area

- Live and work in the same SLA
- Live in the area and work in different SLA
- Live in the area, but work outside
- Work location unknown



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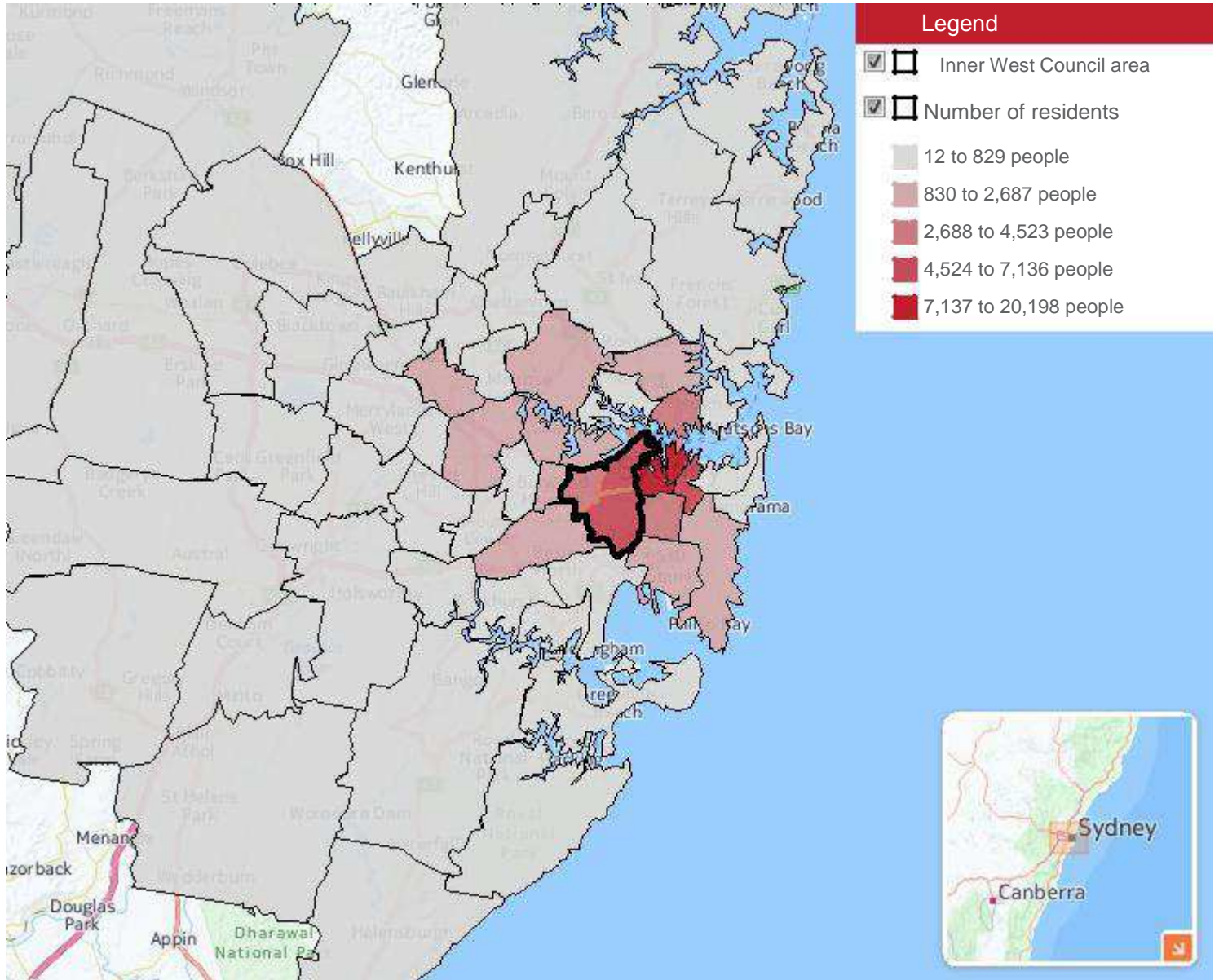
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#### Detailed breakdown by SLA



# Employment locations of residents by SLA, 2011

Inner West Council area - Total area (All SLAs)



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011.  
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# Employment location of resident workers by SLA

Inner West Council area - Total area (All SLAs)		2011	
SLA		Number	%
Sydney (C) - Inner		20,198	21.8
Sydney (C) - West		7,137	7.7
Leichhardt (A)		7,087	7.7
Marrickville (A)		6,923	7.5
Sydney (C) - East		4,524	4.9
Sydney (C) - South		4,083	4.4
North Sydney (A)		3,618	3.9
Ashfield (A)		3,187	3.4
POW State/Territory undefined (NSW)		2,688	2.9
Ryde (C)		2,538	2.7
POW No Fixed Address (NSW)		2,300	2.5
Botany Bay (C)		1,966	2.1
Randwick (C)		1,873	2.0
POW not stated		1,839	2.0
Parramatta (C) - Inner		1,815	2.0
Willoughby (C)		1,814	2.0
Auburn (C)		1,501	1.6
Burwood (A)		1,238	1.3
POW Capital city undefined (Greater Sydney)		1,185	1.3
Canada Bay (A) - Concord		1,125	1.2

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## SEIFA - disadvantage by Local Government Area

The Inner West Council area SEIFA Index of Disadvantage measures the relative level of socio-economic disadvantage based on a range of Census characteristics. It is a good place to start to get a general view of the relative level of disadvantage in one area compared to others and is used to advocate for an area based on its level of disadvantage.

The index is derived from attributes that reflect disadvantage such as low income, low educational attainment, high unemployment, and jobs in relatively unskilled occupations. When targeting services to disadvantaged communities, it is important to also look at these underlying characteristics as they can differ markedly between areas with similar SEIFA scores and shed light on the type of disadvantage being experienced.

A higher score on the index means a *lower* level of disadvantage. A lower score on the index means a *higher* level of disadvantage.

## Index of Relative Socio-economic Disadvantage

### Local Government Areas in New South Wales

Local Government Area	2011 index
Ku-ring-gai (A)	1,120.7
Mosman (A)	1,110.7
Woollahra (A)	1,107.0
Lane Cove (A)	1,106.9
The Hills Shire (A)	1,104.8
North Sydney (A)	1,104.8
Manly (A)	1,099.4
Pittwater (A)	1,094.4
Hunters Hill (A)	1,092.2
Hornsby (A)	1,085.2

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## SEIFA - disadvantage by small area

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The percentile column indicates the approximate position of this small area in a ranked list of Australia's suburbs and localities. It's meant to give an indication of where the area sits within the whole nation. A higher number indicates a higher socio-economic status. For instance, a percentile of 72 indicates that approximately 72% of Australia's suburbs have a SEIFA index lower than this area (more disadvantaged), while 28% are higher.

## Index of Relative Socio-economic Disadvantage

### Inner West Council area's small areas and benchmark areas

Area	2011 index	Percentile
Birchgrove	1,124.3	99
Rozelle	1,107.4	97
Camperdown	1,099.4	95
Balmain East	1,096.4	94
Annandale	1,086.9	91
Balmain Ward	1,085.2	90
Balmain	1,079.7	88
Stanmore	1,073.9	86
Newtown	1,068.9	84
Leichhardt	1,062.5	81

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011. Compiled and presented in profile.id by .id, the population experts.

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# Inner West Council area

## About the community profile

Demographic change across Australia is recorded by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) in the Census collections every five years. [Population experts, .id](#), analyse and convert these raw figures into stories of place to inform council staff, community groups, investors, business, students and the general public.

The Inner West Council area Community Profile provides demographic analysis for the Council and its suburbs based on results from the 2011, 2006, 2001, 1996 and 1991 Censuses of Population and Housing. The profile is updated with population estimates when the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) releases new figures such as the annual Estimated Resident Population (ERP).

Suburb boundaries and Census questions change over time, but .id manages the data to ensure that there is an accurate time series provided for the current geographic boundaries. You can read more about this in the [Geography Notes](#) section.

Results for the Inner West Council area include population, age structure, ethnicity, ancestry, religion, income, qualifications, occupations, employment, unemployment, disability, disadvantage, volunteering, childcare, family structure, household structure, housing tenure, mortgage and rental payments, and the size and type of the dwellings people live in.

The Community Profile presents this information in clear maps, tables and charts with concise factual commentary to answer three important questions:

1. What are the characteristics of the people who live here?
2. How are they changing?
3. How do they compare to other areas?

This provides the basis for making evidence-based decisions about how to provide services for the community as it changes.

You can be confident about the quality of the information as it is derived from Australian Bureau of Statistics data, analysed and presented by population experts and funded by the Inner West Council area.