


City of Swan – Urban Growth Corridor Local Area

Highlights from the 2016 Census of Population and Housing

Total population 2016 9,140 ▲ 22.0% 2015 7,494 ▲ 2014 5,941 ▲ <small>ABS Estimated resident population (ERP) – Year ending 30 June</small>	Median age 29 ▼ 16 Greater Perth 36 ◀▶ Western Australia 36 ◀▶ Australia 38 ▲	Couples with children 40% ▲ 7.3% Greater Perth 32% ▲ Western Australia 31% ▲ Australia 30% ▼	Older couples without children 3% ▼ -8.6% Greater Perth 9% ▲ Western Australia 9% ▲ Australia 10% ▲	Medium and high density housing 17% ▲ 17.1% Greater Perth 25% ▲ Western Australia 21% ▲ Australia 27% ▲
Households with a mortgage 70 % ▲ 40.9% Greater Perth 40% ▲ Western Australia 37% ▲ Australia 32% ▼	Median weekly rent \$394 Greater Perth \$372 Western Australia \$348 Australia \$339	Households renting 14% ▼ -4.6% Greater Perth 26% ▼ Western Australia 27% ▼ Australia 29% ▲	Non-English speaking backgrounds 32.9% ▲ 19.6% Greater Perth 19.3% ▲ Western Australia 16.6% ▲ Australia 17.9% ▲	University attendance 4.0% ▲ 1.3% Greater Perth 5.1% ▲ Western Australia 4.3% ▲ Australia 5.0% ▲
ATSI population <small>(Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander)</small> 1.4% ▲ 1.4% Greater Perth 1.6% ◀▶ Western Australia 3.1% ◀▶ Australia 2.8% ▲	Need for assistance with core activities 1.7% ▼ -1.1% Greater Perth 3.9% ▲ Western Australia 3.9% ▲ Australia 5.1% ▲	Population less than 15 years of age 22.6% ▲ 9.8% Greater Perth 19.0% ▼ Western Australia 19.2% ▼ Australia 18.7% ▼	Population aged 70 and over 1.9% ▼ -10.3% Greater Perth 9.3% ▲ Western Australia 9.3% ▲ Australia 10.7% ▲	Volunteers 14.1% ▼ -0.7% Greater Perth 17.9% ▲ Western Australia 19.0% ▲ Australia 19.0% ▲
	Households with two or more vehicles 68.5% ▼ -2.0% Greater Perth 57.0% ▲ Western Australia 56.5% ▲ Australia 51.1% ▲	Largest country of birth – India 10.9% ▲ 9.4% Greater Perth 2.4% ▲ Western Australia 2.0% ▲ Australia 1.9% ▲		

Key: ◀▶ No significant change since 2011 Census (less than +/- 0.5%) ▲ Increased since 2011 ▼ Decreased since 2011
Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing 2011 and 2016. Compiled and presented in Profile.id

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