

Statistical Profiles (2006 Census)

Electoral District: SURFERS PARADISE

Area: 27 km²

	Males		Females		Total	
	no.	% of Total	no.	% of Total	no.	% of Total
POPULATION						
Age - Total Population (years)						
0-16	3,955	15.75%	3,588	14.84%	7,543	15.30%
17	338	1.35%	241	1.00%	579	1.17%
18-24	3,130	12.46%	2,924	12.09%	6,054	12.28%
25-44	7,164	28.52%	6,673	27.60%	13,837	28.07%
45-59	5,133	20.44%	5,170	21.38%	10,303	20.90%
60+	5,397	21.49%	5,587	23.10%	10,984	22.28%
Total Population	25,117	100.00%	24,183	100.00%	49,300	100.00%
Total Aged 18+	20,824	82.91%	20,354	84.17%	41,178	83.52%
Population Movement						
Same address 5 years ago	7,994	33.14%	8,382	36.07%	16,376	34.58%
Different address 5 years ago						
Queensland	6,804	28.21%	6,911	29.74%	13,715	28.96%
Other	4,896	20.30%	4,576	19.69%	9,472	20.00%
Not Stated	4,425	18.35%	3,367	14.49%	7,792	16.46%
Total	24,119	100.00%	23,236	100.00%	47,355	100.00%
AUSTRALIAN CITIZENS						
Age - Australian Citizens (years)						
0-17	3,281	18.67%	3,058	17.33%	6,339	18.00%
18-24	1,861	10.59%	1,830	10.37%	3,691	10.48%
25-44	4,652	26.47%	4,393	24.89%	9,045	25.68%
45-59	3,748	21.33%	4,024	22.80%	7,772	22.07%
60+	4,029	22.93%	4,341	24.60%	8,371	23.77%
Total	17,571	100.00%	17,646	100.00%	35,217	100.00%
Total Citizens 18+	14,290	81.33%	14,588	82.67%	28,878	82.00%
Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islanders (18+)	92	0.52%	112	0.63%	204	0.58%
ETHNICITY AND LANGUAGE						
Birthplace						
Australian born	13,938	55.49%	13,747	56.82%	27,685	56.14%
Overseas born						
Main English Speaking Country	3,677	14.64%	3,492	14.43%	7,169	14.54%
Other Country	3,029	12.06%	3,426	14.16%	6,455	13.09%
Not Stated	4,474	17.81%	3,530	14.59%	8,005	16.23%
Total	25,119	100.00%	24,195	100.00%	49,314	100.00%
Language Spoken at Home						
English Only	18,031	71.79%	17,792	73.50%	35,823	72.63%
Other	2,847	11.33%	3,236	13.37%	6,083	12.33%
Not Stated	4,240	16.88%	3,178	13.13%	7,418	15.04%
Total	25,118	100.00%	24,206	100.00%	49,324	100.00%
INTERNET CONNECTIONS						
Internet Connections (Households)						
Use the Internet					12,172	65.30%
Do not use the Internet					5,734	30.76%
Not Stated					734	3.94%
Total					18,640	100.00%
ENROLMENT INFORMATION						
Enrolment for Redistribution (17/12/2007)						
						30,981
Predicted Enrolment for Redistribution (17/12/2014)						
						34,575
Current Enrolment (28/11/2008)						
						30,273
Enrolment Growth per year						
						-2.40%
Enrolment Projection - June 2009						
						29,846
Electoral Density (Current Enrolment/Area)						
						1,104.27

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, Place of Usual Residence