

EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE

Profile



MAIN TOWNS AND VILLAGES IN THE EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE

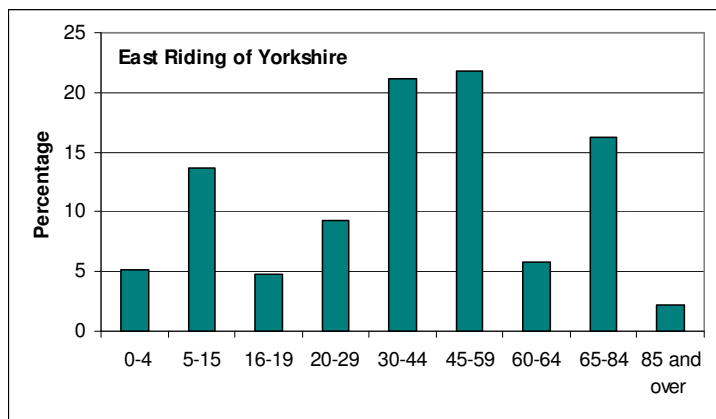
Anlaby, Bridlington, Beverley, Cottingham, Driffield, Goole, Hedon, Hessle, Hornsea, Howden, Market Weighton, Pocklington, Willerby and Withernsea

POPULATION

On Census Day, 29 April 2001, there were 314,113 people who usually lived in the East Riding of Yorkshire.

153,049 of them were male, and 161,064 were female.

18.8% of the population is under 16; 62.8% is aged between 16 and 64, and 18.4% is aged 65 and over.



ETHNICITY

97.6% of the population of the East Riding describe themselves as White British, 1.2% as other White [e.g. Irish, other European] and 1.2% as Black and minority ethnic groupings [BME].

Specific BME groups are:

Mixed	Asian & Asian British	Black & Black British	Chinese and other
0.4%	0.5%	0.1%	0.2%

RELIGION

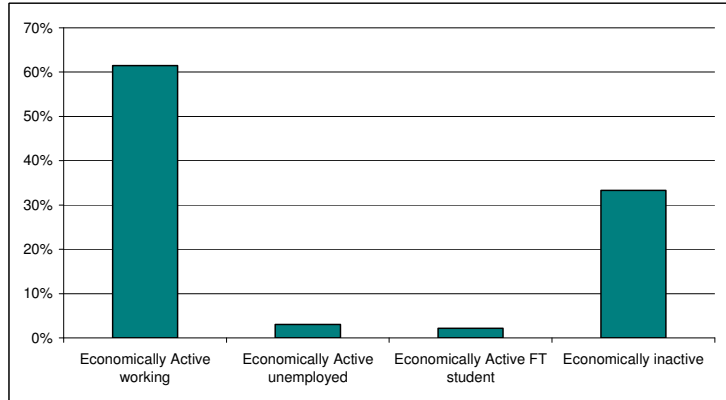
This question was voluntary, and 7.5% of the people in East Riding of Yorkshire chose not to answer. 79.7% said that they were Christian, 0.9% cited other non-Christian religions and 11.9% said that they had no religion.

LIVING ARRANGEMENTS

Of the people aged 16 and over living in households, 67.7% live in a couple [either married, re-married or cohabiting], 17.6% are not living in a couple [single, married or re-married], 6.7% are divorced or separated and 8.0% are widowed.

EMPLOYMENT

On Census Day, 61.5% of the population aged 16 – 74 in the East Riding of Yorkshire were working. 3.0% were economically active, but unemployed, and a further 2.2% were economically active full-time students. 33.3% of the people of this age group were economically inactive.



Census data shows that people claim to work the following hours:

Male			Female		
30 hpw or less	31 – 37 hpw	38 hpw or more	30 hpw or less	31 – 37 hpw	38 hpw or more
9.5%	12.6%	78.0%	49.1%	20.4%	30.5%

The industries in which they worked were:

Agriculture; hunting; forestry	4.3%	Transport storage and communication	6.2%
Fishing	0.1%	Financial services	2.4%
Mining & quarrying	0.4%	Real estate; renting and business activities	9.0%
Manufacturing	16.4%	Public administration and defence	6.1%
Electricity; gas and water supply	0.9%	Education	8.8%
Construction	7.0%	Health and social work	12.2%
Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles	16.7%	Other	4.6%
Hotels and catering	5.0%		

And the occupations within those industries are:

Managers and senior officials	15.1%	Personal service occupations	7.1%
Professional occupations	10.5%	Sales and customer service occupations	7.3%
Associate professional and technical occupations	13.2%	Process; plant and machine operatives	8.5%
Administrative and secretarial occupations	12.2%	Elementary occupations	11.9%
Skilled trades occupations	14.1%		

QUALIFICATIONS

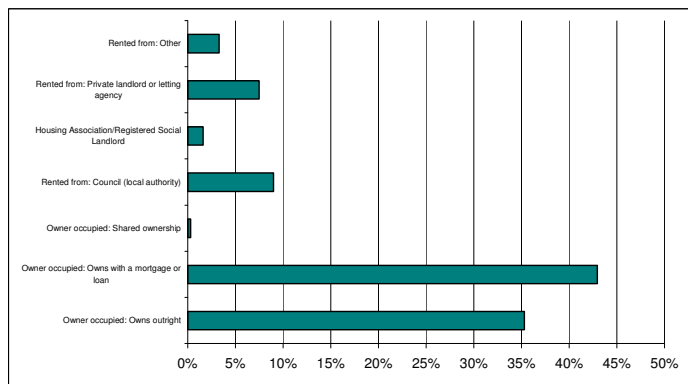
The Census also asked people about their qualifications. The results have been analysed by NVQ levels, and for the East Riding, the percentages of those with qualifications is as follows:

Highest qualification attained level 4/5	18.1%	First degree; Higher degree; NVQ levels 4 and 5; HNC; HND; Qualified Teacher Status; Qualified Medical Doctor; Qualified Dentist; Qualified Nurse; Midwife; Health Visitor
Highest qualification attained level 3	7.0%	2+ 'A' levels; 4+ AS levels; Higher School Certificate; NVQ level 3; Advanced GNVQ
Highest qualification attained level 2	19.7%	5+ 'O' level passes; 5+ CSEs (grade 1's); 5+ GCSEs (grades A-C); School Certificate; 1+ 'A' levels/'AS' levels; NVQ level 2 Intermediate GNVQ.
Highest qualification attained level 1	17.6%	1+ 'O' level passes; 1+ CSE/GCSE any grades; NVQ level 1 Foundation GNVQ.
Other qualifications/level unknown	8.5%	
No qualifications	29.2%	

HOUSEHOLDS

There are 131,084 households in the East Riding, of which 35.3% are owned outright by the occupier, 43.0% are owned with a mortgage or loan and 0.3% are in shared ownership [part rent/part mortgage].

A further 9.0% are rented from the local council, 1.6% from a housing association or registered social landlord, 7.5% rented from a private landlord and 3.3% were other types of rental, [e.g. tied housing associated with employment].



The average household size is 2.3, and there are, on average, 5.7 rooms per household.

There are 89 households in the East Riding of Yorkshire without both central heating and sole use of a bath/shower and toilet.

There are 722 male lone-parent households and 5,753 female lone parent households.

20.2% of households have no car/van.

HEALTH

In the East Riding, there are 56,888 people with a limiting long-term illness [18.1% of the population].

The 2001 Census also asked people about their general health. 68.8% said that it was generally good, 22.4% said fairly good, and 8.7% said that it was not good.

10.4% of the people say that they are unpaid carers.