

Census 2021

Summary of findings

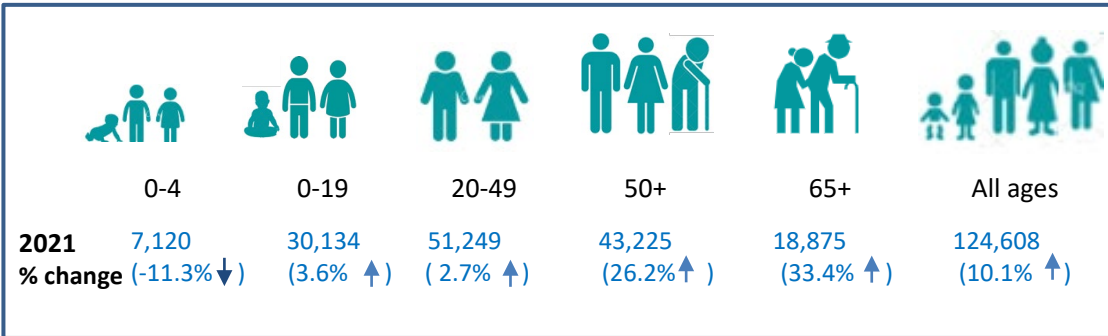


Highlights

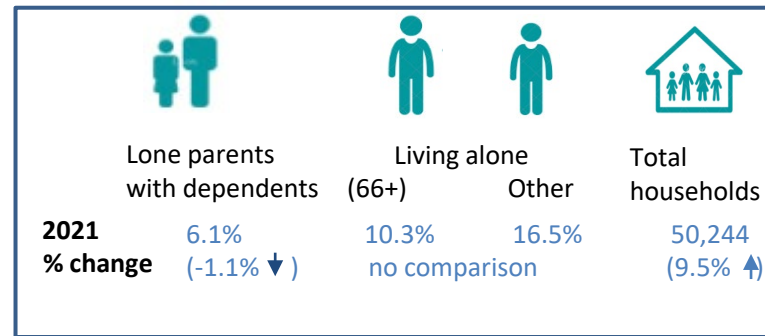
- The size of the population in Bracknell has increased by 10% from 2011 to 2022.
- The age structure of Bracknell Forest changed with an increase in population size of all age groups, including an increase of 18.5% in the 5-14 year age group and a 26.2% increase in older population (50+).
- Although Bracknell Forest still has a younger population than the South East region and England, it had a 33% increase in the proportion of population aged 65+, from 2011 census.
- Population affiliated with no religion was 40.4% (50,300) of people, 11.9% increase from 2011 census. The increase was slightly lower than 12.6% increase in the South East region but similar to the increase in England (11.9%).

Demographic characteristics

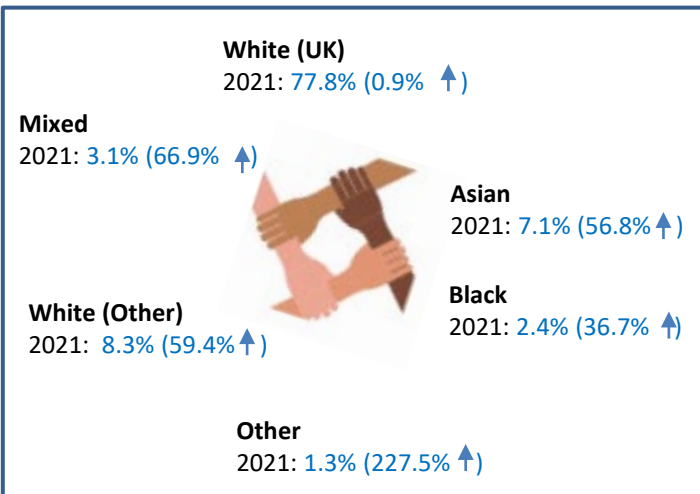
Age distribution



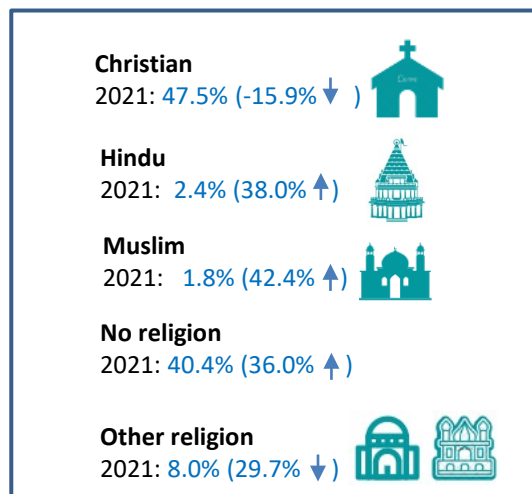
Households composition



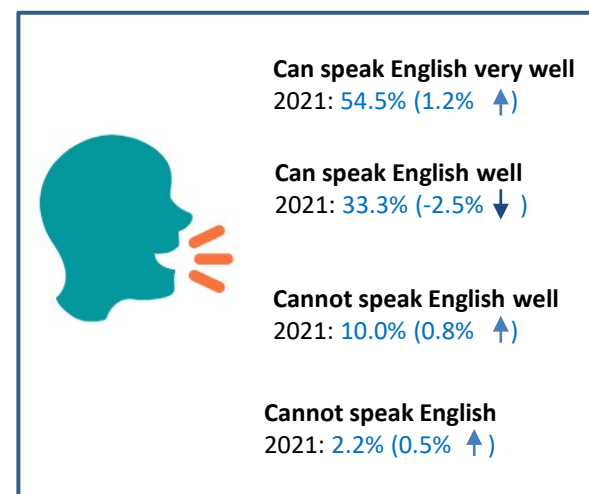
Ethnic composition



Religion composition



English language proficiency



Please note that % change under age distribution and households composition refers to % change of population size from 2011 census

Socio-economic characteristics

Household deprivation

Dimensions: 1)employment, 2) education, 3)health and 4)housing



Not deprived in any dimension

2021: 56.4% (3.4% ↑)

Deprived in 1 dimension

2021: 31.1% (0.8% ↑)

Deprived in 2 or more dimensions

2021: 12.5% (-4.2% ↓)

Economic activity status

Economically active (69,400 – 69.4%)

(-9% ↓ from 2011)



Employees

2021: 56.4% (-5.9% ↓)

Self-employed

2021: 10.0% (0.2% ↑)



Unemployed

2021: 3.0% (-0.4% ↓)

Economically inactive (30,534 – 30.6%)

(9% ↑ from 2011)



Retired

2021: 18.0% (7.8% ↑)

Student

2021: 3.9% (-0.3% ↓)



Looking after home/family

2021: 3.8% (0.2% ↑)

Other

2021: 4.9% (1.3% ↑)

Distance travelled to work



Work mainly from home

2021: 39.9% (28.8% ↑)

Work in no fixed place

2021: 14.1% (5.7% ↑)

Travel <10km

2021: 27.5% (-18.1% ↓)

Travel >10km

2021: 18.5% (-16.0% ↓)

ONS Socio-Economic Classification



Intermediate to higher managerial

2021: 49.6% (0.1% ↑)

Lower supervisory & small employers

2021: 16.7% (-0.1% ↓)

Routine and semi routine

2021: 20.3% (-1.3% ↓)



Never worked and long-term unemployed

2021: 6.4% (2.7% ↑)

Occupations



Managerial, professional or technical occupations

2021: 52.2% (5.3% ↑)

Administrative and secretarial occupations

2021: 10.0% (-2.2% ↓)

Elementary occupations

2021: 7.9% (-1.1% ↓)