

# Basingstoke and Deane Census 2021 First Results



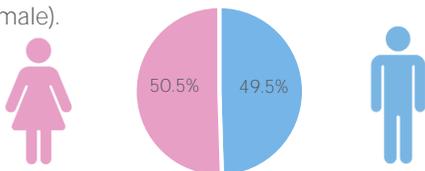
## Population

The Census 2021 population of Basingstoke and Deane was 185,200 people. The population had increased by 17,400 people since 2011, approximately 10.4%, compared to 7.5% for the South East and 6.6% for England.

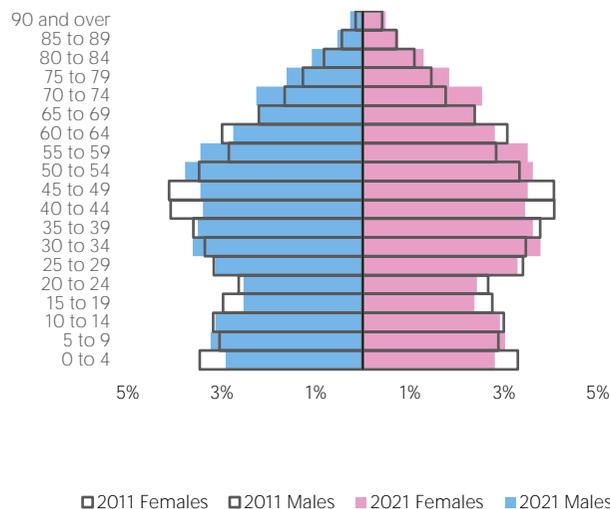


## Sex

There were slightly more females than males living within the borough. The same as 2011 (50.5% female and 49.5% male).

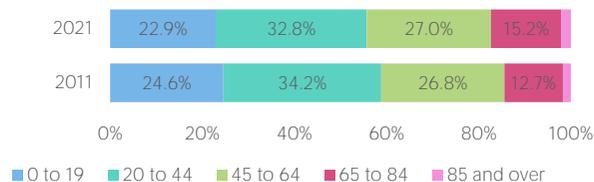


## Age and Sex Profile



Below the age of 20, the percentage of males (11.8%) in the borough was slightly higher than that of females (11.1%). At age 65 and over the percentage of females (9.3%) was slightly higher than that of males (8.0%).

## Ageing Population



The population had aged between the 2011 and 2021 censuses, shown by an increase in the percentage of individuals occupying the older ages, alongside a reduction in the percentage of children. The percentage of the population aged 20-64 declined slightly over the period, from 61.0% of the population in 2011 to 59.8% in 2021.

## Dependency Ratios



**67.3** Total dependency ratio  
(ratio of children (0-19) and those of older age (65 and over) to the working age population (20-64 years))



**38.4** Child dependency ratio  
(ratio of those aged 0-19 years to those aged 20-64 years)



**28.9** Older age dependency ratio  
(ratio of those aged 65 and over to those aged 20-64 years)

The total dependency ratio had increased by 5.3%. The child dependency ratio had declined by 4.8%, whilst the older age dependency ratio had increased by 22.5%.

Households with at least one usual resident  
There were 76,600 households with at least one usual resident in Basingstoke and Deane in 2021. This was an increase of 7,285 households since 2011, approximately 10.5%, higher than the South East (7.1%) and England (6.2%).



## Population Density

The borough had become more densely populated, with 292 people per square kilometre in 2021, compared to 265 people per square kilometre in 2011, an increase of 10.2%.

