



2011 Census parish profile: Cranfield

Total population: 5,370

Households: 1,820

Dwellings: 1,900

Population density: 3.2 people per hectare

Area: 1,670 hectares

Age group, all people

	No.	%	CBC Eng	
			%	%
0-4	320	5.9	6.3	6.3
5-15	710	13.2	13.3	12.6
16-17	90	1.8	2.6	2.5
18-64	3,570	66.4	62.1	62.3
65-84	620	11.5	13.8	14.1
85+	70	1.2	1.8	2.3
Total	5,370	100	100	100

Gender, all people

	No.	%	CBC Eng	
			%	%
Male	2,900	54.0	49.5	49.2
Female	2,470	46.0	50.5	50.8
Total	5,370	100	100	100

Ethnic origin, all people

	No.	%	CBC Eng	
			%	%
White British	3,700	68.9	89.7	79.8
White Other	480	9.0	4.2	5.7
Mixed	110	2.0	1.9	2.2
Asian	620	11.5	2.6	7.7
Black	250	4.7	1.4	3.4
Other	210	3.9	0.3	1.0
Total	5,370	100	100	100

Country of birth, all people

	No.	%	CBC Eng	
			%	%
UK	3,900	72.6	92.1	86.2
Ireland	60	1.0	1.0	0.8
EU (pre 2004)	290	5.4	1.4	1.7
EU (acc.)	90	1.7	1.1	2.1
Other	1,040	19.3	4.4	9.3
Total	5,370	100	100	100

EU (acc.) = accession states, joining EU from 2004

Marital status, people aged 16+

	No.	%	CBC Eng	
			%	%
Single	1,530	35.1	29.2	34.6
Married	2,250	51.8	52.5	46.6
Civil partnership	10	0.1	0.1	0.2
Separated / Divorced	350	8.1	11.9	11.7
Widowed	210	4.9	6.3	6.9
Total	4,340	100	100	100

Religion, all people

	No.	%	CBC Eng	
			%	%
Christian	3,080	57.3	62.2	59.4
Other religion	640	11.9	2.6	8.7
No religion	1,340	24.9	28.4	24.7
Not stated	320	5.9	6.8	7.2
Total	5,370	100	100	100

General health, all people

	No.	%	CBC Eng	
			%	%
Very good health	2,960	55.1	49.1	47.2
Good health	1,760	32.8	35.5	34.2
Fairly good health	490	9.1	11.5	13.1
Bad health	130	2.4	3.0	4.2
Very bad health	30	0.6	0.8	1.2
Total	5,370	100	100	100

Housing tenure, all households

	No.	%	CBC Eng	
			%	%
Owned	1,290	71.1	73.3	64.2
Socially rented	170	9.5	13.4	17.7
Private rented	350	19.5	13.2	18.1
Total	1,820	100	100	100

'Owned' includes shared ownership; 'Private rented' includes living rent free.

Dwelling type, all household spaces

	No.	CBC Eng		
		%	%	%
Detached	780	41.1	28.2	22.3
Semi-det	640	33.6	33.8	30.7
Terraced	310	16.4	25.3	24.5
Flat etc	140	7.4	11.7	22.1
Caravan etc	30	1.5	1.0	0.4
Total	1,900	100	100	100

Economic activity, all people 16-74

	No.	CBC Eng		
		%	%	%
Econ active	2,420	59.5	74.7	69.9
Employee - PT	470	11.6	14.0	13.7
Employee - FT	1,340	32.9	43.6	38.6
Self employed	330	8.2	11.0	9.8
Unemployed	90	2.1	3.5	4.4
FT student	190	4.7	2.8	3.4
Econ inactive	1,650	40.5	25.3	30.1
Retired	430	10.6	13.5	13.7
Student	970	23.8	4.2	5.8
Look / home	150	3.8	3.9	4.4
Sick / disabled	40	1.1	2.4	4.0
Other	50	1.2	1.3	2.2
Total	4,080	100	100	100

Econ = Economically; PT = Part time; FT = Full time; Look/home = Looking after home

Top three industries of employment

	No.	%
1. Education	420	10.2
2. Wholesale & retail	390	9.6
3. Construction	190	4.7
Total aged 16-74	4,080	100

Shows industries for residents, not workers.

Qualifications, all people 16+

	No.	CBC Eng		
		%	%	%
No quals	600	13.7	19.4	22.5
Level 1 or 2	1,020	23.5	31.9	28.5
Apprenticeship	190	4.4	4.7	3.6
Level 3	440	10.2	12.6	12.4
Level 4+	1,790	41.1	27.3	27.4
Total	4,340	100	100	100

Level 1/2 = GCSE, level 3 = A level, level 4+ = degree. Total includes 'other' qualifications.

Household composition, all households

	No.	CBC Eng		
		%	%	%
1 person - pensioner	180	9.9	11.2	12.4
1 person - other	210	11.3	14.7	17.9
Couple - no children	350	19.2	20.5	17.6
Couple + dep children	470	25.5	23.1	19.3
Couple + non dep ch	130	6.9	7.3	6.1
LP + dep children	70	3.6	6.5	7.1
LP + non dep children	40	2.3	3.1	3.5
All aged 65 and over	160	8.6	8.7	8.4
All other households	230	12.7	4.9	7.7
Total	1,820	100	100	100

LP = lone parent; dep = dependent; ch = children; couple includes married and cohabiting

Amenities and cars, all households

	No.	CBC Eng		
		%	%	%
Overcrowded*	130	6.9	4.6	8.7
No central heating	20	1.0	1.7	2.7
No car or van	230	12.4	13.2	25.8
2 or more cars or vans	910	50.0	46.7	32.0
Total number of cars	2,900	-	-	-
Total households	1,820	100	100	100

* Occupancy rating of -1 (one room too few). Takes account of no. of rooms, and people by relationship, age and gender.

Socio-economic classification, all people 16-74

	No.	CBC Eng		
		%	%	%
Managerial / professional	1,180	29.0	35.9	31.3
Intermediate	440	10.9	14.8	12.8
Small employers	340	8.3	10.5	9.4
Lower supervisor/technical	210	5.2	7.2	6.9
Routine & semi-routine	640	15.8	21.8	25.0
Never worked	110	2.7	3.1	5.6
Not classified	1,150	28.2	6.8	9.0
Total	4,080	100	100	100

Method of travel to work, all people 16-74 in employ

	No.	CBC Eng		
		%	%	%
Work at home	160	6.8	6.0	5.4
Car	1,740	75.4	74.3	62.0
Train	70	3.0	6.4	5.3
Foot	190	8.2	8.1	10.7
Other	150	6.5	5.1	16.5
Total	2,310	100	100	100

Method of longest part, by distance, of journey to work.

Source: Office for National Statistics

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Please note i) Percentages are calculated to one decimal place, ii) Numbers are rounded to the nearest 10

iii) Totals may not sum exactly due to rounding

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