

Census data for Parliamentary constituencies in England & Wales, 2011

West Ham

Table KS101: Usual resident population

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents	158,142	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	81,427	51.5%	49.3%	49.2%	7
Females	76,715	48.5%	50.7%	50.8%	567
People living in households	157,310	99.5%	98.8%	98.2%	29
People living in communal establishments	832	0.5%	1.2%	1.8%	545
Students living away from home ¹	1,270	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	91.2	-	-	-	21

1. Schoolchild or full-time student aged 4 and over at their non term-time address.

Table KS102: Age structure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents	158,142	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	33,878	21.4%	19.8%	18.8%	54
16 to 24	25,216	15.9%	12.3%	11.9%	53
25 to 44	61,207	38.7%	35.5%	27.3%	25
45 to 64	27,048	17.1%	21.2%	25.4%	561
65 and older	10,793	6.8%	11.1%	16.6%	570

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All households	55,510	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	15,964	28.8%	31.6%	30.2%	344
Aged 65 and older	3,935	7.1%	9.6%	12.4%	563
Aged under 65	12,029	21.7%	22.0%	17.8%	81
One family	25,768	46.4%	53.5%	61.8%	549
Lone parent with dependent children	5,776	10.4%	8.5%	7.2%	37
Other	13,778	24.8%	15.0%	7.9%	2

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All households	55,510	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	15,917	28.7%	28.2%	33.6%	470
With dependent children	4,346	7.8%	5.7%	4.2%	36
Without dependent children	11,571	20.8%	22.5%	29.4%	547

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents	158,142	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	54,623	34.5%	59.8%	86.0%	567
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	31,420	19.9%	44.9%	80.5%	568
Irish	1,333	0.8%	2.2%	0.9%	198
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	203	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	150
Other White	21,667	13.7%	12.6%	4.4%	33
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	8,138	5.1%	5.0%	2.2%	36
White and Black Caribbean	2,459	1.6%	1.5%	0.8%	69
White and Black African	1,917	1.2%	0.8%	0.3%	8
White and Asian	1,401	0.9%	1.2%	0.6%	110
Other Mixed	2,361	1.5%	1.5%	0.5%	33
Asian/Asian British	53,267	33.7%	18.5%	7.5%	21
Indian	14,805	9.4%	6.6%	2.5%	32
Pakistani	10,435	6.6%	2.7%	2.0%	43
Bangladeshi	17,665	11.2%	2.7%	0.8%	5
Chinese	2,444	1.5%	1.5%	0.7%	53
Other Asian	7,918	5.0%	4.9%	1.5%	28
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British	36,483	23.1%	13.3%	3.3%	13
African	23,135	14.6%	7.0%	1.8%	4
Caribbean	8,950	5.7%	4.2%	1.1%	21
Other Black	4,398	2.8%	2.1%	0.5%	20
Other ethnic group	5,631	3.6%	3.4%	1.0%	32
Arab	1,955	1.2%	1.3%	0.4%	38
Any other ethnic group	3,676	2.3%	2.1%	0.6%	28

Table KS204: Country of birth

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents	158,142	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	75,965	48.0%	63.3%	86.6%	566
England	74,309	47.0%	61.1%	80.0%	527
Scotland	783	0.5%	1.1%	1.3%	547
Wales	450	0.3%	0.7%	4.9%	546
Northern Ireland	317	0.2%	0.4%	0.4%	529
United Kingdom (not specified)	106	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1
Ireland	1,178	0.7%	1.6%	0.7%	167
Other European Union	20,054	12.7%	8.7%	3.6%	13
Member states in March 2001	4,577	2.9%	4.2%	1.6%	54
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	15,477	9.8%	4.5%	2.0%	6
Other countries	60,945	38.5%	26.4%	9.0%	7

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents	158,142	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
All passports ¹	149,184	-	-	-	-
No passport	12,362	7.8%	7.8%	16.9%	529
United Kingdom	93,835	59.3%	71.2%	75.7%	573
Republic of Ireland	1,211	0.8%	1.9%	0.7%	156
Other Europe: EU countries	23,378	14.8%	9.6%	3.5%	9
Other Europe: Non EU countries	965	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%	46
Africa	8,573	5.4%	2.9%	0.9%	6
Middle East and Asia	17,929	11.3%	5.2%	2.0%	6
North America and the Caribbean	1,482	0.9%	1.7%	0.6%	67
Central America	28	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	126
South America	1,181	0.7%	0.6%	0.1%	22
Antarctica and Oceania	582	0.4%	1.2%	0.4%	128

1. Total number of passports held by people living in the constituency. One person may hold more than one passport.

Table KS206: Household language

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All households	55,510	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
All people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	31,883	57.4%	74.0%	91.2%	566
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	8,706	15.7%	10.4%	3.7%	9
No people aged 16 and over in household but at least one person aged 3 to 15 has English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	2,378	4.3%	2.6%	0.8%	10
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	12,543	22.6%	12.9%	4.3%	7

Table KS209: Religion

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents	158,142	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	73,013	46.2%	48.4%	59.3%	528
Buddhist	1,398	0.9%	1.0%	0.4%	48
Hindu	8,281	5.2%	5.0%	1.5%	25
Jewish	193	0.1%	1.8%	0.5%	235
Muslim	42,448	26.8%	12.4%	4.8%	13
Sikh	2,123	1.3%	1.5%	0.8%	69
Other religion	610	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	273
No religion	18,950	12.0%	20.7%	25.1%	559
Religion not stated	11,126	7.0%	8.5%	7.2%	296

Table KS301: Health

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents	158,142	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	76,360	48.3%	50.5%	47.1%	184
Good health	54,889	34.7%	33.3%	34.1%	232
Fair health	17,846	11.3%	11.2%	13.2%	481
Bad health	6,669	4.2%	3.7%	4.3%	274
Very bad health	2,378	1.5%	1.2%	1.3%	150

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All households	55,510	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	16,247	29.3%	48.3%	63.6%	562
Owned outright	6,216	11.2%	21.1%	30.8%	564
Owned with a mortgage or loan	10,031	18.1%	27.1%	32.7%	557
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	1,308	2.4%	1.3%	0.8%	7
Social rented	18,767	33.8%	24.1%	17.6%	23
Rented from council (Local Authority)	11,555	20.8%	13.5%	9.4%	41
Other social rented	7,212	13.0%	10.6%	8.2%	74
Private rented	18,523	33.4%	25.1%	16.7%	14
Private landlord or letting agency	17,792	32.1%	23.7%	15.3%	13
Other private rented	731	1.3%	1.3%	1.4%	276
Living rent free	665	1.2%	1.3%	1.4%	340

Table KS404: Cars or vans

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All households	55,510	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	30,659	55.2%	41.6%	25.6%	16
1 car or van in household	20,070	36.2%	40.5%	42.2%	551
2 cars or vans in household	3,926	7.1%	14.0%	24.7%	558
3 cars or vans in household	678	1.2%	2.9%	5.5%	554
4 or more cars or vans in household	177	0.3%	0.9%	1.9%	556

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	124,264	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	25,789	20.8%	17.6%	22.7%	362
Level 1 qualifications	13,644	11.0%	10.7%	13.3%	496
Level 2 qualifications	14,069	11.3%	11.8%	15.3%	531
Apprenticeship	1,333	1.1%	1.6%	3.6%	552
Level 3 qualifications	12,408	10.0%	10.5%	12.3%	538
Level 4 qualifications and above	37,864	30.5%	37.7%	27.2%	157
Other qualifications	19,157	15.4%	10.0%	5.7%	6

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	119,582	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	82,340	68.9%	71.7%	69.7%	339
Employee: Part-time	12,961	10.8%	10.9%	13.7%	536
Employee: Full-time	39,493	33.0%	39.8%	38.5%	511
Self-employed	12,225	10.2%	11.7%	9.7%	233
Unemployed	8,386	7.0%	5.2%	4.4%	32
Full-time student	9,275	7.8%	4.1%	3.4%	15
Economically inactive	37,242	31.1%	28.3%	30.3%	235
Retired	6,937	5.8%	8.4%	13.8%	561
Student (including full-time students)	12,518	10.5%	7.8%	5.8%	49
Looking after home or family	7,501	6.3%	5.2%	4.3%	31
Long-term sick or disabled	5,114	4.3%	3.7%	4.2%	239
Other	5,172	4.3%	3.2%	2.2%	12
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In employment	64,679	54.1%	62.4%	61.9%	528
Unemployed	8,386	7.0%	5.2%	4.4%	32
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	2,011	1.7%	1.2%	1.2%	88
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	1,094	0.9%	0.9%	0.8%	120
Unemployed: Never worked	2,353	2.0%	1.1%	0.7%	9
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	3,019	2.5%	2.0%	1.7%	61

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	71,372	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	39	0.1%	0.1%	0.9%	531
Mining and quarrying	20	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%	546
Manufacturing	2,015	2.8%	3.2%	8.9%	545
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	133	0.2%	0.3%	0.6%	558
Water supply ¹	341	0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	476
Construction	6,708	9.4%	6.6%	7.7%	88
Wholesale and retail trade ²	10,596	14.8%	13.1%	15.9%	424
Transport and storage	3,766	5.3%	5.0%	5.0%	184
Accommodation and food service activities	8,716	12.2%	6.3%	5.6%	3
Information and communication	2,927	4.1%	6.9%	4.0%	175
Financial and insurance activities	3,755	5.3%	7.7%	4.3%	133
Real estate activities	1,217	1.7%	2.0%	1.4%	104
Professional, scientific and technical activities	4,106	5.8%	10.9%	6.6%	266
Administrative and support service activities	6,502	9.1%	5.9%	4.9%	1
Public administration and defence ³	2,945	4.1%	5.0%	6.0%	517
Education	6,233	8.7%	9.6%	9.9%	427
Human health and social work activities	7,829	11.0%	10.7%	12.5%	441
Other	3,524	4.9%	6.4%	5.0%	214

1. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities".

2. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motor cycles".

3. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Public administration and defence; compulsory social security"

Table KS608: Occupation

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	71,372	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	5,051	7.1%	11.6%	10.8%	548
Professional occupations	11,098	15.5%	22.5%	17.4%	310
Associate professional and technical occupations	7,455	10.4%	16.3%	12.7%	437
Administrative and secretarial occupations	7,198	10.1%	11.7%	11.4%	460
Skilled trades occupations	7,806	10.9%	8.3%	11.5%	376
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	6,720	9.4%	7.9%	9.4%	297
Sales and customer service occupations	7,770	10.9%	7.5%	8.4%	52
Process, plant and machine operatives	4,620	6.5%	4.7%	7.2%	362
Elementary occupations	13,654	19.1%	9.6%	11.1%	1

Table KS611: Socio-economic classification (NS-SeC)

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	London	England and Wales	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	119,582	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	7,551	6.3%	13.2%	10.3%	486
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,223	1.0%	2.5%	2.4%	558
Higher professional occupations	6,328	5.3%	10.7%	7.9%	431
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	18,282	15.3%	23.1%	20.8%	524
Intermediate	11,176	9.3%	11.8%	12.7%	547
Small employers and own account workers	12,084	10.1%	9.4%	9.4%	210
Lower supervisory and technical	7,063	5.9%	5.0%	6.9%	442
Semi-routine occupations	14,922	12.5%	10.4%	14.1%	411
Routine	11,980	10.0%	7.4%	11.1%	358
Never worked and long-term unemployed	15,380	12.9%	8.3%	5.6%	14
Never worked	12,361	10.3%	6.2%	3.9%	14
Long-term unemployed	3,019	2.5%	2.0%	1.7%	61
Not classified	21,144	17.7%	11.4%	9.0%	38
Full-time students	21,144	17.7%	11.4%	9.0%	38

1. The full name for this category in NS-SeC is " Large employers and higher managerial and administrative occupations".