

# Constituency Explorer Area Profile

## Blackpool South

2011 Census of Population (Office for National Statistics, General Register Office for Scotland, NI Statistics and Research Agency)

Table numbers refer to published Census output tables; Ranks are highest=1 to lowest=650 (for UK)

**Table KS101: Usual resident population**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>81,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Males	40,079	49.3%	49.1%	49.1%	207
Females	41,187	50.7%	50.9%	50.9%	444
People living in households	78,524	96.6%	98.2%	98.2%	520
People living in communal establishments	2,742	3.4%	1.8%	1.8%	62
Students living away from home <sup>1</sup>	575	-	-	-	-
<b>Population density (people per hectare)</b>	<b>40.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>97</b>

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>81,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
0 to 15	14,688	18.1%	18.6%	18.8%	394
16 to 24	9,273	11.4%	12.1%	11.9%	246
25 to 44	20,461	25.2%	26.4%	27.3%	409
45 to 64	22,153	27.3%	26.0%	25.6%	265
65 and older	14,691	18.1%	16.6%	16.4%	232

**Table KS105: Household composition**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>36,523</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>One person</b>	<b>13,955</b>	<b>38.2%</b>	<b>32.2%</b>	<b>30.6%</b>	<b>33</b>
Aged 65 and older	5,266	14.4%	12.8%	12.5%	109
Aged under 65	8,689	23.8%	19.4%	18.1%	69
<b>One family</b>	<b>19,935</b>	<b>54.6%</b>	<b>61.2%</b>	<b>61.7%</b>	<b>565</b>
Lone parent with dependent children	3,394	9.3%	8.1%	7.2%	87
<b>Other</b>	<b>2,633</b>	<b>7.2%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>212</b>

**Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>36,523</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>No adults in employment in household</b>	<b>15,452</b>	<b>42.3%</b>	<b>36.4%</b>	<b>33.9%</b>	<b>29</b>
With dependent children	2,198	6.0%	4.7%	4.2%	106
Without dependent children	13,254	36.3%	31.7%	29.7%	49

**Table KS201: Ethnic group**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>81,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>78,494</b>	<b>96.6%</b>	<b>90.2%</b>	<b>87.2%</b>	<b>263</b>
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	75,772	93.2%	87.1%	80.5% <sup>1</sup>	
Irish	590	0.7%	0.9%	0.9% <sup>1</sup>	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	168	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	1,964	2.4%	2.1%	4.4% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Mixed/multiple ethnic groups</b>	<b>1,057</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>316</b>
White and Black Caribbean	440	0.5%	0.6%	0.8% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Black African	151	0.2%	0.3%	0.3% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Asian	249	0.3%	0.4%	0.6% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Mixed	217	0.3%	0.3%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Asian/Asian British</b>	<b>1,307</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>6.2%</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>392</b>
Indian	327	0.4%	1.5%	2.3%	
Pakistani	139	0.2%	2.7%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	132	0.2%	0.7%	0.7%	
Chinese	324	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%	
Other Asian	385	0.5%	0.7%	1.4%	
<b>Black/African/Caribbean/Black British<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>196</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>499</b>
African	95	0.1%	0.8%	1.8% <sup>1</sup>	
Caribbean	67	0.1%	0.3%	1.1% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Black	34	0.0%	0.2%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Other ethnic group</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>359</b>
Arab	106	0.1%	0.3%	0.4% <sup>1</sup>	
Any other ethnic group	106	0.1%	0.3%	0.6% <sup>1</sup>	

... Data not available

1. UK rate not available, rate for England and Wales is shown for illustrative purposes.

Differences in the terminology and data collection of the country specific Scotland question make these categories difficult to compare.

2. The 'African' category in the Scottish question is presented in a separate section to the 'Caribbean' or 'Black' category, however, under the harmonised output these two categories are output as part of Black/African/Caribbean/Black British'.

**Table KS204: Country of birth**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>81,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>76,640</b>	<b>94.3%</b>	<b>91.8%</b>	<b>87.3%</b>	<b>244</b>
England	71,696	88.2%	89.0%	71.9%	278
Scotland	3,558	4.4%	1.4%	8.2%	63
Wales	806	1.0%	0.9%	4.4%	222
Northern Ireland	578	0.7%	0.5%	2.9%	47
United Kingdom (not specified) <sup>1</sup>	2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	521
<b>Ireland</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>235</b>
<b>Other European Union</b>	<b>2,114</b>	<b>2.6%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>299</b>
Member states in March 2001	650	0.8%	0.8%	1.6%	430
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	1,464	1.8%	1.2%	1.9%	231
<b>Other countries</b>	<b>1,990</b>	<b>2.4%</b>	<b>5.5%</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>468</b>

**Table KS205: Passports held**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>2</sup>
	Count	%	North West	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>81,266</b>	...	<b>7,052,177</b>	...	...
<b>All passports <sup>3</sup></b>	<b>61,466</b>	...	...	...	...
<b>No passport</b>	<b>20,055</b>	<b>24.7%</b>	<b>17.9%</b>	<b>16.9%</b>	<b>67</b>
United Kingdom	58,579	72.1%	77.9%	75.2%	450
Republic of Ireland	379	0.5%	0.6%	1.4%	302
Other Europe: EU countries	1,687	2.1%	1.8%	3.4%	286
Other Europe: Non EU countries	61	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	429
Africa	127	0.2%	0.5%	0.9%	489
Middle East and Asia	439	0.5%	1.4%	2.0%	384
North America and the Caribbean	117	0.1%	0.2%	0.6%	488
Central America	1	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	543
South America	15	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	471
Antarctica and Oceania	60	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	518

1. England, Wales and Northern Ireland only. Scottish census does not collect data on passports.

2. Of 591 constituencies in England, Wales & Northern Ireland

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

**Table KS206: Household language<sup>1</sup>**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>2</sup>
	Count	%	North West	England and Wales	
<b>All households</b>	<b>36,523</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
All people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	35,183	96.3%	94.2%	91.2%	255
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	453	1.2%	2.4%	3.7%	411
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)	72	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	391
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	815	2.2%	2.9%	4.3%	276

... No data available

1. For England, Wales and Northern Ireland only. Scottish census does not provide comparative data.

2. Of 591 constituencies in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.



**Table KS209: Religion**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>1</sup>
	Count	%	North West	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>81,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Christian	54,451	67.0%	67.3%	59.3%	113
Buddhist	267	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	253
Hindu	214	0.3%	0.5%	1.5%	362
Jewish	129	0.2%	0.4%	0.5%	188
Muslim	656	0.8%	5.1%	4.8%	328
Sikh	37	0.0%	0.1%	0.8%	459
Other religion	307	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	283
No religion	20,128	24.8%	19.8%	25.1%	322
Religion not stated	5,077	6.2%	6.2%	7.2%	475

1. Due to differences in the respective census questions, results for England and Wales, Scotland, and Northern Ireland are not directly comparable. Consequently, constituencies are ranked within their respective census areas.

**Table KS301: Health**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>81,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Very good health	32,447	39.9%	46.5%	47.6%	645
Good health	27,499	33.8%	32.8%	33.6%	353
Fair health	13,645	16.8%	13.9%	13.2%	12
Bad health	5,889	7.2%	5.3%	4.3%	14
Very bad health	1,786	2.2%	1.5%	1.3%	18

**Table KS402: Tenure**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>36,523</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Owned</b>	<b>21,955</b>	<b>60.1%</b>	<b>64.5%</b>	<b>63.5%</b>	<b>474</b>
Owned outright	10,532	28.8%	31.0%	30.6%	426
Owned with a mortgage or loan	11,423	31.3%	33.5%	32.9%	439
<b>Shared ownership (part owned &amp; rented)</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>596</b>
<b>Social rented<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>3,435</b>	<b>9.4%</b>	<b>18.3%</b>	<b>18.2%</b>	<b>600</b>
Rented from council (Local Authority)	2,286	6.3%	7.7%		410
Other social rented	1,149	3.1%	10.6%	8.3%	589
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>10,662</b>	<b>29.2%</b>	<b>15.4%</b>	<b>16.3%</b>	<b>42</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	9,882	27.1%	14.1%	14.8%	44
Other private rented	780	2.1%	1.3%	1.4%	49
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>499</b>

1. Public social housing in Northern Ireland is owned and administered by the regional Northern Ireland Housing Executive, rather than local authorities.

**Table KS404: Cars or vans**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>36,523</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No cars or vans in household	13,932	38.1%	28.0%	26.0%	88
1 car or van in household	15,261	41.8%	42.5%	42.2%	430
2 cars or vans in household	5,837	16.0%	23.5%	24.5%	563
3 cars or vans in household	1,157	3.2%	4.6%	5.4%	545
4 or more cars or vans in household	336	0.9%	1.4%	1.9%	535

**Table KS501: Highest level of qualification**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 and older</b>	<b>66,578</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No qualifications	21,329	32.0%	24.8%	23.2%	58
Level 1 qualifications	10,507	15.8%	13.6%	14.1%	112
Level 2 qualifications	11,370	17.1%	15.8%	15.2%	103
Apprenticeship <sup>1</sup>	2,786	4.2%	3.9%	...	210
Level 3 qualifications	7,596	11.4%	12.9%	12.1%	412
Level 4 qualifications and above	9,716	14.6%	24.4%	27.0%	633
Other qualifications <sup>1</sup>	3,274	4.9%	4.5%	...	...

... Not available

1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

**Table KS601: Economic activity**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>59,779</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Economically active</b>	<b>39,629</b>	<b>66.3%</b>	<b>67.8%</b>	<b>69.5%</b>	<b>518</b>
Employee: Part-time	8,535	14.3%	13.9%	13.7%	301
Employee: Full-time	19,453	32.5%	37.5%	38.5%	595
Self-employed	6,000	10.0%	8.2%	9.5%	257
Unemployed	3,814	6.4%	4.7%	4.4%	68
Full-time student	1,827	3.1%	3.5%	3.5%	244
<b>Economically inactive</b>	<b>20,150</b>	<b>33.7%</b>	<b>32.2%</b>	<b>30.5%</b>	<b>133</b>
Retired	9,194	15.4%	14.8%	13.9%	269
Student (including full-time students)	2,268	3.8%	5.6%	5.8%	425
Looking after home or family	2,363	4.0%	3.9%	4.3%	349
Long-term sick or disabled	4,769	8.0%	5.6%	4.3%	27
Other	1,556	2.6%	2.2%	2.2%	145
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<b>In employment</b>	<b>33,988</b>	<b>56.9%</b>	<b>59.6%</b>	<b>61.6%</b>	<b>545</b>
<b>Unemployed</b>	<b>3,814</b>	<b>6.4%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>68</b>
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	1,176	2.0%	1.4%	1.2%	49
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	637	1.1%	0.8%	0.8%	56
Unemployed: Never worked	520	0.9%	0.8%	0.7%	171
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,507	2.5%	1.8%	1.7%	78

**Table KS605: Industry**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>35,358</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	42	0.1%	0.7%	1.0%	509
Mining and quarrying	19	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	531
Manufacturing	2,954	8.4%	10.3%	8.9%	359
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	144	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	402
Water supply <sup>1</sup>	166	0.5%	0.8%	0.7%	551
Construction	2,501	7.1%	7.4%	7.7%	471
Wholesale and retail trade <sup>2</sup>	5,950	16.8%	16.7%	15.9%	223
Transport and storage	1,696	4.8%	5.0%	4.9%	295
Accommodation and food service activities	4,597	13.0%	5.9%	5.6%	1
Information and communication	746	2.1%	2.9%	3.8%	511
Financial and insurance activities	1,057	3.0%	3.5%	4.3%	399
Real estate activities	370	1.0%	1.4%	1.4%	543
Professional, scientific and technical activities	1,091	3.1%	5.6%	6.4%	624
Administrative and support service activities	1,654	4.7%	4.9%	4.8%	311
Public administration and defence <sup>3</sup>	2,686	7.6%	6.0%	6.1%	130
Education	2,150	6.1%	9.7%	9.8%	647
Human health and social work activities	5,231	14.8%	13.9%	12.8%	130
Other	2,304	6.5%	4.6%	5.0%	43

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>35,358</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Managers, directors and senior officials	4,149	11.7%	9.9%	10.5%	174
Professional occupations	3,485	9.9%	16.3%	17.3%	640
Associate professional and technical occupations	3,139	8.9%	11.5%	12.6%	617
Administrative and secretarial occupations	4,376	12.4%	11.8%	11.5%	183
Skilled trades occupations	4,115	11.6%	11.3%	11.6%	355
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,336	12.3%	10.1%	9.4%	22
Sales and customer service occupations	3,705	10.5%	9.4%	8.6%	94
Process, plant and machine operatives	2,883	8.2%	8.1%	7.3%	245
Elementary occupations	5,170	14.6%	11.6%	11.2%	78



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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>59,779</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	2,685	4.5%	8.9%	10.0%	633
Higher managerial and administrative <sup>1</sup>	650	1.1%	2.1%	2.3%	618
Higher professional occupations	2,035	3.4%	6.8%	7.8%	629
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	9,519	15.9%	19.4%	20.7%	578
Intermediate	7,116	11.9%	13.1%	12.8%	433
Small employers and own account workers	7,721	12.9%	8.5%	9.2%	64
Lower supervisory and technical	4,930	8.2%	7.4%	7.1%	155
Semi-routine occupations	10,857	18.2%	15.1%	14.2%	58
Routine	8,803	14.7%	12.3%	11.3%	131
Never worked and long-term unemployed	4,139	6.9%	6.2%	5.6%	153
Never worked	2,632	4.4%	4.3%	3.8%	179
Long-term unemployed	1,507	2.5%	1.8%	1.7%	78
Not classified	4,009	6.7%	9.0%	9.0%	347
Full-time students	4,009	6.7%	9.0%	9.0%	347

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

**Table QS701: Means of travel to work**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment</b>	<b>35,358</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Work mainly at or from home	2,083	5.9%	4.5%	5.9%	278
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	283	0.8%	3.4%	8.5%	599
Bus or coach	2,907	8.2%	8.3%	7.5%	209
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	22,940	64.9%	70.2%	64.0%	446
Bicycle	1,207	3.4%	2.2%	2.7%	138
On Foot	5,597	15.8%	10.9%	10.6%	64
Other	341	1.0%	0.6%	0.7%	72

**Table: Earnings and unemployment**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		North West	United Kingdom	
<b>Average earnings of full-time employees</b>	<b>370</b> <sup>1</sup>		<b>77%</b>	<b>71%</b>	650
	Number	% <sup>2</sup>			
<b>Unemployed (out of work benefits)</b>					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	<b>2,221</b>	<b>5.9%</b>	<b>3.1%</b>	<b>2.7%</b>	33
Change over 1 year		-26.7%	-30.5%	-30.0%	167
Change over 4 years		-27.4%	-39.8%	-41.0%	42

1. Earnings data are estimated from a survey with a "confidence" range and rounded to the nearest £10; % are calculated from rounded figures.

2. Unemployment rates are calculated as claimants as a percentage of the estimated economically active population aged 16-64.

Source: ONS *Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings*; NI *Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings and Hours*. Residence-based data

Further background and data for parliamentary constituencies, see House of Commons Library Research Papers:

14/10 Census 2011 Constituency Results:UK

*Unemployment by Constituency* (monthly)

10/36 *General Election 2010*

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