

# Constituency Explorer Area Profile

## Blaydon

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 East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>88,281</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Males	42,644	48.3%	48.9%	49.1%	561
Females	45,637	51.7%	51.1%	50.8%	90
People living in households	87,593	99.2%	98.2%	98.2%	126
People living in communal establishments	688	0.8%	1.8%	1.8%	515
Students living away from home <sup>1</sup>	714	-	-	-	-
<b>Population density (people per hectare)</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>335</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 East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>88,281</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
0 to 15	15,323	17.4%	17.8%	18.8%	492
16 to 24	8,546	9.7%	12.4%	11.9%	514
25 to 44	21,917	24.8%	25.2%	27.3%	436
45 to 64	25,004	28.3%	27.2%	25.6%	160
65 and older	17,491	19.8%	17.3%	16.4%	139

**Table KS105: Household composition**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North East	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>38,768</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>One person</b>	<b>11,450</b>	<b>29.5%</b>	<b>31.9%</b>	<b>30.6%</b>	<b>348</b>
Aged 65 and older	5,511	14.2%	13.5%	12.5%	129
Aged under 65	5,939	15.3%	18.4%	18.1%	438
<b>One family</b>	<b>25,668</b>	<b>66.2%</b>	<b>62.4%</b>	<b>61.7%</b>	<b>191</b>
Lone parent with dependent children	2,765	7.1%	8.1%	7.2%	299
<b>Other</b>	<b>1,650</b>	<b>4.3%</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>588</b>

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North East	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>38,768</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>No adults in employment in household</b>	<b>14,639</b>	<b>37.8%</b>	<b>39.0%</b>	<b>33.9%</b>	<b>150</b>
With dependent children	1,508	3.9%	5.0%	4.2%	324
Without dependent children	13,131	33.9%	34.0%	29.7%	119

**Table KS201: Ethnic group**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>88,281</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>86,692</b>	<b>98.2%</b>	<b>95.3%</b>	<b>87.2%</b>	<b>91</b>
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	85,740	97.1%	93.6%	80.5% <sup>1</sup>	
Irish	188	0.2%	0.3%	0.9% <sup>1</sup>	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	27	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	737	0.8%	1.3%	4.4% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Mixed/multiple ethnic groups</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>562</b>
White and Black Caribbean	146	0.2%	0.2%	0.8% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Black African	85	0.1%	0.1%	0.3% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Asian	175	0.2%	0.3%	0.6% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Mixed	98	0.1%	0.2%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Asian/Asian British</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>2.9%</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>546</b>
Indian	245	0.3%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	130	0.1%	0.8%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	31	0.0%	0.4%	0.7%	
Chinese	195	0.2%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	172	0.2%	0.5%	1.4%	
<b>Black/African/Caribbean/Black British<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>160</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>554</b>
African	115	0.1%	0.4%	1.8% <sup>1</sup>	
Caribbean	25	0.0%	0.0%	1.1% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Black	20	0.0%	0.0%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Other ethnic group</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>456</b>
Arab	48	0.1%	0.2%	0.4% <sup>1</sup>	
Any other ethnic group	104	0.1%	0.2%	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 East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>88,281</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>86,025</b>	<b>97.4%</b>	<b>95.0%</b>	<b>87.3%</b>	<b>24</b>
England	84,356	95.6%	92.6%	71.9%	20
Scotland	1,237	1.4%	1.8%	8.2%	272
Wales	231	0.3%	0.3%	4.4%	588
Northern Ireland	195	0.2%	0.4%	2.9%	574
United Kingdom (not specified) <sup>1</sup>	6	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	341
<b>Ireland</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>641</b>
<b>Other European Union</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>613</b>
Member states in March 2001	475	0.5%	0.7%	1.6%	573
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	328	0.4%	0.6%	1.9%	615
<b>Other countries</b>	<b>1,323</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>604</b>

**Table KS205: Passports held**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>2</sup>
	Count	%	North East	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>88,281</b>	...	<b>2,596,886</b>	...	...
<b>All passports <sup>3</sup></b>	<b>71,985</b>	...	...	...	...
<b>No passport</b>	<b>16,525</b>	<b>18.7%</b>	<b>21.3%</b>	<b>16.9%</b>	<b>245</b>
United Kingdom	70,739	80.1%	76.0%	75.2%	131
Republic of Ireland	117	0.1%	0.2%	1.4%	580
Other Europe: EU countries	505	0.6%	1.0%	3.4%	567
Other Europe: Non EU countries	44	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	537
Africa	110	0.1%	0.3%	0.9%	525
Middle East and Asia	281	0.3%	1.1%	2.0%	508
North America and the Caribbean	117	0.1%	0.2%	0.6%	503
Central America	4	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	385
South America	9	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	555
Antarctica and Oceania	57	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	539

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 East	England and Wales	
<b>All households</b>	<b>38,768</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)	38,218	98.6%	96.8%	91.2%	35
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	285	0.7%	1.3%	3.7%	559
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)	49	0.1%	0.3%	0.8%	...
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	216	0.6%	1.6%	4.3%	...

... 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 East	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>88,281</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Christian	62,293	70.6%	67.5%	59.3%	52
Buddhist	157	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	509
Hindu	111	0.1%	0.3%	1.5%	489
Jewish	88	0.1%	0.2%	0.5%	269
Muslim	316	0.4%	1.8%	4.8%	462
Sikh	128	0.1%	0.2%	0.8%	289
Other religion	242	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	480
No religion	20,035	22.7%	23.4%	25.1%	406
Religion not stated	4,911	5.6%	6.1%	7.2%	561

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 East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>88,281</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Very good health	37,500	42.5%	44.0%	47.6%	591
Good health	30,774	34.9%	33.3%	33.6%	201
Fair health	13,749	15.6%	15.2%	13.2%	76
Bad health	4,797	5.4%	5.8%	4.3%	129
Very bad health	1,461	1.7%	1.7%	1.3%	118

**Table KS402: Tenure**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North East	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>38,768</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Owned</b>	<b>26,678</b>	<b>68.8%</b>	<b>61.8%</b>	<b>63.5%</b>	<b>256</b>
Owned outright	12,728	32.8%	28.6%	30.6%	295
Owned with a mortgage or loan	13,950	36.0%	33.2%	32.9%	218
<b>Shared ownership (part owned &amp; rented)</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>504</b>
<b>Social rented<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>8,140</b>	<b>21.0%</b>	<b>23.0%</b>	<b>18.2%</b>	<b>188</b>
Rented from council (Local Authority)	6,710	17.3%	14.8%		100
Other social rented	1,430	3.7%	8.1%	8.3%	544
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>3,453</b>	<b>8.9%</b>	<b>13.7%</b>	<b>16.3%</b>	<b>613</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	3,100	8.0%	12.4%	14.8%	612
Other private rented	353	0.9%	1.3%	1.4%	591
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>585</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 East	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>38,768</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No cars or vans in household	10,917	28.2%	31.5%	26.0%	215
1 car or van in household	16,814	43.4%	42.2%	42.2%	244
2 cars or vans in household	8,932	23.0%	21.1%	24.5%	408
3 cars or vans in household	1,635	4.2%	4.1%	5.4%	461
4 or more cars or vans in household	470	1.2%	1.2%	1.9%	464

**Table KS501: Highest level of qualification**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 and older</b>	<b>72,958</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No qualifications	18,535	25.4%	26.5%	23.2%	235
Level 1 qualifications	10,316	14.1%	13.7%	14.1%	295
Level 2 qualifications	11,813	16.2%	15.7%	15.2%	270
Apprenticeship <sup>1</sup>	4,108	5.6%	4.7%	...	15
Level 3 qualifications	8,577	11.8%	13.1%	12.1%	323
Level 4 qualifications and above	16,755	23.0%	22.2%	27.0%	402
Other qualifications <sup>1</sup>	2,854	3.9%	4.1%	...	...

... Not available

1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

**Table KS601: Economic activity**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>64,923</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Economically active</b>	<b>44,321</b>	<b>68.3%</b>	<b>66.1%</b>	<b>69.5%</b>	<b>409</b>
Employee: Part-time	9,439	14.5%	14.2%	13.7%	246
Employee: Full-time	26,061	40.1%	36.8%	38.5%	220
Self-employed	4,415	6.8%	6.5%	9.5%	524
Unemployed	2,685	4.1%	5.4%	4.4%	341
Full-time student	1,721	2.7%	3.3%	3.5%	397
<b>Economically inactive</b>	<b>20,602</b>	<b>31.7%</b>	<b>33.9%</b>	<b>30.5%</b>	<b>242</b>
Retired	12,069	18.6%	16.0%	13.9%	78
Student (including full-time students)	2,258	3.5%	5.9%	5.8%	506
Looking after home or family	2,151	3.3%	4.0%	4.3%	545
Long-term sick or disabled	3,133	4.8%	5.8%	4.3%	223
Other	991	1.5%	2.2%	2.2%	507
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<b>In employment</b>	<b>39,915</b>	<b>61.5%</b>	<b>57.5%</b>	<b>61.6%</b>	<b>359</b>
<b>Unemployed</b>	<b>2,685</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>341</b>
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	823	1.3%	1.6%	1.2%	285
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	532	0.8%	1.0%	0.8%	267
Unemployed: Never worked	394	0.6%	1.0%	0.7%	305
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,034	1.6%	2.1%	1.7%	344

**Table KS605: Industry**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>41,256</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	110	0.3%	0.7%	1.0%	373
Mining and quarrying	91	0.2%	0.5%	0.3%	200
Manufacturing	4,284	10.4%	10.2%	8.9%	231
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	331	0.8%	1.0%	0.6%	135
Water supply <sup>1</sup>	256	0.6%	0.7%	0.7%	419
Construction	3,390	8.2%	7.9%	7.7%	274
Wholesale and retail trade <sup>2</sup>	7,208	17.5%	15.4%	15.9%	165
Transport and storage	2,085	5.1%	4.7%	4.9%	255
Accommodation and food service activities	1,958	4.7%	5.8%	5.6%	420
Information and communication	1,221	3.0%	2.7%	3.8%	318
Financial and insurance activities	1,255	3.0%	2.8%	4.3%	394
Real estate activities	571	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	306
Professional, scientific and technical activities	1,982	4.8%	4.6%	6.4%	392
Administrative and support service activities	1,782	4.3%	4.4%	4.8%	431
Public administration and defence <sup>3</sup>	3,443	8.3%	8.1%	6.1%	81
Education	3,865	9.4%	9.7%	9.8%	343
Human health and social work activities	5,707	13.8%	14.8%	12.8%	229
Other	1,717	4.2%	4.5%	5.0%	544

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 East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>41,256</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Managers, directors and senior officials	3,852	9.3%	8.6%	10.5%	405
Professional occupations	6,314	15.3%	15.2%	17.3%	361
Associate professional and technical occupations	4,976	12.1%	11.0%	12.6%	302
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,378	13.0%	11.9%	11.5%	98
Skilled trades occupations	4,801	11.6%	11.9%	11.6%	356
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	3,924	9.5%	10.2%	9.4%	333
Sales and customer service occupations	4,591	11.1%	10.4%	8.6%	56
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,268	7.9%	8.7%	7.3%	267
Elementary occupations	4,152	10.1%	12.2%	11.2%	437



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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>64,923</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	5,492	8.5%	7.5%	10.0%	365
Higher managerial and administrative <sup>1</sup>	1,401	2.2%	1.8%	2.3%	308
Higher professional occupations	4,091	6.3%	5.7%	7.8%	374
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	13,574	20.9%	18.4%	20.7%	305
Intermediate	9,654	14.9%	13.0%	12.8%	98
Small employers and own account workers	4,601	7.1%	6.9%	9.2%	515
Lower supervisory and technical	5,289	8.1%	8.0%	7.1%	167
Semi-routine occupations	11,137	17.2%	16.4%	14.2%	136
Routine	8,457	13.0%	14.4%	11.3%	214
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,833	4.4%	6.6%	5.6%	364
Never worked	1,799	2.8%	4.4%	3.8%	356
Long-term unemployed	1,034	1.6%	2.1%	1.7%	344
Not classified	3,886	6.0%	9.0%	9.0%	489
Full-time students	3,886	6.0%	9.0%	9.0%	489

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 East	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment</b>	<b>41,256</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Work mainly at or from home	1,580	3.8%	3.7%	5.9%	463
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	562	1.4%	3.7%	8.5%	503
Bus or coach	5,789	14.0%	9.3%	7.5%	82
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	29,721	72.0%	69.9%	64.0%	245
Bicycle	470	1.1%	1.8%	2.7%	504
On Foot	2,875	7.0%	10.6%	10.6%	549
Other	259	0.6%	0.9%	0.7%	299

**Table: Earnings and unemployment**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		North East	United Kingdom	
<b>Average earnings of full-time employees</b>	<b>510</b> <sup>1</sup>		<b>106%</b>	<b>98%</b>	280
	Number	% <sup>2</sup>			
<b>Unemployed (out of work benefits)</b>					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	<b>1,109</b>	<b>2.6%</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>2.7%</b>	292
Change over 1 year		-30.2%	-29.9%	-30.0%	287
Change over 4 years		-39.5%	-36.0%	-41.0%	220

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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