

Towns in Time 2016

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Lake Boga (L)

Swan Hill (RC) LGA

Defined in 2016 as: UCL 221042



The map above shows the location of Lake Boga (L) in Victoria.

Summary data

	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Total population*	726	760	697	699	698	715	700	780
Male: Female ratio*	107.0	102.8	107.0	102.9	98.7	102.5	105.3	112.3
Visitors on Census night*	5	31	32	16	37	37	15	30
Population in non-private dwellings*	4	0	0	3	10	5	0	0
Population at same address 5 years ago	442	431	380	404	375	438	416	440

*Includes local, interstate and overseas visitors.

Population growth	1981-91	1991-2001	2001-06	2006-11	2011-16
Net change	-29	1	17	-15	80
Average annual change	-0.4%	0.0%	0.5%	-0.4%	2.2%

Area	
2006 Area (km ²):	12.06
2011 Area (km ²):	11.19

Location	
Location	193km SE of Mildura

Age structure	1981		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
0-4	50	7%	64	8%	60	9%	47	7%	41	6%	36	5%	60	9%	34	4%
5-17	170	23%	145	19%	128	18%	131	19%	128	18%	138	19%	107	15%	149	20%
18-24	74	10%	79	10%	40	6%	42	6%	51	7%	41	6%	52	7%	21	3%
25-34	113	16%	99	13%	103	15%	93	13%	67	10%	76	11%	67	10%	79	10%
35-44	83	11%	102	13%	97	14%	96	14%	105	15%	98	14%	87	12%	79	10%
45-54	67	9%	79	10%	89	13%	109	16%	105	15%	78	11%	85	12%	106	14%
55-64	80	11%	93	12%	78	11%	77	11%	85	12%	110	15%	107	15%	131	17%
65-74	62	8%	64	8%	69	10%	60	9%	66	10%	69	10%	89	13%	93	12%
75+	26	4%	36	5%	32	5%	44	6%	43	6%	65	9%	46	7%	72	9%
TOTAL	726	100%	760	100%	697	100%	699	100%	692	100%	711	100%	700	100%	764	100%

Indigenous status	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Indigenous	5	13	30	33	15	20
Non-Indigenous	722	667	640	666	640	639
Not stated	33	18	22	12	37	119
TOTAL	760	699	692	711	692	776

Language spoken at home	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
English only	726	661	643	672	634	644
Top 3 LOTES, 2016:						
- Italian:	23	9	15	13	15	0
- French:	0	1	0	4	0	0
- Greek:	1	0	0	3	0	0
All languages other than English	34	27	23	23	38	25
Not stated	0	11	26	16	26	109
TOTAL	760	699	692	711	698	778

English proficiency among overseas born	1986* **	1996**	2001	2006	2011	2016
Speaks English well or very well (%)	50%	69%	62%	82%	29%	67%
Speaks English not well or not at all (%)	50%	26%	38%	18%	71%	0%
English proficiency not stated (%)	0%	6%	0%	0%	0%	25%

*Applies to those born in non-English speaking countries only

**Applies to persons aged 5 and over only

Labour force*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Employed	286	283	266	319	305	306
Unemployed	47	27	27	15	14	18
TOTAL LABOUR FORCE	333	310	293	334	319	324
Not in labour force	246	216	228	217	204	206
Labour force status not-stated	17	12	19	23	31	92
Unemployment rate	14.3%	8.8%	9.2%	4.5%	4.4%	5.6%
Participation rate	57.6%	58.9%	56.3%	60.6%	61.0%	61.1%

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Industry of employment*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	50	59	43	36	28	23
Mining	7	6	0	3	0	0
Manufacturing	17	20	38	35	41	25
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	9	5	6	12	0	6
Construction	12	8	7	12	18	20
Wholesale Trade	11	7	9	7	11	17
Retail Trade	40	36	34	45	45	37
Accommodation and Food Services	7	10	12	19	18	17
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	24	19	19	15	20	17
Information Media and Telecommunications	5	7	6	3	0	0
Financial and Insurance Services	4	4	3	0	9	10
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	3	4	4	0	5	0
Professional, Scientific and Tech. Services	6	7	7	9	8	5
Administrative and Support Services	4	4	4	12	0	11
Public Administration and Safety	20	11	6	20	13	22
Education and Training	15	18	17	26	22	31
Health Care and Social Assistance	19	26	30	43	44	43
Arts and Recreation Services	4	5	1	0	5	3
Other Services	15	15	14	15	12	9
Inadequately described/Not stated	12	13	6	8	13	8
TOTAL	286	283	266	319	312	304

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Education	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bachelor degree or higher	7	22	21	46	40	66
Diploma or certificate	100	113	110	130	144	198
No post school qualification	401	348	348	336	232	222
Not stated	87	56	62	62	74	127
TOTAL	596	538	541	575	550	613

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Birthplace	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Australia	691	626	610	644	599	596
Top 3 overseas birthplaces, 2016						
- United Kingdom:	18	17	15	10	15	19
- Poland:	1	0	0	0	0	4
- Greece:	1	0	3	6	6	3
All overseas birthplaces	51	50	51	41	53	39
Birthplace not-stated	17	24	31	26	50	130
TOTAL	760	699	692	711	702	765

Family composition	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Couple family* with children	92	89	66	74	80
Couple family* without children	87	89	112	98	97
One parent family	15	22	31	27	24
Other family type	0	4	4	4	0
TOTAL	194	204	213	203	206

*Excludes same sex couple families in 1996 only

Travel to work*	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bicycle	0	0	0	0	0
Bus	0	0	0	0	0
Car as driver	172	178	224	232	234
Car as passenger	21	15	42	14	11
Motor bike/scooter	1	0	0	0	0
Taxi	0	0	0	0	0
Train	0	0	0	0	0
Tram or ferry	0	0	0	0	0
Walked only	15	15	14	11	9
Other modes	10	12	0	3	4
Multitple modes	1	0	0	0	0
Work from home	30	14	8	14	15
Did not go to work	25	19	25	28	23
Method of travel not stated	7	13	6	14	4
TOTAL	283	266	319	316	300

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Vehicle ownership*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
None	21	14	11	11	14	11
1 motor vehicle	77	104	92	101	78	67
2 motor vehicles	123	113	109	134	126	127
3 or more motor vehicles	33	36	52	44	55	63
Not stated	14	18	19	10	14	55
TOTAL	267	286	283	300	287	319

*Number of vehicles excluding motorbikes/scooters per occupied private dwelling

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	1981*	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Dwellings - Number	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %
Occupied private dwellings	236 86%	267 86%	278 87%	286 85%	283 80%	300 81%	288 79%	319 89%
Unoccupied private dwellings	37 14%	45 14%	43 13%	52 15%	73 20%	69 19%	76 21%	40 11%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	273 100%	312 100%	321 100%	338 100%	355 100%	369 100%	364 100%	359 100%

Dwellings - Type	1981*	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %
Separate house	251 92%	279 90%	279 87%	314 93%	322 91%	348 94%	344 95%	342 95%
Medium density**	6 2%	10 3%	23 7%	13 4%	17 5%	7 2%	11 3%	5 1%
Other dwelling	12 4%	15 5%	19 6%	5 2%	16 5%	14 4%	9 2%	4 1%
Structure not-stated	4 2%	7 2%	0 0%	6 2%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	15 4%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	273 100%	312 100%	321 100%	338 100%	355 100%	369 100%	364 100%	359 100%

Dwellings - Tenure	1981*	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %
Fully owned	116 49%	135 50%	148 53%	151 53%	143 51%	131 44%	121 41%	114 36%
Being purchased	57 24%	66 25%	60 22%	76 27%	64 23%	106 35%	97 33%	110 34%
Rented - government	2 1%	14 5%	12 4%	8 3%	5 2%	3 1%	5 2%	11 3%
Rented - other	32 13%	35 13%	25 9%	39 14%	40 14%	44 15%	50 17%	44 14%
Other and not stated	30 13%	17 6%	32 12%	11 4%	30 10%	17 6%	19 7%	42 13%
TOTAL (occ. private dwellings)	236 100%	267 100%	278 100%	286 100%	283 100%	300 100%	292 100%	319 100%

*1981 data for dwellings excludes caravans in caravan parks (but includes other caravans). In all other years, all caravans are included.

**Medium density = semi-detached, row or terrace house, flat unit or apartment and other medium density dwellings

Household size	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1 person	15%	18%	24%	25%	26%	27%	26%	30%
2 persons	30%	31%	29%	36%	37%	43%	42%	41%
3 persons	17%	19%	22%	15%	15%	11%	12%	12%
4 persons	22%	20%	17%	14%	11%	13%	13%	10%
5 or more persons	17%	12%	8%	10%	10%	6%	6%	9%
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Av. household size (persons)	3.06	2.85	2.51	2.44	2.43	2.37	2.43	2.45

Household income	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1st quartile (lowest)	38%	36%	39%	35%	35%	32%	34%	30%
2nd quartile	28%	30%	33%	36%	36%	33%	37%	35%
3rd quartile	22%	22%	20%	23%	19%	28%	20%	23%
4th quartile (highest)	12%	11%	8%	7%	9%	7%	8%	12%
Not stated (households)	20	44	48	34	37	34	28	27
TOTAL (households)	236	268	277	271	264	297	281	284

The map below shows the changes of boundary in Lake Boga (L) between 2006 and 2016.

