

# Towns in Time 2016

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### Smythesdale (L)

Golden Plains (S) LGA

Defined in 2016 as: UCL 221065



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

#### Summary data

	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Total population*	-	184	257	279	312	279	479	556
Male: Female ratio*	-	119.0	111.1	105.0	100.0	105.1	105.6	108.3
Visitors on Census night*	-	11	1	1	0	8	8	27
Population in non-private dwellings*	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Population at same address 5 years ago	-	84	146	161	169	152	293	284

\*Includes local, interstate and overseas visitors.

Population growth	1981-91	1991-2001	2001-06	2006-11	2011-16
Net change	-	55	-33	200	77
Average annual change	-	2.0%	-2.2%	11.4%	3.0%

Area	
2006 Area (km <sup>2</sup> ):	1.40
2011 Area (km <sup>2</sup> ):	5.92

Location	
Location	16km SW of Ballarat

Age structure	1981		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
0-4	-	-	14	8%	22	9%	19	7%	25	8%	17	6%	27	6%	36	7%
5-17	-	-	50	27%	54	21%	76	27%	76	24%	58	21%	81	17%	107	19%
18-24	-	-	19	10%	19	7%	16	6%	22	7%	20	7%	33	7%	34	6%
25-34	-	-	20	11%	57	22%	43	16%	36	12%	28	10%	55	11%	81	15%
35-44	-	-	28	15%	35	13%	42	15%	59	19%	39	14%	67	14%	71	13%
45-54	-	-	19	10%	31	12%	26	9%	30	10%	43	15%	73	15%	67	12%
55-64	-	-	17	9%	26	10%	26	9%	20	6%	36	13%	77	16%	84	15%
65-74	-	-	16	9%	13	5%	14	5%	29	9%	27	10%	46	10%	49	9%
75+	-	-	2	1%	0	0%	16	6%	15	5%	11	4%	20	4%	22	4%
<b>TOTAL</b>	-	-	<b>184</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>100%</b>

Indigenous status	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Indigenous	0	5	0	3	0	10
Non-Indigenous	184	265	301	266	439	523
Not stated	0	9	11	10	39	21
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>556</b>

Education	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bachelor degree or higher	6	8	9	9	37	43
Diploma or certificate	16	38	38	57	104	178
No post school qualification	80	131	139	130	127	168
Not stated	30	19	36	26	49	35
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>424</b>

\*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Language spoken at home	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
English only	184	267	303	270	424	525
Top 3 LOTES, 2016:						
- Thai:	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	0	0
- Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-
All languages other than English	0	1	0	0	16	10
Not stated	0	11	9	9	38	17
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>552</b>

Birthplace	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Australia	164	243	267	250	400	480
Top 3 overseas birthplaces, 2016						
- United Kingdom:	16	20	16	15	24	23
- Germany:	0	0	0	0	0	3
- Netherlands:	0	3	3	0	5	3
All overseas birthplaces	18	28	22	18	35	36
Birthplace not-stated	2	8	23	11	42	32
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>548</b>

English proficiency among overseas born	1986* **	1996**	2001	2006	2011	2016
Speaks English well or very well (%)	100%	67%	-	-	100%	100%
Speaks English not well or not at all (%)	0%	33%	-	-	0%	0%
English proficiency not stated (%)	0%	0%	-	-	0%	0%

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

\*\*Applies to persons aged 5 and over only

Family composition	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Couple family* with children	39	40	35	55	71
Couple family* without children	20	24	29	59	64
One parent family	6	20	10	21	21
Other family type	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>153</b>

\*Excludes same sex couple families in 1996 only

Labour force*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Employed	56	88	91	103	195	252
Unemployed	6	17	17	13	16	11
<b>TOTAL LABOUR FORCE</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>263</b>
Not in labour force	71	90	104	101	138	155
Labour force status not-stated	0	1	10	6	38	15
Unemployment rate	9.8%	16.6%	15.7%	11.5%	7.6%	4.2%
Participation rate	46.6%	53.9%	50.9%	53.6%	60.5%	62.9%

\*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Travel to work*	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bicycle	0	0	0	0	0
Bus	0	3	4	0	0
Car as driver	64	55	64	151	199
Car as passenger	4	6	5	5	0
Motor bike/scooter	0	3	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	3	3	4	8	3
Other modes	0	3	3	4	4
Multitple modes	3	0	0	0	4
Work from home	1	5	3	3	11
Did not go to work	11	14	16	18	27
Method of travel not stated	0	0	4	6	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>248</b>

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Industry of employment*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	3	8	0	0	4	0
Mining	0	0	0	0	7	0
Manufacturing	9	23	19	17	27	16
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	0	0	1	0	0	0
Construction	10	9	8	10	13	27
Wholesale Trade	0	1	3	0	10	8
Retail Trade	5	14	16	29	41	46
Accommodation and Food Services	5	7	1	0	3	15
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	4	1	8	13	10	18
Information Media and Telecommunications	0	1	2	6	0	0
Financial and Insurance Services	0	1	0	0	3	4
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1	1	2	8	3	0
Professional, Scientific and Tech. Services	0	1	3	0	0	6
Administrative and Support Services	1	1	3	0	3	9
Public Administration and Safety	1	5	2	0	13	14
Education and Training	4	1	0	0	11	13
Health Care and Social Assistance	5	6	7	19	29	38
Arts and Recreation Services	1	1	2	0	0	5
Other Services	4	5	11	0	9	17
Inadequately described/Not stated	3	5	3	0	10	14
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>250</b>

\*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Vehicle ownership*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
None	3	6	9	8	6	0
1 motor vehicle	20	31	39	28	53	54
2 motor vehicles	28	39	40	46	70	76
3 or more motor vehicles	8	18	18	18	47	70
Not stated	0	1	5	8	14	17
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>215</b>

\*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	- -	59 89%	82 90%	94 92%	112 91%	107 86%	191 89%	215 91%
Unoccupied private dwellings	- -	7 11%	9 10%	8 8%	11 9%	17 14%	23 11%	22 9%
<b>TOTAL (private dwellings)</b>	- -	<b>66 100%</b>	<b>91 100%</b>	<b>102 100%</b>	<b>123 100%</b>	<b>124 100%</b>	<b>214 100%</b>	<b>237 100%</b>
<b>Dwellings - Type</b>								
Separate house	- -	63 95%	87 95%	92 90%	114 93%	118 95%	200 93%	228 96%
Medium density**	- -	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	11 5%	0 0%
Other dwelling	- -	3 5%	5 5%	6 6%	3 2%	6 5%	0 0%	0 0%
Structure not-stated	- -	0 0%	0 0%	4 4%	6 5%	0 0%	3 1%	11 5%
<b>TOTAL (private dwellings)</b>	- -	<b>66 100%</b>	<b>91 100%</b>	<b>102 100%</b>	<b>123 100%</b>	<b>124 100%</b>	<b>214 100%</b>	<b>237 100%</b>
<b>Dwellings - Tenure</b>								
Fully owned	- -	34 58%	41 50%	40 42%	58 51%	52 49%	77 41%	74 34%
Being purchased	- -	16 27%	32 39%	36 39%	40 36%	40 38%	74 39%	108 50%
Rented - government	- -	2 3%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%
Rented - other	- -	2 3%	0 0%	12 13%	7 6%	6 6%	17 9%	17 8%
Other and not stated	- -	5 8%	9 11%	6 7%	7 6%	8 8%	22 12%	9 4%
<b>TOTAL (occ. private dwellings)</b>	- -	<b>59 100%</b>	<b>82 100%</b>	<b>94 100%</b>	<b>112 100%</b>	<b>107 100%</b>	<b>190 100%</b>	<b>215 100%</b>

\*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%	16%	13%	23%	28%	21%	23%
2 persons	-	37%	22%	28%	29%	34%	42%	35%
3 persons	-	10%	25%	23%	10%	12%	13%	12%
4 persons	-	17%	22%	20%	21%	12%	15%	23%
5 or more persons	-	20%	16%	17%	17%	14%	9%	2%
<b>TOTAL</b>	-	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>
Av. household size (persons)	#VALUE!	3.12	3.12	2.97	2.79	2.61	2.51	2.59

Household income	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1st quartile (lowest)	-	37%	31%	20%	30%	36%	32%	25%
2nd quartile	-	34%	33%	40%	42%	35%	32%	35%
3rd quartile	-	18%	24%	30%	20%	18%	26%	28%
4th quartile (highest)	-	11%	13%	10%	7%	11%	11%	12%
Not stated (households)	-	4	16	16	10	10	15	15
<b>TOTAL (households)</b>	-	<b>59</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>206</b>

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

