

Towns in Time 2016

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Newstead (L)

Mount Alexander (S) LGA

Defined in 2016 as: UCL 221057



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

Summary data

	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Total population*	344	380	490	505	527	476	483	567
Male: Female ratio*	95.5	107.7	114.9	102.0	104.3	100.8	107.3	103.2
Visitors on Census night*	12	8	18	3	15	5	9	24
Population in non-private dwellings*	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Population at same address 5 years ago	175	207	252	284	301	300	277	314

*Includes local, interstate and overseas visitors.

Population growth	1981-91	1991-2001	2001-06	2006-11	2011-16
Net change	146	37	-51	7	84
Average annual change	3.6%	0.7%	-2.0%	0.3%	3.3%

Area	
2006 Area (km ²):	4.16
2011 Area (km ²):	3.32

Location	
Location	45km south of Bendigo

Age structure	1981		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
0-4	31	9%	27	7%	51	10%	42	8%	32	6%	22	5%	20	4%	26	5%
5-17	64	19%	81	21%	88	18%	121	24%	132	25%	99	21%	68	14%	85	15%
18-24	19	5%	25	7%	34	7%	27	5%	26	5%	30	6%	33	7%	38	7%
25-34	54	16%	44	12%	67	14%	53	11%	54	10%	37	6%	33	7%	49	9%
35-44	34	10%	53	14%	77	16%	81	16%	88	17%	55	12%	49	10%	53	9%
45-54	42	12%	37	10%	48	10%	63	12%	82	16%	96	20%	90	19%	71	13%
55-64	38	11%	42	11%	44	9%	49	10%	50	10%	58	12%	86	18%	108	19%
65-74	40	11%	42	11%	48	10%	39	8%	31	6%	51	11%	61	13%	80	14%
75+	24	7%	29	8%	32	7%	30	6%	32	6%	36	8%	42	9%	56	10%
TOTAL	344	100%	378	100%	490	100%	505	100%	527	100%	476	100%	482	100%	566	100%

Indigenous status	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Indigenous	3	0	3	0	3	3
Non-Indigenous	371	492	503	465	455	535
Not stated	4	13	21	11	27	24
TOTAL	378	505	527	476	485	564

Education	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bachelor degree or higher	8	25	47	46	67	89
Diploma or certificate	56	73	89	90	108	167
No post school qualification	177	225	210	196	71	179
Not stated	45	41	49	43	32	35
TOTAL	286	364	395	375	413	470

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Language spoken at home	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
English only	363	477	492	464	447	521
Top 3 LOTES, 2016:						
- Italian:	0	0	0	0	0	0
- Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-
All languages other than English	13	19	12	7	9	18
Not stated	2	9	23	5	26	31
TOTAL	378	505	527	476	482	570

Birthplace	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Australia	341	471	462	432	401	489
Top 3 overseas birthplaces, 2016						
- United Kingdom:	20	18	22	18	24	24
- Thailand:	Not available	0	N/A	0	4	4
- Netherlands:	2	3	0	0	0	3
All overseas birthplaces	37	27	28	37	48	40
Birthplace not-stated	0	7	37	7	34	27
TOTAL	378	505	527	476	483	556

English proficiency among overseas born	1986* **	1996**	2001	2006	2011	2016
Speaks English well or very well (%)	100%	100%	-	100%	70%	100%
Speaks English not well or not at all (%)	0%	0%	-	0%	30%	0%
English proficiency not stated (%)	0%	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	79	61	45	47	49
Couple family* without children	43	43	51	67	82
One parent family	14	29	37	18	21
Other family type	0	0	4	0	3
TOTAL	136	133	137	132	159

*Excludes same sex couple families in 1996 only

Labour force*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Employed	111	165	193	196	197	228
Unemployed	15	26	30	24	13	8
TOTAL LABOUR FORCE	126	191	223	220	210	236
Not in labour force	161	167	158	151	179	209
Labour force status not-stated	0	6	14	4	20	18
Unemployment rate	11.9%	13.6%	13.4%	11.1%	6.2%	3.4%
Participation rate	43.9%	53.4%	58.5%	59.3%	54.0%	53.0%

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Travel to work*	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bicycle	3	0	0	0	0
Bus	0	3	3	4	0
Car as driver	102	107	123	132	146
Car as passenger	7	6	7	4	7
Motor bike/scooter	0	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	6	10	6	3	8
Other modes	0	6	6	6	0
Multiple modes	3	0	0	4	4
Work from home	16	22	16	21	26
Did not go to work	22	29	28	18	33
Method of travel not stated	6	11	6	5	0
TOTAL	165	193	196	197	224

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Industry of employment*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	18	19	20	12	11	15
Mining	0	3	0	0	0	3
Manufacturing	19	31	30	25	35	25
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	0	0	0	6	0	0
Construction	3	10	15	13	15	22
Wholesale Trade	4	1	4	9	3	0
Retail Trade	6	13	17	15	28	23
Accommodation and Food Services	3	3	5	15	13	15
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	6	8	9	15	14	7
Information Media and Telecommunications	2	6	6	6	4	4
Financial and Insurance Services	0	5	0	0	0	0
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	2	3	3	0	0	0
Professional, Scientific and Tech. Services	3	6	5	6	6	8
Administrative and Support Services	2	3	3	6	4	10
Public Administration and Safety	12	11	8	15	14	12
Education and Training	11	18	25	16	11	17
Health Care and Social Assistance	9	10	19	21	26	30
Arts and Recreation Services	0	2	2	3	4	4
Other Services	5	7	10	6	5	12
Inadequately described/Not stated	6	6	12	3	6	5
TOTAL	111	165	193	196	199	212

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Vehicle ownership*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
None	15	13	15	14	14	11
1 motor vehicle	56	72	71	86	85	104
2 motor vehicles	52	79	84	85	90	84
3 or more motor vehicles	24	27	32	28	39	53
Not stated	2	16	15	8	12	20
TOTAL	148	208	217	222	240	275

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

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Dwellings - Number	1981* Number %	1986 Number %	1991 Number %	1996 Number %	2001 Number %	2006 Number %	2011 Number %	2016 Number %
Occupied private dwellings	134 77%	148 80%	187 80%	208 84%	217 87%	222 83%	239 84%	275 90%
Unoccupied private dwellings	39 23%	38 20%	48 20%	39 16%	32 13%	45 17%	47 16%	32 10%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	173 100%	186 100%	235 100%	247 100%	249 100%	267 100%	286 100%	307 100%

Dwellings - Type	1981* Number %	1986 Number %	1991 Number %	1996 Number %	2001 Number %	2006 Number %	2011 Number %	2016 Number %
Separate house	155 90%	169 91%	209 89%	232 94%	230 92%	247 93%	259 91%	301 98%
Medium density**	13 8%	11 6%	14 6%	9 4%	10 4%	17 6%	22 8%	10 3%
Other dwelling	5 3%	6 3%	12 5%	6 2%	9 4%	3 1%	5 2%	3 1%
Structure not-stated	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	1 0%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	173 100%	186 100%	235 100%	247 100%	249 100%	267 100%	286 100%	307 100%

Dwellings - Tenure	1981* Number %	1986 Number %	1991 Number %	1996 Number %	2001 Number %	2006 Number %	2011 Number %	2016 Number %
Fully owned	76 57%	88 59%	102 54%	111 53%	108 50%	104 47%	111 47%	119 43%
Being purchased	23 17%	28 19%	46 25%	52 25%	53 24%	65 29%	66 28%	101 37%
Rented - government	9 7%	11 7%	8 4%	9 4%	8 4%	7 3%	9 4%	5 2%
Rented - other	11 8%	11 7%	21 11%	29 14%	29 13%	34 15%	40 17%	34 12%
Other and not stated	15 11%	10 7%	10 5%	7 3%	19 9%	12 5%	11 5%	21 8%
TOTAL (occ. private dwellings)	134 100%	148 100%	187 100%	208 100%	217 100%	222 100%	237 100%	275 100%

*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	27%	28%	25%	33%	34%	36%	42%	39%
2 persons	34%	35%	27%	24%	29%	36%	34%	37%
3 persons	15%	12%	18%	16%	14%	8%	10%	9%
4 persons	14%	11%	17%	15%	12%	12%	8%	14%
5 or more persons	10%	14%	13%	11%	11%	8%	6%	3%
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Av. household size (persons)	2.54	2.57	2.62	2.43	2.43	2.14	2.02	2.05

Household income	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1st quartile (lowest)	57%	53%	41%	44%	44%	46%	46%	41%
2nd quartile	25%	24%	34%	31%	27%	27%	28%	35%
3rd quartile	12%	14%	19%	22%	21%	19%	15%	15%
4th quartile (highest)	6%	8%	6%	3%	7%	8%	10%	9%
Not stated (households)	13	18	16	32	20	26	25	28
TOTAL (households)	133	149	186	202	217	218	237	264

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

