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Creswick

Hepburn (S) LGA

Defined in 2016 as: UCL 215027



The map above shows the location of Creswick in Victoria.

Summary data

	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Total population*	2,036	2,266	2,387	2,327	2,448	2,423	2,582	2,741
Male: Female ratio*	102.6	102.1	102.3	93.1	97.4	90.2	92.4	90.5
Visitors on Census night*	61	85	108	81	106	80	149	151
Population in non-private dwellings*	105	101	159	125	150	132	167	211
Population at same address 5 years ago	1,197	1,268	1,162	1,273	1,290	1,313	1,487	1,357

*Includes local, interstate and overseas visitors.

Population growth	1981-91	1991-2001	2001-06	2006-11	2011-16
Net change	351	61	-25	159	159
Average annual change	1.6%	0.3%	-0.2%	1.3%	1.2%

Area	
2006 Area (km ²):	10.54
2011 Area (km ²):	14.90

Location	
	15km north of Ballarat

Age structure	1981		1986		1991		1996		2001		2006		2011		2016	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
0-4	154	8%	171	8%	196	8%	160	7%	169	7%	125	5%	154	6%	160	6%
5-17	526	26%	490	22%	438	18%	423	18%	462	19%	459	19%	394	15%	362	13%
18-24	216	11%	276	12%	269	11%	232	10%	211	9%	160	7%	178	7%	169	6%
25-34	267	13%	280	12%	355	15%	318	14%	297	12%	245	10%	241	9%	276	10%
35-44	260	13%	296	13%	292	12%	268	12%	334	14%	332	14%	316	12%	272	10%
45-54	203	10%	269	12%	254	11%	259	11%	255	10%	308	13%	338	13%	343	12%
55-64	166	8%	180	8%	220	9%	219	9%	270	11%	287	12%	357	14%	369	13%
65-74	156	8%	174	8%	190	8%	220	10%	218	9%	231	10%	282	11%	378	14%
75+	88	4%	128	6%	166	7%	216	9%	233	10%	274	11%	307	12%	427	15%
TOTAL	2,036	100%	2,264	100%	2,381	100%	2,315	100%	2,448	100%	2,418	100%	2,567	100%	2,756	100%

Indigenous status	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Indigenous	12	20	26	35	26	35
Non-Indigenous	2,207	2,181	2,364	2,270	2,473	2,405
Not stated	45	114	58	113	64	300
TOTAL	2,264	2,315	2,448	2,418	2,563	2,735

Language spoken at home	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
English only	2,146	2,134	2,281	2,255	2,413	2,324
Top 3 LOTEs, 2016:						
- Greek:	4	6	8	7	10	17
- Dutch:	53	25	12	11	17	3
- Greek:	4	6	8	7	10	17
All languages other than English	109	66	76	57	102	98
Not stated	9	116	91	106	63	320
TOTAL	2,264	2,315	2,448	2,418	2,578	2,742

English proficiency among overseas born	1986* **	1996**	2001	2006	2011	2016
Speaks English well or very well (%)	92%	100%	87%	92%	76%	70%
Speaks English not well or not at all (%)	8%	0%	13%	8%	19%	8%
English proficiency not stated (%)	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%	0%

*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	788	755	850	900	1,008	936
Unemployed	98	114	107	68	69	73
TOTAL LABOUR FORCE	886	869	957	968	1,077	1,009
Not in labour force	802	908	892	875	946	1,016
Labour force status not-stated	52	39	66	104	82	247
Unemployment rate	11.1%	13.1%	11.2%	7.1%	6.4%	7.2%
Participation rate	52.5%	48.9%	51.8%	52.5%	53.2%	49.8%

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Industry of employment*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	18	19	31	25	31	31
Mining	0	13	0	3	7	7
Manufacturing	127	139	146	121	104	78
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	7	5	8	6	4	0
Construction	55	29	59	82	99	96
Wholesale Trade	26	28	23	24	25	10
Retail Trade	77	95	108	114	111	105
Accommodation and Food Services	25	30	41	61	83	78
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	55	25	47	37	58	59
Information Media and Telecommunications	19	19	24	19	8	11
Financial and Insurance Services	25	9	15	12	12	14
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	8	13	18	6	9	7
Professional, Scientific and Tech. Services	16	21	28	32	61	47
Administrative and Support Services	10	13	17	20	26	34
Public Administration and Safety	96	60	38	58	68	48
Education and Training	60	77	68	90	79	79
Health Care and Social Assistance	78	86	96	117	153	149
Arts and Recreation Services	11	18	18	12	24	13
Other Services	37	49	54	29	40	47
Inadequately described/Not stated	37	9	12	31	17	40
TOTAL	788	755	850	900	1,019	953

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Education	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bachelor degree or higher	54	123	165	209	273	287
Diploma or certificate	308	321	430	472	595	747
No post school qualification	1,123	1,123	1,104	993	1,192	925
Not stated	255	249	216	273	189	360
TOTAL	1,739	1,816	1,914	1,947	2,110	2,319

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Birthplace	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Australia	1,974	1,975	2,108	2,023	2,184	2,113
Top 3 overseas birthplaces, 2016						
- United Kingdom:	89	104	117	103	121	116
- Netherlands:	71	54	47	53	47	23
- Germany:	8	9	11	3	14	12
All overseas birthplaces	248	232	239	238	308	233
Birthplace not-stated	42	108	101	157	86	328
TOTAL	2,264	2,315	2,448	2,418	2,578	2,674

Family composition	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Couple family* with children	305	271	247	255	241
Couple family* without children	217	254	266	287	295
One parent family	83	89	111	138	133
Other family type	18	3	7	7	0
TOTAL	623	617	631	687	660

*Excludes same sex couple families in 1996 only

Travel to work*	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
Bicycle	9	6	3	0	0
Bus	8	10	10	23	5
Car as driver	507	527	612	685	678
Car as passenger	35	46	47	40	29
Motor bike/scooter	0	3	9	0	0
Taxi	0	0	0	0	0
Train	3	3	0	5	3
Tram or ferry	0	0	0	0	0
Walked only	39	50	30	50	33
Other modes	6	13	17	10	0
Multiple modes	12	9	6	16	7
Work from home	26	44	25	37	37
Did not go to work	98	116	118	131	100
Method of travel not stated	13	24	22	14	19
TOTAL	755	850	900	1,011	911

*Applies to persons aged 15 and over

Vehicle ownership*	1986	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
None	86	97	83	86	92	53
1 motor vehicle	301	320	340	335	386	352
2 motor vehicles	225	307	312	322	343	348
3 or more motor vehicles	102	102	145	161	192	233
Not stated	35	36	39	62	61	147
TOTAL	749	862	919	966	1,074	1,145

*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	624 91%	749 91%	842 91%	862 92%	919 89%	966 91%	1,075 91%	1,145 90%
Unoccupied private dwellings	65 9%	71 9%	82 9%	73 8%	108 11%	96 9%	112 9%	134 10%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	689 100%	820 100%	924 100%	935 100%	1,027 100%	1,062 100%	1,187 100%	1,279 100%

Dwellings - Type	1981*	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %
Separate house	653 95%	731 89%	823 89%	830 89%	912 89%	952 90%	1,052 89%	868 68%
Medium density**	22 3%	50 6%	73 8%	66 7%	88 9%	85 8%	110 9%	78 6%
Other dwelling	11 2%	23 3%	28 3%	33 4%	28 3%	25 2%	25 2%	290 23%
Structure not-stated	3 0%	16 2%	0 0%	6 1%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	41 3%
TOTAL (private dwellings)	689 100%	820 100%	924 100%	935 100%	1,027 100%	1,062 100%	1,187 100%	1,279 100%

Dwellings - Tenure	1981*	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %	Number %
Fully owned	273 44%	360 48%	400 48%	407 47%	441 48%	373 39%	422 39%	397 35%
Being purchased	194 31%	211 28%	223 26%	232 27%	266 29%	333 35%	344 32%	352 31%
Rented - government	32 5%	70 9%	84 10%	63 7%	50 5%	55 6%	63 6%	51 4%
Rented - other	63 10%	66 9%	99 12%	120 14%	110 12%	138 14%	189 18%	171 15%
Other and not stated	62 10%	41 6%	36 4%	41 5%	52 6%	67 7%	61 6%	143 12%
TOTAL (occ. private dwellings)	624 100%	749 100%	842 100%	862 100%	919 100%	966 100%	1,079 100%	1,145 100%

*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	18%	22%	25%	26%	27%	29%	33%	35%
2 persons	26%	27%	32%	33%	36%	37%	35%	35%
3 persons	16%	16%	15%	15%	13%	13%	13%	12%
4 persons	21%	17%	16%	15%	13%	14%	13%	11%
5 or more persons	20%	17%	12%	11%	11%	7%	7%	6%
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Av. household size (persons)	3.09	2.89	2.65	2.55	2.50	2.37	2.25	2.21

Household income	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2006	2011	2016
1st quartile (lowest)	35%	35%	38%	37%	37%	36%	38%	38%
2nd quartile	28%	28%	28%	29%	32%	30%	31%	34%
3rd quartile	23%	22%	20%	23%	22%	22%	20%	19%
4th quartile (highest)	14%	15%	14%	11%	10%	12%	11%	9%
Not stated (households)	68	96	120	81	115	97	102	87
TOTAL (households)	624	750	847	859	909	934	1,046	1,060

The map below shows the changes of boundary in Creswick between 2006 and 2016.

