



WARD 3

Demographics



Ward 3

Introduction

What is the Census?

Every five years, Statistics Canada conducts a Census providing a detailed account of the Canadian population. The Census is intended to provide a snapshot of demographic, social and economic conditions at a precise moment in time.

Why is it important?

The Census is a very important data source as it allows for a detailed analysis of the population and can be used to discover emerging trends within Richmond Hill. It helps us understand how we have changed over the years.

What will this profile tell me about my community?

This Demographic Profile provides information on population and age characteristics, population density, dwelling types, ethnic origin, mother tongue, immigration trends, education, employment rates, occupation types and income distribution using 2016 Census information.

City-wide information is based on the 2016 Census and other data sources available. You may view all of these online at www.richmondhill.ca/demographics



Ward 3



Key Facts

28,315



population

0%



population growth since 2006

93.5%



employment rate

1. Business, Finance and Administration
2. Sales and Services
3. Natural Applied Sciences

most common occupations

46.7%

bachelor degree or above



highest level of education

\$110,776



median total household income in 2015

Single Detached (77.6%)



most common dwelling type

3.5



average number of persons per unit

\$1,348,042



average value of dwelling

-  Chinese 49.5%
-  Iranian 6.7%
-  Canadian 6.3%

most common ethnic origins

Hello! English 27.0%

你好 Cantonese 25.3%

Nǐ hǎo Mandarin 20.8%

most common mother tongue languages

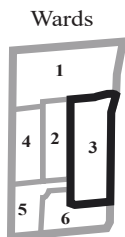
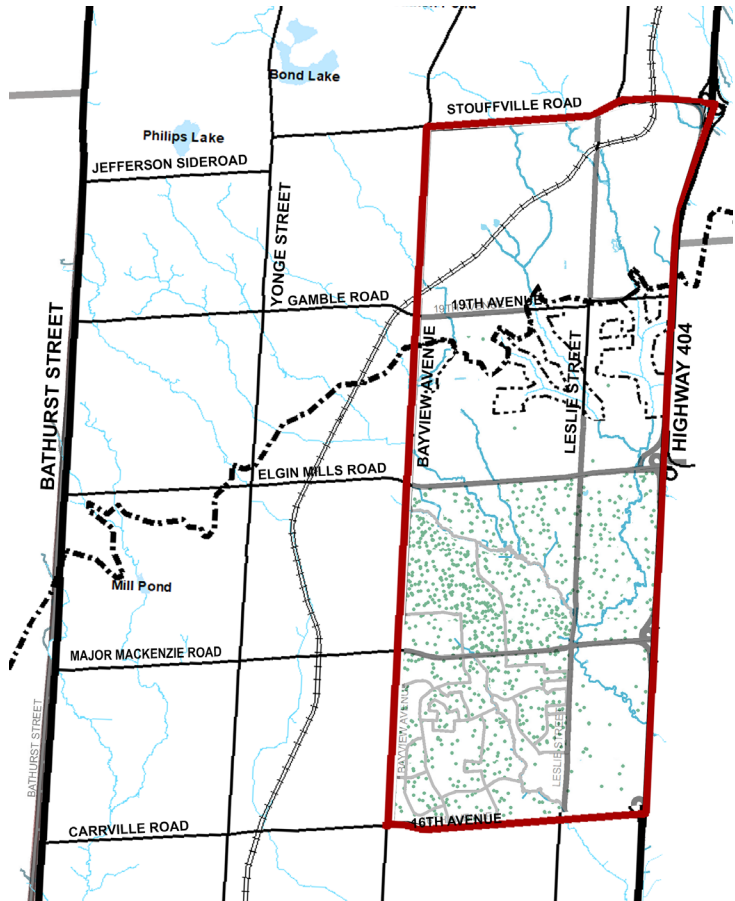


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Location and Context

Ward 3 is bounded by Stouffville Road to the North, Highway 404 to the East, 16th Avenue to the South, and Bayview Avenue to the West.

The following map represents the population distribution for Ward 3 of the City of Richmond Hill in 2016.



City of Richmond Hill Ward 3 2016 Population Distribution

Legend

- 1 Dot = 20 People
- Ward Boundary

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Census Data
Statistics Canada. 2017. Richmond Hill, T [Census subdivision], Ontario and Ontario [Province] (table). Census Profile, 2016 Census. Statistics Canada Catalogue no. 98-316-X2016001. Ottawa. Released November 29, 2017. <https://www12.statcan.gc.ca/census-recensement/2016/dp-pd/prof/index.cfm?Lang=E> (accessed March 5, 2019).



Population

- Ward 3 contains 14.5% of the total population of the Town of Richmond Hill in 2016.

	Ward 3	City-Wide
Ward Population	28,315 people	195,022 people
Population Growth (2011-2016)	0%	5.1%
Median Age	42.6 years old	42 years old

Population Growth (2011-2016)

Ward 3

0%

Town of Richmond Hill



Population Growth (2006-2016)

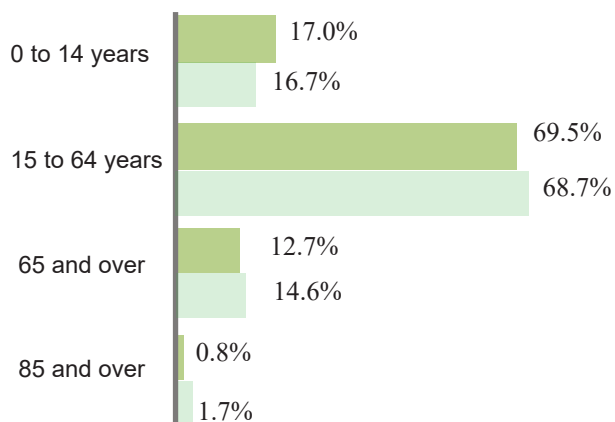
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1.6%

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Population by Age Group





Population by age

- The age groups that makes up the highest percentage of residents in Ward 3 are residents aged 45 to 49 (10.2%) and 50 to 54 (9.7%) years.

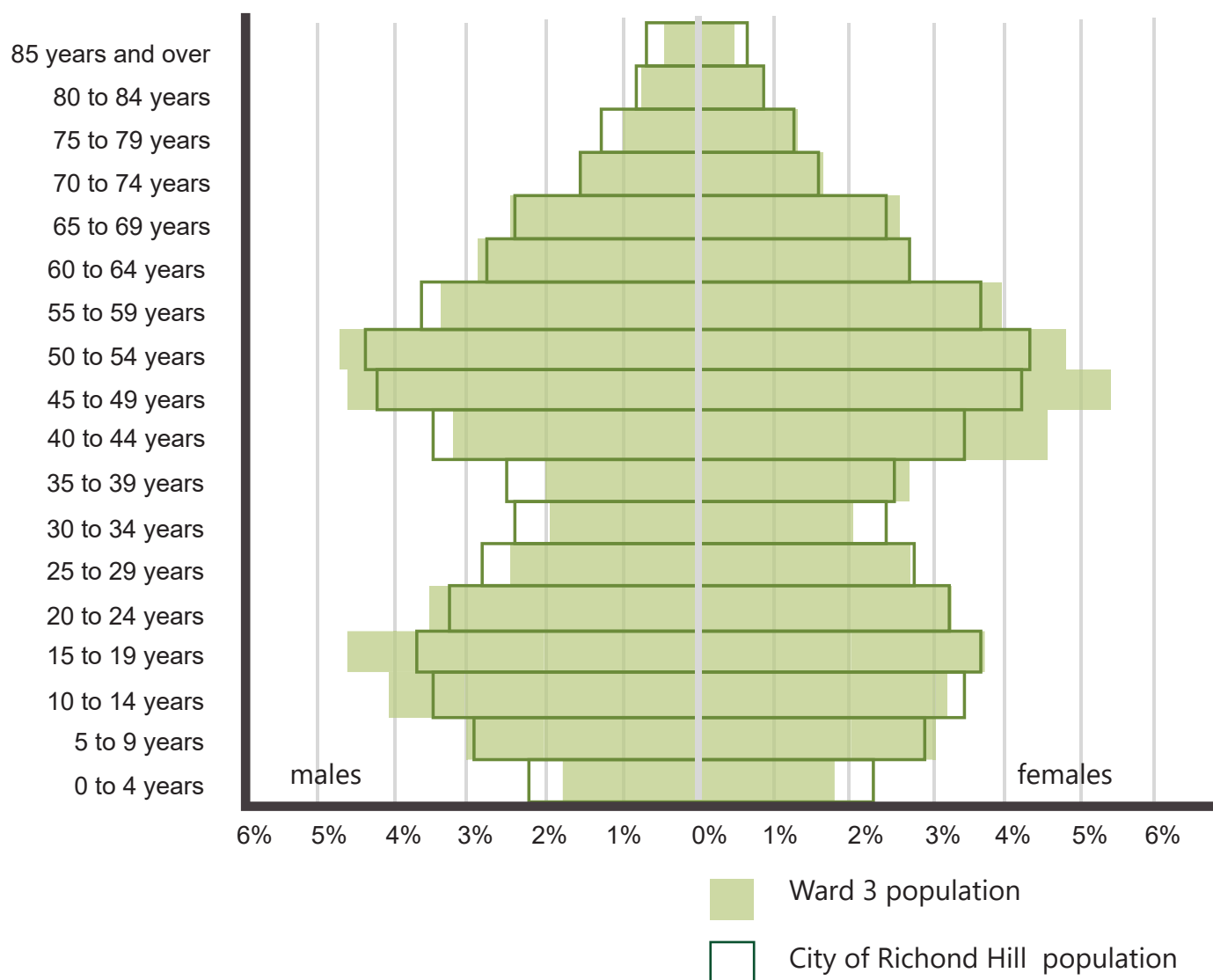
	Ward 3		Richmond Hill	
	2016#	2016%	2016#	2016%
Total - Age groups of males and females in private households - 25% sample data	28,755*	100%	195,020*	100%
0 to 4 years	1,025	3.6%	8,560	4.4%
5 to 9 years	1,775	6.2%	11,215	5.8%
10 to 14 years	2,125	7.4%	12,790	6.6%
15 to 19 years	2,440	8.5%	13,575	7.0%
20 to 24 years	1,960	6.8%	12,470	6.4%
25 to 29 years	1,515	5.3%	10,985	5.6%
30 to 34 years	1,120	3.9%	9,930	5.1%
35 to 39 years	1,385	4.8%	11,270	5.8%
40 to 44 years	2,275	7.9%	15,175	7.8%
45 to 49 years	2,925	10.2%	17,620	9.0%
50 to 54 years	2,780	9.7%	17,100	8.8%
55 to 59 years	2,125	7.4%	14,640	7.5%
60 to 64 years	1,645	5.7%	11,235	5.8%
65 to 69 years	1,475	5.1%	9,875	5.1%
70 to 74 years	890	3.1%	6,570	3.4%
75 to 79 years	640	2.2%	5,095	2.6%
80 to 84 years	435	1.5%	3,555	1.8%
85 years and over	235	0.8%	3,360	1.7%

* Please note there are differences between Statistic's Canada census counts (Population by age) and population estimates (overall population) to account for people who might have been missed either because were not included in the questionnaire completed for the household, they did not receive a census questionnaire, or because they do not have a usual residence. Retrieved from <https://www.statcan.gc.ca/eng/hp/estima>.



Proportion of population by sex and age group

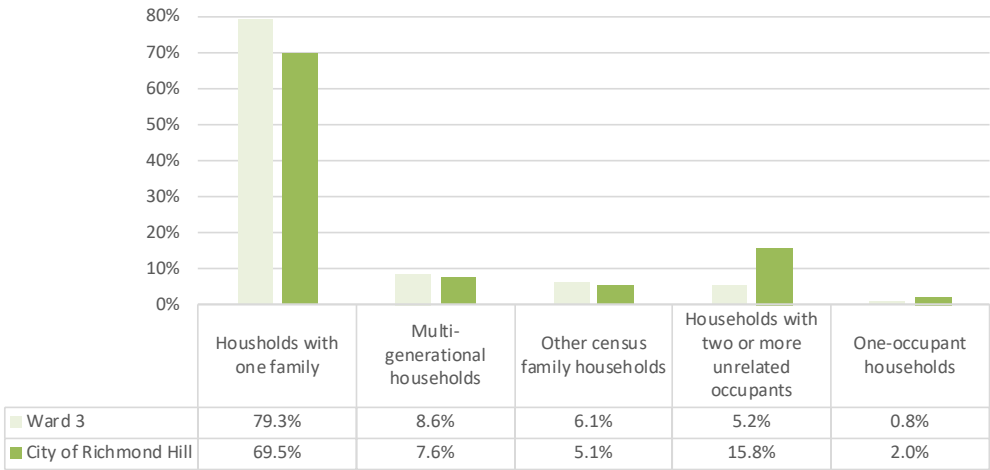
- The median age of people living in Ward 3 is 42.6 years old; whereas the median age of persons living in the Town of Richmond Hill is 42.4 years.





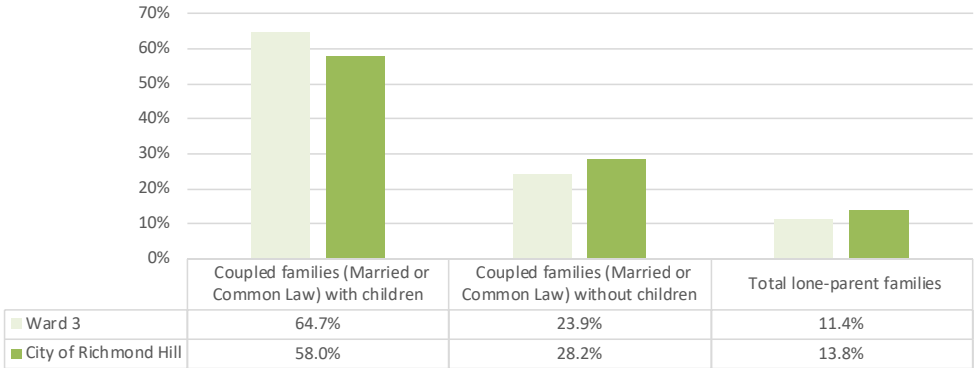
Households

Types of households in Richmond Hill (2016)



- The majority of households in Ward 3 are "one family" households.

Breakdown of family households in Richmond Hill (2016)



- The majority of families (married or common law) live with children in Ward 3.



Dwelling Units

- A higher percentage of households in Ward 3 own their home in comparison to households in the Town of Richmond Hill.

Number of Dwelling Units	8,135 units
Median Value of Dwelling	\$1,197,578
Average Value of Dwelling	\$1,348,042
Average Household Size	3.5 people / unit

Private households by tenure

	Ward 3		Richmond Hill	
	2016#	2016%	2016#	2016%
Total Census Families by Private Households	8,130	100%	64,115	100%
Owner	7,650	94.1%	52,855	82.4%
Renter	480	5.9%	11,260	17.6%





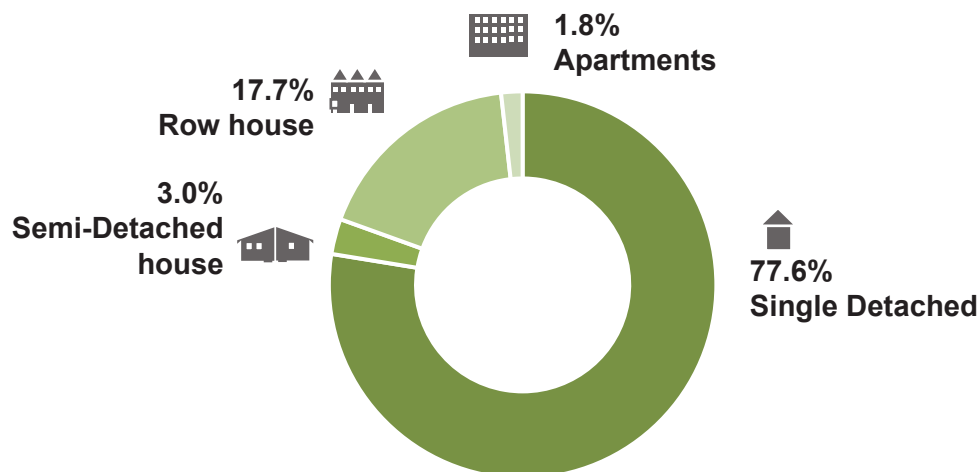
Dwellings by structural type

- There is a higher percentage of single-detached and row housing in Ward 3 compared to the overall structural types in the City of Richmond Hill.

	Ward 3		Richmond Hill	
	2016#	2016%	2016#	2016%
Total Census Families by Private Households	8,135	100%	64,060	100%
Single-detached house	6,310	77.6%	37,645	58.0%
Semi-detached house	240	3.0%	2,555	4.0%
Row House	1,440	17.7%	9,070	15.1%
Apartment	145	1.8%	14,190	22.2%

Occupied Private Dwellings by Structure Type

Ward 3 dwellings by structural type (2016)





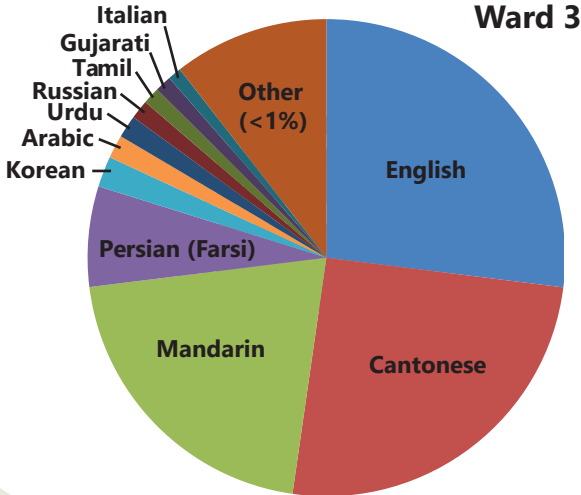
Language and Culture

- The top three most common mother tongue languages in Ward 3 are English, Cantonese, and Mandarin.

Mother tongue for the total population excluding institutional residents

	Ward 3		Richmond Hill	
	2016#	2016%	2016#	2016%
Total	28,765	100%	193,995	100%
English	7,440	27.0%	70,410	37.9%
Cantonese	6,970	25.3%	22,695	12.2%
Mandarin	5,725	20.8%	21,495	11.6%
Persian (Farsi)	1,875	6.8%	19,020	10.3%
Korean	575	2.1%	4,310	2.3%
Arabic	435	1.6%	3,165	1.7%
Urdu	420	1.5%	1,765	1.0%
Russian	355	1.3%	9,690	5.2%
Tamil	315	1.1%	1,100	0.6%
Gujarati	310	1.1%	1,565	0.8%
Italian	250	0.9%	6,280	3.4%
Other (<1%)	2,900	10.5%	32,500	13%

‘Mother tongue’ refers to the first language learned at home in childhood and still understood by the person at the time the data was collected. If the person no longer understands the first language learned, the mother tongue is the second language learned.





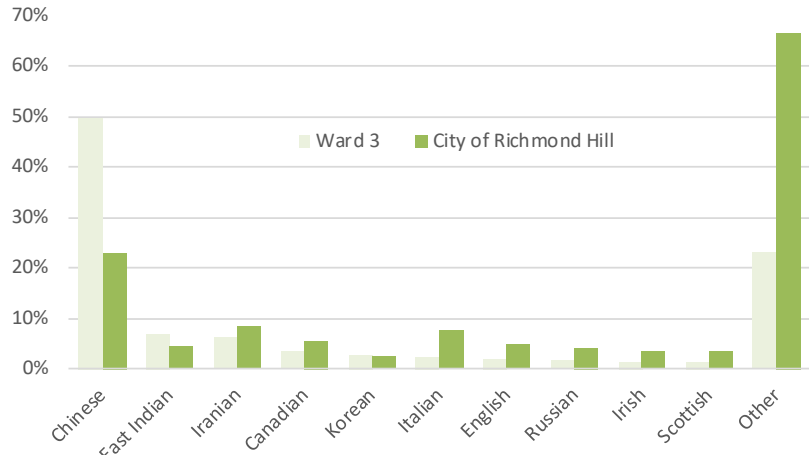
Ethnic Origins

- The top three ethnicities in Ward 3 are Chinese, East Indian, and Iranian.

Ethnic origin for the population in private households

	Ward 3		Richmond Hill	
	2016#	2016%	2016#	2016%
Total	28,765		193,800	
Chinese	16,780	49.5%	58,485	22.8%
East Indian	2,285	6.7%	11,175	4.4%
Iranian	2,135	6.3%	21,285	8.3%
Canadian	1,100	3.2%	14,225	5.6%
Korean	855	2.5%	5,790	2.3%
Italian	765	2.3%	19,210	7.5%
English	690	2.0%	12,505	4.9%
Russian	550	1.6%	10,460	4.1%
Irish	465	1.4%	8,625	3.4%
Scottish	435	1.3%	8,815	3.4%
Other	7,825	23.1%	25,075	66.6%

Percentage of ethnic origin reported in Ward 3 and the City of Richmond Hill (2016)



'Ethnic origin' refers to the ethnic cultural origins of the respondent's ancestors, these responses are self identified. Respondents to the 2016 census may select up to six ethnic origins, consequently these numbers do not add up to 100%.

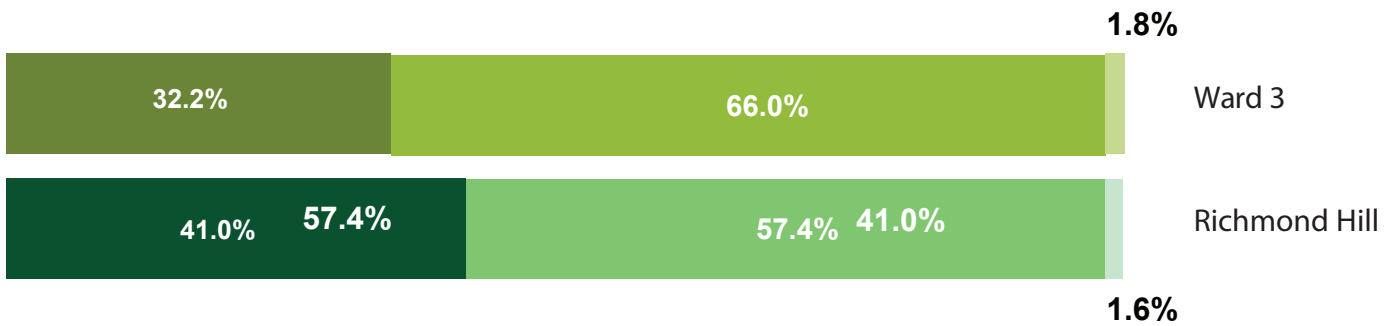


Immigrant Population

- More than half the residents living in Ward 3 are immigrants (66.0%). Of the immigrant residents, 11.4% are recent immigrants who arrived between 2011 and 2016.

Immigrant Population in Ward 3 **18,715 residents**

Immigrant Population in Richmond Hill **193,800 residents**

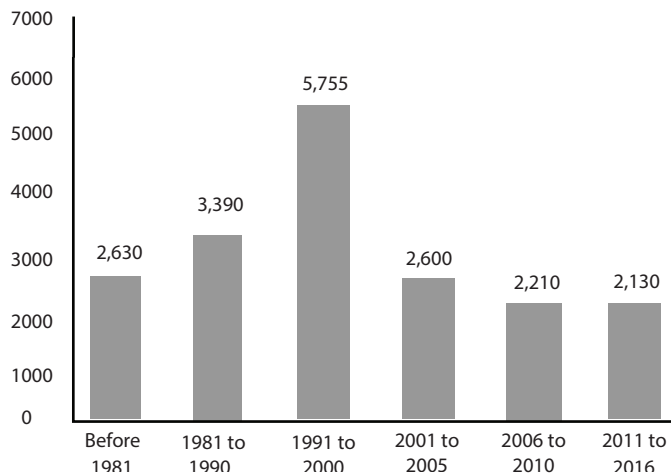


'Non-immigrant' includes persons who are Canadian citizens by birth.

'Immigrants' includes persons who are, or who have ever been, landed immigrants or permanent residents. Such persons have been granted the right to live in Canada permanently by immigration authorities. Immigrants who have obtained Canadian citizenship by naturalization are included in this category.

'Non-permanent' includes persons from another country who have a work or study permit or who are refugee claimants, and their family members sharing the same permit and living in Canada with them

Ward 3 Immigrant population by period of immigration (2016)





Religion

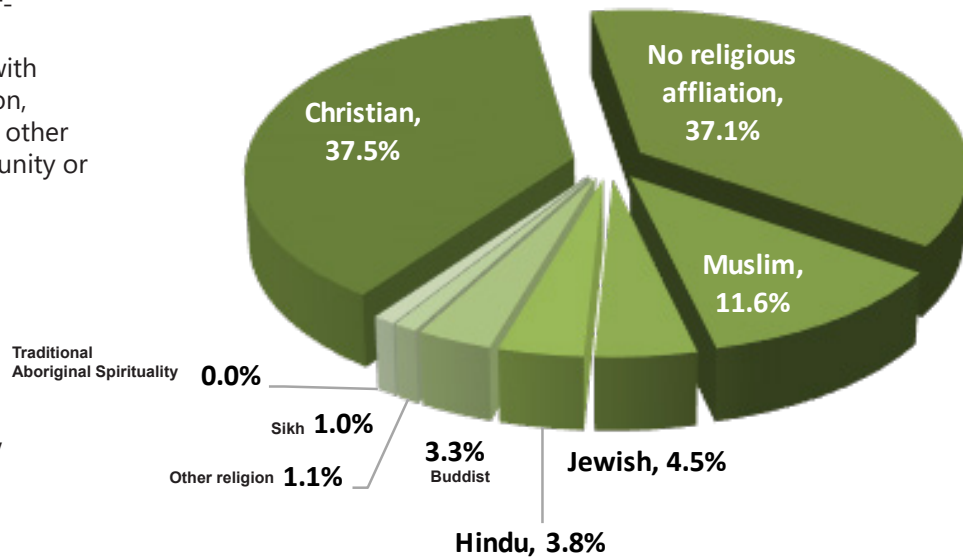
- The 2016 Census did not include questions related to religious affiliations. As a result, the most current information regarding religious affiliations in the Town of Richmond Hill is from the 2011 National Household Survey.

Religion

Refers to the person's self-identification as having a connection or affiliation with any religious denomination, group, body, sect, cult, or other religiously defined community or system of belief.

The most common reported religion in Ward 3 is Christianity, at 37.5%

Ward 3 population by religion (2011)



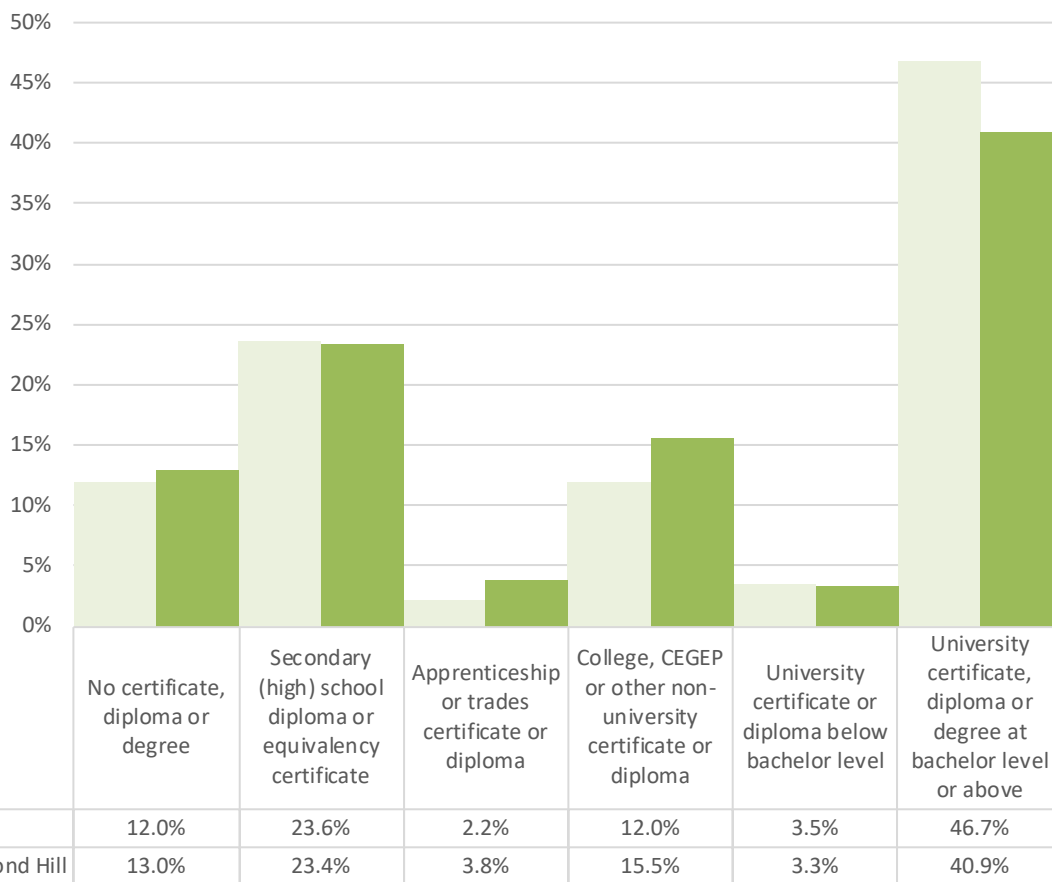
	Ward 3		Richmond Hill	
	2011#	2011%	2011#	2011%
Total	30,025	100%	184,375	100%
Christian	11,255	37.5%	92,125	50.0%
No religious affiliation	11,145	37.1%	48,690	26.4%
Muslim	3,495	11.6%	21,245	11.5%
Jewish	1,357	4.5%	10,125	5.5%
Hindu	1,140	3.8%	4,390	2.4%
Buddhist	1,005	3.3%	5,125	2.8%
Other religions	320	1.1%	1,695	0.9%
Sikh	290	1.0%	910	0.5%
Traditional (Aboriginal) Spirituality	0	0.0%	0	0.0%



Education

- 88.0% of Ward 3 residents over 15 years old have a “Secondary (high) school diploma or equivalency certificate” or higher level of education.

Highest level of education for the population aged 15 years or over in private households (2016)





Labour Force Characteristics

Labour Force Activity

- There is a lesser percentage of people who participate in the labour force and a greater percentage are employed in Ward 3 compared to the rest of the City of Richmond Hill.

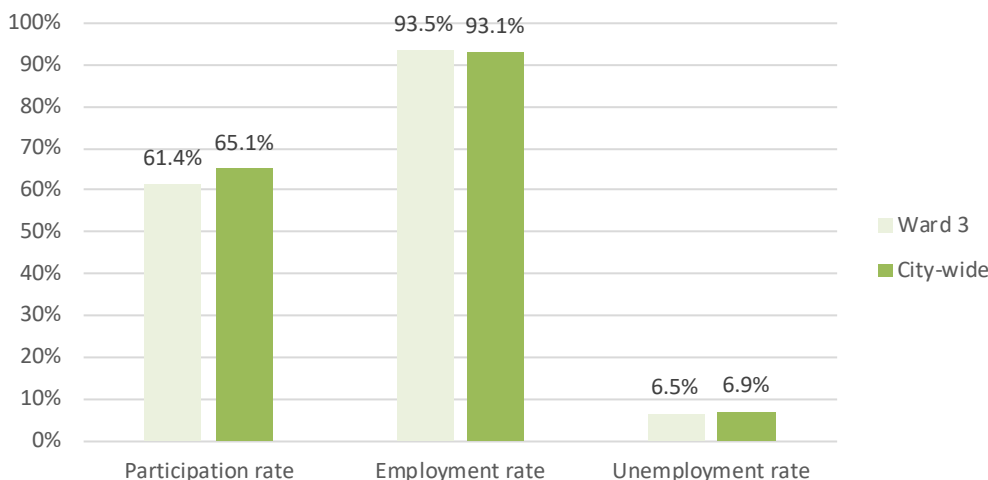
	Ward 3	City-Wide
Participation Rate	61.4%	65.1%
Employment Rate	93.5%	93.1%
Unemployment Rate	6.5%	6.9%

The **'participation rate'** is the percentage of the total population 15 years and older that is considered part of the 'labour force'.

The **'labour force'** contains all persons that are 15 years or older that are employed or unemployed but seeking employment. It excludes those that have removed themselves from the labour force (i.e. retired or homemakers or students).

The **'employment rate'** is the percentage of the labour force that is employed. Conversely, the **'unemployment rate'** is the percentage of the labour force that is not employed but is seeking employment.

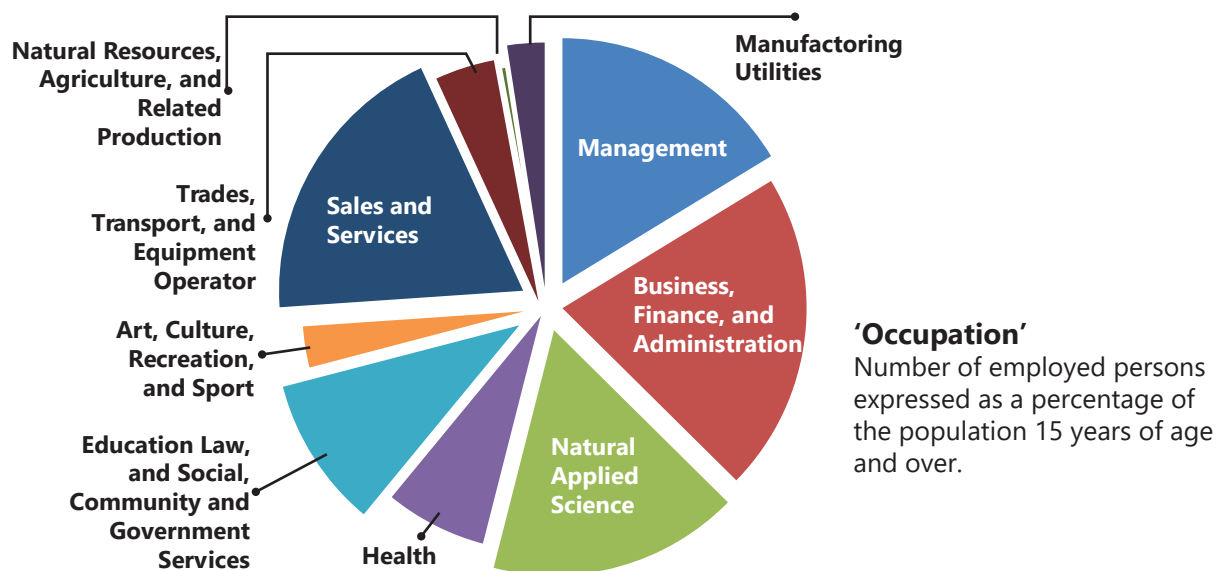
Labour Force Activity (2016)





Labour Force by Occupation

- The most common occupations of residents in Ward 3 are in Sales and Services; Business, Finance and Administration; Natural Applied Science and Management.



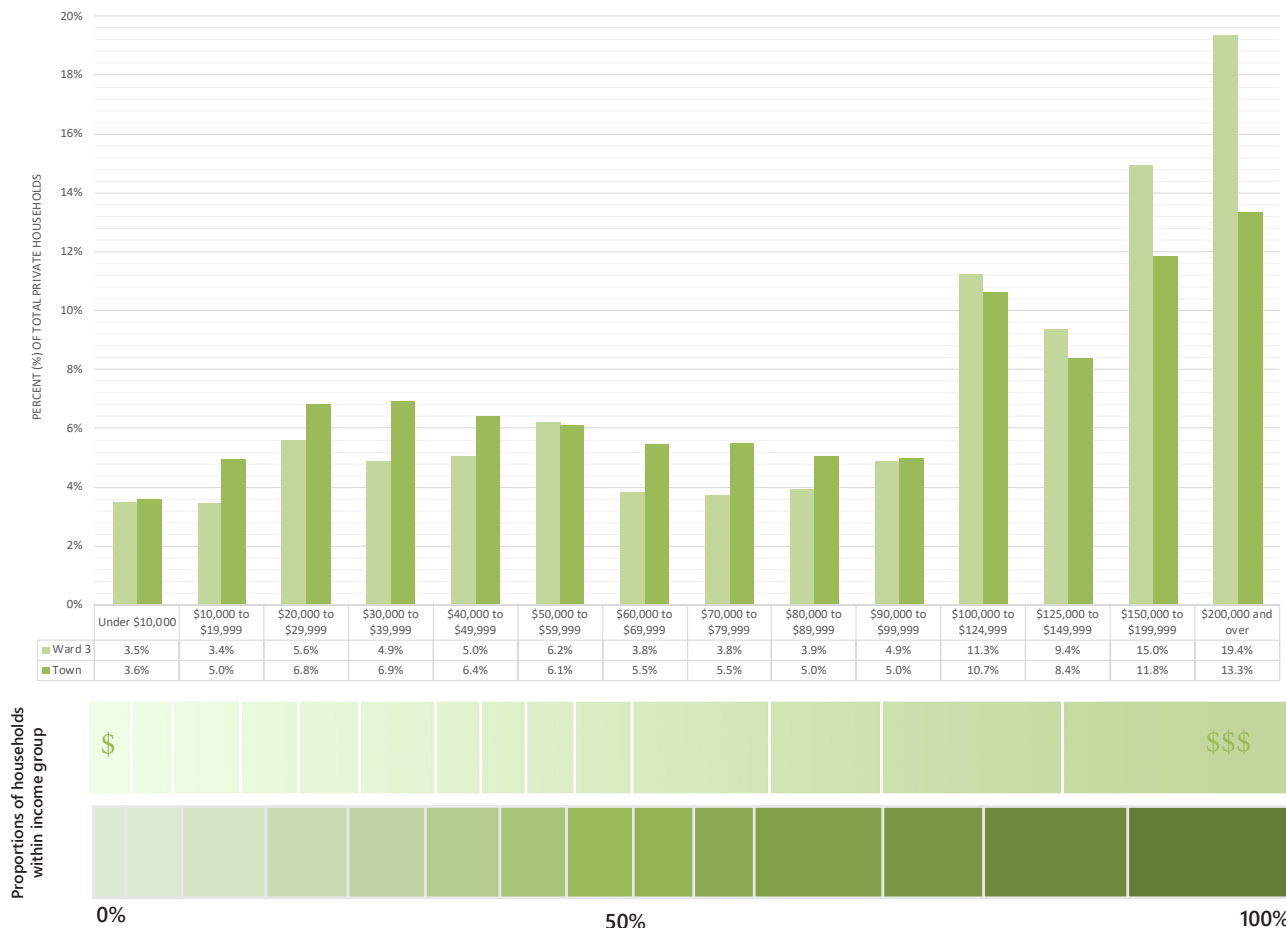
	Ward 3		Richmond Hill	
	2016#	2016%	2016#	2016%
Management	2,315	16.3%	14,705	14.4%
Business, Finance, and Administration	2,990	21.1%	19,940	19.5%
Natural Applied Science	2,355	16.6%	13,455	13.2%
Health	995	7.0%	6,180	6.1%
Education, Law, Social Community, and Government	1,415	10.0%	11,170	10.9%
Arts, Culture, Recreation, and Sport	420	3.0%	3,675	3.6%
Sales and Services	2,725	19.2%	21,520	21.1%
Trade, Transport, and Equipment Operator	560	3.9%	8,240	8.1%
Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Related Production	65	0.5%	685	0.7%
Manufacturing Utilities	350	2.5%	2,545	2.5%



Household Income

- Compared to Richmond Hill, the proportion of households with an average income greater than \$100,000 is higher in Ward 3.
- 55.1% of households in Wards 3 have a household income greater than \$100,000.

Distribution of household income (2015)



- The average household income (\$) in Ward 3 is \$138,643; whereas it is \$115,526 in Richmond Hill.
- The median household income (\$) in Ward 3 is \$110,776; whereas it is \$88,353 in Richmond Hill.

'Average income' of a specified group is calculated by dividing the aggregate income of that group by the number of units in that group.

The **'median income'** of a specified group is the amount that divides the income distribution of that group into two halves.



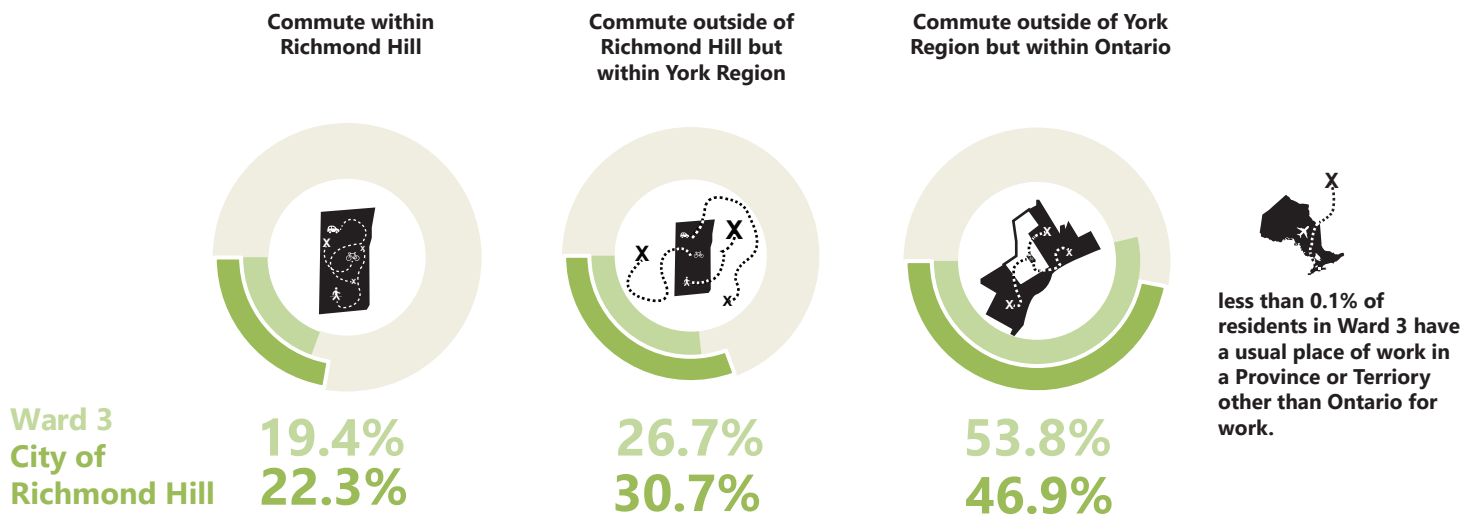
Place of Work & Mobility

- Compared to Richmond Hill, the proportion of people in Ward 3 who commute outside of York Region but within Ontario to work is greater.

Employed Labour Force by Place of Work

	Ward 3	City-Wide
Worked at usual place	77.7%	77.7%
Worked at home	12.3%	10.2%
Worked outside Canada	2.1%	1.1%
No fixed workplace address	7.9%	11.0%

Ward 3 community destinations for the employed labour force in private households with a 'usual place of work' (2016)





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