

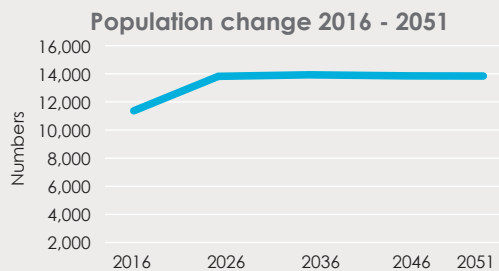
Burnside – Burnside Heights Community Profile

Location & Growth



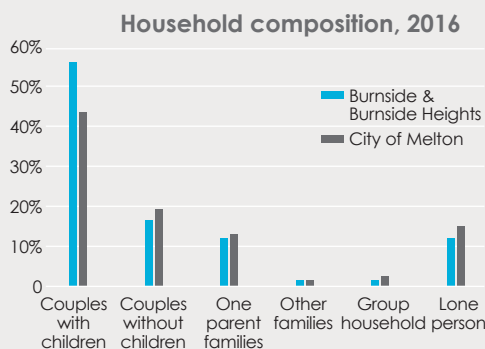
- > Situated in the fastest growing region in Australia with a population of 13,085
- > By 2026, the population will grow to 13,827 (an increase of 7%)
- > By 2036, the population will marginally increase to 13,934
- > By 2051, the population will slightly decrease to 13,851
- > The average annual growth rate to 2051 is forecast at 0.2%

Population



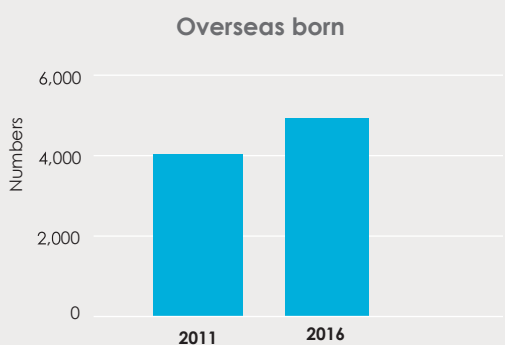
- > Median age is 32 (City of Melton, 32)
- > 191 babies born in 2019 (City of Melton, 2,711)
- > 70% of the population is aged less than 49 years
- > The largest population age groups are:
 - 0 – 4 years old (1,086)
 - 5 – 9 years old (1,213)
 - 35 – 39 years old (1,108)

Households



- > There are more than 3,480 households
- > The average household size is 3.3
- > Household composition is:
 - 54% couples with children (City of Melton, 43%)
 - 17% couples without children (City of Melton, 20%)
 - 12% one parent families (City of Melton, 13%)
 - 12% lone persons (City of Melton, 15%)
- > Average children per family 1.9

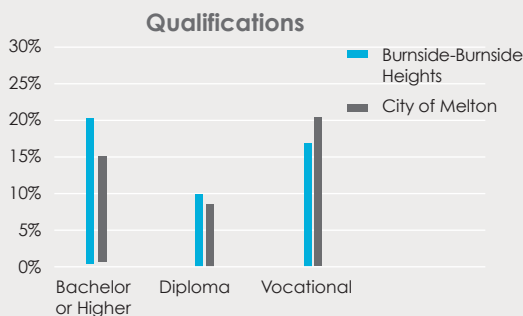
Diversity



- > Between 2011 and 2016, the number of overseas born residents increased from 4,013 to 4,887 (+874) which represents 39% of the total population
- > Top three countries of birth: the Philippines, India and Vietnam (16.3% of the population)
- > 55% of people speak a language other than English at home
- > A higher proportion of people nominated a religious affiliation
- > Between 2011 and 2016, the largest religious affiliation increases were for:
 - Christian denominations
 - Hinduism
 - Sikhism
- > In 2016, there was a lower proportion of no religious affiliation than City of Melton (15% and 22% respectively)
- > 33 people identify as being of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander background*

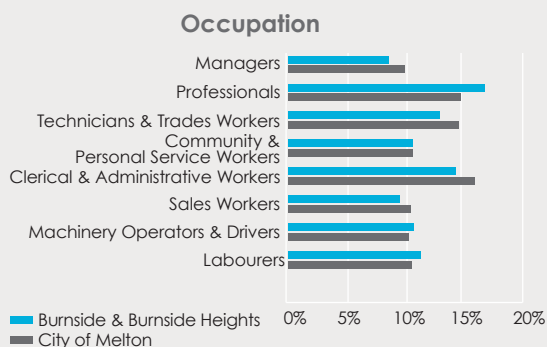
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Education



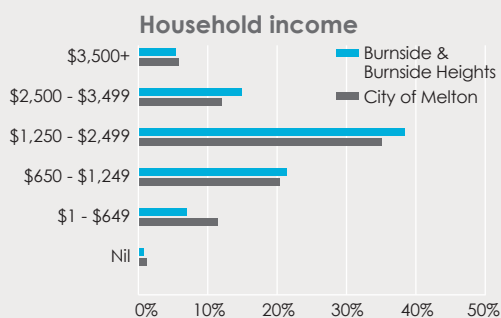
- > 28% of the population attend an educational institution
- > There are 1,086 babies and pre-schoolers, 1,213 primary schoolers and 796 secondary schoolers
- > 61% have completed Year 12 (City of Melton, 51%)
- > University attendance is 4.7% (City of Melton, 3.5%)
- > Bachelor or Higher Degree qualification is 20.5% (City of Melton 16%)
- > Vocational qualification is 17% (City of Melton, 20.6%)

Employment



- > 4,749 people are employed, of which 60% are working full time and 30% part time
- > The three most popular occupations were:
 - Professionals 16.6% (City of Melton 14.8%)
 - Clerical and Administrative Workers 14.6% (City of Melton 15.8%)
 - Technicians and Trades Workers 13.2% (City of Melton 14.8%)
- > 70% travel to work by car (City of Melton, 70%)
- > 11% travel to work by train (City of Melton, 9%)
- > 11% of residents are involved in voluntary work (City of Melton, 12.5%)

Income



- > Median weekly household income is \$1,626 (City of Melton \$1,542)
- > Fewer households (10%) earn low income (City of Melton, 14%)
- > More households (21%) earn high income (City of Melton 19%)
- > Median monthly mortgage repayment is \$1,866 (City of Melton, \$1,704)
- > 15% of households are experiencing mortgage stress (City of Melton, 13%)
- > 26% of households are experiencing mortgage stress (City of Melton, 31%)
- > SEIFA index 997 (City of Melton, 994)
- > Average motor vehicles per dwelling is 2.05

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* Due to issues with non-identification and undercounting in the 2016 Census, the number could double.

SEIFA index figures above 1,000 are above the Australian average and so relatively less disadvantaged, while index figures below 1,000 indicate areas of relatively greater disadvantage when compared to the nation.

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For further information on City of Melton demographics,
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