

# Alvechurch People Statistics

## Resident Population and Age

The resident population of Alvechurch, as measured in the 2001 Census, was 6,261 of which 48 per cent were male and 52 per cent were female. The resident population of Bromsgrove was 87,837, of which 49 per cent were male and 51 per cent were female.

Resident population (percentage)

	Alvechurch	Bromsgrove	England and Wales
Under 16	18.2	19.3	20.2
16 to 19	3.6	4.3	4.9
20 to 29	8.3	9.2	12.6
30 to 59	43.9	44.3	41.5
60 to 74	16.8	14.8	13.3
75 and over	9.2	8.0	7.6
Average age	42.6	40.7	38.6

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

## Marital Status

Resident population aged 16 and over (percentage)

	Alvechurch	Bromsgrove	England and Wales
Single (never married)	22.1	23.3	30.1
Married or re-married	59.2	59.2	50.9
Separated	2.1	2.0	2.4
Divorced	7.4	7.2	8.2
Widowed	9.1	8.3	8.4

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

## Ethnic Group

Resident population (percentage)

	Alvechurch	Bromsgrove	England
White	98.4	97.8	90.9
of which White Irish	0.9	1.0	1.3
Mixed	0.8	0.8	1.3
Asian or Asian British	0.4	0.7	4.6
Indian	0.3	0.6	2.1
Pakistani	0.0	0.1	1.4
Bangladeshi	0.0	0.0	0.6
Other Asian	0.0	0.1	0.5
Black or Black British	0.2	0.3	2.1
Caribbean	0.1	0.2	1.1
African	0.0	0.1	1.0
Other Black	0.0	0.0	0.2
Chinese or Other Ethnic Group	0.2	0.3	0.9

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

## Religion

Resident population (percentage)

	Alvechurch	Bromsgrove	England and Wales
Christian	79.3	80.1	71.8
Buddhist	0.1	0.1	0.3
Hindu	0.2	0.2	1.1
Jewish	0.2	0.1	0.5
Muslim	0.1	0.3	3.0
Sikh	0.1	0.3	0.6
Other religions	0.3	0.2	0.3
No religion	12.0	11.8	14.8
Religion not stated	7.8	6.8	7.7

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

## Economic Activity

Resident population aged 16 to 74 (percentage)

	Alvechurch	Bromsgrove	England and Wales
Employed	66.1	65.9	60.6
Unemployed	2.1	2.1	3.4
Economically active full-time students	2.1	2.2	2.6
Retired	17.1	15.6	13.6
Economically inactive students	2.4	3.0	4.7
Looking after home/family	5.1	5.0	6.5
Permanently sick or disabled	3.5	3.6	5.5
Other economically inactive	1.7	2.6	3.1

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Within Alvechurch, 26 per cent of those unemployed were aged 50 and over, 5 per cent had never worked and 32 per cent were long term unemployed.

## Students and Qualifications

Students and schoolchildren aged 16 to 74

	Alvechurch	Bromsgrove	England and Wales
Total number of full-time students and schoolchildren aged 16 to 74	193	3,271	2,648,992
Percentage of total resident population	3.1	3.7	5.1
Total number aged 16 to 17	110	1,755	1,014,284
Total number aged 18 to 74	83	1,516	1,634,708

Note : Students and schoolchildren were counted at their term-time address. Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Resident population aged 16 to 74 (percentage)

	Alvechurch	Bromsgrove	England and Wales
Had no qualifications	27.3	26.1	29.1
Qualified to degree level or higher	24.4	21.8	19.8

## Housing and Households

In Alvechurch there were 2,564 households in 2001. 99 per cent of the resident population lived in households. The remainder of the population lived in communal establishments. The number of households in Bromsgrove was 35,168.

Number of households (percentage)

	Alvechurch	Bromsgrove	England and Wales
One person households	24.5	24.4	30.0
Pensioners living alone	13.6	13.2	14.4
Other All Pensioner households	13.4	11.8	9.4
Contained dependent children	26.8	30.2	29.5
Lone parent households with dependent children	3.4	4.2	6.5
Owner occupied	83.6	83.4	68.9
Rented from Council	7.3	8.9	13.2
Rented from Housing Association or Registered Social Landlord	1.7	1.6	6.0
Private rented or lived rent free	7.5	6.1	11.9
Without central heating	4.7	4.4	8.5
Without sole use of bath, shower or toilet	0.1	0.1	0.5
Have no car or van	12.4	13.3	26.8
Have 2 or more cars or vans	48.2	47.0	29.4
Average household size (number)	2.4	2.4	2.4
Average number of rooms per household	6.0	6.0	5.3

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

£'s and number of households (percentage)

	Bromsgrove		England & Wales	
	Average price	Percentage of households living in this type of property	Average price	Percentage of households living in this type of property
Detached	194,850	38.0	178,806	22.8
Semi-detached	104,377	38.1	101,733	31.6
Terraced	90,040	14.1	89,499	26.0
Flat	83,495	8.7	120,185	19.2
All property types	141,489		119,436	

Sources: 2001 Census, ONS  
The Land Registry, 2001

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