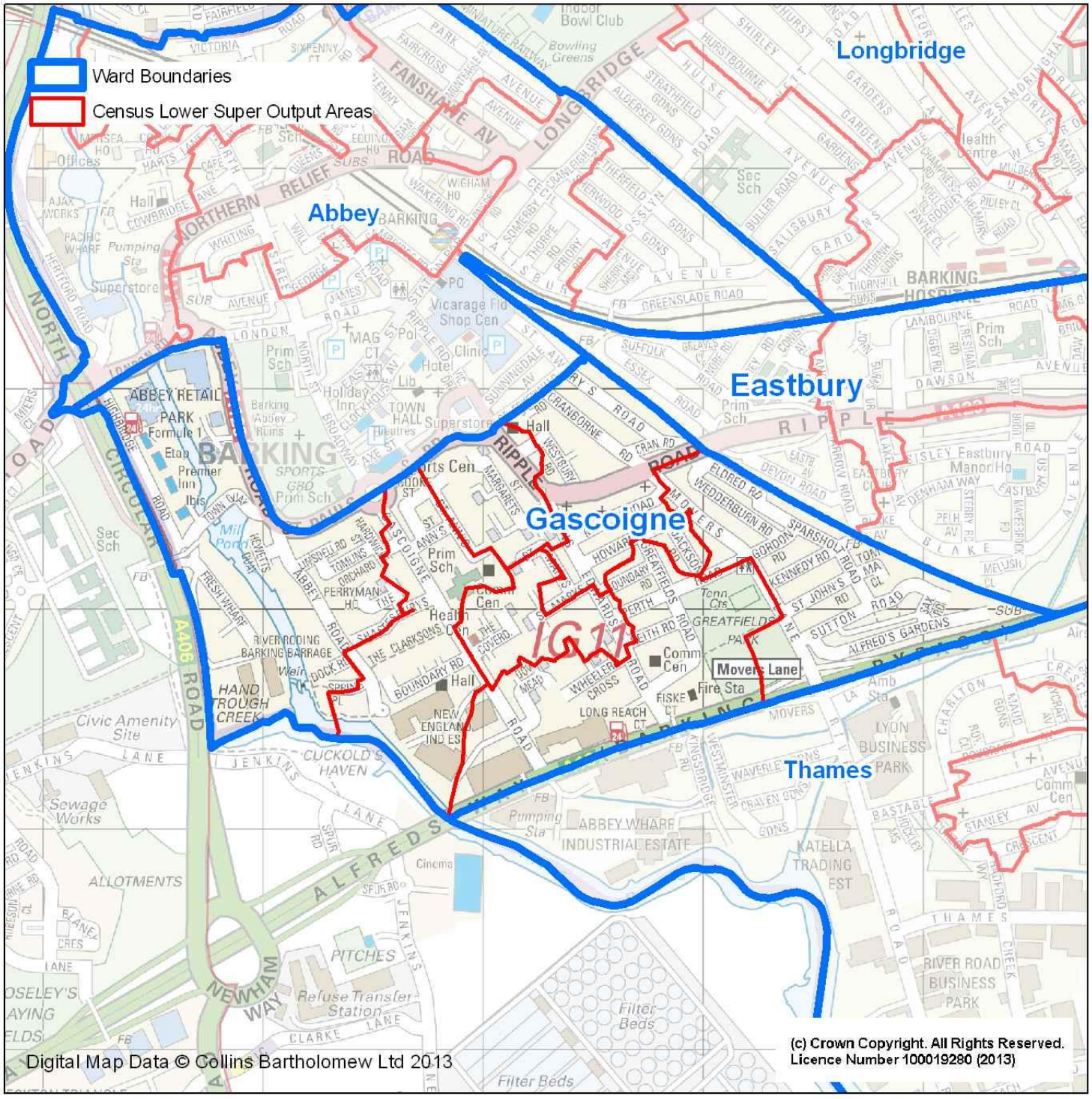
2011 Census Profile for Gascoigne Ward



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1. Introduction

The Census, which happens every 10 years in March provides a detailed snapshot picture of the population at that particular time. It gives a count of all people and households and is the most complete source of information about the population that is available. This document focuses solely on 2011 Census data which has been broken down to individual ward level.

The 2011 Census has shown that Barking and Dagenham has experienced significant demographic change between 2001 and 2011, especially in terms of age, ethnicity, religion, tenure and household composition. This change in Barking and Dagenham is part of the trend across East London which has been happening in inner London boroughs such as Newham and Tower Hamlets since 1991 and earlier.

This document contains a selection of ward information from the 2011 Census. Data tables have been included to show percentage, and actual number data for each topic by ward and a comparison with the borough. There is also a ranking column for each table. This compares the category percentage of all seventeen borough wards, and shows where this ward is ranked. A ranking of 1 is the highest percent of any borough ward and a ranking of 17 is the lowest percent of any borough ward.

In addition to data tables, maps are also included to illustrate where for example, the highest levels of qualifications exist across the borough, or which areas have the lowest levels of economic activity. The maps make it possible to see how one ward compares with another, as well as showing differences in an individual ward.

More 2011 Census information for Barking and Dagenham can be found at:
http://www.lbbd.gov.uk/CouncilandDemocracy/Census/Pages/Census11.aspx

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2. Summary of Census Information for Gascoigne Ward

Compared to the borough as a whole, and to other wards, Gascoigne Ward has the following key characteristics:

- Gascoigne Ward has the second highest ward population in the borough at 12,452 residents. The ward has a very young age profile.
- The ward has the largest proportion of Council rented households in the borough and also has more private rented households than most wards.
- Percentages of home ownership, both outright and with a mortgage in Gascoigne Ward are low in comparison to the borough as a whole.
- Compared to other wards, Gascoigne Ward has the second largest proportion of Single Person Households where the occupant is aged under 65 years Conversely there is a low proportion of Single Person Households where the occupant is aged 65 years and over.
- Gascoigne Ward has the largest proportion in the borough of Lone Parents with Dependent Children.
- Gascoigne Ward is one of the most ethnically diverse wards in the borough.
- The ward has the largest population of residents from the White Other ethnic group in the borough.
- There are 47.2% of residents in Gascoigne Ward who classify themselves as Christian which is significantly below the borough average of 56.0%.
- Gascoigne Ward has the third highest proportion of residents in the borough who classify themselves as Muslim. The percentage of Muslim residents in Gascoigne Ward is substantially higher than the borough average.
- After English, the second most commonly used language used as a main language is Albanian. Gascoigne Ward has the highest proportion of Albanian speaking residents when compared to all other wards in the borough.
- Gascoigne Ward is the most deprived ward in the borough.
- There are generally high proportions of residents with qualifications in Gascoigne Ward, and has the second highest proportion of residents holding a level 4 and above qualification in the borough.

3. Age

Age Bands	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
All Residents	12,452	12,452	185,911	
0-4	1,647	13.2%	10.0%	1
5-9	1,195	9.6%	7.7%	1
10-15	1,080	8.7%	8.2%	2
16-19	503	4.0%	5.4%	17
20-24	913	7.3%	7.0%	3
25-29	1,157	9.3%	8.1%	2
30-44	3,354	26.9%	23.4%	2
45-59	1,547	12.4%	16.1%	16
60-64	300	2.4%	3.7%	17
65-74	384	3.1%	5.0%	15
75-84	259	2.1%	3.8%	16
85 and Over	113	0.9%	1.6%	16

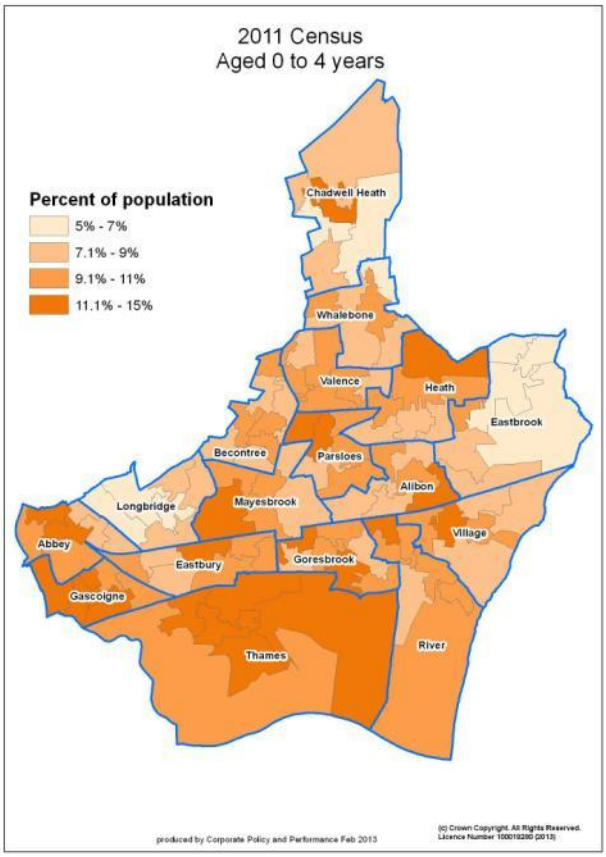
Gascoigne Ward has the second highest ward population in the borough at 12,452 residents. The ward has a very young age profile.

The ward has one of the lowest proportions of residents aged 45 years and over at 20.9% representing 2,603 residents, compared to 30.2% for the borough.

There are 3,922 residents aged 0-15 years representing 31.5% of the total ward population which is above the borough average of 25.9%. Gascoigne Ward has the highest proportions this age group when compared to all other wards in the borough.

Conversely, the 16-19 age group accounts for the smallest proportion of the ward population at 4.0% representing only 503 residents and is lower than the borough average of 5.4%.

Gascoigne Ward has the second largest proportion of residents aged between 20 and 44 after Abbey Ward. This represents 43.6% of the Gascoigne Ward population at 5,424 residents compared to 38.5% for the borough.


2011 Census
Aged 0 to 4 years
Percent of population
5% - 7%
7.1% - 9%
9.1% - 11%
11.1% - 15%
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Valence
Heath
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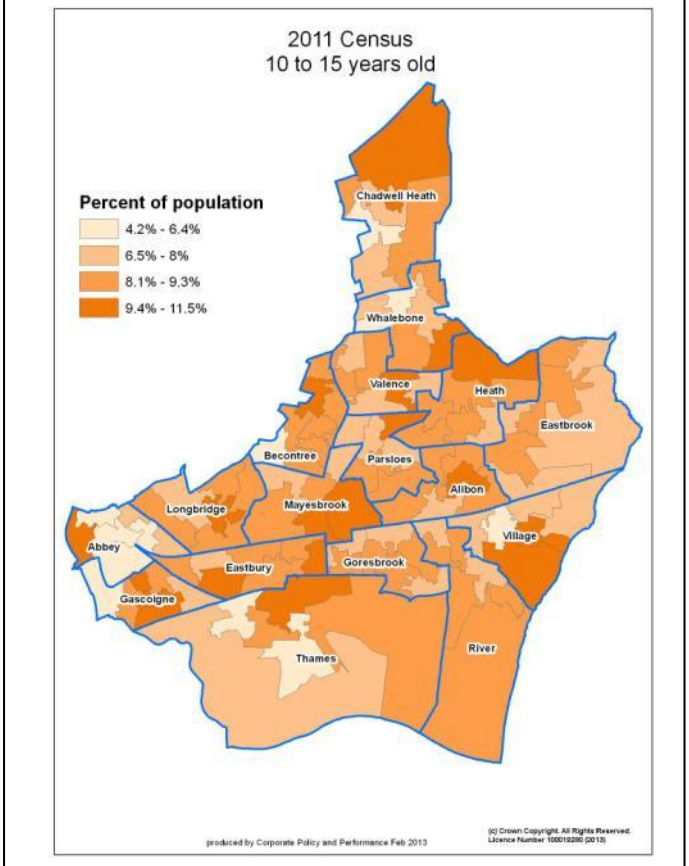
2011 Census
10 to 15 years old
Percent of population
4.2% - 6.4%
6.5% - 8%
8.1% - 9.3%
9.4% - 11.5%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
Valence
Heath
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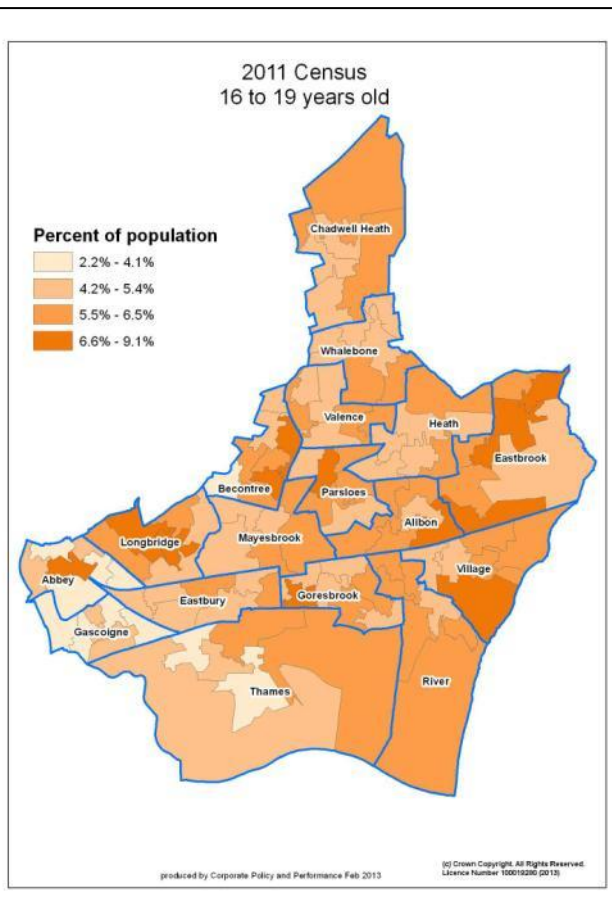
2011 Census
16 to 19 years old
Percent of population
2.2% - 4.1%
4.2% - 5.4%
5.5% - 6.5%
6.6% - 9.1%
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Whalebone
Valence
Heath
Eastbrook
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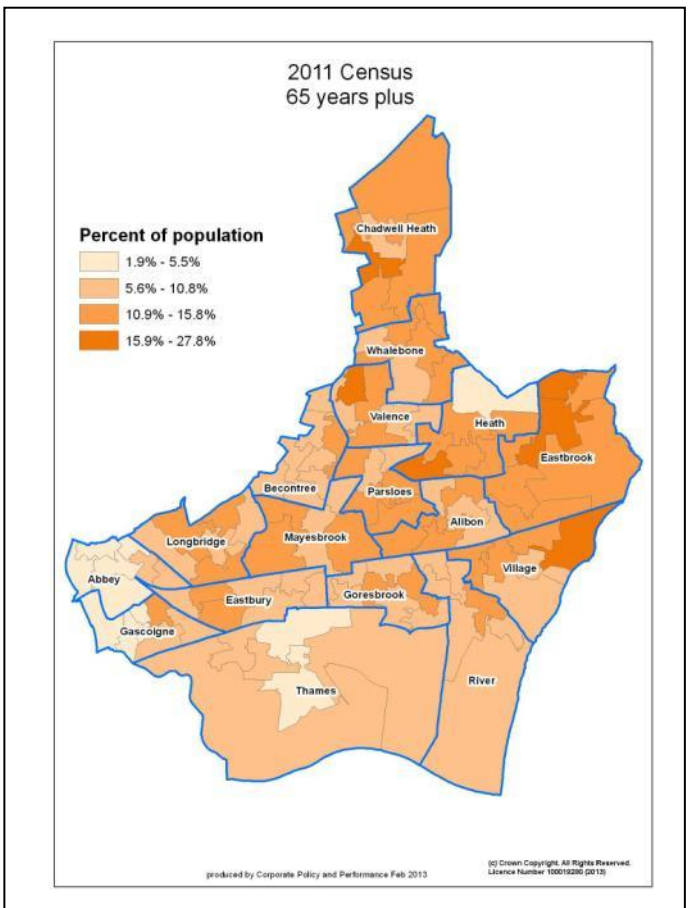
2011 Census
65 years plus
Percent of population
1.9% - 5.5%
5.6% - 10.8%
10.9% - 15.8%
15.9% - 27.8%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
Valence
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4. Tenure

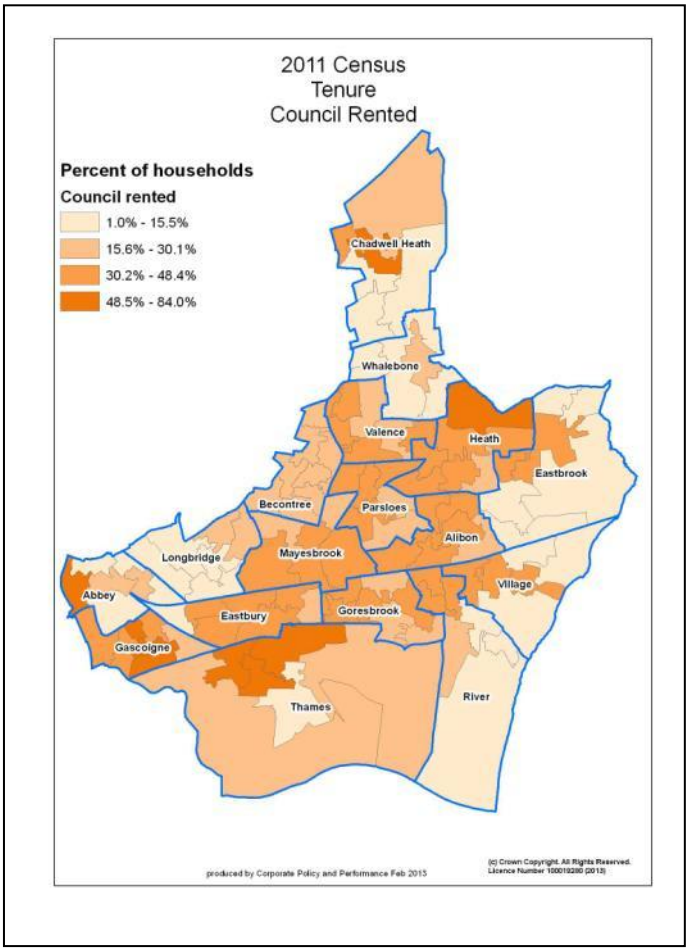
	Tenure	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
Owned	All Households	4,645	4,645	69,681	
	Owned Outright	366	7.9%	17.1%	17
	Owned With Mortgage	734	15.8%	29.3%	17
	Shared Ownership	133	2.9%	1.3%	1
Social Rented	Council	2,339	50.4%	28.4%	1
	Other	171	3.7%	5.3%	14
Private Rented	Private Landlord	787	16.9%	16.6%	5
	Other Private Rented	63	1.4%	1.1%	3
Other	Living Rent Free	52	1.1%	1.0%	5

There are 4,645 households in Gascoigne Ward.

The ward is predominated by Council rented households of which there are 2,339, which equates to 50.4% of all households in the ward. This is the largest proportion of Council housing of any ward in the borough, and is significantly higher than the borough average of 28.4%.

Gascoigne Ward also has more private rented households than most wards totalling 850. This represents 18.3% of all properties and compares to the borough average of 17.7%.

The ward has very low percentages of home ownership, both outright and with a mortgage. However, the proportion of shared ownership properties in Gascoigne Ward is the highest in the borough.


2011 Census
Tenure
Council Rented
Percent of households
Council rented
1.0% - 15.5%
15.6% - 30.1%
30.2% - 48.4%
48.5% - 84.0%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
Valence
Heath
Eastbrook
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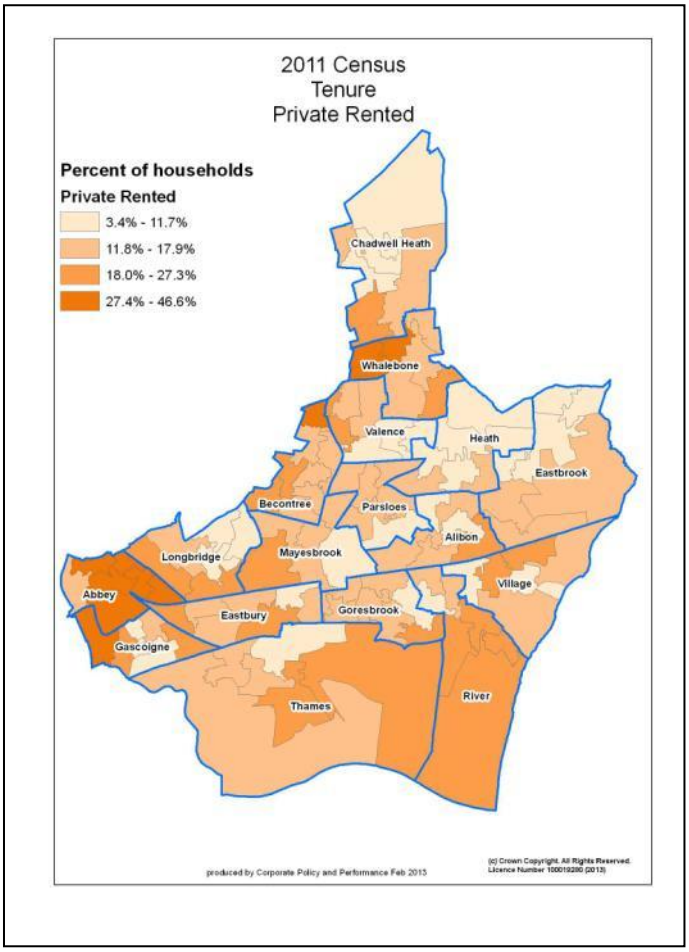
2011 Census
Tenure
Private Rented
Percent of households
Private Rented
3.4% - 11.7%
11.8% - 17.9%
18.0% - 27.3%
27.4% - 46.6%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
Valence
Heath
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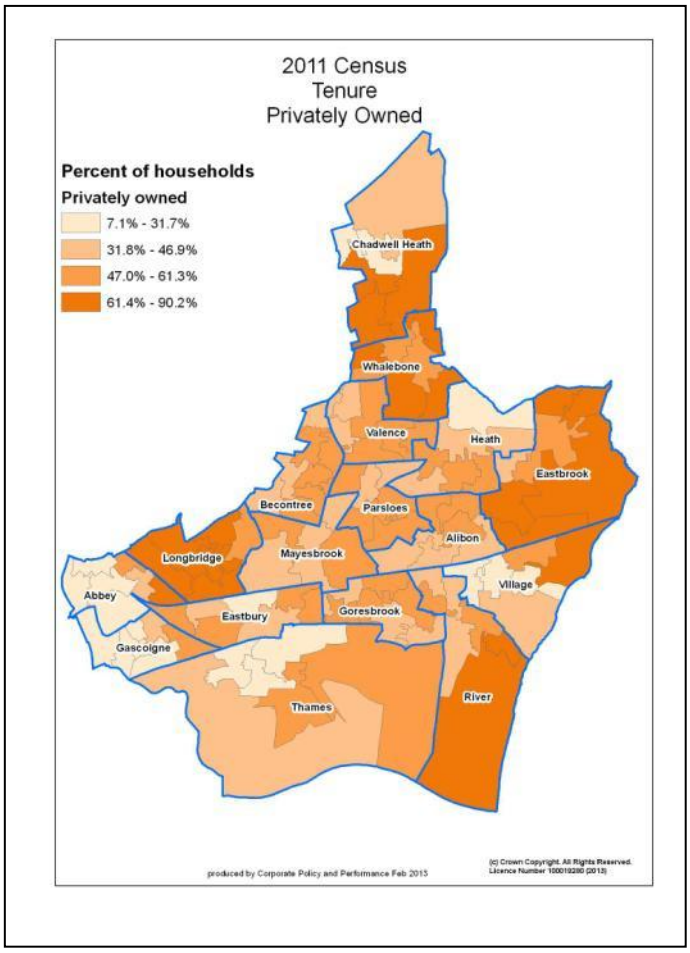
2011 Census
Tenure
Privately Owned
Percent of households
Privately owned
7.1% - 31.7%
31.8% - 46.9%
47.0% - 61.3%
61.4% - 90.2%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
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5. Household Composition

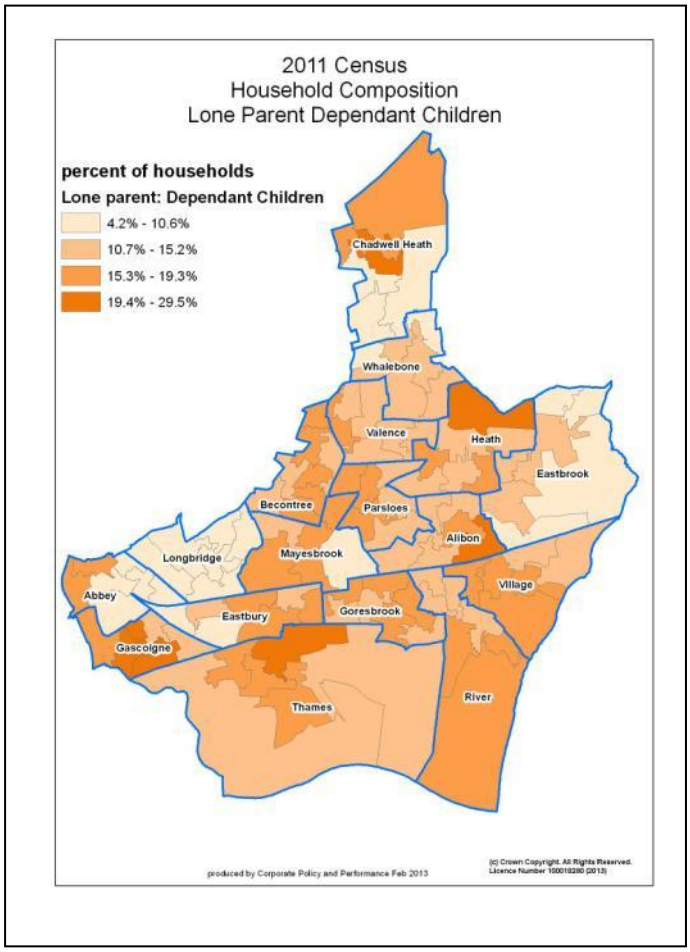
	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
All Households	4,645	4,645	69,681	
One Person Household: Aged 65 and Over	347	7.5%	10.5%	15
One Person Household: Other	992	21.4%	17.0%	2
One Family: All aged 65 and Over	78	1.7%	4.1%	16
Married or Same Sex Civil Partnership: No Children	294	6.3%	7.2%	15
Married or Same Sex Civil Partnership: Dependent Children	793	17.1%	16.5%	6
Married or Same Sex Civil Partnership: No Dependent Children	113	2.4%	5.3%	17
Cohabiting Couple: No Children	117	2.5%	2.9%	15
Cohabiting Couple: Dependent Children	160	3.4%	4.4%	14
Cohabiting Couple: No Dependent Children	12	0.3%	0.5%	17
Lone Parent Family: Dependent Children	879	18.9%	14.4%	1
Lone Parent Family: No Dependent Children	196	4.2%	4.7%	15
Other Household Types: With Dependent Children	320	6.9%	6.3%	4
Other Household Types: All Full Time Students	34	0.7%	0.3%	2
Other Household Types: All Aged 65 and Over	4	0.1%	0.3%	16
Other	306	6.6%	5.6%	3

Household composition in Gascoigne Ward is likely to be substantially influenced by its generally young age profile and also its tenure make up.

Compared to other wards, Gascoigne Ward has the second largest proportion of Single Person Households where the occupant is aged under 65 years. There are 992 households of this type representing 21.4% of all ward households compared to 17.0% for the borough. Conversely there is a low proportion of Single Person Households where the occupant is aged 65 years and over.

Gascoigne Ward has the largest proportion in the borough of Lone Parents with Dependent Children. There are 879 households of this type representing 18.9% of all ward households compared to 14.4% for the borough.

Gascoigne Ward has the second highest proportion of Full Time Student Only households.


2011 Census
Household Composition
Lone Parent Dependant Children
percent of households
Lone parent: Dependant Children
4.2% - 10.6%
10.7% - 15.2%
15.3% - 19.3%
19.4% - 29.5%
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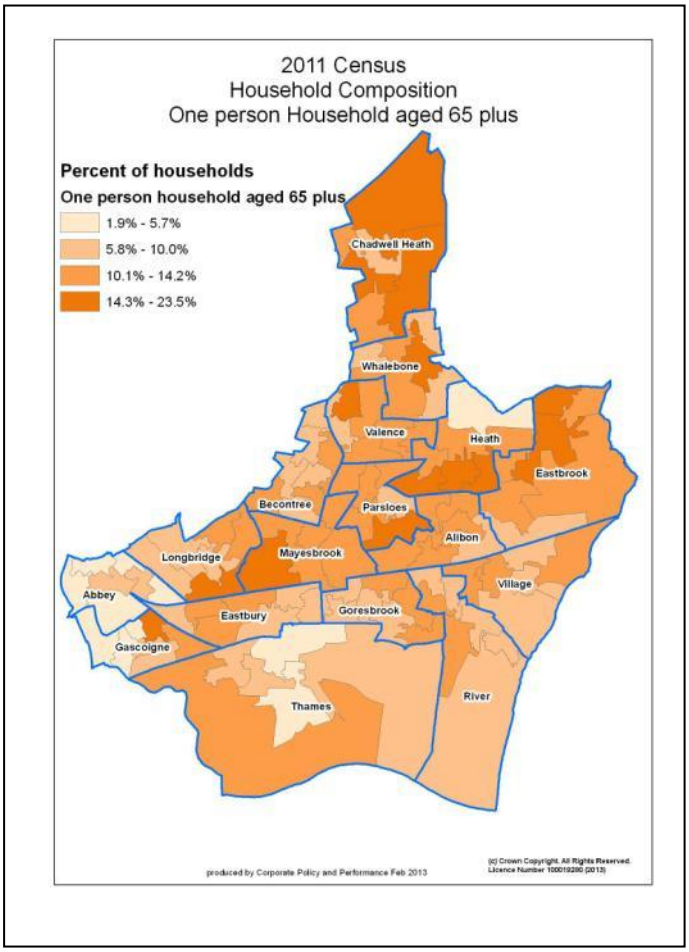
2011 Census
Household Composition
One person Household aged 65 plus
Percent of households
One person household aged 65 plus
1.9% - 5.7%
5.8% - 10.0%
10.1% - 14.2%
14.3% - 23.5%
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6. Ethnic Group

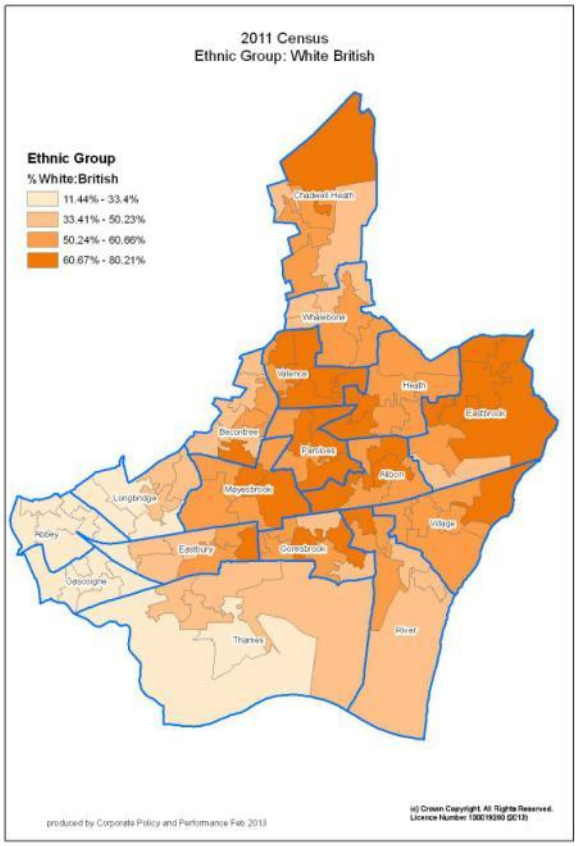
	Ethnic Group	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
	All Residents	12,452	12,452	185,911	
White	White British	3,241	26.0%	49.5%	16
	White: Irish	73	0.6%	1.0%	17
	White: Other	1617	13.0%	7.8%	1
Mixed	Mixed: White and Black Caribbean	161	1.3%	1.4%	13
	Mixed: White and Black African	270	2.2%	1.1%	1
	Mixed: White and Asian	88	0.7%	0.7%	7
	Mixed: Other	163	1.3%	1.0%	3
Asian	Asian: Indian	649	5.2%	4.0%	5
	Asian: Pakistani	826	6.6%	4.3%	3
	Asian: Bangladeshi	498	4.0%	4.1%	6
	Asian: Chinese	178	1.4%	0.7%	1
	Asian: Other	423	3.4%	2.8%	3
Black	Black: African	3,212	25.8%	15.4%	2
	Black: Caribbean	311	2.5%	2.8%	11
	Black: Other	359	2.9%	1.7%	2
Other	Arab	180	1.4%	0.5%	1
	Any Other Ethnic Group	203	1.6%	1.0%	2

Gascoigne Ward is one of the most ethnically diverse wards in the borough. The largest single ethnic group is White British representing 3,241 residents which makes up 26.0% of the total ward population. However, this is almost half the borough average of 49.5% and makes up the second lowest proportion of all other wards after Abbey Ward.

The second largest ethnic group is Black African representing 3,212 residents which makes up 25.8% of the ward population. This is much higher than the borough average of 15.4% and makes up the second highest proportion of all other wards after Thames Ward.

The third largest group is White Other representing 1,617 residents which is 13.0% of the ward population. This is almost twice the borough average and represents the largest White Other population in the borough.

When compared to all other wards, Gascoigne Ward also has the largest or close to largest proportion of all other ethnic groups, except Bangladeshi and Black Caribbean which are in line with the borough average.


2011 Census
Ethnic Group: White British
Ethnic Group
% White:British
11.44% - 33.4%
33.41% - 50.23%
50.24% - 60.66%
60.67% - 80.21%
Chadwell Heath
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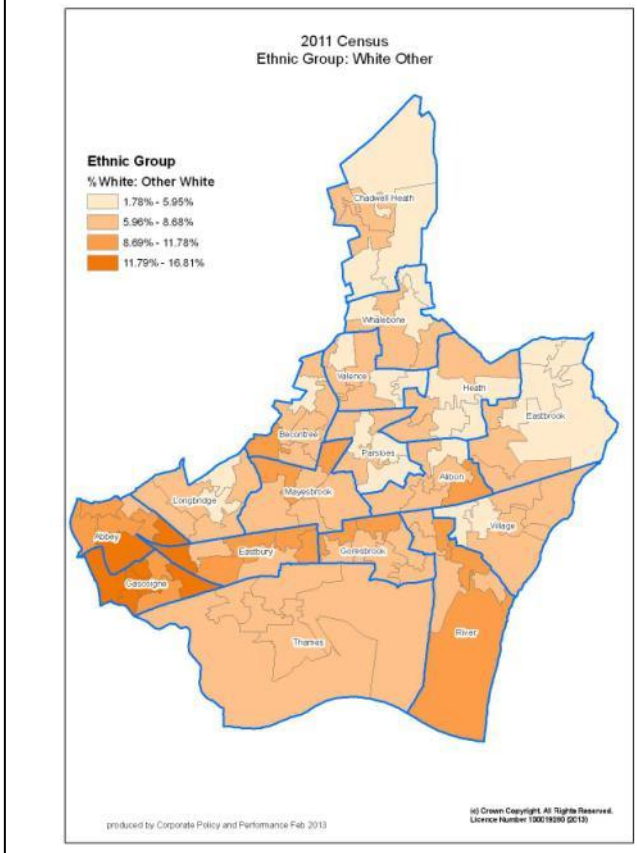
2011 Census
Ethnic Group: White Other
Ethnic Group
% White: Other White
1.78% - 5.95%
5.96% - 8.68%
8.69% - 11.78%
11.79% - 16.81%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
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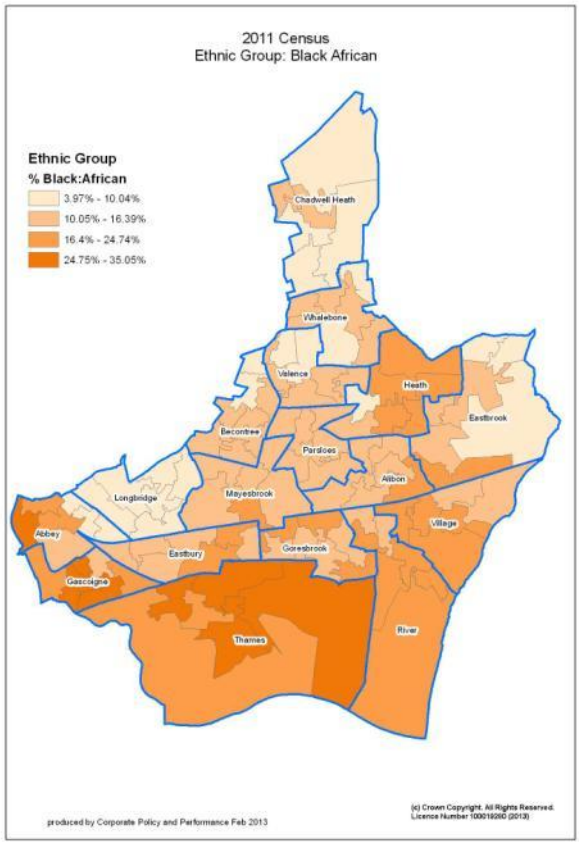
2011 Census
Ethnic Group: Black African
Ethnic Group
% Black:African
3.97% - 10.04%
10.05% - 16.39%
16.4% - 24.74%
24.75% - 35.05%
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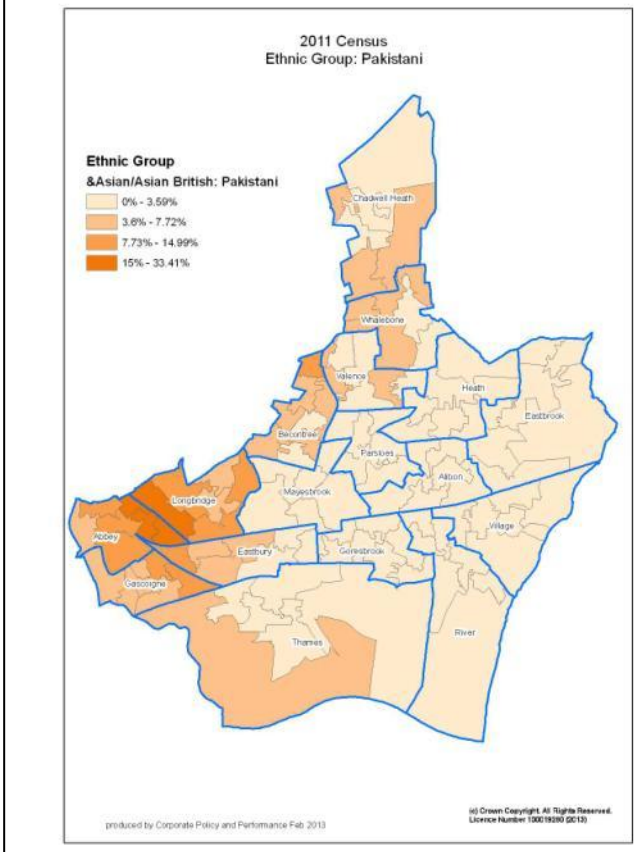
2011 Census
Ethnic Group: Pakistani
Ethnic Group
&Asian/Asian British: Pakistani
0% - 3.59%
3.6% - 7.72%
7.73% - 14.99%
15% - 33.41%
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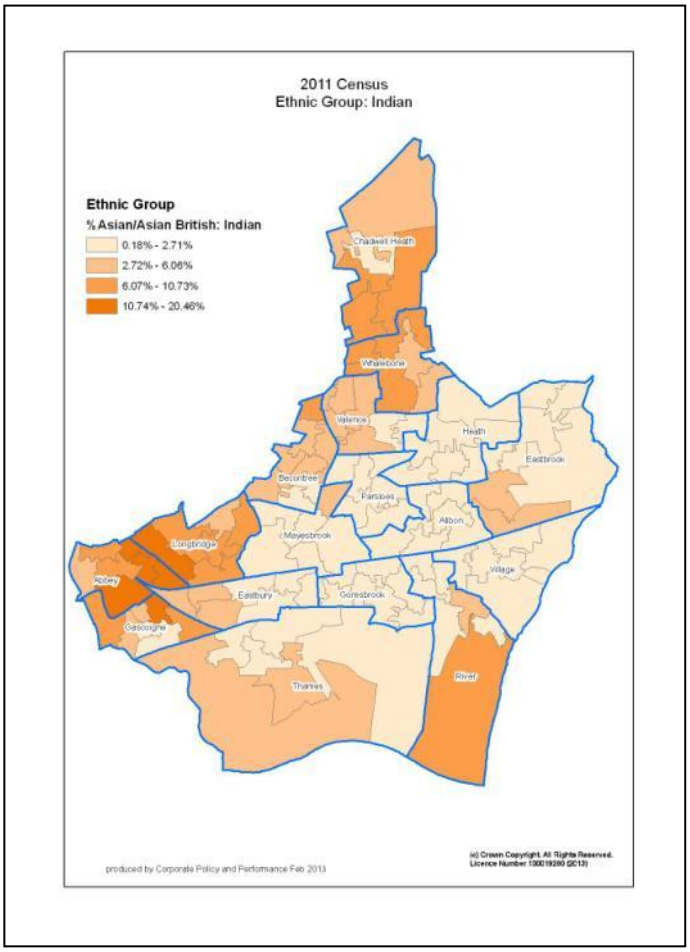
2011 Census
Ethnic Group: Indian
Ethnic Group
% Asian/Asian British: Indian
0.18% - 2.71%
2.72% - 6.06%
6.07% - 10.73%
10.74% - 20.46%
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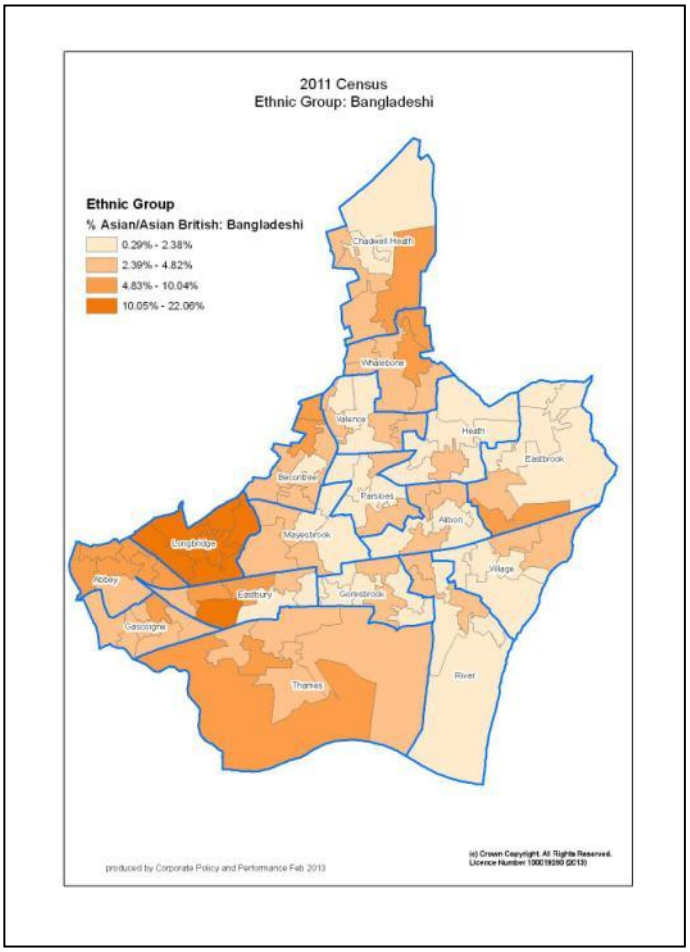
2011 Census
Ethnic Group: Bangladeshi
Ethnic Group
% Asian/Asian British: Bangladeshi
0.29% - 2.38%
2.39% - 4.82%
4.83% - 10.04%
10.05% - 22.06%
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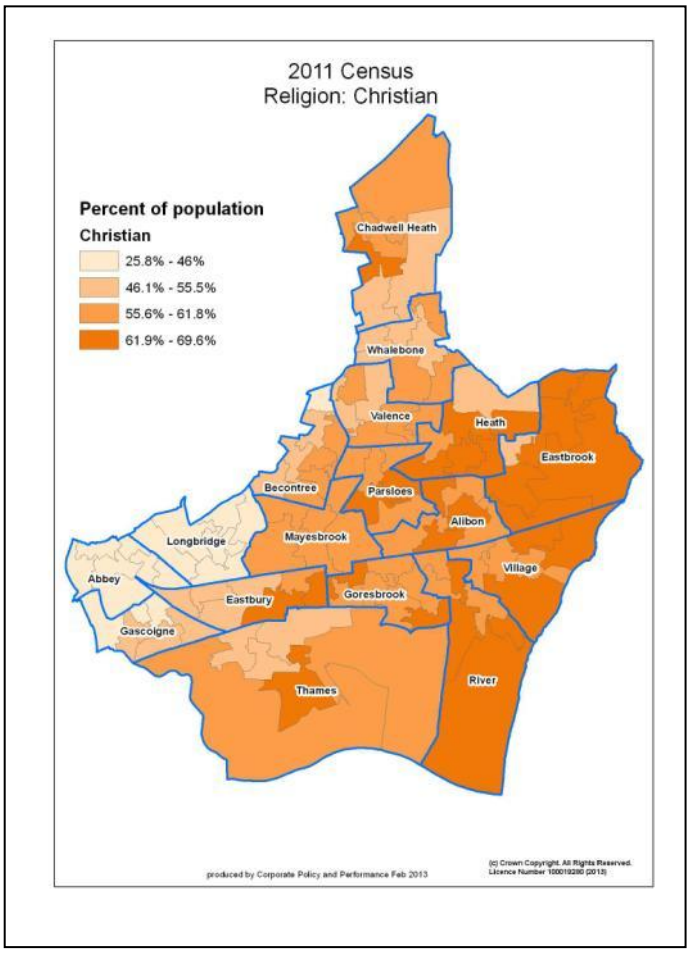
7. Religion

Religion	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
All Residents	12,452	12,452	185,911	
Christian	5,875	47.2%	56.0%	15
Buddhist	83	0.7%	0.5%	2
Hindu	443	3.6%	2.4%	4
Jewish	14	0.1%	0.2%	16
Muslim	3,253	26.1%	13.7%	3
Sikh	231	1.9%	1.6%	6
Other Religion	23	0.2%	0.3%	16
No Religion	1,681	13.5%	18.9%	15
Religion Not Stated	849	6.8%	6.4%	4

There are 47.2% of residents in Gascoigne Ward who classify themselves as Christian. This is significantly below the borough average of 56.0%.

Gascoigne Ward has the third highest proportion of residents in the borough who classify themselves as Muslim after Abbey and Longbridge Wards. The percentage of Muslim residents in Gascoigne Ward is 26.1%, which is over 12% higher than the borough average.

The percentage of residents with no religion is 13.5% in Gascoigne Ward which is lower that the borough figure of 18.9%.


2011 Census
Religion: Christian
Percent of population
Christian
25.8% - 46%
46.1% - 55.5%
55.6% - 61.8%
61.9% - 69.6%
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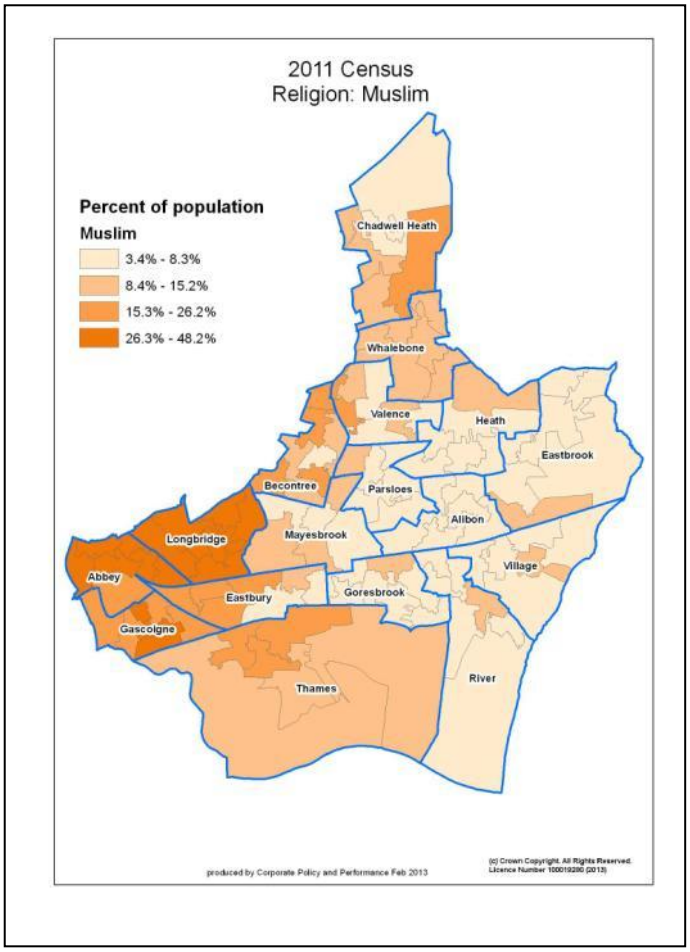
2011 Census
Religion: Muslim
Percent of population
Muslim
3.4% - 8.3%
8.4% - 15.2%
15.3% - 26.2%
26.3% - 48.2%
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Whalebone
Valence
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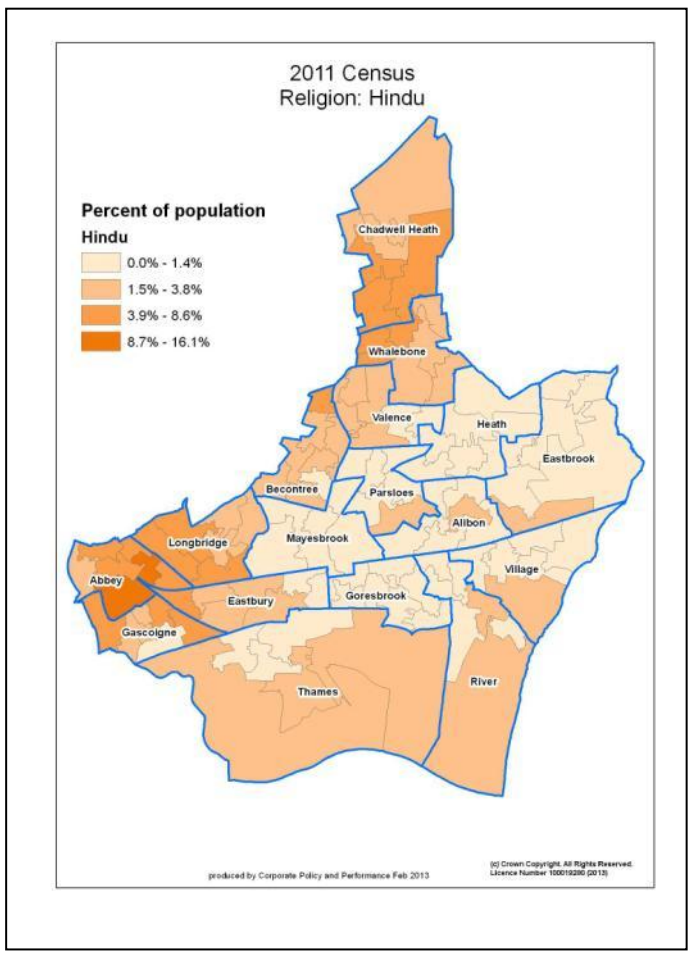
2011 Census
Religion: Hindu
Percent of population
Hindu
0.0% - 1.4%
1.5% - 3.8%
3.9% - 8.6%
8.7% - 16.1%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
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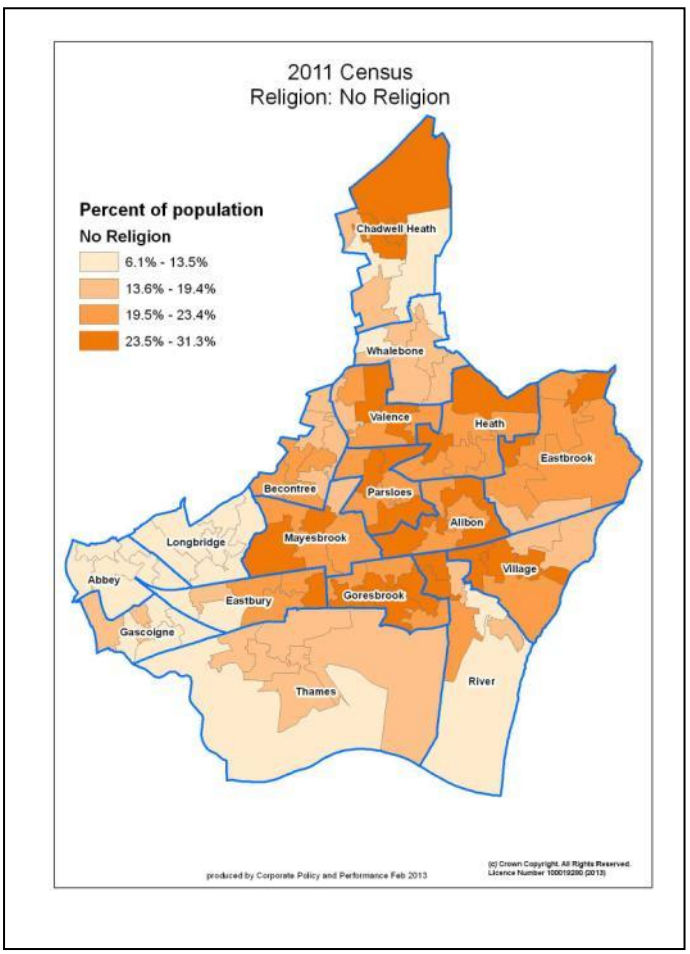
2011 Census
Religion: No Religion
Percent of population
No Religion
6.1% - 13.5%
13.6% - 19.4%
19.5% - 23.4%
23.5% - 31.3%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
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8. Language (top 10 spoken as main language[1])

	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
Total residents aged 3 and over	11,445	100%	174,667	
English (English or Welsh if in Wales)	7,643	66.8%	81.3%	16
Other European Language (Non EU); Albanian	372	3.3%	0.8%	1
South Asian Language; Urdu	339	3.0%	1.7%	3
African Language; Swahili/Kiswahili	249	2.2%	0.5%	1
South Asian Language; Bengali (With Sylheti and Chatgaya)	248	2.2%	2.0%	5
Other European Language (EU); Lithuanian	244	2.1%	2.3%	10
French	209	1.8%	0.7%	1
Turkish	192	1.7%	0.5%	1
Other European Language (EU); Polish	170	1.5%	1.0%	4
South Asian Language; Panjabi	170	1.5%	0.9%	3
Other	1,609	14.1%	8.3%	2

As in all wards, English is spoken as a main language by the highest proportion of residents in Gascoigne Ward representing 7,643 residents. This is 66.8% of the total ward population and is much lower than the borough average of 81.3%. Only Abbey Ward has a lower percentage.

Apart from English there are seventy-five different main languages spoken in Gascoigne Ward, which collectively are spoken by 33.2% of residents.

After English, the second most commonly used language used as a main language is Albanian spoken by 372 residents, which represents 3.3% of the ward population. This is much higher than the borough average of 0.8%, and is the highest proportion of all borough wards.

Other key languages are Urdu, Swahili, Bengali (With Sylheti and Chatgaya), Lithuanian, French, Turkish, Polish and Panjabi. All of these languages (apart from Lithuanian) are spoken more widely in Gascoigne Ward than most other wards.

Gascoigne Ward has the largest percentages of Residents speaking Swahili, French, and Turkish compared to all other borough wards.

[1] Main Language is a person's first or preferred language

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9. Deprivation[2]

	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
All Households	4,645	4,645	69,681	
Household is Not Deprived in Any Dimension	1,028	22.1%	28.2%	17
Household is Deprived in 1 Dimension Only	1,746	37.6%	35.8%	2
Household is Deprived in 2 Dimensions Only	1,258	27.1%	26.4%	8
Household is Deprived in 3 Dimensions Only	517	11.1%	8.6%	1
Household is Deprived in all 4 Dimensions	96	2.1%	1.0%	1

The more dimensions a household is deprived in, the higher the level of deprivation that household is classified as being in.

On these measures Gascoigne Ward is the most deprived ward in the borough. The proportion of households not deprived in any dimension at 22.1% is substantially lower than the borough average of 28.2%. Gascoigne has the highest proportion of households in the borough which are not deprived in any dimension.

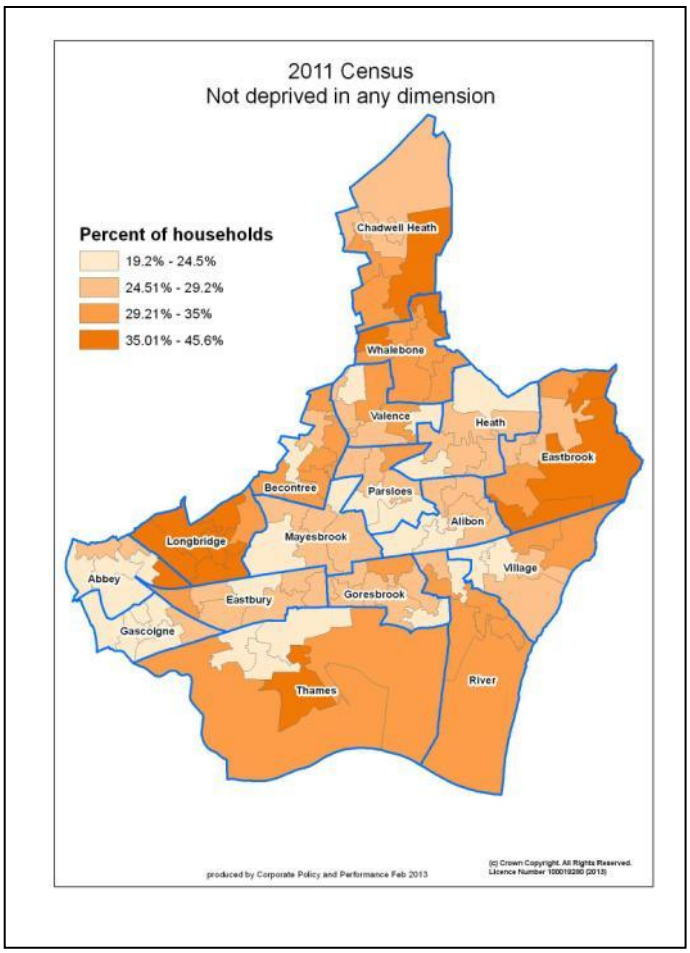
Gascoigne Ward consistently has higher percentages of households in every deprivation dimension category when compared to the borough average. It also has the highest proportion of households deprived in three and four dimensions out of all wards in the borough.

The areas with households with three or four deprivation dimensions are largely situated in and around the Gascoigne Estate area of the ward.

[2] The dimensions of deprivation used to classify households are indicators based on four selected household characteristics:

- Employment (any member of a household not a full-time student is either unemployed or long-term sick)
- Education (no person in the household has at least level 2 education, and no person aged 16-18 is a full-time student)
- Health and disability (any person in the household has general health 'bad or very bad' or has a long term health problem)
- Housing (Household's accommodation is either overcrowded, with an occupancy rating -1 or less, or is in a shared dwelling, or has no central heating).

A household is classified as being deprived in none, or one to four of these dimensions in any combination.


2011 Census
Not deprived in any dimension
Percent of households
19.2% - 24.5%
24.51% - 29.2%
29.21% - 35%
35.01% - 45.6%
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Whalebone
Valence
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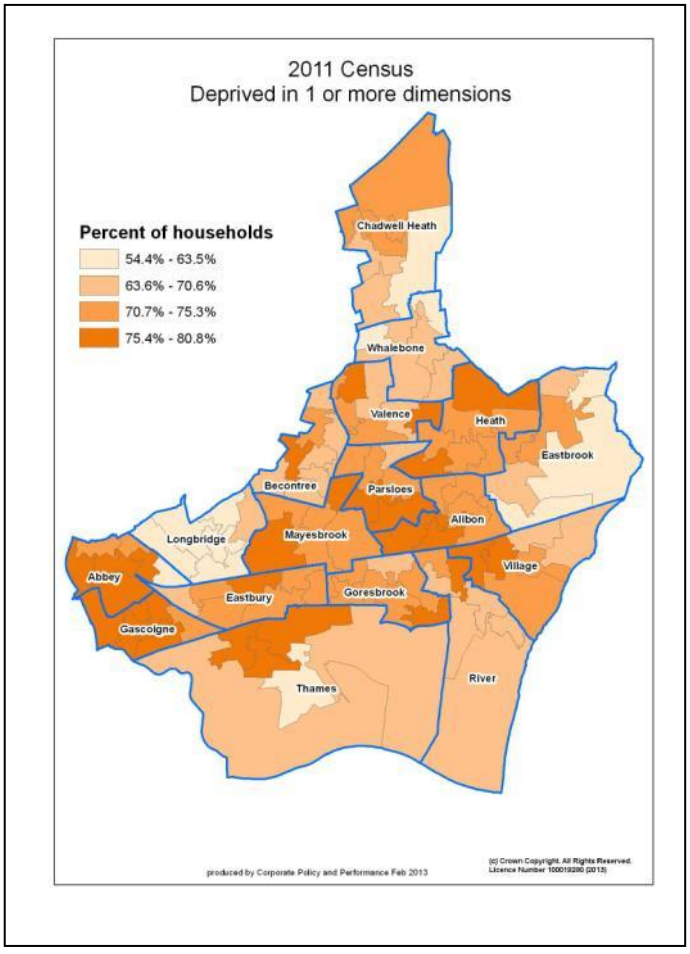
2011 Census
Deprived in 1 or more dimensions
Percent of households
54.4% - 63.5%
63.6% - 70.6%
70.7% - 75.3%
75.4% - 80.8%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
Valence
Heath
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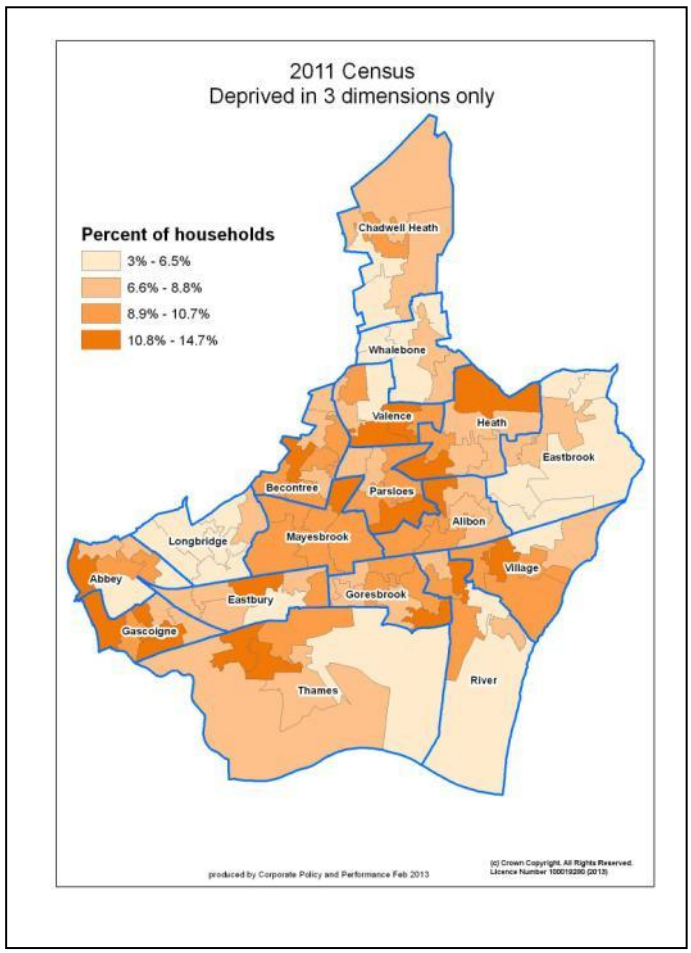
2011 Census
Deprived in 3 dimensions only
Percent of households
3% - 6.5%
6.6% - 8.8%
8.9% - 10.7%
10.8% - 14.7%
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Whalebone
Valence
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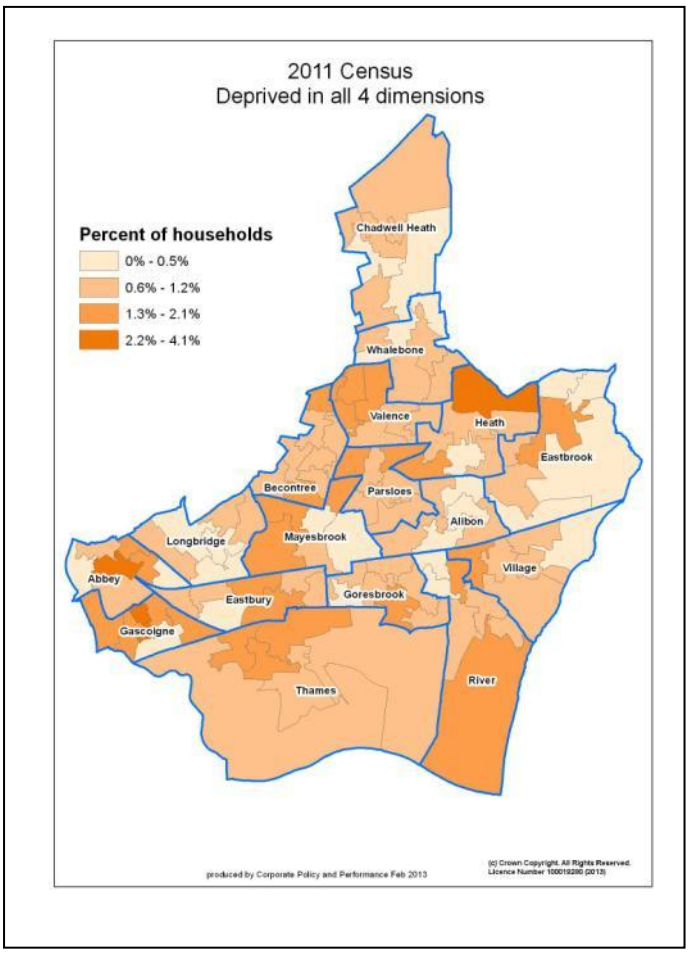
2011 Census
Deprived in all 4 dimensions
Percent of households
0% - 0.5%
0.6% - 1.2%
1.3% - 2.1%
2.2% - 4.1%
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Whalebone
Valence
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10. Health and Provision of Unpaid Care

		Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
	All Residents	12,452	12,452	185,911	
Limiting Condition[3]	Day to Day Activities Limited a Lot	880	7.1%	8.4%	14
	Day to Day Activities Limited a Little	863	6.9%	8.0%	16
	Day to Day Activities Not Limited	10,709	86.0%	83.6%	2
Health[4]	Very Good Health	6,298	50.6%	47.2%	3
	Good health	3,986	32.0%	33.7%	16
	Fair Health	1,441	11.6%	12.9%	16
	Bad Health	555	4.5%	4.7%	12
	Very Bad Health	172	1.4%	1.4%	12
Care[5]	Provides No Unpaid Care	11,609	93.2%	91.3%	2
	Provides 1 to 19 Hours Unpaid Care a Week	431	3.5%	4.7%	17
	Provides 20-49 hours Unpaid Care a Week	176	1.4%	1.6%	16
	Provides 50 or More Hours Unpaid Care a Week	236	1.9%	2.5%	16

At 86.0%, the proportion of Gascoigne Ward residents who feel that their day to day activities are not limited is higher than the borough average 83.6%. This is likely to be linked to the young age profile of the ward. Compared to the rest of the borough, Gascoigne has the second highest proportion of residents who feel that their day to day activities are not limited after Abbey Ward.

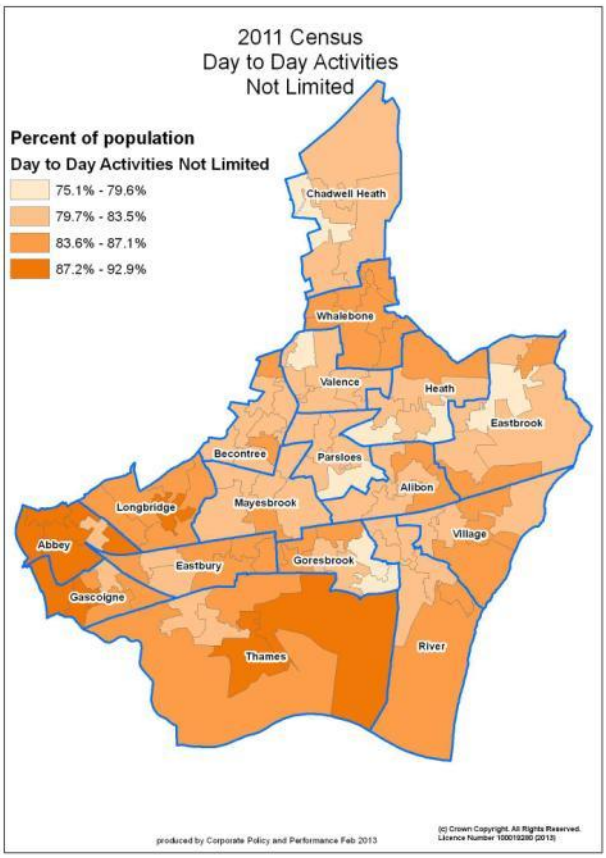
The proportion of residents in Gascoigne Ward who have very good health is 50.6%. This exceeds the borough average of 47.2%, and is the third highest proportion when compared to the rest of the borough after Abbey and Thames Wards.

The proportion of residents providing unpaid care in Gascoigne Ward is relatively low when compared to the rest of the borough. At 3.5% the ward has the lowest proportion of residents providing 1 to 19 hours of unpaid care a week,

[3] The extent to which a person's day to day activity may be affected by a disability or long term illness was a personal judgement made by the census form respondent

[4] Level of Health was a personal judgement made by the census form respondent

[5] A person is a provider of unpaid care if they look after or give help or support to family members, friends, neighbours or others because of long-term physical or mental ill health or disability, or problems related to old age.


2011 Census
Day to Day Activities
Not Limited
Percent of population
Day to Day Activities Not Limited
75.1% - 79.6%
79.7% - 83.5%
83.6% - 87.1%
87.2% - 92.9%
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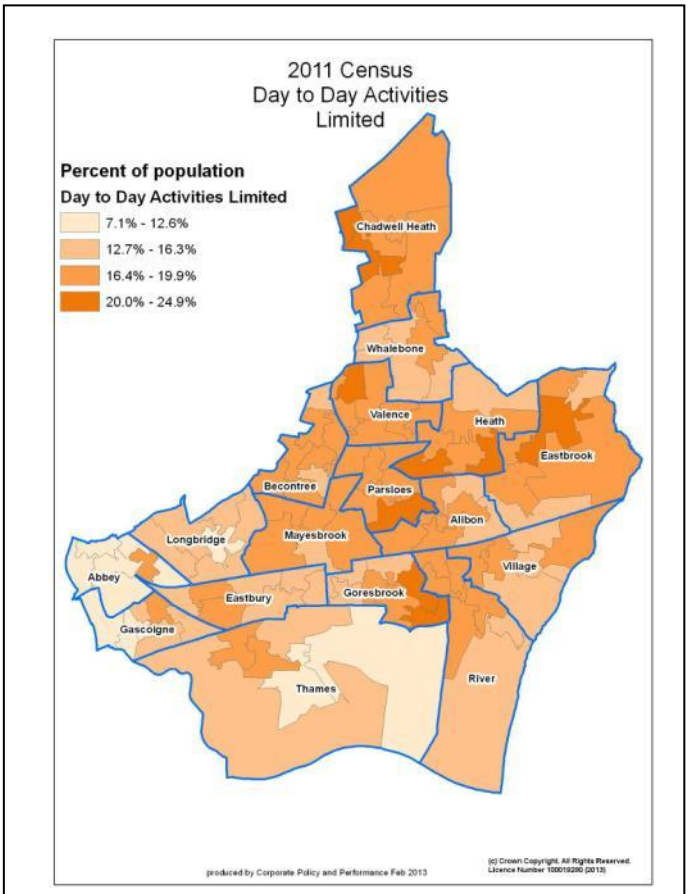
2011 Census
Day to Day Activities
Limited
Percent of population
Day to Day Activities Limited
7.1% - 12.6%
12.7% - 16.3%
16.4% - 19.9%
20.0% - 24.9%
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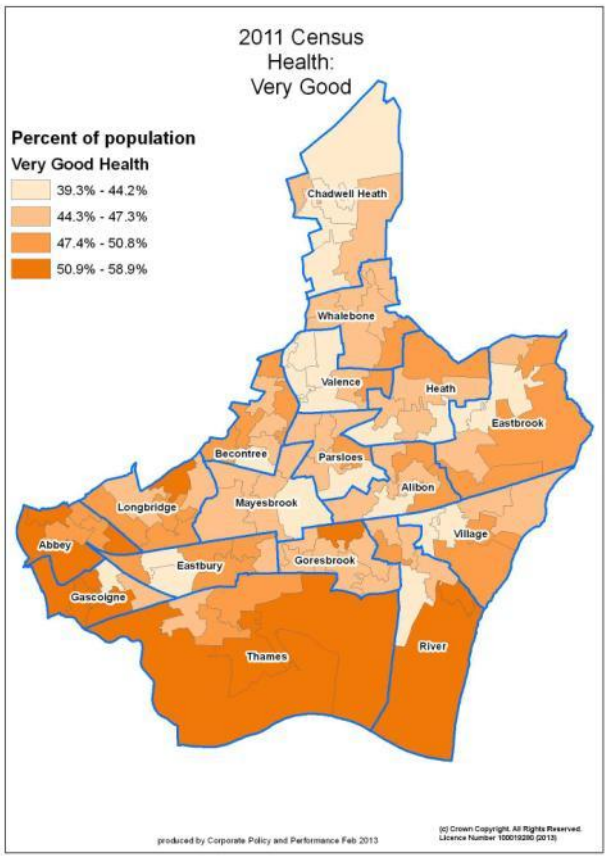
2011 Census
Health:
Very Good
Percent of population
Very Good Health
39.3% - 44.2%
44.3% - 47.3%
47.4% - 50.8%
50.9% - 58.9%
Chadwell Heath
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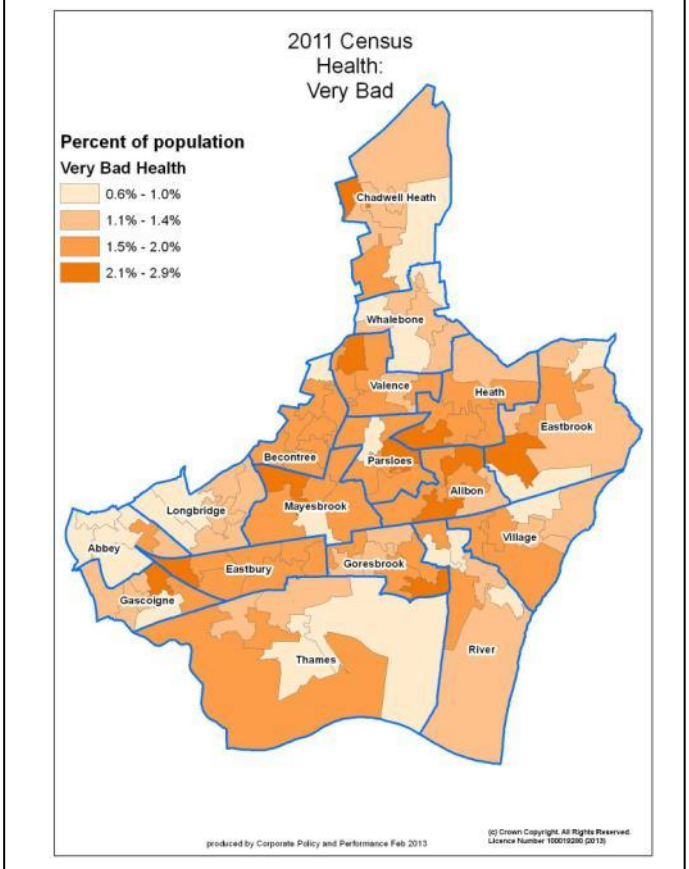
2011 Census
Health:
Very Bad
Percent of population
Very Bad Health
0.6% - 1.0%
1.1% - 1.4%
1.5% - 2.0%
2.1% - 2.9%
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11. Economic Activity

		Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
	All Residents Aged 16-74[6]	8,158	8,158	127,568	
Economically Active	Employed: Part Time	990	12.1%	12.2%	11
	Employed: Full Time	2,458	30.1%	34.9%	17
	Self Employed	697	8.5%	9.0%	11
	Unemployed	740	9.1%	7.3%	1
	Full Time Student	472	5.8%	4.3%	2
Economically Inactive	Retired	454	5.6%	8.6%	15
	Student / Full Time Student	718	8.8%	7.4%	3
	Looking After Home or Family	746	9.1%	7.4%	1
	Long Term Sick or Disabled	484	5.9%	5.1%	3
	Other	399	4.9%	3.7%	1

Gascoigne Ward has one of the lowest proportions of employed residents and the highest proportion of economically inactive residents, excluding those who are retired out of all wards in the borough.

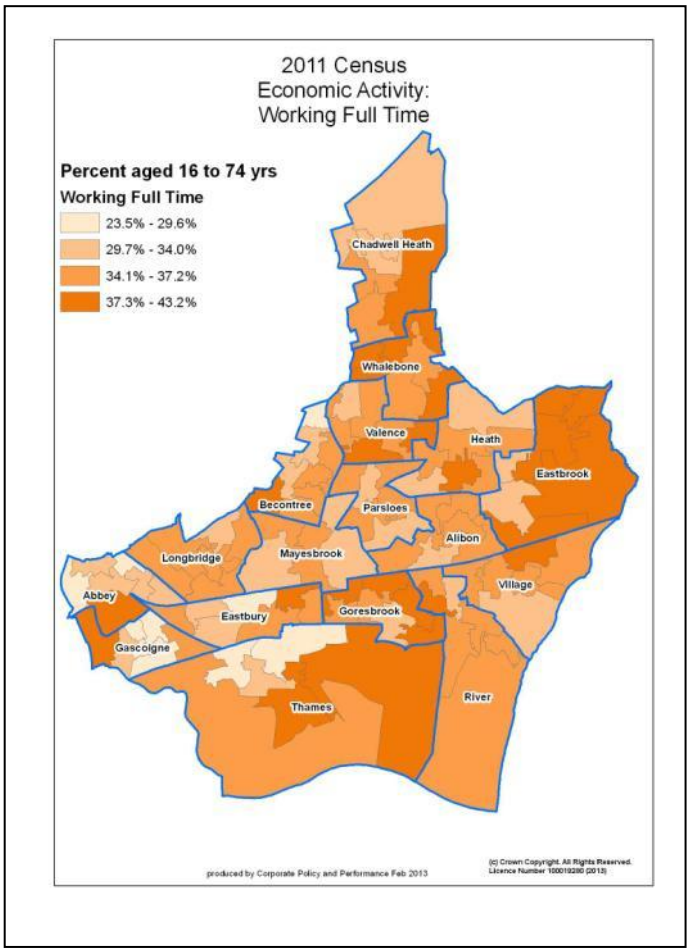
In total there are 4,145 residents in employment which equates to 50.8% of the population aged 16 to 74 years. The borough average is 56.1%. There are 2,458 residents in full time employment, which is 30.1% of the population aged 16 to 74 years. This is lower than the borough average of 34.9% and the lowest proportion out of all wards in the borough. There are 746 residents who are economically inactive due to looking after a home or family. This is 9.1% of the population aged 16 to 74 years, which is higher than the borough average of 7.4% and the highest proportion of all wards in the borough. Gascoigne Ward also has the third highest proportion of long term sick or disabled economically inactive residents in the borough and one of the highest proportions of students aged 16 or over compared to all other wards.

12. Unemployment

	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
All Unemployed Residents Aged 16-74	740	9.1%	7.3%	
Aged 16–24	149	20.1%	24.9%	17
Aged 25-49	494	66.8%	61.2%	
Aged 50-74	97	13.1%	13.9%	12
Never Worked	166	22.4%	21.9%	6
Long Term Unemployed	323	43.6%	42.6%	5

There are 740 unemployed residents which is 9.1% of the population aged 16 to 74 years, much higher than the borough average of 7.3% and the highest of all wards. Of these unemployed residents, the ward has the lowest percentage of those aged 16-24 years.

[6] The standard age range of the population used in the Census for Economic Activity and Unemployment analysis is 16-74 years. This accounts for the increasing amount of people in employment after the current retirement age of 64.


2011 Census
Economic Activity:
Working Full Time
Percent aged 16 to 74 yrs
Working Full Time
23.5% - 29.6%
29.7% - 34.0%
34.1% - 37.2%
37.3% - 43.2%
Chadwell Heath
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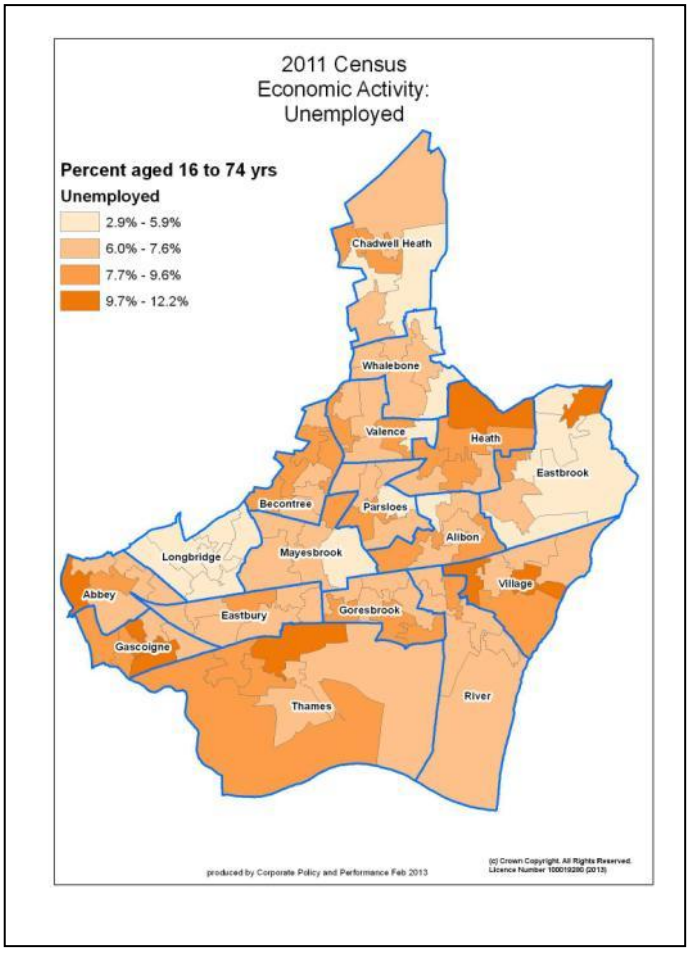
2011 Census
Economic Activity:
Unemployed
Percent aged 16 to 74 yrs
Unemployed
2.9% - 5.9%
6.0% - 7.6%
7.7% - 9.6%
9.7% - 12.2%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
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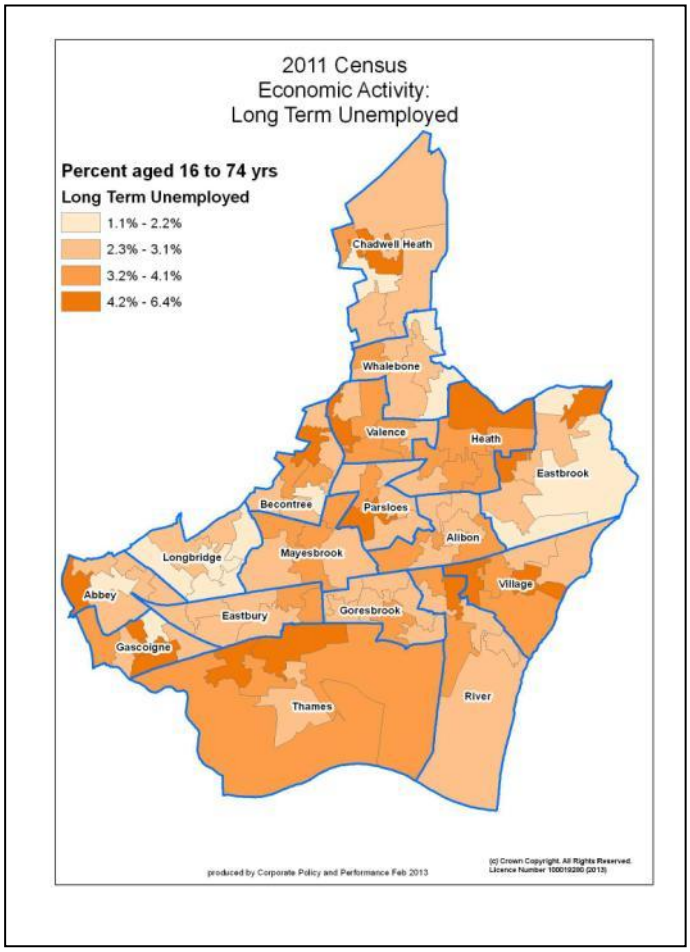
2011 Census
Economic Activity:
Long Term Unemployed
Percent aged 16 to 74 yrs
Long Term Unemployed
1.1% - 2.2%
2.3% - 3.1%
3.2% - 4.1%
4.2% - 6.4%
Chadwell Heath
Whalebone
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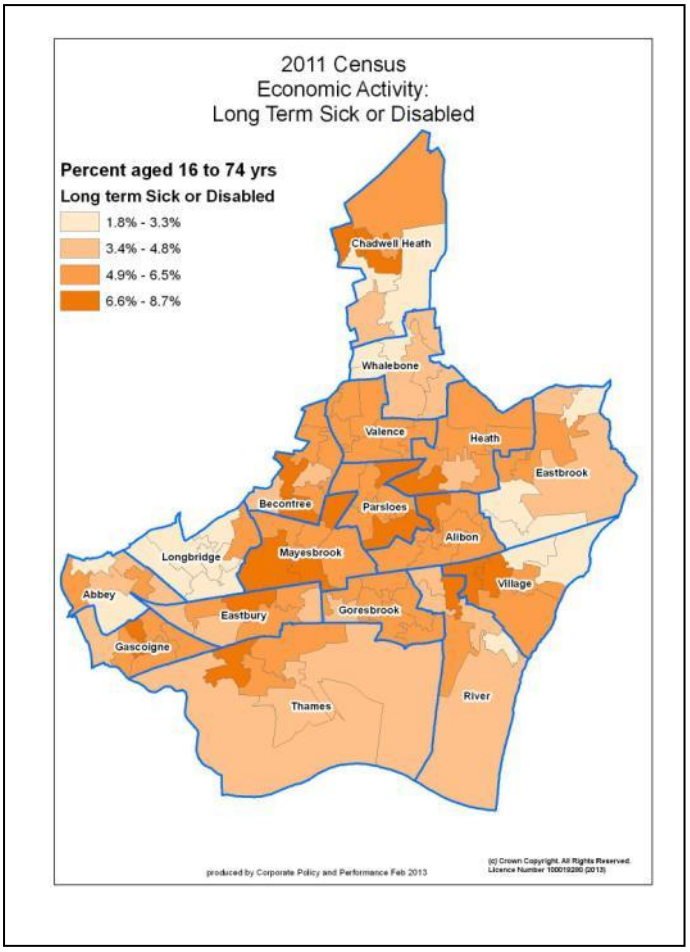
2011 Census
Economic Activity:
Long Term Sick or Disabled
Percent aged 16 to 74 yrs
Long term Sick or Disabled
1.8% - 3.3%
3.4% - 4.8%
4.9% - 6.5%
6.6% - 8.7%
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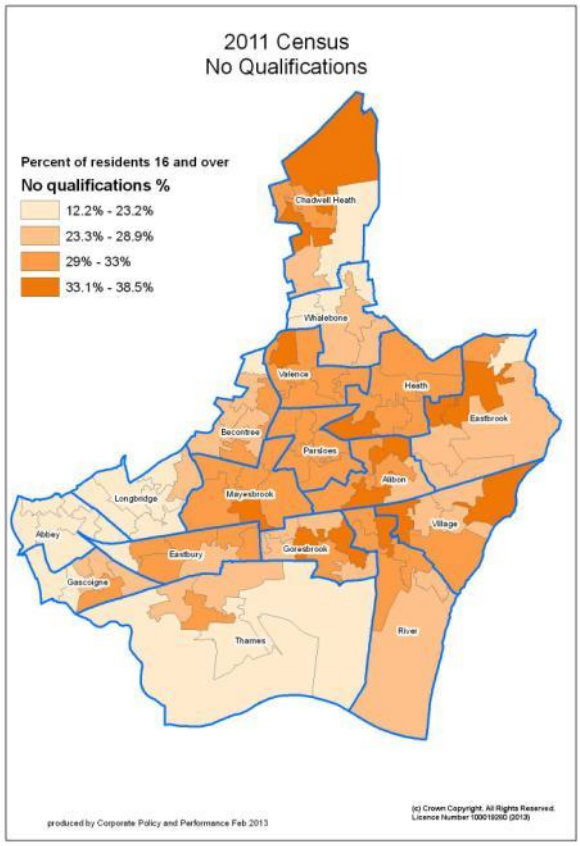
13. Students and Qualifications

	Gascoigne Number	Gascoigne %	LBBD %	Ward Ranking
All Residents Aged 16 and Over	8,530	8,530	137,613	
No Qualifications	2,175	25.5%	27.9%	13
Level 1- e.g. 4 GCSEs (any grade)	1,057	12.4%	15.2%	16
Level 2 – e.g. 5 GCSEs (grade A*-C)	1,074	12.6%	15.0%	16
Level 3 – e.g. 2 A-Levels	106	1.2%	2.1%	16
Apprenticeship	794	9.3%	9.3%	7
Level 4 and Above – e.g. Degree	2,147	25.2%	20.9%	2
Other Qualifications	1,177	13.8%	9.7%	2
Schoolchildren & Full Time Students: Age 16 to 17	259	3.0%	3.4%	16
Schoolchildren & Full Time Students: Age 18 and Over	878	10.3%	7.2%	2
Full Time Student: Age 18 and Over: Economically Active: In Employment	281	3.3%	2.4%	2
Full Time Student: Age 18 and Over: Economically Active: Unemployed	155	1.8%	1.0%	2
Full Time Student: Age 18 and Over: Economically Inactive	441	5.2%	3.8%	2

Gascoigne Ward has one of the lowest proportions of residents holding no qualifications and the second highest proportion of residents holding a level 4 and above qualification in the borough. There are relatively few residents with a maximum of level 1, level 2 or level 3 qualification.

Gascoigne Ward has the second lowest percentage of its population aged 16 to 17 in full time education. However this reflects the low number of people in this age group rather than a low “staying on” rate. In fact 92.5% of all residents aged 16 to 17 are full time students and this is the highest rate of all wards.

The ward also has the second highest rate of full time students aged 18 plus at 10.3% representing 878 residents. This figure is significantly higher than the borough average of 7.2% with only Abbey Ward having a higher percentage.


2011 Census
No Qualifications
Percent of residents 16 and over
No qualifications %
12.2% - 23.2%
23.3% - 28.9%
29% - 33%
33.1% - 38.5%
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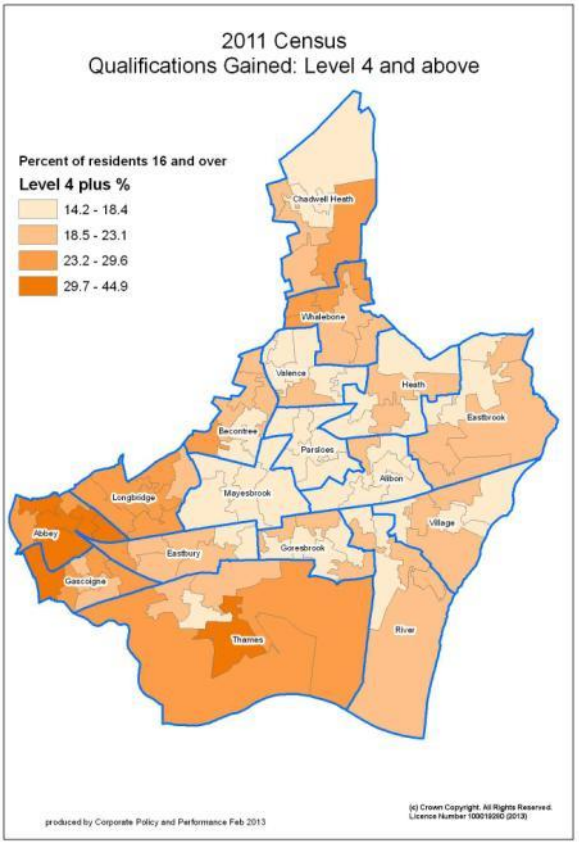
2011 Census
Qualifications Gained: Level 4 and above
Percent of residents 16 and over
Level 4 plus %
14.2 - 18.4
18.5 - 23.1
23.2 - 29.6
29.7 - 44.9
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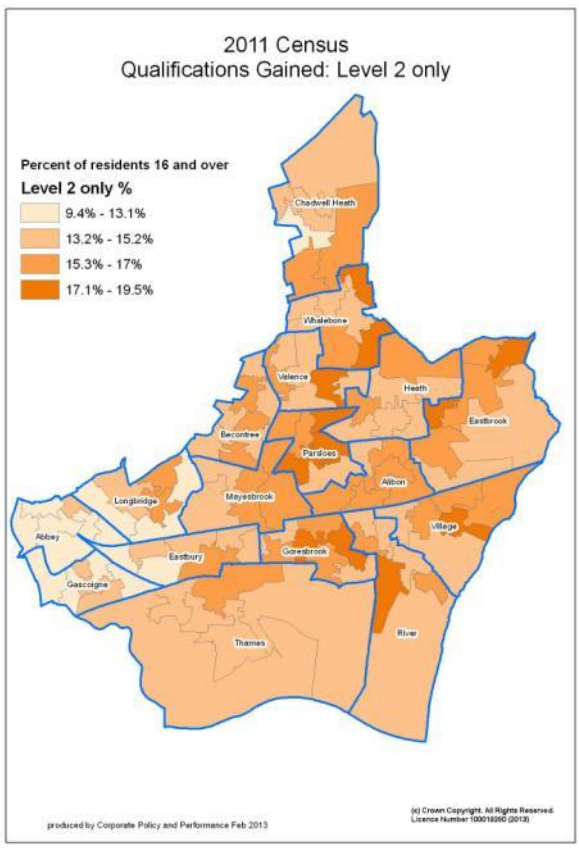
2011 Census
Qualifications Gained: Level 2 only
Percent of residents 16 and over
Level 2 only %
9.4% - 13.1%
13.2% - 15.2%
15.3% - 17%
17.1% - 19.5%
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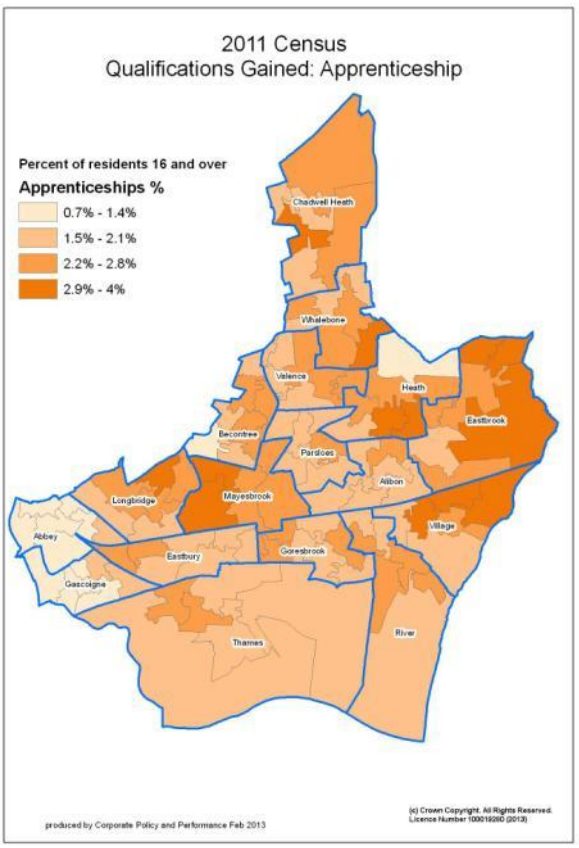
2011 Census
Qualifications Gained: Apprenticeship
Percent of residents 16 and over
Apprenticeships %
0.7% - 1.4%
1.5% - 2.1%
2.2% - 2.8%
2.9% - 4%
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