

Town of
RICHMOND HILL
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Richmond Hill Town and Ward Demographic Profiles 2006



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 **snapshot of the demographic, social and economic conditions at a precise moment in time.**

Why is it important?

The Census is a very important tool 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?

The **2006 Demographic Profile for Richmond Hill** 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.

Is there information available on my ward?

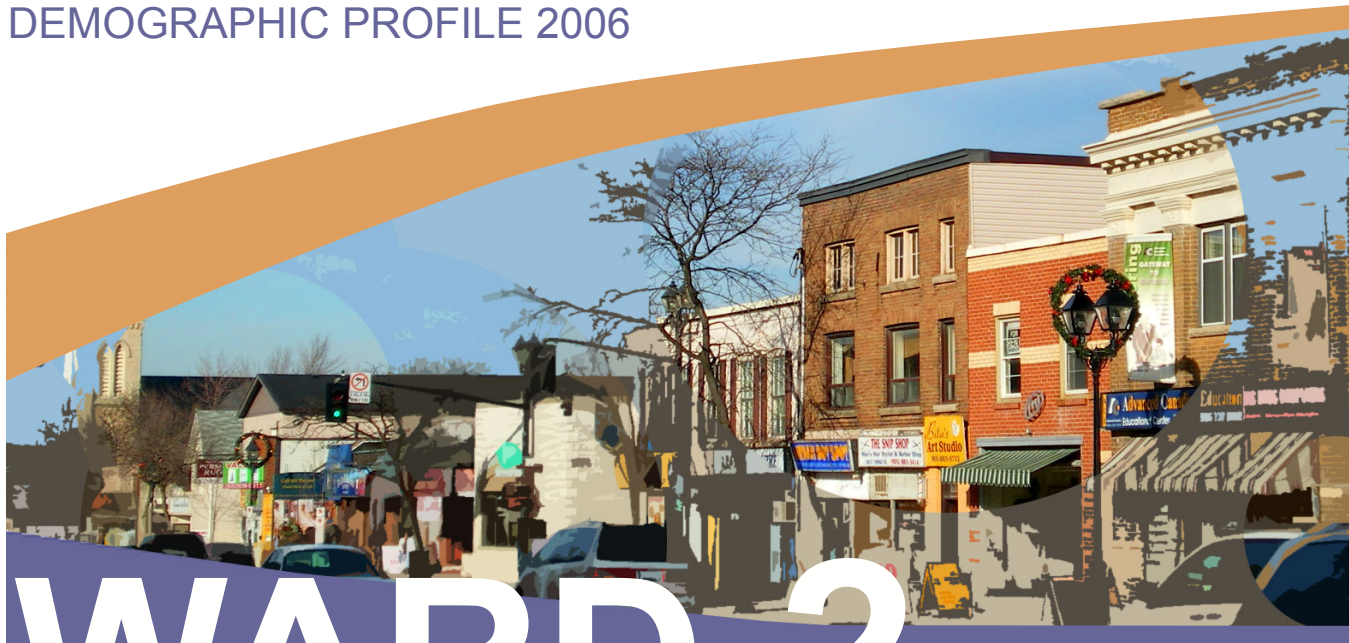
Detailed **2006 Ward Profiles** for each of Richmond Hill's Wards are also available, to help you better understand your community. Information based on the 2001 Census is also available. You may view all of these online at www.richmondhill.ca

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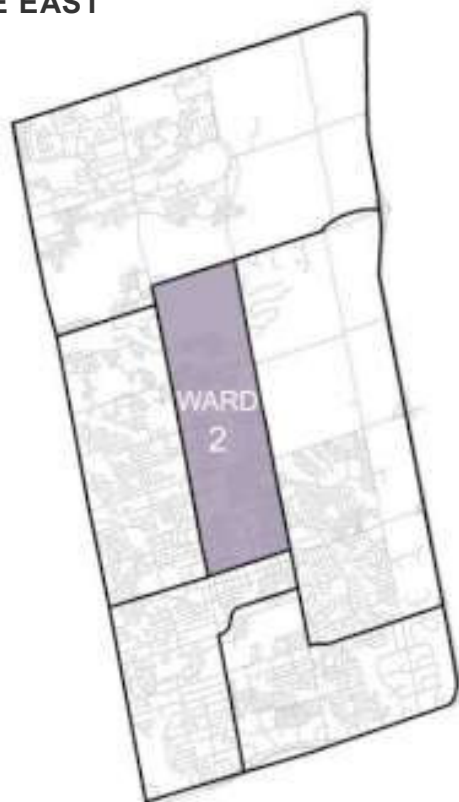
WARD 2 IS BOUND BY STOUFFVILLE ROAD TO THE NORTH, BAY-VIEW AVENUE TO THE EAST, MAJOR MACKENZIE DRIVE EAST TO THE SOUTH AND YONGE STREET TO THE WEST.

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WARD 2 KEY FACTS FOR 2006

- **Population** — 23,465
- **Most common dwelling type** —
Single detached house (60.29%)
- **Most common ethnic origins** —
Chinese (11.38%)
English (8.88%)
Italian (7.47%)
- **Most common mother tongues** —
English (47.32%)
Cantonese (8.16%)
- **Employment rate** — 63.49%
- **Population with university education** —
34.02%
- **Most prevalent occupations** —
Business, finance & administration (23%),
Sales & service (22%),
Management (13%)

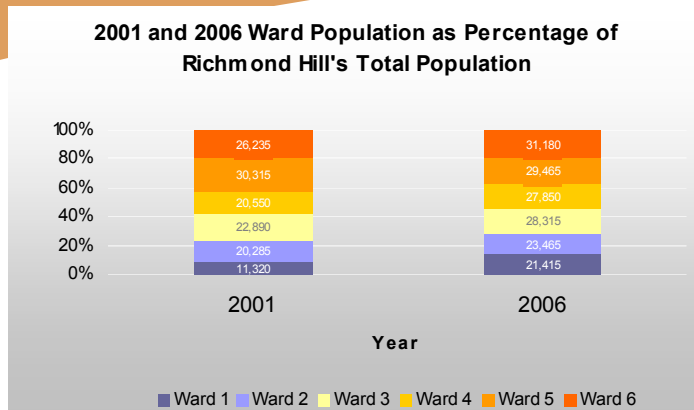


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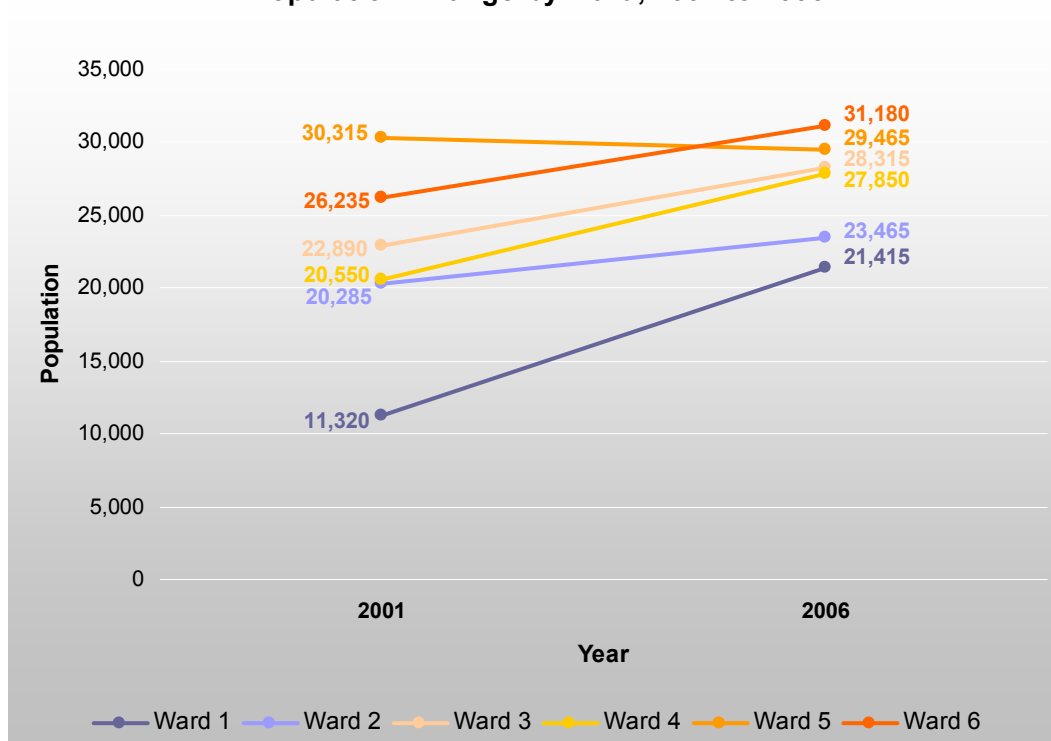
Population

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Source: Statistics Canada 2006 Census



Population Change by Ward, 2001 to 2006



	2001	2006	Population Change, 2001 - 2006	Percent Change, 2001 - 2006
Ward 1	11,320	21,415	10,095	47.1%
Ward 2	20,285	23,465	3,180	13.6%
Ward 3	22,890	28,315	5,425	19.2%
Ward 4	20,550	27,850	7,300	26.2%
Ward 5	30,315	29,465	-850	-2.9%
Ward 6	26,235	31,180	4,945	15.9%
Richmond Hill	132,030	162,704	29,660	18.3%



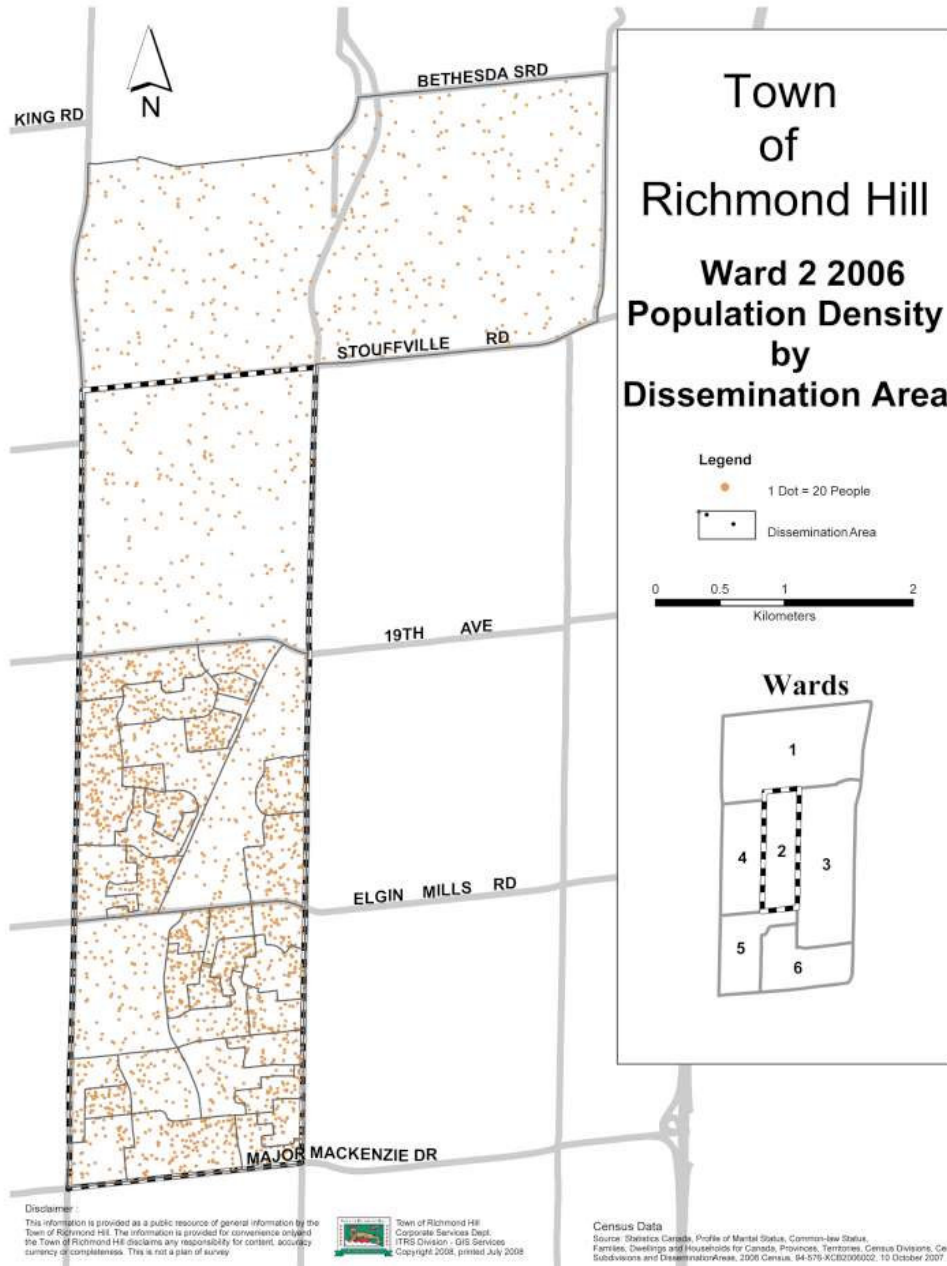
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Population Density

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Source: Statistics Canada 2006 Census

Note: Density is represented across an entire dissemination area, not a specific geographic location.

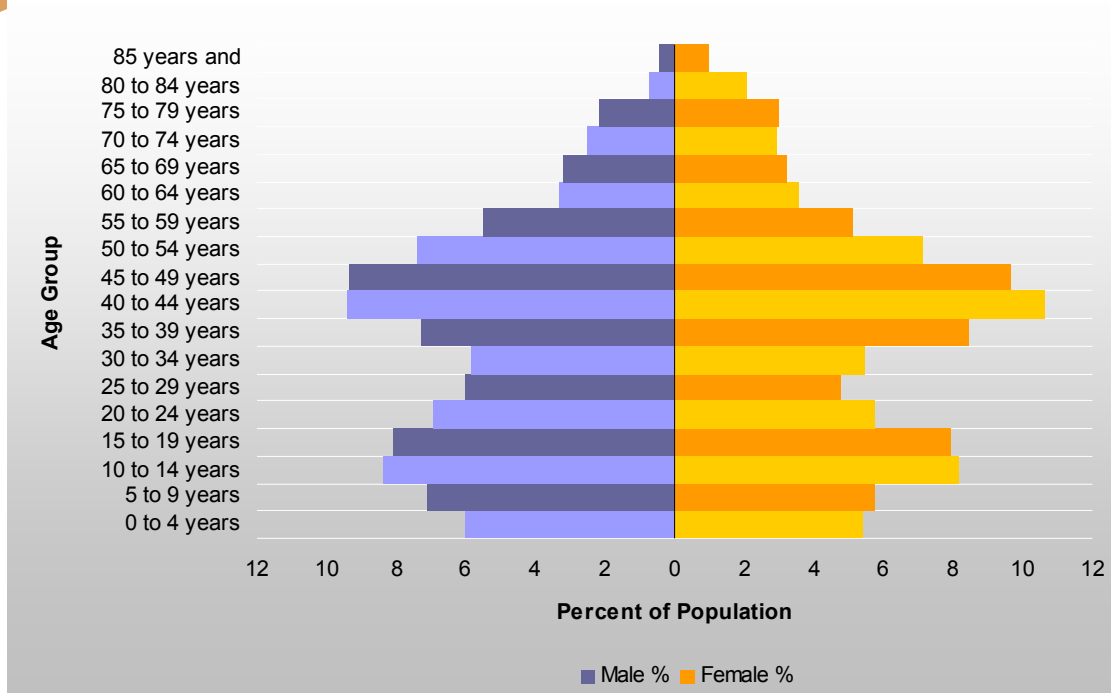


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Age WARD 2

Source: Statistics Canada 2006 Census

Ward 2 Population Pyramid, 2006



Ward 2

	Male	Male %	Female	Female %
0 to 4 years	695	6.01	640	5.38
5 to 9 years	825	7.13	685	5.76
10 to 14 years	970	8.38	970	8.16
15 to 19 years	935	8.08	940	7.91
20 to 24 years	805	6.96	685	5.76
25 to 29 years	695	6.01	565	4.75
30 to 34 years	680	5.88	650	5.47
35 to 39 years	845	7.30	1,005	8.45
40 to 44 years	1,090	9.42	1,265	10.64
45 to 49 years	1,080	9.33	1,145	9.63
50 to 54 years	855	7.39	845	7.11
55 to 59 years	635	5.49	605	5.09
60 to 64 years	385	3.33	425	3.57
65 to 69 years	375	3.24	380	3.20
70 to 74 years	295	2.55	350	2.94
75 to 79 years	255	2.20	355	2.99
80 to 84 years	85	0.73	245	2.06
85 years and over	50	0.43	115	0.97
Gender, total	11,570	100.00	11,890	100.00



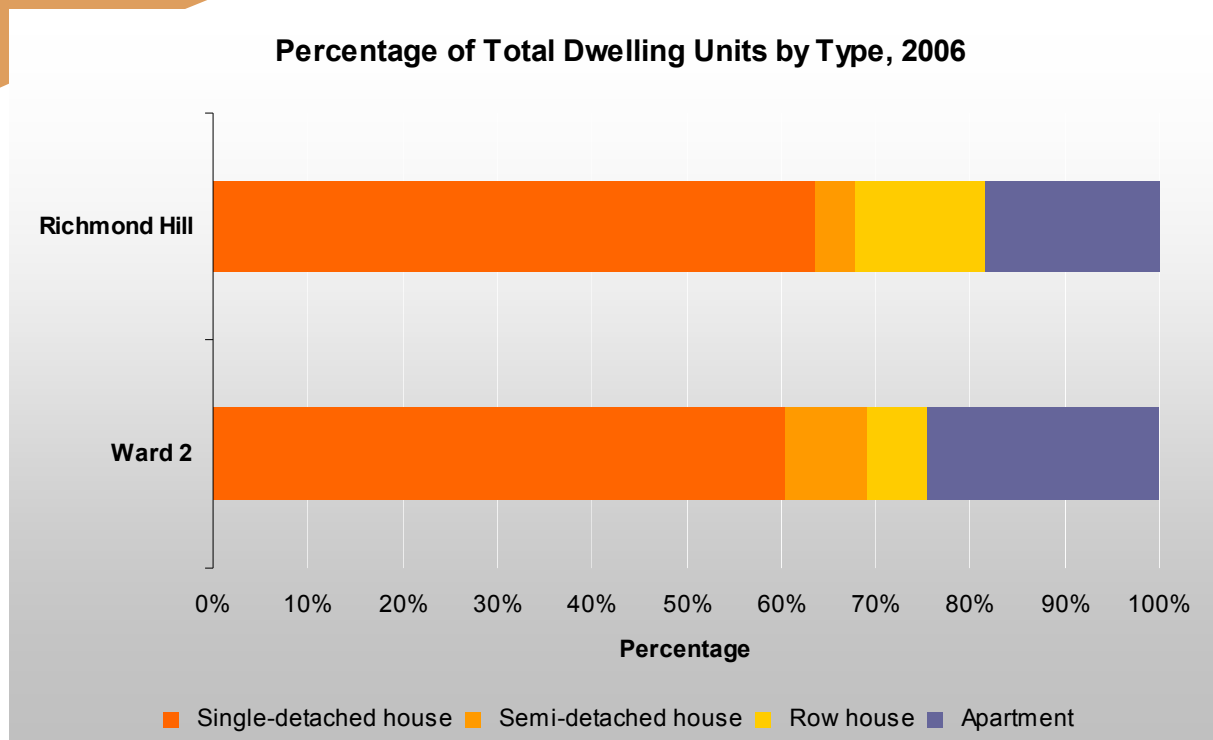
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Dwelling Types

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Source: Statistics Canada 2006 Census

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	Ward 2, 2006		Richmond Hill, 2006	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Single-detached house	4,510	60.29%	32,440	63.61%
Semi-detached house	645	8.62%	2,080	4.08%
Row house	475	6.35%	7,025	13.77%
Apartment	1,825	24.40%	9,375	18.38%
Total number of occupied private dwellings by structural type of dwelling	7,480	100.00%	51,000	100.00%



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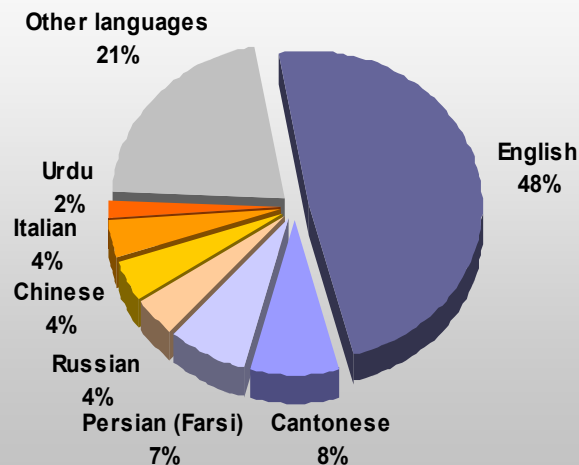
Mother Tongue

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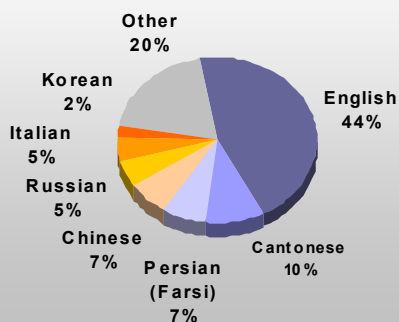
Mother Tongue refers to the first language learned at birth and still known to the respondent at the time of the 2006 Census. Information is presented by single responses (only one mother tongue reported)

Ward 2 Residents by Mother Tongue (Single Responses), 2006



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Richmond Hill Residents by Mother Tongue (Single Responses), 2006



Ward 2

		Percentage
English	11,175	47.62%
Cantonese	1,915	8.16%
Persian (Farsi)	1,695	7.22%
Russian	945	4.03%
Chinese	945	4.03%
Italian	895	3.81%
Urdu	435	1.85%
Other languages	4,930	21.01%
Single responses	22,960	97.85%



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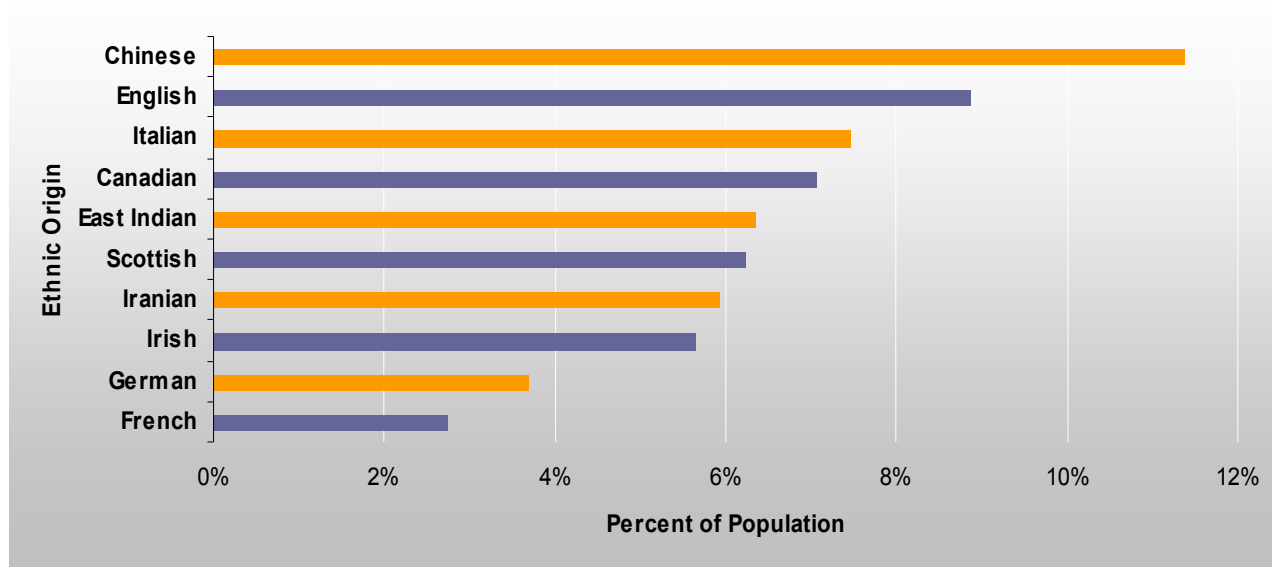
Ethnic Origin

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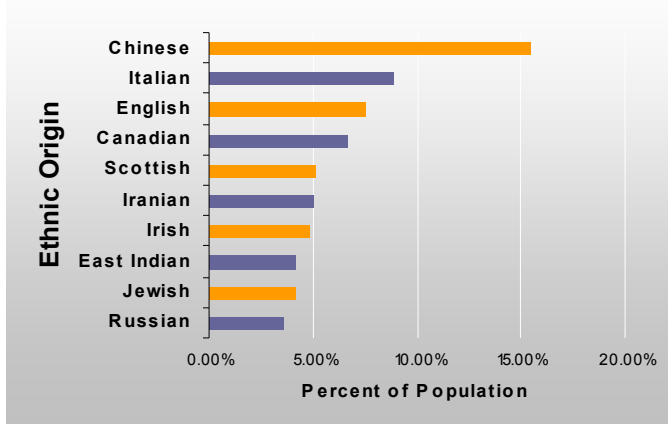
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Ethnic Origin number is based on **total responses**, which includes both single responses and multiple responses (more than one ethnic Origin from the 2006 Census)

Ward 2 Population by Ethnic Origin, 2006



Richmond Hill Population by Ethnic Origin, 2006



Ward 2 2006 Population by Ethnic Origin by Total Responses

Chinese	4,000	11.38%
English	3,120	8.88%
Italian	2,625	7.47%
Canadian	2,485	7.07%
East Indian	2,235	6.36%
Scottish	2,195	6.25%
Iranian	2,080	5.92%
Irish	1,985	5.65%
German	1,300	3.70%
French	965	2.75%
Other	12,155	34.59%



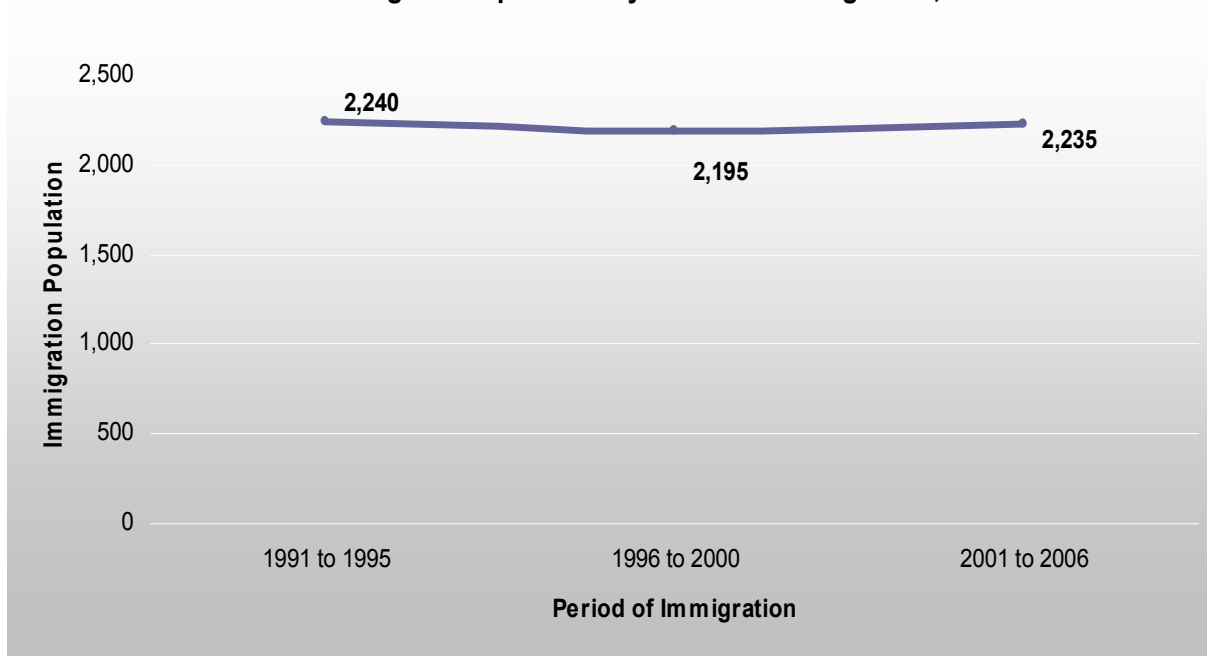
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Immigration Trends

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Source: Statistics Canada 2006 Census

Ward 2 Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration, 2006



Fast Fact: Prior to 1991, **5,125** immigrants settled in Ward 2

	Ward 2		Richmond Hill	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Before 1991	5,125	43.41%	37,100	44.52%
1991 to 1995	2,240	18.98%	17,075	20.49%
1996 to 2000	2,195	18.59%	16,795	20.15%
2001 to 2006	2,235	18.93%	12,360	14.83%
Total immigrant population	11,805	100.00%	83,335	100.00%



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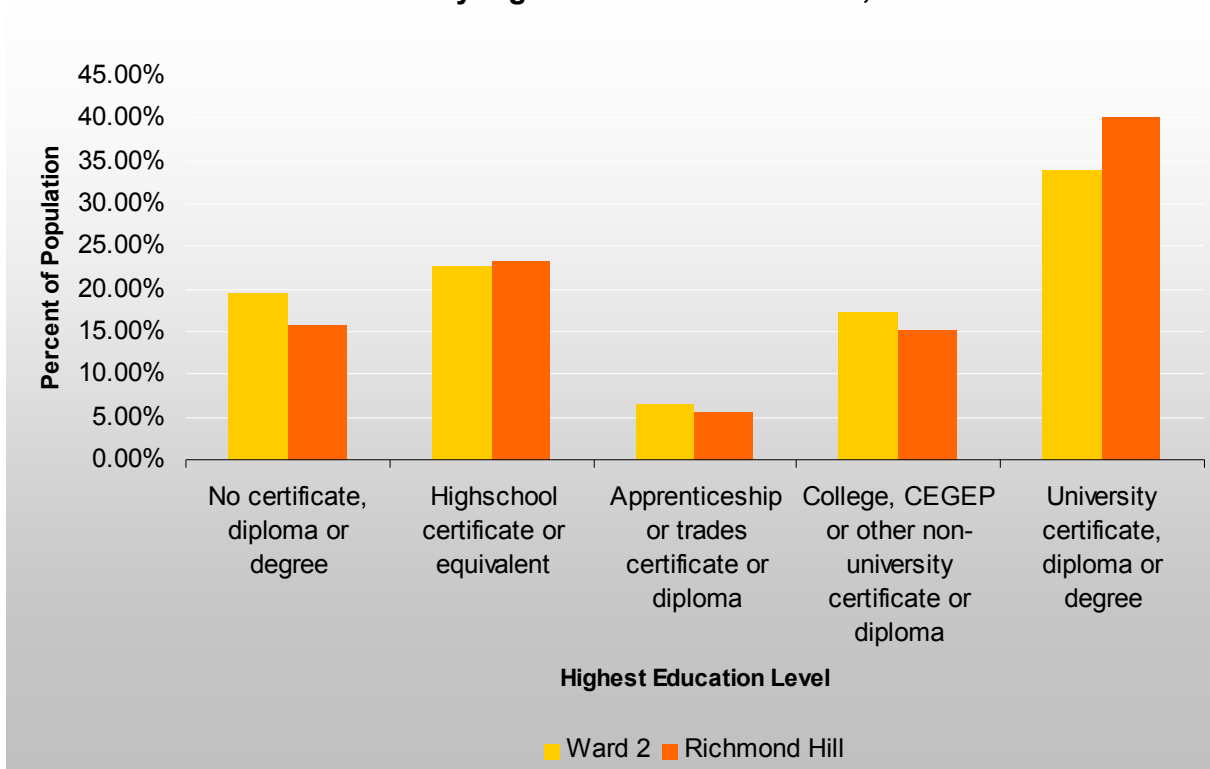
Education

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Source: Statistics Canada 2006 Census

Highest level of education for residents
15 years of age and over

Residents by Highest Level of Education, 2006



Level of Education	Ward 2, 2006		Richmond Hill, 2006	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No certificate, diploma or degree	3,615	19.37%	20,500	15.74%
Highschool certificate or equivalent	4,235	22.69%	30,155	23.15%
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	1,205	6.46%	7,355	5.65%
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma	3,255	17.44%	19,940	15.31%
University certificate, diploma or degree	6,350	34.02%	52,280	40.14%
Total population 15 and over by highest certificate, diploma or degree	18,665	100.00%	130,245	100.00%



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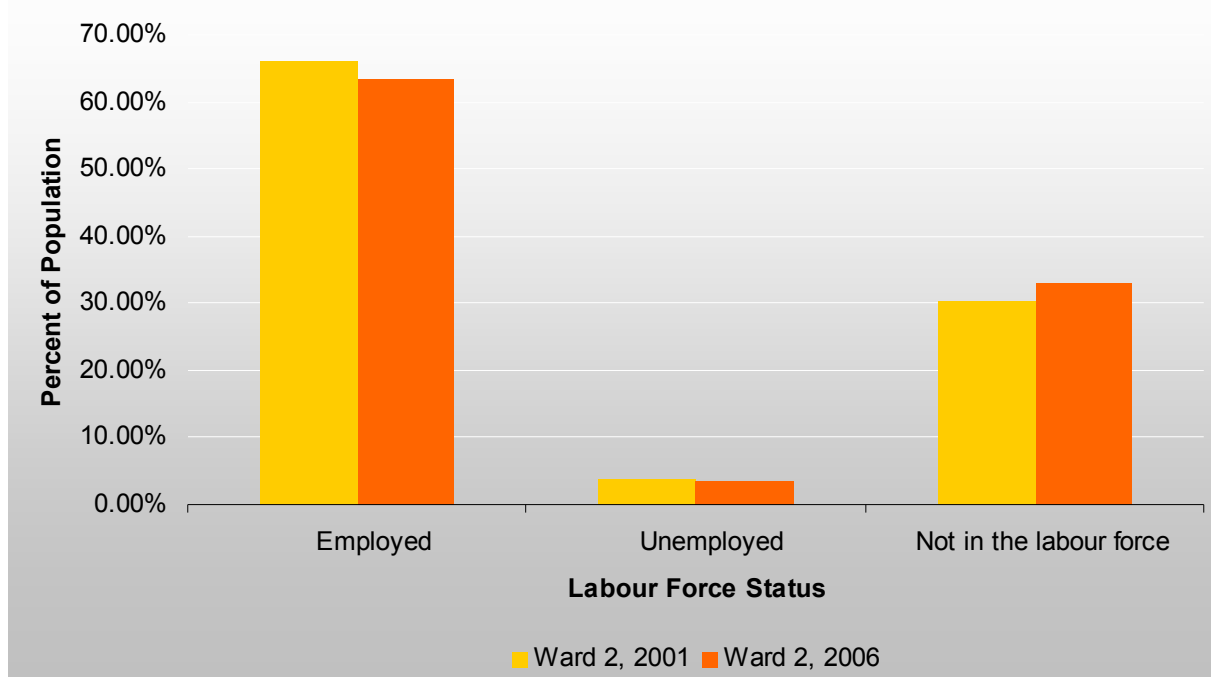
Employment

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Source: Statistics Canada 2006 Census

Employment figures are based on population 15 years of age and older

Ward 2 Employment Rates, 2001 to 2006



	Ward 2, 2001	Percent, 2001	Ward 2, 2006	Percent, 2006	Richmond Hill 2006	Percent, 2006
In the labour force	10,880	69.74%	12,495	66.94%	90,355	69.37%
Employed	10,295	65.99%	11,850	63.49%	85,440	65.60%
Unemployed	585	3.75%	640	3.43%	4,915	3.77%
Not in the labour force	4,720	30.26%	6,180	33.11%	39,880	30.62%
Total population 15 years and over by labour force activity	15,600	100.00%	18,665	100.00%	130,245	100.00%



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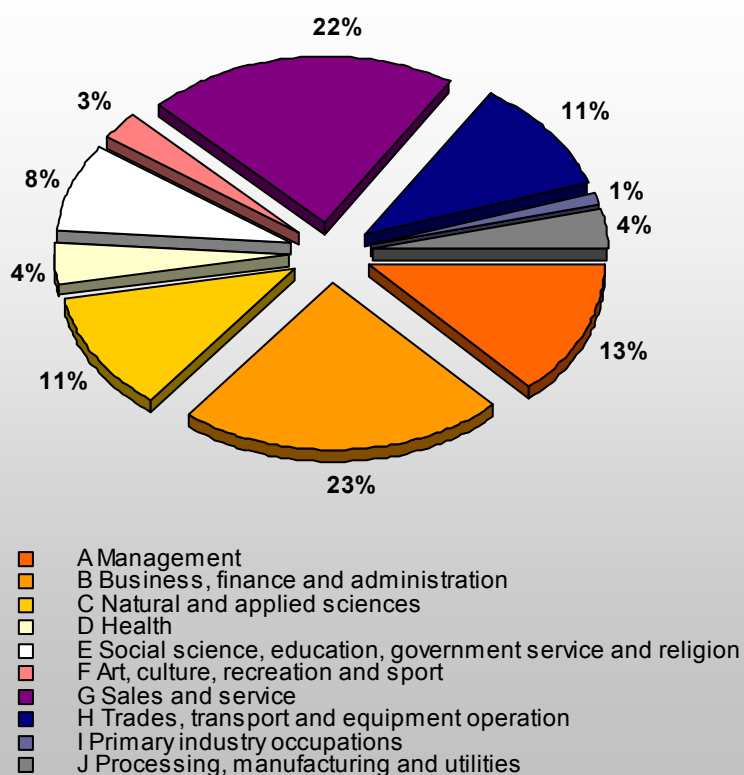
Occupations

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Ward 2 Residents by Occupation Type
Richmond Hill, 2006



	2001	2006			
	Ward 2	Ward 2		Richmond Hill	
	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A Management	14	1,605	13%	13,830	16%
B Business, finance and administration	23	2,765	23%	20,105	23%
C Natural and applied sciences	11	1,400	11%	10,955	12%
D Health	4	500	4%	4,130	5%
E Social science, education, government service and religion	7	1,035	8%	7,380	8%
F Art, culture, recreation and sport	3	340	3%	2,795	3%
G Sales and service	22	2,640	22%	18,555	21%
H Trades, transport and equipment operation	13	1,355	11%	7,605	9%
I Primary industry occupations	2	125	1%	755	1%
J Processing, manufacturing and utilities	4	485	4%	2,725	3%

