

# NOTTING BARNS Ward Profile

Based on data from the 2011 Census. Produced by the Consultation and Partnerships Team



THE ROYAL BOROUGH OF  
KENSINGTON  
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## INTRODUCTION

The Census occurs once every ten years. The most recent Census Day fell on 27 March 2011. This report gives a summary of Census data for Notting Barns.

For ease of use Census data has been subdivided into three distinct themes:

### Who we are

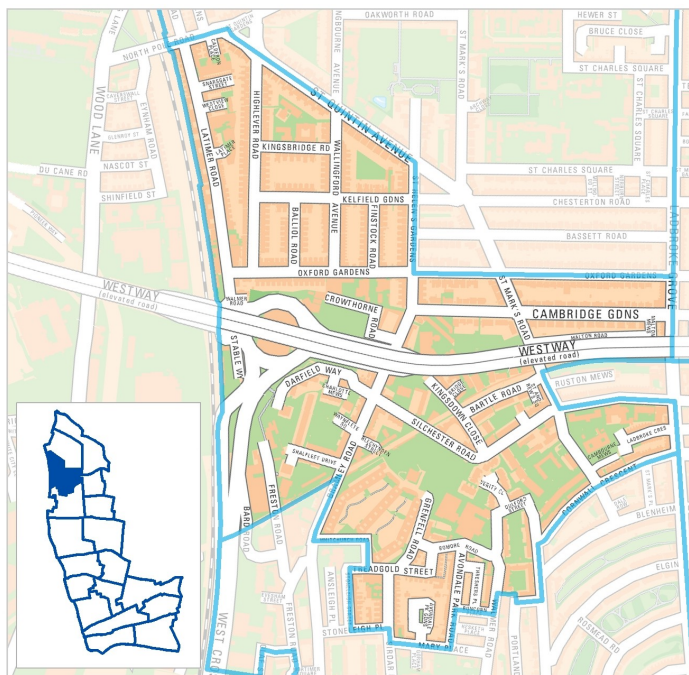
Population, ethnic group, country of birth, passports held, religion, health

### How we live

Marital status, living arrangements, household composition, accommodation, tenure, car or van availability, overcrowding

### What we do

Economic activity, hours worked, qualifications and students, industry, occupation, unpaid care



## Headline data

Rankings are for the 18 wards in the borough and are sorted in descending order.

### In Notting Barns...

...the population has increased by 6.0 per cent from 9,000 to 9,537 between 2001 and 2011. The borough has seen a decrease of 0.2 per cent

... the population density is 153 people per square hectare, ranked 9th and compares to 131 in the borough as a whole

...in 67.9 per cent of households English is the main language for all occupants, it is the main language for at least one occupant in 17.5 per cent and in 14.6 per cent English is the main language for no occupants of the household

...4.1 per cent of residents speak Arabic as their main language (380 residents), 3.1 per cent speak Spanish (284 residents) and 1.7 per cent speak Portuguese (160 residents)

...2.0 per cent of residents assess their health as being 'very bad' (ranked 2nd in the borough) and 5.9 per cent assess their health as bad (also ranked 2nd)

...18.3 per cent of residents have a long term limiting illness higher than the borough average of 12.4 per cent

...58.4 per cent of residents were born in the UK (ranked 3rd), higher than the borough average of 48.4 per cent

...3.6 per cent of residents were born in North Africa (346 residents, ranked 2nd) and 5.0 per cent of residents were born in South and Eastern Africa (478 residents, ranked 2nd)

...73.6 per cent of residents have a UK passport, ranked 1st in the borough

...the percentage of households that are owner occupied (including shared ownership) has decreased from 34.7 per cent to 26.1 per cent

...15.5 per cent of households (645) are classified as overcrowded (i.e. too few bedrooms for inhabitants)

...60.2 per cent of households do not have access to a car or van

...19.4 per cent of residents do not have any qualifications a reduction of 5.9 per cent whereas the percentage of residents with a level four qualification (degree equivalent or above) has increased by 3.0 percentage points (37.2 per cent)

...9.2 per cent of residents provide some unpaid care (882 residents, ranked 3rd), higher than the borough average of 6.9 per cent

## Who we are

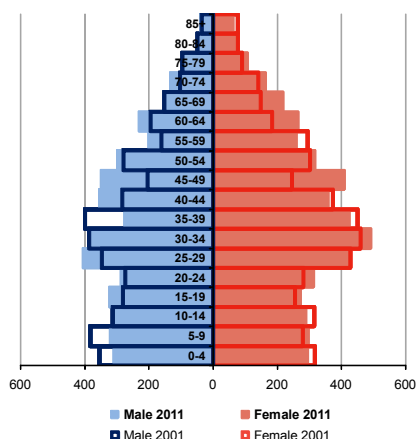
### Population overall

The population of Notting Barns has increased by 6.0 per cent in the intercensal period from 9,000 to 9,537 residents (see figure 2). The population of Kensington and Chelsea decreased by 0.2 per cent from 158,896 to 158,649 residents.

### Population age

Figure 1 shows the age structure of Notting Barns in 2001 and 2011 split by gender. Overall in 2011 20.2 per cent of residents are aged less than 16, 68.3 per cent between 16-64 (of working age) and 11.4 per cent are aged over 65 (i.e. of pensionable age). In Kensington and Chelsea overall 15.4 per cent are aged less than 16, 72.6 per cent between 16 and 64 and 12.0 per cent aged 65 and over.

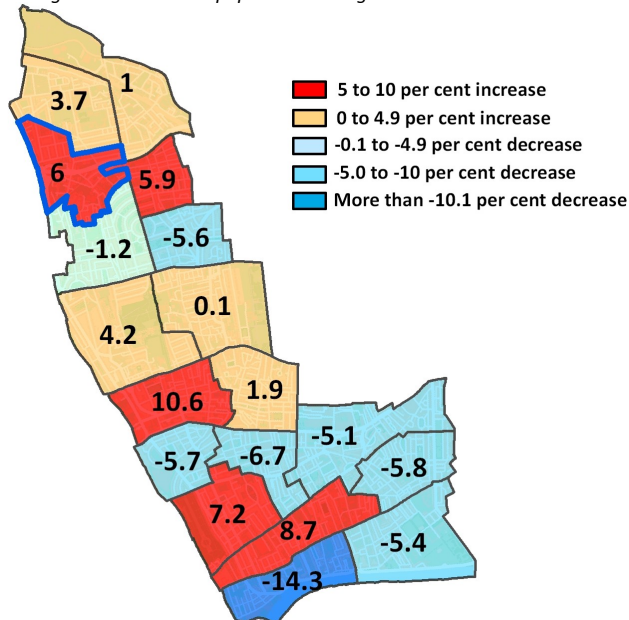
Figure 1. Notting Barns age structure change



### Population density

Notting Barns has a population density of 153 people per hectare (see figure 4), ranked 9th in the borough, compared to 131 in Kensington and Chelsea and 52 people per hectare in London.

Figure 2. Intercensal population change

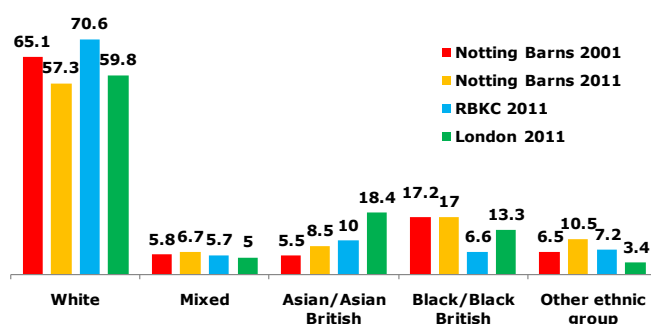


### Ethnic group

Figure 3 shows the broad ethnic groups in Notting Barns, Kensington and Chelsea and London, with intercensal comparisons. The 'White' group has decreased by 7.8 percentage points and accounts for 57.3 per cent of all residents in 2011.

The greatest increase in the 'Other Ethnic group' category which has increased from 6.5 per cent to 10.5 per cent (four percentage points) and the 'Asian/Asian British' group which has grown from 5.5 per cent to 8.5 per cent (three percentage points). However it is important to remember that this increase is driven in part by the inclusion of the 'Chinese' group in the 'Asian/Asian British' category.

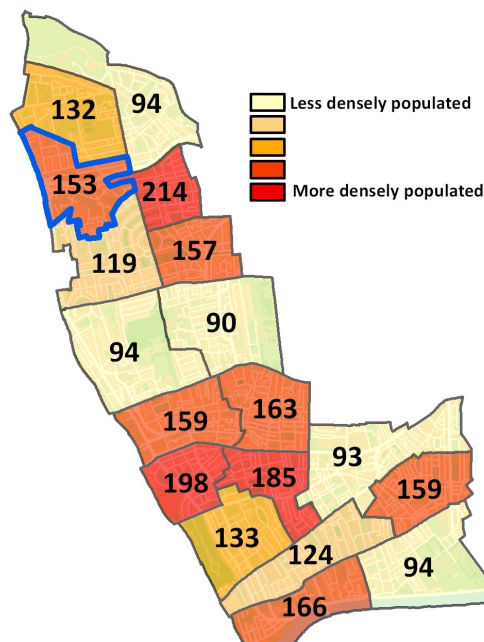
Figure 3. Broad ethnic groups



### More detailed ethnicity

37.2 per cent of residents identified themselves as 'White: English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British' and a further 17.0 per cent of residents identified themselves as 'Other White'. 8.9 per cent of residents in Notting Barns are 'Black African', 5.7 per cent 'Black Caribbean' and 5.6 per cent are 'Arab'.

Figure 4. Population density by ward - people per square hectare

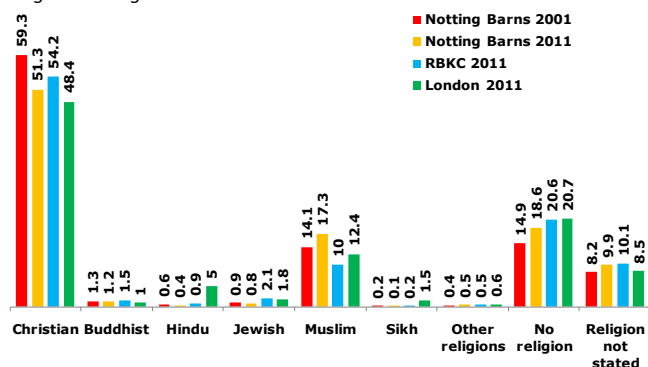


## Who we are

### Religion

Figure 5 shows per cent change in religious affiliation in the intercensal period. Around half, 51.3 per cent, of the population of Notting Barns are Christian (4,894 residents, ranked 12th, a decrease of 8.0 per cent), 17.3 per cent are Muslim (1,649 residents, ranked 2nd, an increase of 3.2 per cent) and 18.6 per cent have no religion (1,770 residents, ranked 13th, an increase of 3.7 per cent).

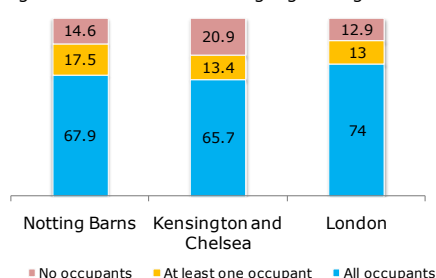
Figure 5. Religion



### Household language

In Notting Barns English is the main language for 67.9 per cent of all households (2,819 households, ranked 9th). In 14.6 per cent of households no occupants speak English as a main language (604 households, ranked 16th). In 17.5 per cent of households there is at least one occupant who speaks English as a main language (728 households, ranked 1st).

Figure 6. Main household language is English



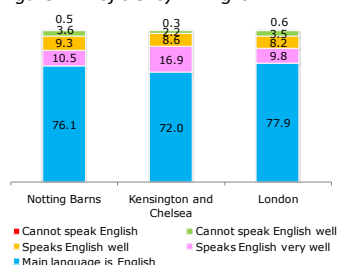
### Top three main languages (excluding English)

4.1 per cent of residents (380) speak Arabic as their main language, 3.1 per cent speak Spanish (284) and 1.7 per cent speak Portuguese (160).

### Proficiency in English

English is the main language for 76.1 per cent of residents (ranked 5th), 10.5 per cent of residents in Notting Barns speak English very well (ranked 18th). 9.3 per cent speak English well (ranked 6th). 3.6 per cent cannot speak English well (ranked 2nd) and 0.5 per cent cannot speak English (ranked 1st).

Figure 7. Proficiency in English



### National Identity

72.7 per cent of residents gave a national identity that relates to Britain and Northern Ireland (6,937 residents, ranked 3rd) compared to 58.2 per cent in the borough and 75.3 per cent in London.

### Health

Overall Kensington and Chelsea is ranked first in England and Wales for the percentage of residents assessing their health as 'very good' (57.8 per cent compared to 50.5 per cent in London). In Notting Barns less than half (47.7 per cent) of all residents assess their health as 'very good' and 31.3 per cent selected 'good health', 5.9 per cent of residents assess their health as 'bad' (rank 2nd highest) and 2.0 per cent as 'very bad' (rank 3rd).

Figure 8. Health



### Long term limiting illness

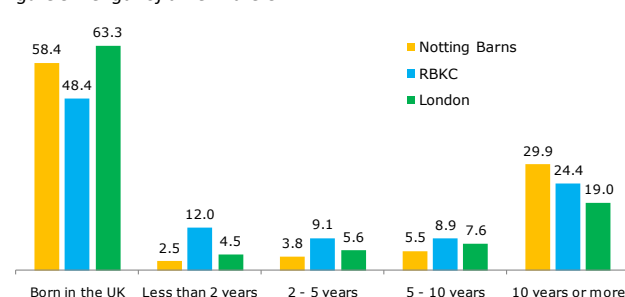
18.3 per cent of residents in Notting Barns have a long term limiting illness (1,743 residents, ranked 4th), compared to 12.4 per cent in Kensington and Chelsea and 14.1 per cent in London.

### Length of residence in UK and age of arrival in the UK

58.4 per cent of residents of Notting Barns were born in the UK (rank 3rd). 29.9 per cent arrived more than 10 years ago (2,848 residents, ranked 2nd), 5.5 per cent in the last five to 10 years (521 residents, ranked 17th), and 6.3 per cent arrived in the last five years (602 residents, ranked 18th).

Overall 14.2 per cent of residents arrived in the UK aged between 0-19 (rank 9th), 25.3 per cent between 20-44 (rank 17th), 1.8 per cent between the ages of 45-64 (rank 17th) and 0.3 per cent 65 plus (rank 12th) when they arrived in the UK.

Figure 9. Length of time in the UK



## Who we are

### Country of birth

Figure 10 shows country of birth by number and percent of residents in Notting Barns and Kensington and Chelsea by world region and figure 11 shows the number and percentage for selected European countries. Overall 55.9 per cent of residents in Notting Barns were born in England (5,329 residents, ranked 3rd), higher than the borough average of 45.6 per cent.

### Europe

1.1 per cent of the population of Notting Barns were born in France (103 residents, ranked 18th) compared to 4.2 per cent in the borough. 1.0 per cent of residents were born in Italy (98 residents, ranked 18th), 0.8 per cent in Germany (74 residents, ranked 17th) and 1.7 per cent in Spain (166 residents, ranked 9th).

### World regions

3.6 per cent of residents (346 residents, ranked 2nd) were born in North Africa, higher than the borough average of 2.2 per cent, and 5.0 per cent were born in South and Eastern Africa (478 residents, ranked 2nd) which is also higher than the borough average which is 2.9 per cent. Notting Barns is ranked 2nd for the percentage of residents from Central and Western Africa (161 residents, 1.7 per cent).

### Passports held

73.6 per cent of residents in Notting Barns have a UK passport (7,022 residents) the highest percentage in the borough, 13.1 per cent lower than the borough average. 1.9 per cent of residents have an African passport (178 residents, ranked 7th) and 2.4 per cent of residents have a passport from Ireland (231 residents, ranked 8th).

6.3 per cent of residents in Notting Barns have no passport (600 residents, ranked 3rd).

Figure 10. Country of birth by world region

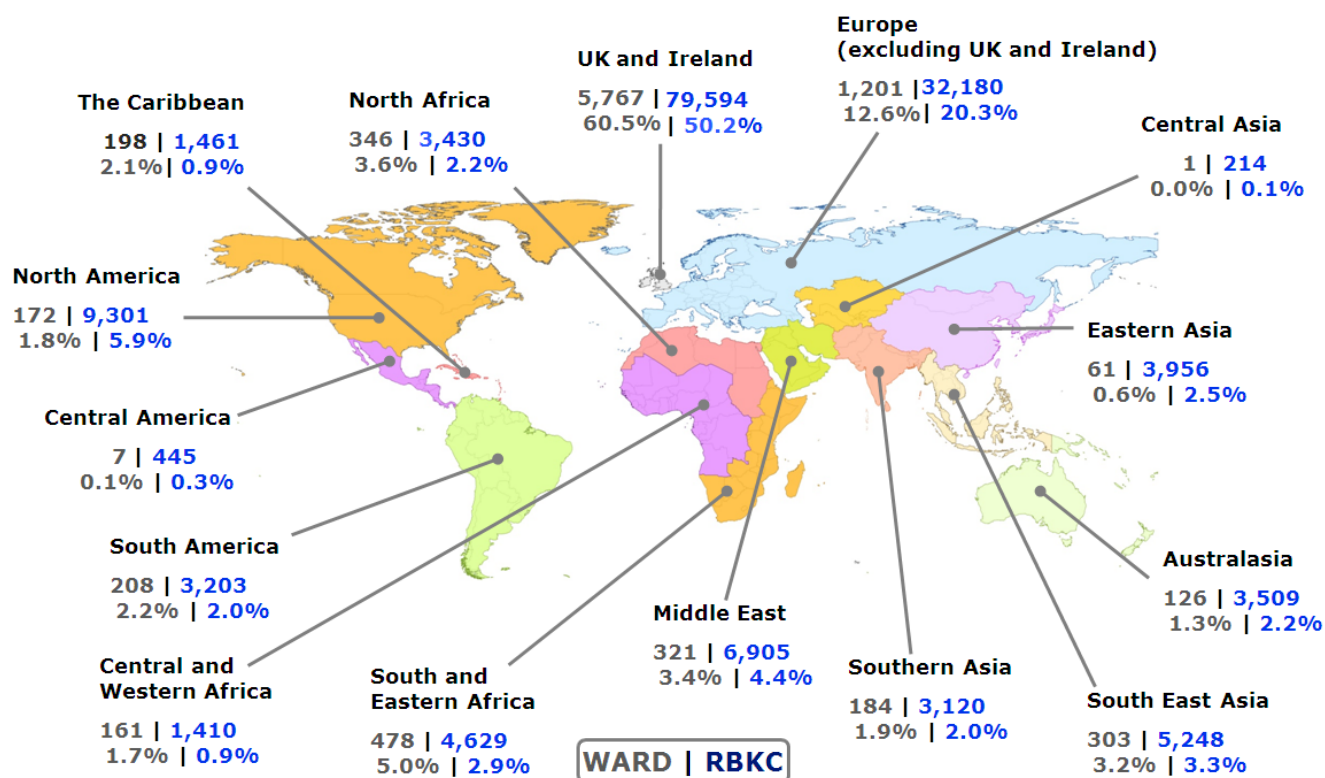


Figure 11. Country of birth by selected European country

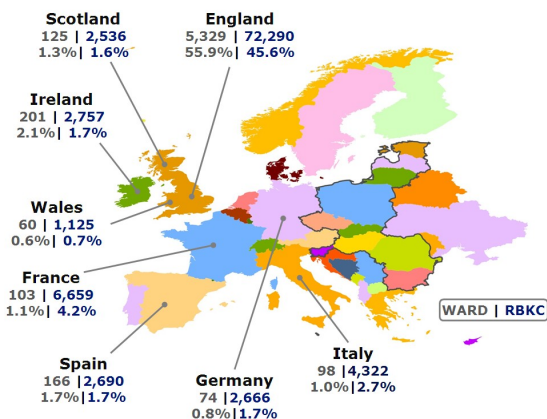
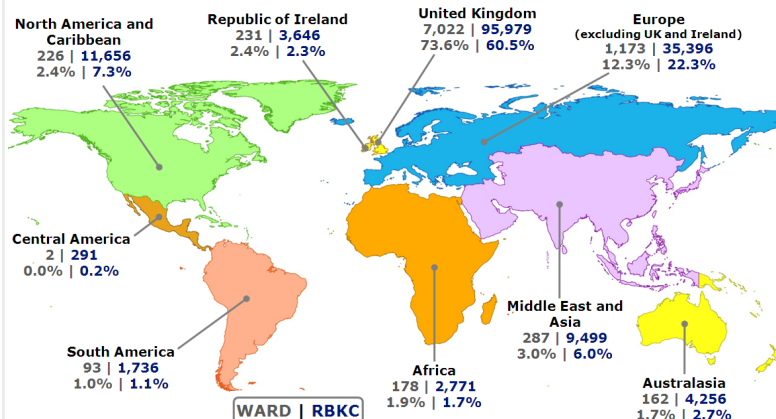


Figure 12. Passports - World Region

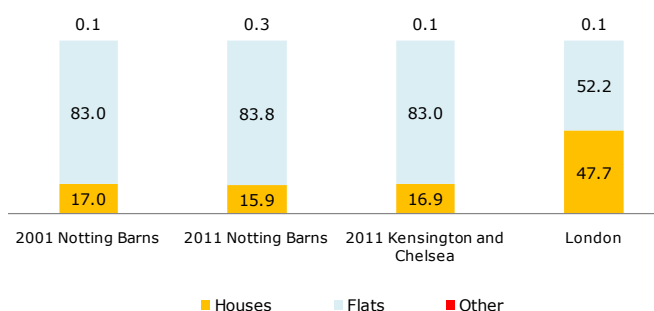


## How we live

### Accommodation type

Flats account for 83.0 per cent of all household spaces in Notting Barns (3,548 households, ranked 9th) compared to 83.0 per cent in the borough and 52.2 per cent in London. Houses account for 15.9 per cent of household spaces (675 household spaces, ranked 12th) in Notting Barns compared to 16.9 per cent in the borough and 47.7 per cent in London.

Figure 13. Accommodation type split



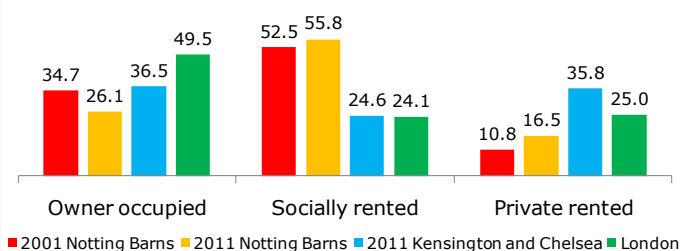
### Tenure

26.1 per cent of households in Notting Barns are **owner occupied (including shared ownership)**, a reduction of 8.6 percentage points (1,082 households, ranked 15th) compared to 36.5 per cent in the borough and 49.5 per cent in London.

The **private rented** sector accounts for 16.5 per cent of households, an increase of 5.7 percentage points (686 households, ranked 17th), and compares to 35.8 per cent in the borough and 25.0 per cent in London.

The size of the **social rented** sector in Kensington and Chelsea has shrunk slightly from 26 per cent to 24.6 per cent, in Notting Barns it accounts for 55.8 per cent (2,315 properties, ranked 3rd), an increase of 3.3 of a percentage points.

Figure 14. Tenure



### Overcrowding (bedroom score)

An occupancy score of -1 or less shows that there is at least one too few bedrooms to adequately accommodate the individuals residing there. 15.5 per cent of households in Notting Barns are overcrowded (645 households, ranked 2nd). This compares to 9.2 per cent of households in the borough and 11.6 per cent in London.

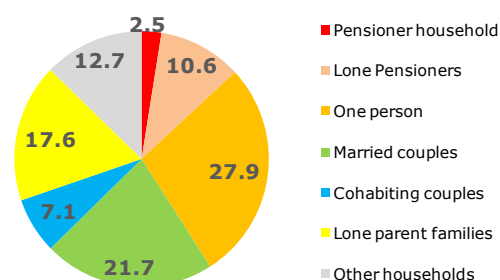
### Marital and Civil Partnership Status

49.3 per cent of adult residents are single (3,757 residents, ranked 8th), compared to 48.2 per cent in the borough and 44.1 per cent in London. 32.2 per cent are married (including civil partnerships) (2,450, ranked 14th) compared to 35.6 per cent in the borough and 39.8 per cent in London. 13.6 per cent of residents are separated or divorced and 4.9 per cent are widowed.

### Household composition

**One person households** (where the occupant is aged less than 65 years) account for 27.9 per cent of households in Notting Barns (1,159 households, ranked 18th), compared to 36.0 per cent in the borough. **One person pensioner households** account for 10.6 per cent of households (438, ranked 9th) and **other pensioner households** account for 2.5 per cent (102, ranked 10th). **Lone parent households** make up 17.6 per cent (731 households, ranked 1st) in Notting Barns. **Cohabiting couples** make up 7.1 per cent of all households (294 households, ranked 14th). **Married couples** account for 21.7 per cent of households (901 households, ranked 10th).

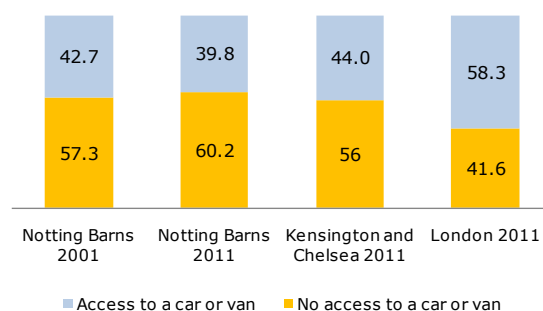
Figure 15. Household composition



### Access to a car or van

60.2 per cent of households in Notting Barns do not have access to a car or van (2,500 households, ranked 4th) an increase of 2.9 per cent. Well over half of all households in the borough (56 per cent) do not have access to a car or van, this is the ninth highest percentage nationally and has increased by 5.6 per cent since 2001. In London 41.6 per cent of households do not have access to no car.

Figure 16. Access to a car or van



## What we do

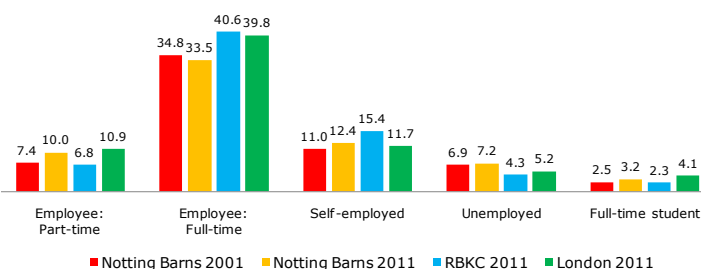
### Labour market

**Economically active residents** are those aged 16 to 74 that are either employed or are unemployed but actively seeking employment. 66.3 per cent of the adult population of Notting Barns are **economically active** (4,765 residents, ranked 16th) compared to 69.4 per cent in the borough and 71.7 per cent in London.

Overall 33.5 per cent of residents are in **full-time employment** (2,405 residents, ranked 17th) a decrease of 1.3 percentage points. 12.4 per cent of residents are **self employed** (893 residents, ranked 16th) an increase of 1.4 percentage points compared to the borough average of 15.4 per cent and 11.7 per cent in London.

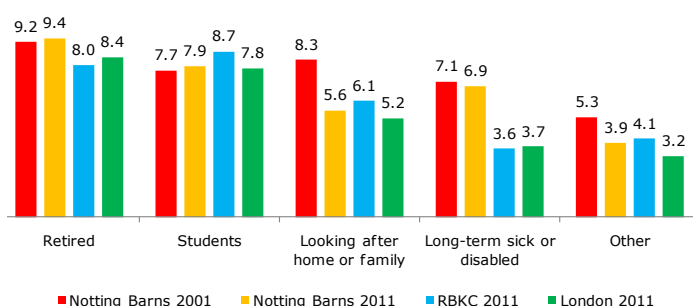
7.2 per cent of the adult population of Notting Barns are **economically active but unemployed** (519 residents, ranked 2nd) compared to 4.3 per cent in the borough and 5.2 per cent in London.

Figure 17. Economically active residents



**Economically inactive residents** are residents aged 16 to 74 that are not in employment and not actively seeking a job. This group includes people who are looking after a home, the retired and some students. 33.7 per cent of the adult population of Notting Barns are **economically inactive** (2,419 residents, ranked 3rd) compared to 30.6 per cent in the borough and 28.3 per cent in London. 9.4 per cent of working age residents in Notting Barns are **retired** (676 residents, ranked 4th) compared to 8.0 per cent in the borough and 8.4 per cent in London. **Students** account for 7.9 per cent of those aged 16 to 74 (569 residents, ranked 7th). 5.6 per cent of adult residents (403 residents, ranked 12th) are **looking after the home**, compared to 6.1 per cent in the borough and 5.2 per cent in London. 6.9 per cent of residents are **long term sick or disabled** (493 residents, ranked 3rd) far higher than the borough and London averages.

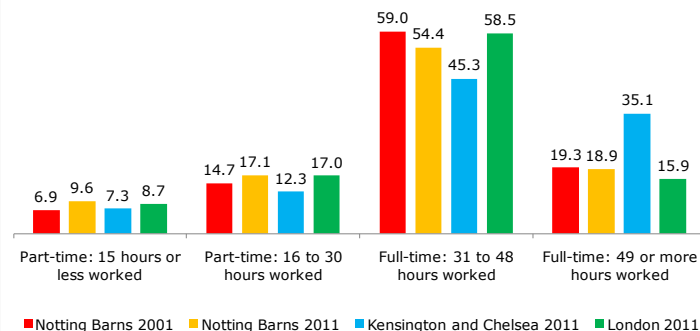
Figure 18. Economically inactive residents



### Hours worked

In Notting Barns the majority of working residents work between 31 to 48 hours per week (54.4 per cent, 2,270 residents, ranked 2nd), a decrease of 4.6 per cent, and higher than the borough average of 45.3 per cent. 18.9 per cent of working residents in Notting Barns work 49 or more hours per week (788, ranked 16th), which is far lower than the borough average of 35.1 per cent and comparable with the London average of 15.9 per cent.

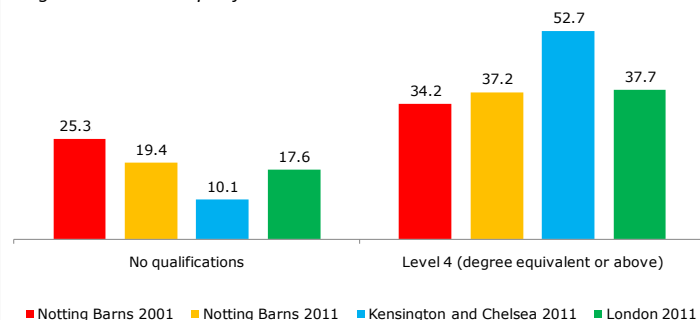
Figure 19. Hours worked



### Qualifications and Students

37.2 per cent of the adult population of Notting Barns have a **level 4 qualification (e.g. a bachelors degree)** (2,831 residents, ranked 16th), far lower than the borough average of 52.7 per cent but equivalent to the London average of 37.7 per cent. 19.4 per cent of the adult population in Notting Barns have **no qualifications** (1,479, ranked 3rd), a decrease of 5.9 per cent, compared to 10.1 per cent in the borough and 17.6 per cent in London.

Figure 20. Selected qualifications



### Unpaid care

In Notting Barns 9.2 per cent of residents provide some unpaid care (882 residents, ranked 3rd), higher than the borough average of 6.9 per cent.

In Notting Barns 5.3 per cent of residents provide between one and 19 hours of care per week (508 residents, ranked 5th), 1.6 per cent provide between 20 and 49 hours (154 residents, ranked 2nd) and 2.3 per cent provide over 50 hours of care a week (220 residents, ranked 1st).

### Method of travel to work

The top three methods of travel to work in Notting Barns are via the underground (17.9 per cent, 1,285 residents, ranked 15th), by bus (10.1 per cent, 723 residents, ranked 6th) and by car or van (9.2 per cent, 663 residents, ranked 6th). 3.9 per cent of residents work mainly from home (277 residents, ranked

## What we do

### Industry

The industry in which a person aged 16 to 74 works relates to their main job, and is derived from information provided on the main activity of their employer or business. These classifications have been changed which means comparisons with 2001 data cannot be made.

In Notting Barns the three largest industry sectors are:

#### 1. Professional, scientific and technical activities

(e.g. legal activities, accounting, marketing, advertising, veterinary activities, translation and interpretation)

13.0 per cent (542 residents, ranked 8th) of economically active residents, compared to 16.7 per cent in the borough and 10.9 per cent in London.

#### 2. Wholesale and retail trade

(e.g. wholesale of food, cars, clothing, beverages, computers, furniture, machine tools, household goods)

12.3 per cent (514 residents, ranked 6th) of economically active residents, compared to 9.6 per cent in the borough and 13.1 per cent in London.

#### 3. Human health and social work

(e.g. medical and nursing activities, counseling)

9.8 per cent (408 residents, ranked 3rd) of economically active residents, compared to 6.7 per cent in the borough and 10.7 per cent in London.

### Occupation

A person's occupation relates to their main job and is derived from either their job title or details of the activities involved in their job. This is used to assign responses to an occupation code based on the Standard Occupational Classification 2010 (SOC2010).

In Notting Barns the three largest occupation groups are:

#### 1. Associate professionals and technical occupations

(e.g. police officers, graphic designers, laboratory technicians, town planners)

20.7 per cent (866 residents, ranked 17th) of those economically active, compared to 24.9 per cent in the borough and 16.3 per cent in London.

#### 2. Professional occupations

(e.g. scientists, engineers, IT professionals, nurses, teachers)

20.2 per cent (842 residents, ranked 15th) of those economically active, compared to 23.4 per cent in the borough and 22.5 per cent in London.

#### 3. Managers, directors and senior officials

(e.g. chief executives, senior officials, financial institution managers, officers in the armed forces)

12.5 per cent (522 residents, ranked 17th) of those economically active, compared to 23.3 per cent in the borough and 11.6 per cent in London.

Figure 21. Top ten industries

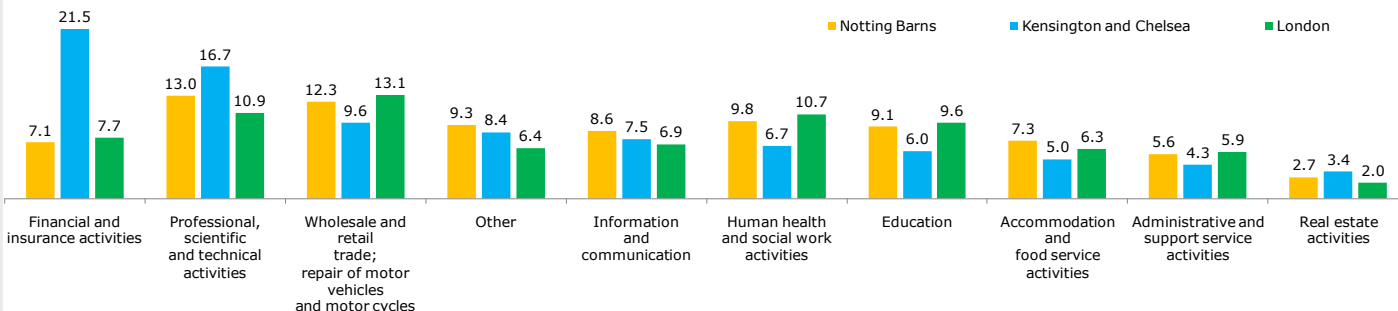
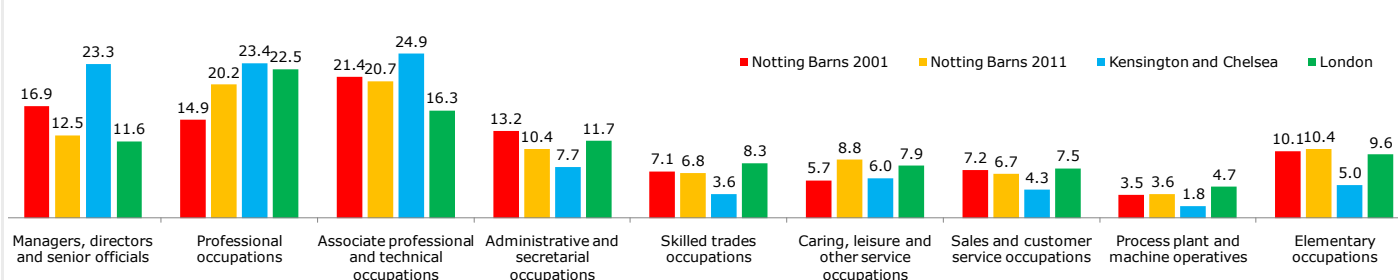


Figure 22. Occupations



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