

Table 2.21
**Education, Employment, Income and Household Size Statistics
for Selected Languages -Western Australia: 2006 Census**

	Language				
	English	Italian	Mandarin	Cantonese	Vietnamese
Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)					
Bachelor degree or higher	14.6	7.9	35.0	27.3	12.6
Advanced diploma/diploma	7.9	5.3	11.6	9.8	4.9
Certificate 3,4	16.5	14.2	4.4	5.8	4.6
Year 12 or equivalent	19.7	12.1	29.8	25.2	31.2
Less than 12 years of schooling	37.1	53.6	16.5	28.7	41.7
Education attainment Not stated	4.1	6.8	2.7	3.2	5.0
Unemployment rate (%)	3.5	2.1	7.8	4.9	7.7
Participation rate (%)	68.7	50.9	58.3	61.0	63.3
Industry (% of those working)					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	3.5	3.5	0.6	0.3	6.1
Mining	4.5	1.8	2.4	1.7	1.1
Manufacturing	9.2	9.6	11.5	10.0	24.1
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.5
Construction	9.3	15.1	3.0	2.7	2.6
Wholesale Trade	4.0	4.3	6.4	4.7	5.5
Retail Trade	11.2	13.3	12.1	10.8	18.5
Accommodation and Food Services	5.3	6.0	15.6	21.9	12.4
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	4.3	3.7	2.4	2.1	1.2
Information Media and Telecommunications	1.4	1.1	1.2	0.9	0.9
Financial and Insurance Services	2.9	2.9	3.4	3.4	2.1
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	2.0	2.5	1.8	1.7	0.8
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	6.2	5.2	9.6	8.7	4.5
Administrative and Support Services	3.1	2.4	3.2	2.2	1.3
Public Administration and Safety	6.6	4.7	3.6	4.2	2.2
Education and Training	7.9	6.2	6.7	4.5	2.0
Healthcare and Social Assistance	10.1	7.0	8.9	11.9	5.0
Arts and Recreation Services	1.3	0.8	0.9	2.0	0.8
Other Services	3.8	5.7	2.4	2.8	3.4
Inadequately described	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.6
Not stated	1.1	1.8	2.0	1.3	3.3
Occupation (% of those working)					
Managers	12.7	15.7	11.2	10.1	16.0
Professionals	18.4	13.8	28.6	26.6	12.4
Technicians and Trades Workers	16.5	20.0	10.9	15.8	18.3
Community and Personal Service Workers	8.8	6.0	9.0	10.4	6.5
Clerical and Administrative Workers	15.0	14.9	11.0	11.8	5.9
Sales Workers	9.6	10.8	8.7	7.5	9.6
Machinery Operators and Drivers	7.3	6.0	4.2	4.2	10.7
Labourers	10.3	10.4	14.0	12.2	17.0
Not stated	1.4	2.4	2.5	1.5	3.5
Income (% of population aged 15 and over)					
Nil or negative income	6.6	5.8	26.7	17.5	12.4
\$1 - \$399 per week	32.9	45.5	31.1	34.8	39.5
\$400 - \$799 per week	25.3	21.0	19.3	22.2	28.3
\$800 - \$999 per week	8.9	6.6	6.7	7.4	5.5
\$1,000 - \$1,599 per week	14.6	10.7	8.9	10.5	6.7
More than \$1,600 per week	8.0	5.1	4.3	4.8	2.5
Not stated	3.7	5.4	3.0	2.8	5.1
Average Household Size (persons)	3	2	4	4	4

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	Language				
	Australian Indigenous Languages	Arabic	German	Indonesian	Polish
Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)					
Bachelor degree or higher	2.6	19.7	19.4	35.9	20.1
Advanced diploma/diploma	1.5	7.6	11.8	11.0	10.4
Certificate 3,4	3.8	7.0	25.2	5.0	15.1
Year 12 or equivalent	9.5	29.0	16.9	32.0	24.9
Less than 12 years of schooling	76.2	30.0	21.4	13.3	23.6
Education attainment Not stated	6.4	6.7	5.3	2.7	5.9
Unemployment rate (%)	8.9	12.6	3.3	8.2	4.1
Participation rate (%)	52.3	46.3	56.5	59.6	57.9
Industry (% of those working)					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	2.1	1.1	2.8	0.6	0.6
Mining	2.4	2.5	3.7	2.6	2.9
Manufacturing	1.2	12.7	11.0	9.5	11.2
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	0.3	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.3
Construction	1.7	6.5	6.5	3.6	9.4
Wholesale Trade	0.3	3.8	3.6	4.9	2.8
Retail Trade	1.5	10.6	8.6	11.6	9.9
Accommodation and Food Services	1.2	7.8	6.6	17.6	5.8
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	1.4	7.6	2.7	4.7	6.3
Information Media and Telecommunications	0.3	1.3	1.0	1.7	1.1
Financial and Insurance Services	0.1	2.3	1.8	3.7	2.3
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	0.0	1.8	1.4	3.0	1.9
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	1.5	7.0	9.5	8.0	6.8
Administrative and Support Services	3.0	3.1	3.5	5.5	3.5
Public Administration and Safety	31.0	4.3	4.9	2.4	6.2
Education and Training	7.0	6.8	8.7	6.4	6.0
Healthcare and Social Assistance	27.3	8.5	13.2	6.6	14.6
Arts and Recreation Services	0.8	0.9	1.4	1.0	1.0
Other Services	8.6	3.4	4.7	2.9	3.9
Inadequately described	5.2	2.2	2.3	1.3	1.6
Not stated	3.2	5.1	1.3	1.4	0.8
Occupation (% of those working)					
Managers	2.2	10.0	13.6	10.8	8.6
Professionals	8.7	19.6	26.0	20.9	21.0
Technicians and Trades Workers	3.7	15.2	19.8	9.7	18.7
Community and Personal Service Workers	15.7	8.0	11.0	10.5	11.4
Clerical and Administrative Workers	5.7	7.8	11.7	13.4	11.1
Sales Workers	2.2	7.6	6.0	10.9	7.7
Machinery Operators and Drivers	3.1	11.1	3.6	4.4	8.2
Labourers	50.7	16.0	7.2	17.2	11.9
Not stated	7.9	4.9	1.2	2.1	1.4
Income (% of population aged 15 and over)					
Nil or negative income	6.7	10.9	8.0	26.4	6.7
\$1 - \$399 per week	75.4	47.2	38.2	31.2	44.5
\$400 - \$799 per week	8.7	19.2	23.2	22.5	22.0
\$800 - \$999 per week	1.5	4.3	7.3	6.4	7.8
\$1,000 - \$1,599 per week	2.2	6.3	11.6	6.7	10.1
More than \$1,600 per week	0.7	4.2	7.1	3.4	5.5
Not stated	4.7	7.9	4.6	3.4	3.4
Average Household Size (persons)	6	5	2	4	2

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	Language				
	Croatian	Spanish	Macedonian	Dutch	Greek
Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)					
Bachelor degree or higher	9.9	21.2	7.0	17.3	13.2
Advanced diploma/diploma	7.3	9.6	6.0	10.5	6.0
Certificate 3,4	18.0	14.5	12.8	16.3	12.0
Year 12 or equivalent	18.0	28.9	24.2	21.3	18.4
Less than 12 years of schooling	41.4	22.0	43.3	28.3	44.4
Education attainment Not stated	5.4	3.8	6.7	6.3	6.0
Unemployment rate (%)	3.2	5.7	3.1	3.1	3.3
Participation rate (%)	54.3	67.8	59.9	45.8	54.1
Industry (% of those working)					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	4.9	0.8	1.0	2.5	0.8
Mining	2.9	4.1	2.0	4.4	2.3
Manufacturing	12.1	11.5	11.2	9.5	6.8
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	1.2	0.9	1.9	1.1	1.0
Construction	12.6	9.4	9.4	10.5	9.5
Wholesale Trade	3.3	3.2	2.8	3.4	5.2
Retail Trade	10.4	8.3	12.6	8.3	14.8
Accommodation and Food Services	4.2	6.7	5.2	4.7	7.6
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	4.2	3.3	4.6	3.5	3.5
Information Media and Telecommunications	1.1	1.4	1.7	1.3	1.6
Financial and Insurance Services	2.5	1.9	3.8	2.4	3.6
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1.7	0.5	1.4	1.5	2.1
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	6.8	7.7	4.1	8.0	8.0
Administrative and Support Services	5.1	5.9	9.3	3.8	3.9
Public Administration and Safety	4.6	5.2	5.9	5.5	5.3
Education and Training	4.8	6.7	4.0	9.5	7.7
Healthcare and Social Assistance	8.4	13.5	9.5	13.8	7.9
Arts and Recreation Services	1.2	1.2	0.6	0.7	1.2
Other Services	4.0	4.1	3.8	3.1	3.9
Inadequately described	2.1	1.6	2.8	1.5	1.8
Not stated	2.0	2.2	2.4	1.0	1.7
Occupation (% of those working)					
Managers	11.9	7.7	8.7	15.4	16.2
Professionals	14.7	19.1	9.8	25.7	21.1
Technicians and Trades Workers	19.4	18.2	14.0	14.8	13.6
Community and Personal Service Workers	6.0	11.8	5.9	9.8	7.1
Clerical and Administrative Workers	12.1	11.2	12.9	13.9	14.4
Sales Workers	8.0	7.0	9.9	5.7	10.0
Machinery Operators and Drivers	7.8	6.4	10.3	4.6	4.9
Labourers	17.1	16.8	25.8	8.5	10.5
Not stated	2.8	1.9	2.8	1.5	2.1
Income (% of population aged 15 and over)					
Nil or negative income	6.4	10.1	7.5	6.2	6.2
\$1 - \$399 per week	44.1	35.3	40.6	44.8	42.3
\$400 - \$799 per week	20.5	25.5	26.5	20.9	21.9
\$800 - \$999 per week	7.3	7.8	7.8	5.5	7.1
\$1,000 - \$1,599 per week	11.1	10.5	9.1	10.5	11.0
More than \$1,600 per week	5.9	6.3	3.8	7.5	6.9
Not stated	4.7	4.4	4.7	4.6	4.5
Average Household Size (persons)	3	3	4	2	3

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	Language				
	French	Malay	Serbian	Afrikaans	Portuguese
Educational Attainment (% of population aged 15 and over)					
Bachelor degree or higher	27.2	15.8	12.4	30.5	12.1
Advanced diploma/diploma	10.9	8.9	11.1	14.8	5.1
Certificate 3,4	11.9	10.4	16.8	15.7	12.3
Year 12 or equivalent	26.6	28.3	29.7	26.6	19.0
Less than 12 years of schooling	18.3	30.6	26.1	10.6	46.0
Education attainment Not stated	5.0	6.0	3.9	1.7	5.4
Unemployment rate (%)	4.9	7.0	4.9	5.4	5.0
Participation rate (%)	64.2	58.5	60.6	76.6	61.1
Industry (% of those working)					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1.9	0.5	0.6	2.6	2.1
Mining	3.6	4.8	2.0	6.3	4.2
Manufacturing	8.4	15.9	13.7	9.8	15.6
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	0.9	1.3	0.8	2.1	0.5
Construction	5.4	3.4	9.9	8.1	10.7
Wholesale Trade	3.1	6.0	2.3	4.5	4.9
Retail Trade	8.8	8.8	9.2	7.0	10.2
Accommodation and Food Services	9.3	9.9	5.2	5.1	9.0
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	3.3	3.9	9.1	1.9	3.0
Information Media and Telecommunications	1.8	0.8	1.0	0.4	1.3
Financial and Insurance Services	2.7	2.8	1.8	2.2	2.2
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1.9	1.6	0.8	1.7	2.0
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	9.6	6.3	5.3	12.9	6.0
Administrative and Support Services	3.8	4.7	13.0	3.1	5.5
Public Administration and Safety	6.5	6.2	3.5	3.1	3.6
Education and Training	10.1	7.2	3.4	7.8	3.6
Healthcare and Social Assistance	12.2	8.9	9.6	14.2	6.5
Arts and Recreation Services	1.3	1.0	0.6	0.5	1.1
Other Services	2.4	2.3	3.0	3.3	3.0
Inadequately described	1.8	1.7	2.5	2.0	2.5
Not stated	1.2	2.1	2.7	1.1	2.4
Occupation (% of those working)					
Managers	12.2	5.9	5.0	13.0	9.0
Professionals	29.6	17.0	12.2	33.6	10.8
Technicians and Trades Workers	11.6	14.6	17.3	20.6	18.1
Community and Personal Service Workers	11.0	8.5	7.9	6.6	8.5
Clerical and Administrative Workers	13.6	12.7	7.3	12.2	11.7
Sales Workers	7.2	8.2	8.2	5.5	7.9
Machinery Operators and Drivers	4.0	9.1	11.7	2.5	9.0
Labourers	9.9	21.7	28.5	5.3	22.7
Not stated	0.9	2.4	2.0	0.9	2.2
Income (% of population aged 15 and over)					
Nil or negative income	10.3	18.3	7.8	16.3	9.3
\$1 - \$399 per week	34.6	33.0	45.4	17.8	38.5
\$400 - \$799 per week	22.8	25.9	23.1	18.5	26.2
\$800 - \$999 per week	8.7	6.8	6.5	8.6	6.5
\$1,000 - \$1,599 per week	11.9	8.1	9.3	18.8	9.8
More than \$1,600 per week	7.9	3.8	4.0	17.0	5.0
Not stated	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.0	4.7
Average Household Size (persons)	3	4	4	4	3