Lozells and East Handsworth

Lozells & East Handsworth Ward is situated in the west of the city. It has an age profile younger than the City average. The percentage of ethnic minority residents is above the city average. Worklessness and unemployment are well above the city average.

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DEMOGRAPHIC

Lozells and East Handsworth Ward Population by Age

Years of Age	Number of People	Percentage of Ward Population
0-4	2,861	10.2
5-15	5,434	19.4
16-17	1,029	3.7
18-19	1,197	4.3
20-24	2,865	10.2
25-44	7,831	28.0
45-59	3,081	11.0
60-74	2,689	9.6
75-84	784	2.8
85 and over	209	0.7
Total	27,980	100

Source: 2001 Census, Crown Copyright/BCC

Lozells and East Handsworth Ward Population by Ethnic Group

Ethnic Group	Number of People	Percentage of Ward Population
Asian	**16,190**	**56.2**
Asian - Bangladeshi	3,396	11.8
Asian – Indian	5,186	18.0
Asian – Pakistani	7,029	24.4
Black	**5,669**	**19.7**
Black – Caribbean	4,621	16.1
Chinese, other	**867**	**3.0**
White	**5,003**	**17.4**
White – British	4,218	14.7
White – Irish	478	1.7
Mixed Background	**1,062**	**3.7**

Source: 2001 Census, Crown Copyright/BCC

Lozells and East Handsworth Ward People with a Limiting Long-Term Illness

	Number of People	Percentage of Ward Population
People with a Limiting Long-Term Illness	5,609	19.5

Source: 2001 Census, Crown Copyright/BCC

Lozells and East Handsworth Ward Household Type

Household Type (excludes communal households)	Number of Households	Percentage of Households
Private households	9,713	-
Lone parent households*	1,369	31.3
Average persons per household	2.95	-

Source: 2001 Census, Crown Copyright/BCC

* percentage of households with dependent children that are lone parent households

Lozells and East Handsworth Ward Household Tenure

Household Tenure	Number of Households	Percentage of Households
Owner Occupier	4,377	45.0
Rented: local authority	1,405	14.4
Rented: housing association	2,499	25.7
Rented: privately	960	9.9

Source: 2001 Census, Crown Copyright/BCC

Lozells and East Handsworth Ward Car Ownership

Car Ownership	Number of Households	Percentage of Households
Households with no car	5,078	52.2
Households with 2 or more cars	941	9.7

Source: 2001 Census, Crown Copyright/BCC

EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

Lozells and East Handsworth Ward Economic Activity

Economic Activity (men aged 16-64 / women aged 16-59)	Number of People	Percentage of Ward Population
Economically Active	9,229	54.4
Economically Inactive	7,721	45.6
Employed	6,513	38.4
With No Qualifications	5,079	30.0

Source: 2001 Census, Crown Copyright/BCC

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Worklessness and Unemployment

Worklessness data is updated quarterly and unemployment data monthly. To ensure you have the most up-to-date figures please follow the link below, and select the Worklessness Briefing or Unemployment Briefing, which give data for all Birmingham wards:

www.birmingham.gov.uk/BirminghamEconomy

DEPRIVATION

Lozells & East Handsworth Ward Deprivation
Percentage of the ward population in the 5%, 10%, 20% and 40% most deprived SOAs in England

5%	10%	20%	40%
53%	90%	97%	100%

Source: Index of Deprivation 2010/Economic Strategy

TOP EMPLOYERS

Business	Number of employees	Nature of Business
City College Birmingham	450	Colleges and Universities
Minor Weir and Willis Ltd	220	Wholesalers of Fruits and Vegetables
Birmingham City Council	210	
Northern Birmingham Community Health N H S Trust	170	N H S Trust
Wolseley Plc	140	Metal Service Centres and pipe fittings
New Thandi Cars	80	Taxicab Operators
Drewmark Building Services Ltd.	80	Building Maintenance
Bangla Station Wholesale Ltd.	70	Wholesalers of Fish and Seafoods
Punch Taverns Plc	60	Drinking Places
Trade Master Property Services Ltd.	60	Cleaning/Maintenance Services to Buildings
New Testament Church of God	60	Religious Organisations
Whiting Holdings Ltd	60	Birmingham Owned
Handsworth Grammar School	60	Schools and Educational Services
Grove Primary School	60	Elementary & Secondary Schools
Grail & Preece Ltd.	50	Plumbing Heating and Air-Conditioning Contractors
Welford Junior & Infant School	50	Junior and Infant School
Anglesey Infants School	50	Schools - Local Authority
Olympic Leisurewear	40	Clothing Manufacturers
Westminster Primary School	40	Local Authority School.
Harambee Organisation Ltd.	30	Charitable Organisation
Green Infant School N C Wilkes	30	Local Authority School
Birmingham Action Community Trust	30	Charities and Voluntary Organisations
Holy Trinity Primary School	30	Elementary & Secondary Schools
The Salvation Army	30	Retail sale of clothing
R J Vickers & Son Ltd.	30	Hardware

Source: TBR Observatory 2011. Employment rounded to nearest 10

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