

Key Statistics

Brighton and Hove

Estimated resident population 1991	243,881*
Resident Population 2001	247,817
Number of households	114,479
Average household size	2.09
Area (hectares)	8,267
Density (residents/hectare)	30 per ha

* Office for National Statistics mid-year estimate for 1991. As the 1991 census did not count students at their term-time address it is not possible to directly compare the census counts for 1991 and 2001, so the census count for 2001 is compared with the mid-year estimate for 1991 which takes into account the student population in the city.

Statistics on Households

Household composition

One person households	44.5%
Married couple households	23.9%
Cohabiting couple households	11.6%
Lone parent households with dependent children	6.1%
Other	11.4%

Amenities

With central heating and sole use of bath/shower and toilet	88.6%
Without a car or van	36.5%
With two or more cars or vans	19.6%

Tenure

Owner occupied	61.7%
Rented from local authority	10.3%
Rented from private landlord	20.4%
Rented from housing association	4.4%
Other	3.2%

Household Size

Average number of people in household	2.09
Average number of rooms per household	4.7
Percentage of households overcrowded [#]	12.7%

Household Spaces

Total number of household spaces	118,953
Number of household spaces vacant	3,571 (3.0%)
Number of second/holiday homes	903 (0.8%)

Percentage of households with occupancy rating of -1 or less (overcrowding indicator)

Statistics on Resident Population

Sex

Males	48.4%
Females	51.6%

Age (%)

0-16	16.7%
16-74	74.4%
20-44	41.7%
60 and over	20.6%
85 and over	2.62%

Health

Limiting long term illness	18.1%
Percentage of population providing 20+ hours of unpaid care a week	2.6%

Economic Activity among 16-74 year olds

Economically active	67.8%
Employed	60%
Unemployed	3.6%
Retired	11.4%
Student	11.1%
Look after home/family	5.7%
Permanently sick/disabled	5.3%

Ethnicity

White	94.2%
Mixed	1.9%
Asian or Asian British	1.8%
Black or Black British	0.76%
Chinese	0.53%
Other	0.65%
Total non-white	5.8%

Education and qualifications

Number of full-time students aged 16-74	20,573
Percentage of residents 16-74 with no qualifications	22.10%
Percentage of residents 16-74 with a qualification from higher education	28.74%