



CITY OF KINGSTON and KINGSTON CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREA (CMA)

STATISTICAL PROFILE

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The term "Census" refers to the Census of Canada conducted by Statistics Canada every five years. The most recent Census was conducted on May 16, 2006. The Census is designed to provide information about people and housing units in Canada by their demographic, social and economic characteristics.

The Census information is collected either from 100% of the population or on a 20% sample basis (based from a random sample of one in five households) with the data weighted up to provide estimates for the entire population.

This document provides information for the City of Kingston and the Kingston Metropolitan Area (CMA), which includes City of Kingston, South Frontenac Township, Loyalist Township and Frontenac Islands Township.

Further information can be found at www.statcan.ca



Source: Statistics Canada, 2006

Provincial and National Rates of Growth from 2001 to 2006

Provincial Population Change = 6.6%

National Population Change = 5.4%

Population of City of Kingston and Kingston CMA, 100% data

	2001	2006	Absolute Change	% Change
City of Kingston	114,195	117,207	3,012	2.6
Kingston CMA	146,838	152,358	5,520	3.8

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2001 and 2006

Population Density and Land Area

City of Kingston	
Population density per square km	260.2
Land area (square km)	450.39
Kingston CMA	
Population density per square km	79.9
Land area (square km)	1,906.69

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006

Total Private Dwelling Counts, 100% data

	2001	2006	Absolute Change	% Change
City of Kingston	50,755	53,838	3083	6%
Kingston CMA	65,883	70,003	4120	6.2%

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2001 and 2006

Age and Sex Characteristics -100% Data

	City of Kingston			Kingston CMA		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total Population	117,207	56,525	60,685	152,360	74,175	78,185
0-4	5,605	2,890	2,715	7,275	3,785	3,495
5-9	5,870	2,995	2,880	7,880	4,025	3,850
10-14	7,010	3,575	3,435	9,445	4,845	4,595
15-19	7,785	3,930	3,885	10,180	5,175	5,005
20-24	9,515	4,655	4,860	11,200	5,510	5,690
25-29	8,215	4,095	4,120	9,780	4,845	4,930
30-34	6,955	3,540	3,420	8,890	4,495	4,395
35-39	7,620	3,795	3,825	10,020	4,985	5,030
40-44	9,260	4,615	4,640	12,350	6,120	6,230
45-49	9,070	4,315	4,775	12,140	5,830	6,310
50-54	8,255	3,955	4,300	11,165	5,405	5,760
55-59	7,545	3,560	3,985	10,490	5,045	5,440
60-64	5,980	2,820	3,155	8,185	3,965	4,220
65-69	4,775	2,275	2,500	6,420	3,155	3,260
70-74	4,440	1,975	2,460	5,690	2,595	3,100
75-79	3,865	1,640	2,220	4,760	2,100	2,665
80-84	3,105	1,155	1,945	3,665	1,390	2,270
85+	2,355	740	1,615	2,830	895	1,930

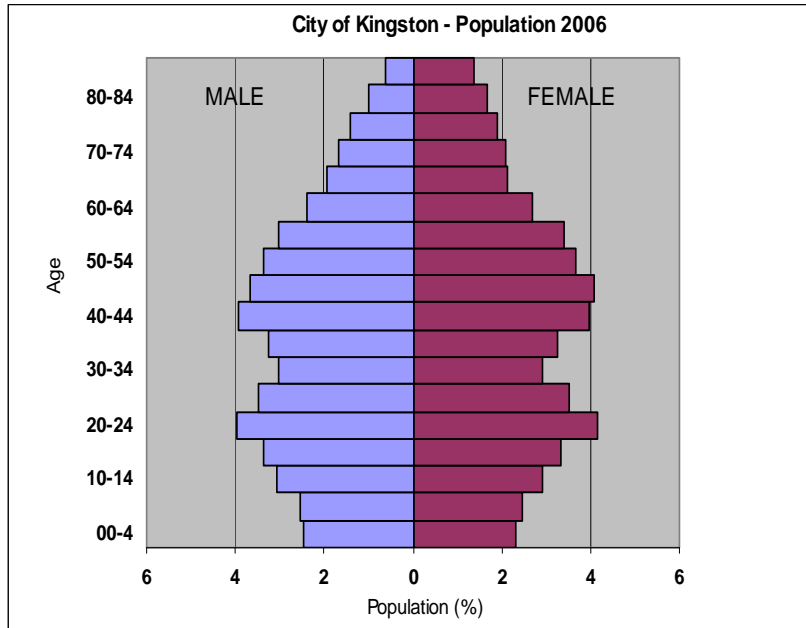
Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

The City of Kingston is quite diverse from an age and gender perspective. People between the ages of 20-24 is the largest age group, followed by the 40-44 age group.

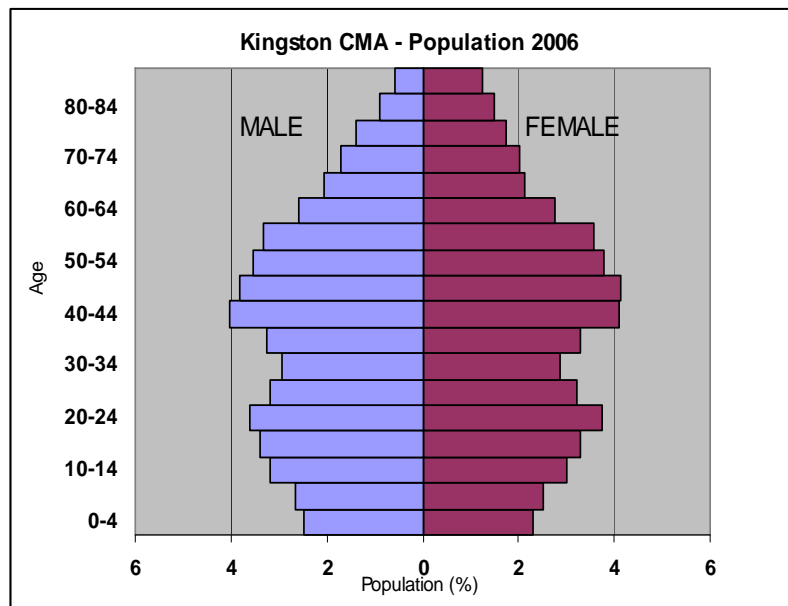
In the City of Kingston, the proportion of males to females is 40.2% (56,525) and 51.8% (60,685). In the Kingston CMA, the proportion of males to females is 48.7% (74,175) and 51.3% (78,185).

Population Pyramids (Percentage) – City of Kingston and Kingston CMA, 2006

City of Kingston Population (%)



Kingston CMA Population (%)



Percentages are rounded.
 Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

Households – 20% Sample Data

	City of Kingston		Kingston CMA	
Household Size	Number of Households	Percentage of Total	Number of Households	Percentage of Total
Total Households	48,925	100%	62,045	100%
One Person Households	14,900	30.4%	17,100	27.7%
Households containing a couple (married or common law with children)	12,070	24.7%	16,490	26.6%
Households containing a couple (married or common law without children)	14,040	28.7%	19,090	30.7%
Other household types*	7,915	16.2%	9,365	15%
Average No. of People Per Household	2.3	--	2.4	--

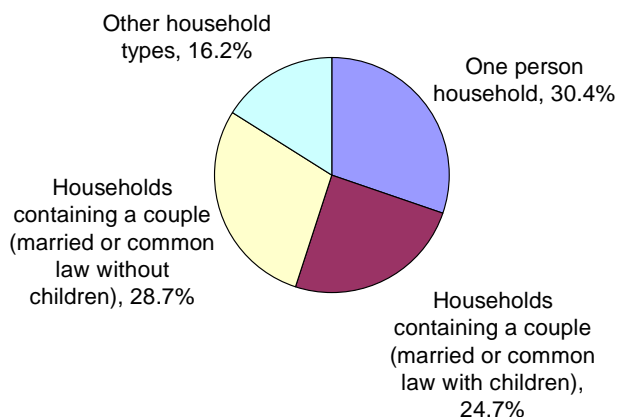
*Other household types include multiple-family households, lone parent family households and non-family households other than one person households.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

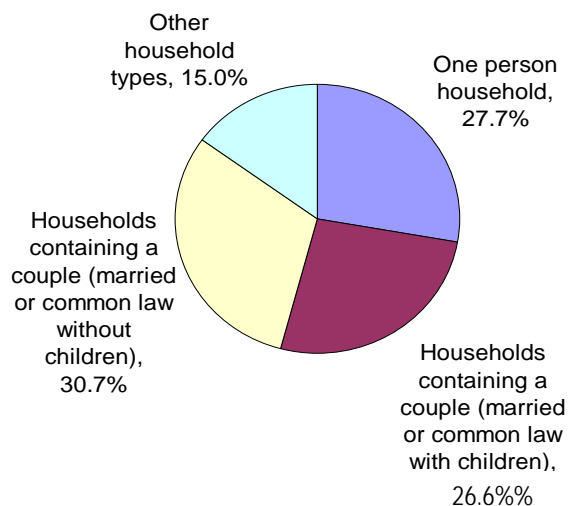
There are a total of 48,925 households within the City of Kingston, which is a 5% increase since 2001. In the Kingston CMA, there are a total of 62,045 households which is a 6.4% increase since 2001.

Household size in the City of Kingston and the Kingston CMA is slightly declining. The average household size in the City of Kingston is 2.3 people while the average household number in the Kingston CMA is 2.4. Since 2001, the average household size in Kingston and the CMA has decreased by 0.1%.

Household Size (City of Kingston)



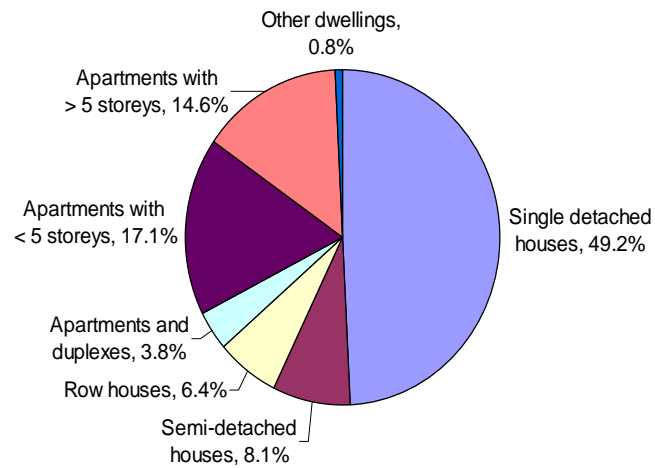
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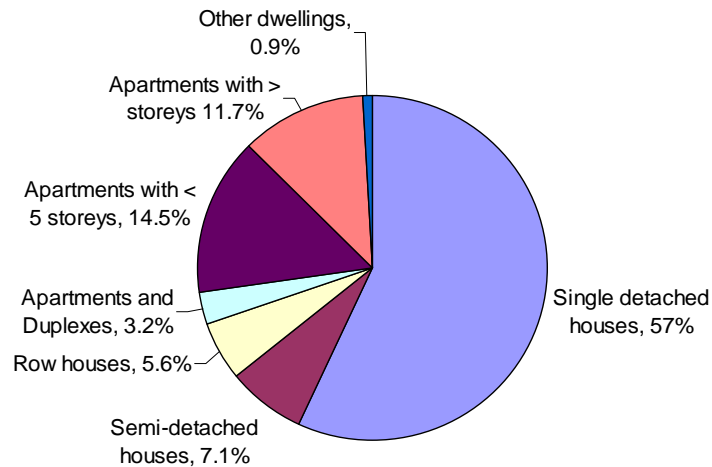
Occupied Dwellings – 20% Sample Data

In the City of Kingston, 49.2% (57% in the Kingston CMA) of households lived in single detached houses while the remainder chose higher density forms of housing such as semi-detached dwellings, town/row houses, and high-rise apartment complexes.

Families and Occupied Dwellings (City of Kingston)



Families and Occupied Dwellings (Kingston CMA)



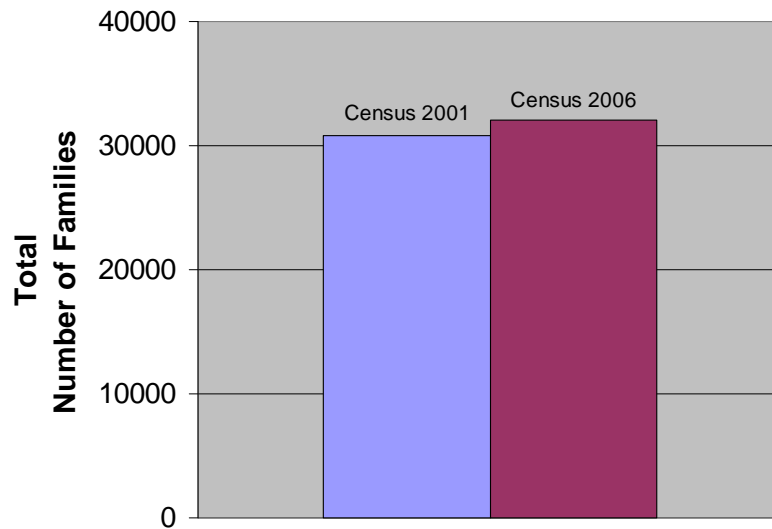
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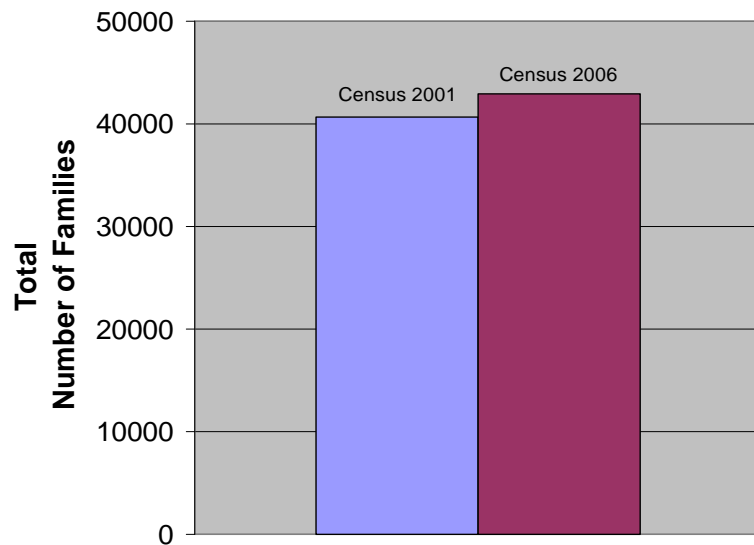
Families – 20% Sample Data

In 2006, there were 32,075 census families in the City of Kingston, representing a 4% increase over the 2001 data. In the Kingston CMA, there were 42,995 census families, representing a 5.7 increase over the 2001 data.

Family Characteristics - City of Kingston



Family Characteristics - Kingston CMA



Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2001 and 2006

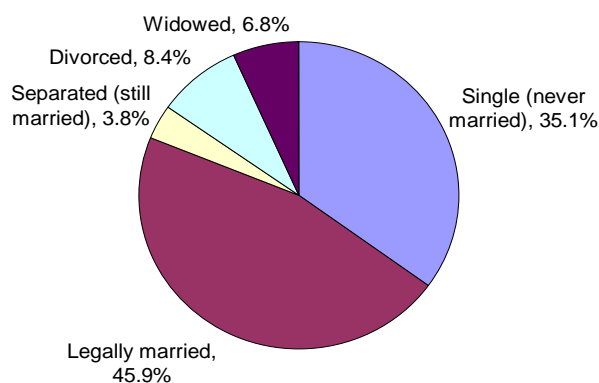
Marital Status – 100% Data

	City of Kingston			Kingston CMA		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total Population 15 years +	98,725	47,065	51,665	127,760	6,1520	66,238
Single (never married)	34,695 35.1%	18,210	16,485	42,030 32.9%	22,230	19,800
Legally Married (not separated)	45,295 45.9%	22,725	22,575	62,350 48.8%	31,270	31,080
Separated (still married)	3,705 3.8%	1,600	2,110	4,690 3.7%	2,105	2,585
Divorced	8,260 8.4%	3,300	4,965	10,300 8%	4,275	6,025
Widowed	6,760 6.8%	1,235	5,530	8,393 6.6%	1,645	6,750

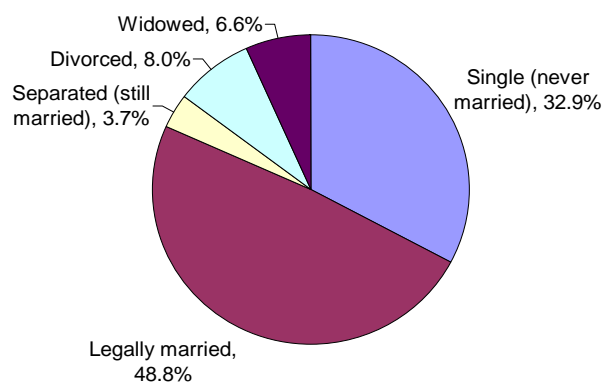
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Marital Status (City of Kingston)



Marital Status (Kingston CMA)



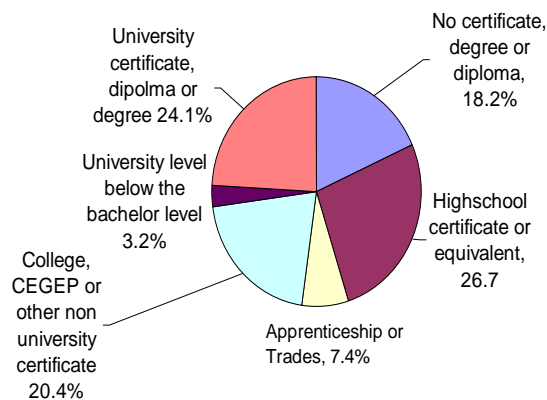
Married couples make up the largest group in the City of Kingston at 45.9 % and the Kingston CMA at 48.8% falling in this category.

Education Attainment – 20% Sample Data

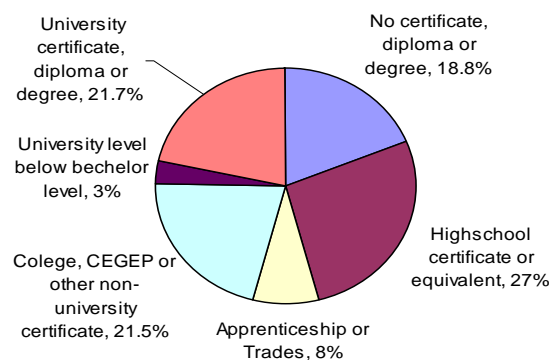
	City of Kingston		Kingston CMA	
Total Population 15 years and over	95,520	100%	123,845	100%
No certificate, diploma or degree	17,400	18.2%	23,235	18.8%
High school certificate or equivalent	25,440	26.7%	33,525	27%
Apprenticeship or trades certificate	7,095	7.4%	10,000	8%
College, CEGEP or non university certificate/diploma	19,480	20.4%	26,445	21.5%
University certificate or diploma below bachelor level	3,070	3.2%	3,760	3%
University certificate, diploma or degree	23,035	24.1%	26,875	21.7%

Percentages are rounded
 Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

Educational Attainment - City of Kingston



Educational Attainment - Kingston CMA



The City of Kingston and the Kingston CMA has a well educated population. Almost 50% of the population has a post secondary degree or certification.

Labour Force Activity – 20% Sample Data

	City of Kingston			Kingston CMA		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population 15 years and over	95,520	44,940	50,575	123,845	58,880	64,960
In the labour force	61,235	30,575	30,660	80,180	40,365	39,820
Employed	56,940	28,365	28,575	74,930	37,695	37,230
Unemployed	4,300	2,210	2,090	5,255	2,665	2,585
Not in the labour force	34,280	14,365	19,915	43,660	18,515	25,145
Employment Rate %	59.6	63.1	56.5	60.5	64	57.3
Unemployment Rate%	7.0	7.2	6.8	6.6	6.6	6.5

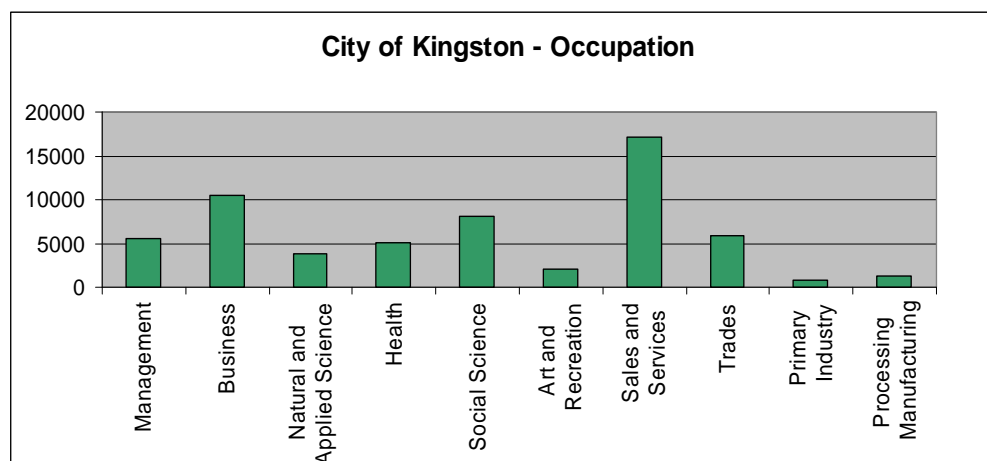
Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

Occupation – 20% Sample Data

	City of Kingston			Kingston CMA		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total labour force 15 years and over	60,310	30,100	30,205	79,035	39,785	39,250
Management	5,600	3,505	2,095	7,225	4,480	2,750
Business, finance and administration	10,435	2,810	7,630	13,575	3,515	10,055
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	3,735	2,975	775	4,760	3,795	965
Health occupations	5,090	1,235	3,850	6,420	1,445	4,970
Social science, education, government service and religion	8,170	3,365	4,805	9,860	3,990	5,875
Art, culture, recreation and sports	2,020	780	1,240	2,400	905	1,495
Sales and services	17,220	8,170	9,045	22,030	10,220	11,810
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	5,940	5,635	305	9,400	8,850	555
Primary industry	775	600	170	1,435	1,105	330
Processing, manufacturing and utilities	1,310	1,015	295	1,930	1,480	445

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

Of the total labour force 15 years and over, the majority number of people have sales and services occupations, followed by the second largest group which are the business, finance and administration occupations.



Industry – 20% Sample Data

	City of Kingston			Kingston CMA		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over	60,310	30,100	30,205	79,035	39,785	39,250
Agriculture and other resourced based industries	655	470	185	1,315	965	350
Construction industries	3,055	2,740	315	4,765	4,265	495
Manufacturing industries	2,845	2,275	570	4,305	3,445	855
Wholesale trade	1,210	935	270	1,815	1,360	450
Retail trade	7,330	3,270	4,055	9,700	4,430	5,275
Finance and real estate	2,990	1,375	1,615	3,855	1,665	2,190
Health care and social services	8,855	1,955	6,905	11,295	2,315	8,975
Education services	8,150	3,205	4,950	9,875	3,885	5,995
Business services	8,695	5,340	3,350	11,230	6,770	4,460
Other services	16,530	8,535	7,995	20,870	10,675	10,195

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

Health care and social services is the largest industry sector employing a total of 8,855 people in 2006 in the City of Kingston and 11,230 in the Kingston CMA.

Mode of Transportation to Work – 20% Sample Data

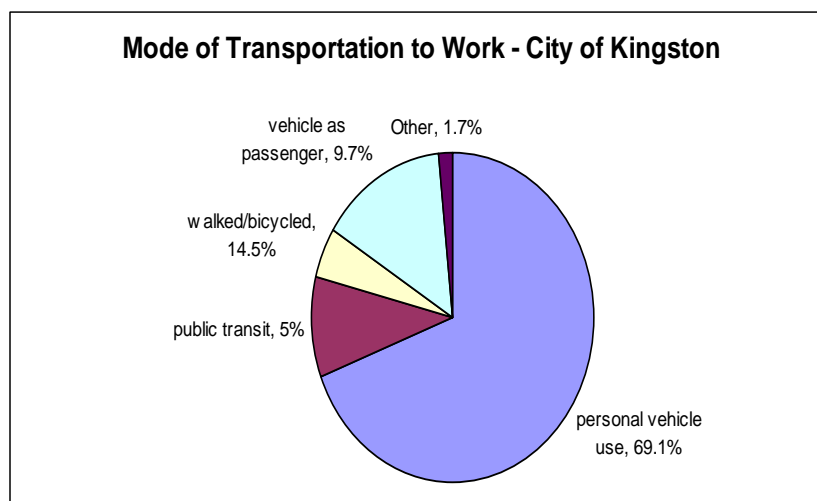
	City of Kingston			Kingston CMA		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total employed labour force 15 years and over with a usual place of work or no fixed workplace address	53,135	26,415	26,720	69,525	34,925	34,605
Car, truck, van, as driver	36,720 69.1%	19,115	17,605	50,850 73.1%	26,585	24,265
Car, truck van, as passenger	5,125 9.7%	1,815	3,305	6,445 9.27%	2,380	4,060
Public transit	2,685 5%	1,015	1,675	2,870 4.1%	1,085	1,785
Walked or bicycled	7,715 14.5%	4,070	3,645	8,350 12%	4,375	3,970
All other modes	885 1.7%	400	480	1,015 1.5%	495	520

* Percentages are rounded

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

- 69.1% of the working population 15 years and over in the City of Kingston (73.1% in the Kingston CMA) use their own vehicle as opposed to public transit, walking, bicycling and other modes of transportation. Almost 10% of the working population is also a passenger
- There is a 0.9% decrease in the use of a personal vehicle in the City of Kingston and Kingston CMA since 2001

Mode of Transportation to Work



Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

Ethnic Origin and Visible Minorities – 20% Sample Data

	Kingston, City			Kingston (CMA)		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population	114,050	54,395	59,650	148,475	71,525	76,945
Total visible minority population	8,150	3,865	4,285	8,600	4,120	4,480
Chinese	2,365	1,055	1,315	2,470	1,105	1,365
South Asian	1,720	855	860	1,785	905	885
Black	1,030	535	490	1,165	625	545
Filipino	445	200	250	485	215	270
Latin American	710	300	410	740	315	425
Southeast Asian	310	165	150	330	170	155
Arab	365	190	175	365	195	175
West Asian	280	135	140	280	135	140
Korean	310	150	160	330	160	170
Japanese	245	90	150	255	100	155
Visible minority, i.e.	150	75	80	170	85	85
Multiple visible minority	210	110	95	215	115	100
Not a visible minority	105,895	50,530	55,360	139,870	67,405	72,470

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006

The largest visible minority group for both the City of Kingston and the Kingston CMA is the people of Chinese descent followed by South Asian descent.

Income

Average Income – City of Kingston
 2005 \$36,344
 2000 \$30,595

Average Income – Kingston CMA
 2005 \$36,836
 2000 \$30,374

Source: Statistics Canada, Census 2006