# **Bordesley Green Ward Factsheet**



Bordesley Green Ward is an inner city ward located to the south east of the city centre. It has a population of 12,988 making it the 35<sup>th</sup> most populous ward in the city.

The ward has a younger age profile than the city as a whole and has a higher BAME population share.

Bordesley Green is amongst the most deprived wards in the city and has the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest share of working age residents with no qualifications out of the city's 69 wards.

Resident employment rates in the ward are much lower than the city average and claimant count unemployment proportions are well above the Birmingham average.



Ward Rank

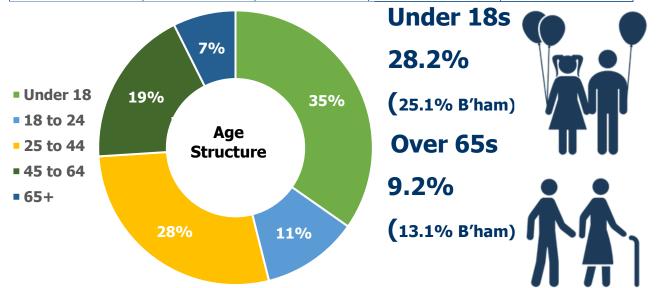
Population	Population	39
<b>12,988</b> Employment Rate	Employment Rate	64
<b>42.5%</b> NVQ4+	No Qualifications Rate	2
Qualifications <b>18.2%</b>	Index of Deprivation	2



# Demography

# Table 1: Ward Age Structure

Age	Ward N°	% of Ward Population	Birmingham %	England %
All Residents	12,988		-	-
16-64	8,077	62.2%	64.6%	63.0%
Under 18	4,509	34.7%	25.1%	20.8%
18-24	1,476	11.4%	11.5%	8.3%
25-44	3,625	27.9%	28.1%	26.6%
45-64	2,419	18.6%	22.1%	25.8%
65+	959	7.4%	13.1%	18.4%



#### Table 2: Ward Ethnicity

Ethnic Group	Ward N <sup>o</sup>	% of Ward Population	Birmingham %	England %
All Residents	12,997		-	-
BAME Total	11,841	91.1%	51.4%	19.0%
Bangladeshi	2,007	15.4%	4.2%	1.1%
Chinese	15	0.1%	1.1%	0.8%
Indian	178	1.4%	5.8%	3.3%
Pakistani	5,233	40.3%	17.0%	2.8%
Black African	1,863	14.3%	5.8%	2.6%
Black Caribbean	366	2.8%	3.9%	1.1%
Mixed or Multiple Ethnic Groups	453	3.5%	4.8%	3.0%
Other Ethnic Group	1,058	8.1%	4.5%	2.2%
White	1,156	8.9%	48.6%	81.0%

# Labour Market

Economic Activity	Ward N°	% 16-64	Birmingham %	England %
16-64 Population	8,076	_	-	-
Economically Active Total	4,084	50.6%	64.9%	71.0%
Employed	3,430	42.5%	57.9%	71.0%
Unemployed	654	8.1%	7.0%	0.0%
Economically inactive Total	3,992	49.4%	35.1%	24.6%

#### Table 3: Ward Working Age Economic Activity

# **Claimant Count Unemployment**

Ward level claimant count and youth claimant count unemployment data is released monthly. The latest data can be found in our monthly Unemployment Update available on our website on the following link: Link to Monthly Unemployment Update

#### Table 4: Ward Occupational Breakdown

Occupation	Ward Nº	% of Employed Residents	Birmingham %	England %
All Employed 16+	3,488	-	-	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	171	4.9%	9.3%	12.9%
Professional occupations	388	11.1%	21.1%	20.3%
Associate professional and technical occupations	224	6.4%	11.3%	13.3%
Higher Skilled Occupations	783	22.4%	41.7%	46.4%
Administrative and secretarial occupations	266	7.6%	9.3%	9.3%
Skilled trades occupations	314	9.0%	8.3%	10.2%
Intermediate Occupations	580	16.6%	17.6%	19.4%
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	390	11.2%	10.3%	9.3%
Sales and customer service occupations	401	11.5%	8.2%	7.5%
Process plant and machine operatives	501	14.4%	8.7%	6.9%
Elementary occupations	833	23.9%	13.4%	10.5%
Lower Skilled Occupations	2,125	60.9%	40.7%	34.1%



Higher Skilled 22.4%



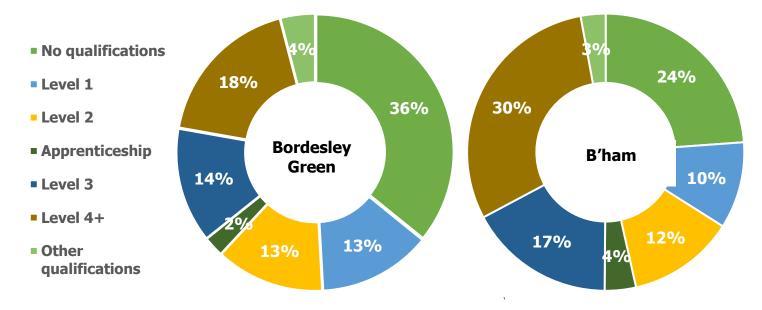


Intermediate Skills Lower Skilled 16.6%

60.9%

NVQ Level	Ward Nº	% of 16+ Population	Birmingham %	England %
No Qualifications	3,238	35.8%	23.9%	18.1%
Level 1	1,201	13.3%	10.1%	9.7%
Level 2	1,155	12.8%	12.5%	13.3%
Apprenticeship	215	2.4%	3.6%	5.3%
Level 3	1,221	13.5%	17.1%	16.9%
Level 4 qualifications	1,642	18.2%	29.9%	33.9%
Other Qualifications	365	4.0%	2.9%	2.8%

#### Table 5: Ward NVQ Qualification Levels



## Table 6: Ward Disability & Long Term Health Conditions Working Age

Level	Ward N <sup>o</sup>	%	Birmingham %	England %
Disabled	1,305	15.7%	16.1%	15.0%
Long Term Health Condition -not Disabled	291	3.5%	5.8%	7.5%
Total Disabled & Long Term Health Condition	1,596	19.2%	21.8%	22.6%
Not Disabled & No Long Term Health Conditions	6,698	80.8%	78.2%	77.4%

# Table 7: Ward Language Barriers Aged 16+

Proficiency in English	Ward Nº	% 16+	Birmingham %	England %
Main language is English	5,723	63.3%	82.7%	90.1%
Main language is not English Total	3,312	36.7%	17.3%	9.9%
Main language is not English- Can speak English very well or well	1,925	21.3%	11.9%	7.9%
Main language is not English- Cannot speak English or speak English well	1,387	15.4%	5.4%	2.1%

# Deprivation

## Table 8: 2019 Index of Deprivation Birmingham Wards Ranked

Ward	2019 Ward Rank	2015 Ward Rank	Change in	2019 Decile (where 1 is 10% Most Deprived Nationally)
Sparkbrook & Balsall Heath East	1	2	1	1
Bordesley Green	2	4	2	1
Lozells	3	3	-	1
Castle Vale	4	18	14	1
Alum Rock	5	5	-	1
Newtown	6	1	-5	1
Heartlands	7	9	2	1
Gravelly Hill	8	10	2	1
Balsall Heath West	9	6	-3	1
Birchfield	10	7	-3	1
Shard End	11	12	1	1
Kingstanding	12	16	4	1
Garretts Green	13	14	1	1
Aston	14	11	-3	1
Glebe Farm & Tile Cross	15	17	2	1
Handsworth	16	20	4	1
Kings Norton South	17	13	-4	1
Ward End	18	21	3	1
Bordesley & Highgate	19	15	-4	1
Tyseley & Hay Mills	20	22	2	1
Small Heath	21	19	-2	1
Frankley Great Park	22	24	2	1
Holyhead	23	23	-	1
Nechells	24	8	-16	1
Druids Heath & Monyhull	25	27	2	1
Stockland Green	26	28	2	1
Yardley West & Stechford	27	26	-1	1
Perry Common	28	29	1	2
Soho & Jewellery Quarter	29	25	-4	2
Sparkhill	30	30	-	2
Bartley Green	31	31	-	2
Allens Cross	32	35	3	2
Bromford & Hodge Hill	33	33	-	2
Billesley	34	37	3	2
Weoley & Selly Oak	35	41	6	2
Acocks Green	36	34	-2	2
Rubery & Rednal	37	40	3	2
Erdington	38	36	-2	3

Pype Hayes	39	39	-	2
Longbridge & West Heath	40	42	2	2
North Edgbaston	41	38	-3	2
Ladywood	42	32	-10	2
Moseley	43	44	1	2
Kings Norton North	44	46	2	2
Sheldon	45	52	7	3
Stirchley	46	50	4	3
Highter's Heath	47	47	-	3
South Yardley	48	45	-3	3
Yardley East	49	43	-6	3
Hall Green North	50	49	-1	3
Quinton	51	51	-	3
Oscott	52	53	1	3
Brandwood & King's Heath	53	54	1	3
Handsworth Wood	54	48	-6	3
Harborne	55	55	-	3
Perry Barr	56	58	2	4
Bournville & Cotteridge	57	56	-1	4
Sutton Reddicap	58	60	2	4
Northfield	59	57	-2	4
Bournbrook & Selly Park	60	61	1	5
Edgbaston	61	59	-2	5
Hall Green South	62	62	-	6
Sutton Trinity	63	63	-	6
Sutton Walmley & Minworth	64	64	-	7
Sutton Vesey	65	65	-	7
Sutton Mere Green	66	66	-	7
Sutton Wylde Green	67	68	1	7
Sutton Four Oaks	68	67	-1	8
Sutton Roughley	69	69	-	9

# **Child Poverty**

Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) data on the number and proportion of children living in low income families provide an indication of the number of children living in poverty in each ward of the city. Low income families are defined as those whose household income is less than 60% of average household income. Only families who have claimed Child Benefit and at least one other household benefit are included in the statistics.

In 2021/22 there were 3,060 children living in low income households in Bordesley Green, 61.5% of all children in the ward, meaning the ward is ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in the city in terms of the levels of child poverty.



# **Economic Output**

New experimental data from the ONS provides Gross Value Added (GVA) a measure of economic output at LSOA level. Ward economic output has been calculated using an LSOA best fit approach. Total economic output in Bordesley Green stood at £111m in 2020 (latest data available) and GVA per head was £8,639. Bordesley Green has the  $51^{st}$ largest ward economy in the city in terms of GVA.



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