

# Town profile

# Beccles

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Population  
10,123



Dwellings  
4,789



Area  
8 km<sup>2</sup>

## Typical Home



Terraced



3 bedrooms



2 people

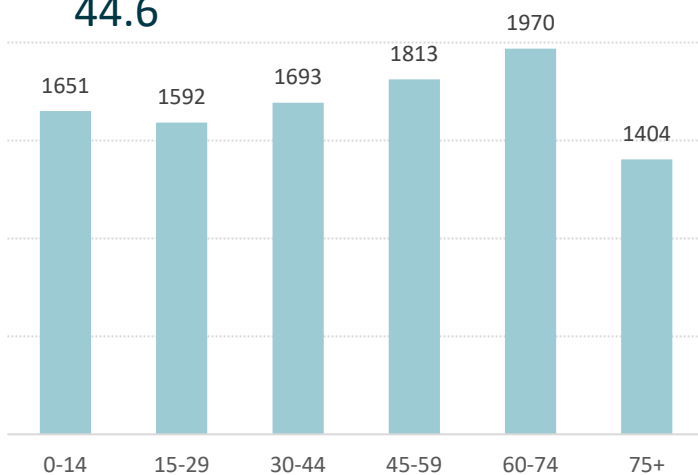


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## Age

Average Age:

44.6



## Ethnicity

Ethnicity Broad Bands	Population
White	98%
Mixed	1%
Asian	1%
Black	0%
Other	0%

## Gender



4,822  
Males



5,301  
Females



## Households

## House types and new homes



Detached	1,385
Semi-detached	1,474
Terraced	1,569
Flats	336



Total number of new homes  
2008/09 to 2018/19

## Tenure

Tenure	Amount
Owned: outright	1,791
Owned: with mortgage or loan	1,147
Shared Ownership	45
Social rented: from council	489
Social rented: other	308
Private rented: from landlord or letting agency	702
Private rented: other	55
Living rent free	65

## People per household

People per household	Households
One person	1,503
Two people	1,802
Three people	605
Four people	476
Five people	153
Six people	46
Seven people	12
Eight or more people	5

## Employment

## Socio-economic Classification

Socio-economic Classification	Residents
Lower managerial, administrative and professional occupations	1,247
Small employers and own account workers	659
Semi-routine occupations	1,438
Higher managerial and professional occupations	425
Routine occupations	1,042
Intermediate occupations	839
Occupations status not classified	360
Lower supervisory and technical	710
Never worked or are long-term unemployed	116

## Working Age population



Males  
16-64  
2,792



Females  
16-64  
2,925

## Distance travelled for work

Distance travelled for work	Residents
Less than 10km	1,920
10km to less than 30km	1,238
30km and over	358
Other	346
Working from home	444

## Dependent children



2,012

families with dependent children

## Occupancy of bedrooms

Number of bedrooms	Households
2+ bedrooms more than required	37%
1 bedroom more than required	39%
Have the number of bedrooms required	21%
1 bedroom fewer than required	2%
2+ bedrooms fewer than required	0%

## Education

## Highest qualification level

Highest Qualification Level	Residents
Level 1	1,176
Level 2	1,317
Apprenticeship	438
Level 3	940
Level 4+	1,594
No qualifications	2,500

## Sources

Data sourced from Suffolk Observatory (Census 2011) except East Suffolk Council - area, new homes.

Please note - data from the 2011 Census was produced by the Office for National Statistics using a 'best-fit' method.

Consequently, the data does not necessarily map exactly to parish boundaries. Figures may not tally due to rounding.

This village profile contains a selection of data available for Parish and Towns in the District as of October 2019. Whilst every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of data it cannot be guaranteed free of errors.

## Health

## General health

Health	Residents
Very good health	4,106
Good health	3,637
Fair health	1,712
Bad health	518
Very bad health	150

## Long-term health problem or disability

Day-to-day activity limited	Residents
Not Limited	7,728
Limited a little	1,296
Limited a lot	1,099

## Transport



5175 Cars

1.08 Cars per dwelling

Includes vans but excludes motorcycles or scooters

Cars	Dwellings
No cars	1,054
1 car	2,261
2 cars	1,037
3 cars	190
4+ cars	60

## East Suffolk Neighbourhood Planning

[www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/neighbourhoodplanning](http://www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/neighbourhoodplanning)

## Census data

[www.suffolkobservatory.info](http://www.suffolkobservatory.info) | [www.nomisweb.co.uk](http://www.nomisweb.co.uk)

## East Suffolk Open Data

<http://data-eastsuffolk.opendata.arcgis.com>

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