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About this profile

The Inner South East Partnership in Community and Health (ISEPICH) is an alliance of about fifty health and community support agencies in the municipalities of Port Phillip, Stonnington and Glen Eira. For more information about ISEPICH please visit the website www.isepich.org

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Indigenous persons

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According to the *ISIS Primary Care Brimbank Databook (2006)*:

It is widely agreed those identifying as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (ATSI) are undercounted due to reasons for not wishing to disclose indigenous status. According to the 'Victorian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Communities HACC Needs Analysis 2003-2006', it is likely that the Census undercounts indigenous status by 50% to 100%.

Please note also that the St Kilda area is a traditional gathering ground for Indigenous people and that the population figures shown below may therefore underestimate the total number of Indigenous people who regularly visit the area or have ties to the area.

According to the Australian Bureau of Statistics Key Statistics¹ (based on enumerated data, that is information collected on Census night 2006), in the City of Port Phillip there were 235 people identifying as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, a decrease of 24 from 2001. The male Indigenous population represented 23 percent of the total Southern Metropolitan Region catchment and 6 percent of the total male catchment population; the female Indigenous population represented 23 percent and 5 percent respectively.

In the City of Stonnington, there were 167 people identifying as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, an increase of 20 from 2001. The male Indigenous population represented 15% of the Southern Metropolitan Region catchment and 4 percent of the total male catchment population; the female Indigenous population represented 18% and 4 percent.

In the City of Glen Eira, there were 167 people identifying as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, a decrease of 29 from 2001. Both Stonnington (0.2%) and Glen Eira (0.1%) have lower representation of Indigenous residents compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division (0.4%).

Tables 1-3 below show Indigenous persons by age and sex in the three municipalities. These figures are from Basic Community Profiles from the 2006 Census and are based on place of usual residence. They differ slightly from the enumerated Census figures.

Table 1 Indigenous persons by age and sex, Port Phillip, 2006

Source: figures in this table are derived from AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing, Basic Community Profile Port Phillip (C) (LGA 25900) Tables B07 and B04

Age groups	City of Port Phillip - Indigenous persons			City of Port Phillip - total population
	Males	Females	Persons	Persons
Total 0-14 years	14 (11%)	12 (11%)	26 (11%)	8421 (10%)
Total 15-24	16 (13%)	14 (12%)	30 (13%)	9428 (11%)
Total 25-54	78 (63%)	68 (60%)	146 (62%)	50364 (59%)
Total 55 and over ²	15 (12%)	19 (17%)	34 (14%)	16884 (20%)
Total	123 (100%)	113 (100%)	236 (100%)	85097 (100%)

¹ Full copies of the Australian Bureau of Statistics Key Statistics data for the three LGAs of Port Phillip, Stonnington and Glen Eira are included in part 1 of this profile.

² In this profile the following age groups are used for comparison purposes: 0-14 years, 15-24 years, 25-54 years, 55-74 years and 75 years and over. However the ABS data does not show 5 year age groups over 65 years for Indigenous persons so it is not possible to compare those aged 75 and over.

Table 2 Indigenous persons by age and sex, Stonnington, 2006

Source: figures in this table are derived from AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing Basic Community Profile Stonnington (C) (LGA 26350) Table B07

	City of Stonnington - Indigenous persons			City of Stonnington – total population
	Males	Females	Persons	Persons
Total 0-14 years	12 (16%)	26 (28%)	39 (23%)	11981 (13%)
Total 15-24 years	11 (14%)	15 (16%)	26 (15%)	13021 (14%)
Total 25-54 years	48 (62%)	43 (46%)	91 (54%)	42590 (47%)
Total 55 years and over	6 (8%)	9 (10%)	15 (8%)	22291 (25%)
Total	77 (100%)	93 (100%)	170 (100%)	89,883 (100%)

Table 3 Indigenous persons by age and sex, Glen Eira, 2006

Source: figures in this table are derived from AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing Basic Community Profile Glen Eira (C) (LGA 22310) Tables B07 and B04

	City of Gen Eira Indigenous persons			City of Glen Eira - total population
	Males	Females	Persons	Persons
Total 0-14 years	18 (20%)	17 (21%)	35 (21%)	21,706 (17%)
Total 15-24	7 (8%)	17 (21%)	24 (14%)	15501 (12%)
Total 25-54 years	49 (56%)	33 (40%)	82 (48%)	54959 (44%)
Total 55 years and over	14 (16%)	15 (18%)	29 (17%)	31918 (26%)
Total	88 (100%)	82 (100%)	170 (100%)	124084 (100%)

As shown in Tables 1-3, the proportion of people aged 55 years and over in the Indigenous population is considerably lower than in the total population, in all three municipalities. This may reflect the lower life expectancy in Indigenous populations in Australia.

Table 4 Selected medians and averages by Indigenous status, Port Phillip, 2006

Source: AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing Port Phillip (C) (ILOO 0700103) Indigenous profile Table 104 Based on place of usual residence

	Indigenous persons/ households with Indigenous persons(a)	Non-Indigenous persons(b)/ other households	Total
Median age of persons	34	35	35
Median individual income (\$/weekly)	355	770	769
Median household income (\$/weekly)	771	1,194	1,193
Median housing loan repayment (\$/monthly)	1,707	1,755	1,754
Median rent (\$/weekly)	220	250	250
Average number of persons per bedroom	1.1	1.1	1.1
Average household size	1.9	1.9	1.9

Notes:

(a) A household with Indigenous person(s) is any household that had at least one person of any age as a resident at the time of the Census who identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin.

(b) Includes persons who did not state their Indigenous status.

Table 5 Selected medians and averages by Indigenous status, Stonnington, 2006

Source: AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing Stonnington (C) (ILOC 0700505) Indigenous profile Table 104 Based on place of usual residence

	Indigenous persons/ households with Indigenous persons(a)	Non-Indigenous persons(b)/ other households	Total
Median age of persons	28	36	36
Median individual income (\$/weekly)	571	726	726
Median household income (\$/weekly)	1,133	1,348	1,346
Median housing loan repayment (\$/monthly)	1,563	1,950	1,950
Median rent (\$/weekly)	277	245	245
Average number of persons per bedroom	1.2	1.1	1.1
Average household size	2.2	2.2	2.2

Table 6 Selected medians and averages by Indigenous status, Glen Eira, 2006

Source: AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing Glen Eira (C) (ILOC 0700503) Indigenous Profile Table 104 (based on place of usual residence)

	Indigenous persons/ households with Indigenous persons(a)	Non-Indigenous persons(b)/ other households	Total
Median age of persons	31	38	38
Median individual income (\$/weekly)	390	547	547
Median household income (\$/weekly)	877	1,112	1,111
Median housing loan repayment (\$/monthly)	1,326	1,600	1,600
Median rent (\$/weekly)	240	220	220
Average number of persons per bedroom	1.2	1.1	1.1
Average household size	2.3	2.4	2.4

The most significant difference between Indigenous and non-Indigenous people shown in Tables 4-6 is that both the individual and household incomes of Indigenous persons in all three municipalities are lower than in the non-Indigenous population.

Countries of birth

Tables 7-9 below show the top ten overseas birthplaces for residents of Port Phillip, Stonnington and Glen Eira (based on enumerated data). In considering this data it should be noted that there was significant immigration to this area from countries of the former USSR and the former Yugoslavia in the late twentieth century, however this is not fully reflected in the individual country of birth data. Fuller details of countries of birth are included in Appendix 1.

Table 7 Top ten countries of birth, Port Phillip, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Country of Birth top 10 overseas birthplaces ranked for 2006 (persons)	City of Port Phillip						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
Enumerated data	number	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL % DIVISION %	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL % DIVISION %	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL % DIVISION %	
United Kingdom	4,621	5.4	4.3	4,285	5.5	4.7	336
New Zealand	2,337	2.7	1.5	2,125	2.7	1.4	212
Greece	1,392	1.6	1.5	1,527	2.0	1.7	-135
India	969	1.1	1.4	557	0.7	0.9	412
China	817	1.0	1.5	719	0.9	1.1	98
Poland	718	0.8	0.5	871	1.1	0.5	-153
United States of America	695	0.8	0.3	627	0.8	0.3	68
Indonesia	635	0.7	0.3	598	0.8	0.3	37
Germany	611	0.7	0.6	581	0.7	0.7	30
Ukraine	593	0.7	0.1	708	0.9	0.2	-115
Non-English speaking backgrounds	14,087	16.6	22.0	14,185	18.1	21.3	-98
Main English speaking countries	8,970	10.6	7.0	8,146	10.4	7.2	824
TOTAL OVERSEAS BORN	23,057	27.1	29.0	22,331	28.5	28.6	726
AUSTRALIA	50,177	59.0	64.2	47,815	61.1	65.7	2,362
NOT STATED	11,778	13.9	6.9	8,081	10.3	5.7	3,697
Total	85,012	100.0	100.0	78,227	100.0	100.0	6,785

Analysis of the country of birth of the population in the City of Port Phillip in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a smaller proportion of people born overseas as well as a smaller proportion of people from a non-English speaking background.

Overall, 27.1% of the population was born overseas, and 16.6% were from a non-English speaking background, compared with 29.0% and 22.0% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division. The largest single non-English speaking country of birth in Port Phillip was Greece, where 1.6% of the population, or 1,392 people, were born. There were larger populations born in Poland and the Ukraine in Port Phillip as compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division.

The largest changes in birthplace countries of the population in this area between 2001 and 2006 were for those born in:

- India (+412 persons);
- United Kingdom (+336 persons);
- New Zealand (+212 persons), and;
- Poland (-153 persons).

Table 8 Top ten countries of birth, Stonnington, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Country of Birth top 10 overseas birthplaces ranked for 2006 (persons)	City of Stonnington						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	
United Kingdom	3,619	4.1	4.3	3,733	4.3	4.7	-114
New Zealand	1,892	2.1	1.5	1,907	2.2	1.4	-15
Greece	1,868	2.1	1.5	2,123	2.5	1.7	-255
China	1,725	1.9	1.5	885	1.0	1.1	840
India	1,539	1.7	1.4	750	0.9	0.9	789
Malaysia	967	1.1	0.8	907	1.1	0.7	60
Indonesia	751	0.8	0.3	1,044	1.2	0.3	-293
Italy	694	0.8	2.1	692	0.8	2.4	2
United States of America	637	0.7	0.3	622	0.7	0.3	15
Poland	616	0.7	0.5	647	0.8	0.5	-31
Non-English speaking backgrounds	16,995	19.1	22.0	15,656	18.2	21.3	1,339
Main English speaking countries	7,259	8.2	7.0	7,336	8.5	7.2	-77
TOTAL OVERSEAS BORN	24,254	27.3	29.0	22,992	26.7	28.6	1,262
AUSTRALIA	56,246	63.2	64.2	56,527	65.7	65.7	-281
NOT STATED	8,476	9.5	6.9	6,571	7.6	5.7	1,905
Total	88,976	100.0	100.0	86,090	100.0	100.0	2,886

Analysis of the country of birth of the population in Stonnington compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a smaller proportion of people born overseas as well as a smaller proportion of people from a non-English speaking background.

Overall, 27.3% of the population was born overseas, and 19.1% were from a non-English speaking background, compared with 29.0% and 22.0% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division. The largest non-English speaking country of birth in Stonnington was Greece, where 2.1% of the population, or 1,868 people, were born.

The largest changes in birthplace countries of the population in this area between 2001 and 2006 were for those born in:

- China (+840 persons);
- India (+789 persons);
- Indonesia (-293 persons); and
- Greece (-255 persons).

Table 9 Top ten countries of birth, Glen Eira, 2006

Country of Birth top 10 overseas birthplaces ranked for 2006 (persons)	City of Glen Eira						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	Melbourne Statistical Division %	number	%	Melbourne Statistical Division %	
United Kingdom	4,256	3.5	4.3	4,594	3.9	4.7	-338
China	2,787	2.3	1.5	1,604	1.4	1.1	1,183
India	2,727	2.2	1.4	1,502	1.3	0.9	1,225
South Africa	2,514	2.1	0.5	1,967	1.7	0.4	547
Greece	2,389	2.0	1.5	2,519	2.1	1.7	-130
Poland	2,070	1.7	0.5	2,476	2.1	0.5	-406
Russian Federation	1,658	1.4	0.2	1,907	1.6	0.2	-249
New Zealand	1,616	1.3	1.5	1,636	1.4	1.4	-20
Israel	1,606	1.3	0.1	1,292	1.1	0.1	314
Ukraine	1,474	1.2	0.1	1,402	1.2	0.2	72
Non-English speaking backgrounds	29,436	24.1	22.0	27,631	23.6	21.3	1,805
Main English speaking countries	9,572	7.8	7.0	9,305	7.9	7.2	267
TOTAL OVERSEAS BORN	39,008	32.0	29.0	36,936	31.5	28.6	2,072
AUSTRALIA	74,087	60.7	64.2	73,401	62.6	65.7	686
NOT STATED	8,973	7.4	6.9	6,862	5.9	5.7	2,111
Total	122,068	100.0	100.0	117,199	100.0	100.0	4,869

Analysis of the country of birth of the population in the City of Glen Eira in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a larger proportion of people born overseas as well as a larger proportion of people from a non-English speaking background. Overall, 32.0% of the population was born overseas, and 24.1% were from a non-English speaking background, compared with 29.0% and 22.0% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

The largest non-English speaking country of birth in the City of Glen Eira was China, where 2.3% of the population, or 2,787 people, were born. The major differences between the top ten countries of birth of the population in the City of Glen Eira and the Melbourne Statistical Division were:

- A larger percentage of people born in South Africa (2.1% compared to 0.5%)
- A larger proportion born in Israel (1.3% compared to 0.1%)
- A larger proportion born in the Ukraine (1.2% compared to 0.1%)

The largest changes in birthplace countries of the population in this area between 2001 and 2006 were for those born in:

- India (+1,225 persons);
- China (+1,183 persons);
- South Africa (+547 persons), and;
- Poland (-406 persons).

Country of birth by age

Please note that the figures in tables 10-12 below are derived from the Australian Bureau of Statistics Expanded Community Profiles, based on the most common 50 countries of birth and place of usual residence, and may not equate exactly with enumerated data in Tables 7-9 above.

Tables 10-12 show the proportions born in English or non-English speaking countries, in age groups 0-14 years, 15-24 years, 25-54 years, 55-74 years and 75 years and over, as used for comparison purposes in this profile. They also show the proportion 65 years and over, as this appears to be where the major difference occurs.

Table 10 Proportion of age groups born in English speaking or non-English speaking countries, Port Phillip, 2006

Source: Figures in this table are derived from AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing Port Phillip (C) (LGA 25900) Expanded Community Profile Table X01 COUNTRY OF BIRTH OF PERSON (a) BY AGE BY SEX Count of persons Based on place of usual residence

Age groups	Born in English speaking countries	Born in non-English speaking countries/Born elsewhere ³	Not stated	Total
0-14 years	7264 (86%)	344 (4%)	811 (10%)	8419 (100%)
15-24 years	6348 (67%)	1731(18%)	1348 (14%)	9427 (100%)
25-54 years	36532 (73%)	6964 (14%)	6868 (14%)	50364 (100%)
55-74 years	7175 (58%)	3439 (28%)	1735 (14%)	12349 (100%)
75 years and over	2060 (45%)	1632 (36%)	846 (19%)	4538 (100%)
Total 65+ years	4220 (47%)	3237 (36%)	1499 (17%)	8956 (100%)
Total	59,379 (70%)	14110 (17%)	11608 (14%)	85,097 (100%)

³ Expanded Community Profiles include only 50 countries of birth, but there are 280 countries of birth in the full 2006 Australian census. Based on overall patterns of immigration, it is reasonable to assume that that most of those described as "Born elsewhere" in the Expanded Community Profiles for Port Phillip, Stonnington and Glen Eira were born in non-English speaking countries.

Table 11 Proportion of age groups born in English-speaking or non-English speaking countries, Stonnington, 2006

Source: Figures in this table are derived from AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing Stonnington (C) (LGA 26350) Expanded community profile Table X01 COUNTRY OF BIRTH OF PERSON (a) BY AGE BY SEX Count of persons Based on place of usual residence

Age groups	Born in English speaking countries	Born in non-English speaking countries/Born elsewhere	Not stated	Total
0-14 years	10680 (89%)	499 (4%)	801 (7%)	11980 (100%)
15-24 years	8954 (69%)	2825 (22%)	1242 (10%)	13,021 (100%)
25-54 years	30531 (72%)	7813 (18%)	4245 (10%)	42589 (100%)
55-74 years	10041 (64%)	4115 (26%)	1457 (9%)	15613 (100%)
75 years and over	4046 (61%)	1825 (27%)	811 (12%)	6682 (100%)
Total 65 years and over	7634 (60%)	3779 (29%)	1419 (11%)	12832 (100%)
Total	64,252 (72%)	17077 (19%)	8556 (10%)	89,885

Table 12 Proportion of age groups born in English speaking or non-English speaking countries, Glen Eira, 2006

Source: Figures in this table are derived from AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS 2006 Census of Population and Housing Glen Eira (C) (LGA 22310) Table X01 COUNTRY OF BIRTH OF PERSON (a) BY AGE BY SEX Count of persons Based on place of usual residence

Age groups	Born in English speaking countries	Born in non-English speaking countries/Born elsewhere	Not stated	Total
0-14 years	19367 (89%)	1096 (5%)	1236 (6%)	21699 (100%)
15-24 years	10879 (70%)	3527 (23%)	1096 (7%)	15,502 (100%)
25-54 years	37760 (69%)	13313 (24%)	3886 (7%)	54959 (100%)
55-74 years	10710 (53%)	7941 (39%)	1663 (8%)	20314 (100%)
75 years and over	6232 (54%)	3900 (34%)	1477 (13%)	11609 (100%)
Total 65 years and over	10168 (52%)	7354 (37%)	2195 (11%)	19717 (100%)
Total	84948 (68%)	29777 (24%)	9358 (8%)	124083 (100%)

Tables 10-12 show that the proportion of people born in non-English speaking countries is higher in older age groups than in younger age groups for all three municipalities.

It is worth noting that the proportion not stating their country of birth increases with age. As it is likely that a significant proportion of those who do not state their country of birth may be from non-English speaking backgrounds, it is possible that the proportion of older people who were born in a non-English speaking country may in practice be higher than shown in these tables.

Table 13 below shows the proportions of residents in Office of Housing dwellings who were born in English and non-English speaking countries.

Table 13 Residents in Office of Housing dwellings by country of birth, inner south east, 2007

Source: Information provided by the City of Port Phillip based on figures from the Office of Housing

Country Of Birth	Port Phillip	Stonning ton	Glen Eira	Grand Total	Sub-totals
Australia	1597	864	304	2765	48%
England	55	44	22	121	
New Zealand	42	17	7	66	
Scotland	21	19	6	46	
Ireland	6	6	4	16	
South Africa	6	4	1	11	
Northern Ireland	6	2		8	
United States of America	4	1	1	6	
Northern America	1	1		2	277
Wales		1		1	(5%)
The Former USSR and the Baltic States	392	367	81	840	
Poland	86	64	23	173	
Russian Federation	62	74	10	146	
Ukraine	75	55	6	136	
Bosnia-Herzegovina	29	33	3	65	
Hungary	27	11	4	42	
Romania	14	19	4	37	
Croatia	10	11		21	
Former Yugoslav Republics of Serbia and Montenegro	6	6	2	14	
Latvia	6	4		10	
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (Fyrom)		5		5	
Kazakhstan	6			6	
Moldova	3		2	5	
Uzbekistan		5		5	
Estonia	4			4	
Belarus	3			3	
Bulgaria	1	2		3	
Czech Republic	1	2		3	
Slovak Republic		2		2	1522
Lithuania		2		2	(26%)
Vietnam	29	107	6	142	Total
China (Excluding Taiwan Province)	41	50	8	99	440
Sri Lanka	2	13	12	27	(8%)
India	12	13	5	30	
Philippines	17	9	2	28	
Malaysia	8	16		24	
Cambodia	3	13	4	20	
Indonesia	11	8		19	
Laos	8	5	1	14	
Hong Kong	6	4	1	11	
Thailand	5	4		9	
Korea, Democratic People's Republic Of	4			4	
Singapore	2	2		4	
Southern Asia		3		3	
Taiwan (Province Of China)	1	1		2	
Pakistan		2		2	

Bangladesh		1		1	
Burma (Myanmar)	1			1	
Southern Europe	64	36	10	110	
Greece	30	46	17	93	
Turkey	46	25	4	75	
Germany, Federal Republic Of	19	12	2	33	
Italy	12	9	1	22	
Mauritius	4	18	1	23	
Spain	4	8	3	15	
Netherlands	5	6	1	12	
France	3	7		10	
Cyprus	4	3		7	
Malta	5		1	6	
Austria	2	2		4	
Belgium	3	1		4	
Norway	2	1		3	
Monaco	2			2	
Sweden	1	1		2	
Denmark	1			1	Total 423 (7%)
Portugal		1		1	
Egypt	30	23	7	60	
Afghanistan	7	19	1	27	
Iran	3	12	2	17	
Israel	5	5	2	12	
Lebanon	6	5		11	
Iraq	7			7	
Morocco	2	3		5	
Jordan	2	2		4	
Saudi Arabia	2			2	
Kuwait		1		1	Total 147 (3%)
Syria		1		1	
Somalia	18	3	7	28	
Ethiopia	16	4	3	23	
Eritrea	8	6		14	
Sudan		6	7	13	
Africa (Excluding North Africa)	5	4		9	
Kenya	5			5	
Zaire		3		3	
Tanzania	1	1		2	
Zimbabwe	2			2	Total 100 (2%)
Cameroon	1			1	
Chile	12	17	2	31	
Colombia	3	4		7	
Argentina	1	4	1	6	
South America	2			2	
Congo	1			1	
Ecuador		1		1	
El Salvador	1			1	
Peru	1			1	
Uruguay		1		1	
Seychelles		1		1	
Jamaica	1			1	Total 53 (1%)
Fiji	7	8	2	17	Total 33 (0.6%)
Samoa, Western	5			5	

Tonga	2	1	1	4
Other Territories	1	2		3
Papua New Guinea	3			3
Vanuatu		1		1
Not Elsewhere Classified	1		1	2
Grand Total	2981	2186	595	5762

Table 13 shows that across the municipalities of Port Phillip, Stonnington and Glen Eira:

- About 48% of residents in Office of Housing dwellings were born in Australia
- About 5% were born in other English speaking countries
- About 47% were born in non-English speaking countries.

This compares with a distribution across the three municipalities of approximately 70% of the population born in Australia and strongly indicates that people born in non-English speaking countries are more likely to reside in public housing than the general population. This in turn suggests that they are more likely to have lower income and other forms of disadvantage than the general population. However it should be noted that the data from the Office of Housing may not include children and therefore may underestimate the total numbers of public housing residents born in Australia.

The proportions of people in Office of Housing dwellings born in non-English speaking countries from different regions, as shown in Table 13, are:

- About 26% from the former USSR and countries of Eastern Europe
- About 8% from countries of South and Southeast Asia
- About 7% from Northern and Southern Europe
- About 3% from countries of the Middle East
- About 2% from African countries
- About 1% from Central and South America
- Slightly less than 1% from Pacific countries (not including New Zealand)

Languages other than English

The proportion of the population that speaks a language other than English at home is indicative of how culturally diverse a population is and the degree to which different ethnic groups and nationalities are retaining their language.

Table 14 Top ten languages other than English, Port Phillip, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Language top 10 non-English languages ranked for 2006 (persons aged 5 years and over)	City of Port Phillip						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	
Greek	2,860	3.4	3.2	3,149	4.0	3.5	-289
Russian	1,455	1.7	0.4	1,925	2.5	0.4	-470
Italian	1,101	1.3	3.3	1,154	1.5	4.0	-53
Mandarin	1,018	1.2	1.8	712	0.9	1.1	306
Cantonese	682	0.8	1.8	718	0.9	1.8	-36
Polish	542	0.6	0.5	651	0.8	0.5	-109
Indonesian	537	0.6	0.3	534	0.7	0.3	3
German	504	0.6	0.4	485	0.6	0.5	19
Spanish	494	0.6	0.7	358	0.5	0.7	136
French	453	0.5	0.3	435	0.6	0.3	18
Speak English Only	59,204	69.6	68.0	55,318	70.7	69.4	3,886
Non-English total	14,952	17.6	26.5	15,253	19.5	25.8	-301
Not Stated	10,856	12.8	5.5	7,657	9.8	4.8	3,199
Total	85,012	100.0	100.0	78,228	100.0	100.0	6,784

Analysis of the language spoken at home by the population of the City of Port Phillip in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a larger proportion of people who spoke English only and a smaller proportion of those speaking a non-English language (either exclusively, or in addition to English).

Overall, 69.6% of the population spoke English only, and 17.6% spoke a non-English language, compared with 68.0% and 26.5% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division. The most common language spoken at home, other than English, in Port Phillip was Greek, with 3.4% of the population, or 2,860 people using this language. The major difference between the languages spoken at home for the population of the Port Phillip and the Melbourne Statistical Division was a smaller percentage speaking Italian at home (1.3% compared to 3.3%).

The largest changes in the spoken languages of the population in Port Phillip between 2001 and 2006 were for those speaking:

- Mandarin (+306 persons);
- Spanish (+136 persons);
- Russian (-470 persons), and;
- Greek (-289 persons).

Table 15 Top ten languages other than English, Stonnington, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Language top 10 non-English languages ranked for 2006 (persons aged 5 years and over)	City of Stonnington						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
	number	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	%	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	
Greek	3,905	4.4	3.2	4,223	4.9	3.5	-318
Mandarin	2,020	2.3	1.8	1,170	1.4	1.1	850
Cantonese	1,469	1.7	1.8	1,474	1.7	1.8	-5
Italian	1,218	1.4	3.3	1,269	1.5	4.0	-51
Russian	736	0.8	0.4	756	0.9	0.4	-20
Indonesian	622	0.7	0.3	924	1.1	0.3	-302
Hindi	589	0.7	0.5	281	0.3	0.3	308
French	470	0.5	0.3	466	0.5	0.3	4
Japanese	411	0.5	0.2	441	0.5	0.1	-30
Vietnamese	400	0.4	2.0	361	0.4	1.9	39
Speak English Only	63,910	71.8	68.0	63,769	74.1	69.4	141
Non-English total	17,504	19.7	26.5	16,454	19.1	25.8	1,050
Not Stated	7,561	8.5	5.5	5,867	6.8	4.8	1,694
Total	88,975	100.0	100.0	86,090	100.0	100.0	2,885

Analysis of the language spoken at home by the population of City of Stonnington in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a larger proportion of people who spoke English only and a smaller proportion of those speaking a non-English language (either exclusively, or in addition to English).

Overall, 71.8% of the population spoke English only, and 19.7% spoke a non-English language, compared with 68.0% and 26.5% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

The most common language spoken at home, other than English, was Greek, with 4.4% of the population, or 3,905 people using this language. The major differences between the languages spoken at home for Stonnington and the Melbourne Statistical Division were:

- A smaller percentage speaking Italian at home (1.4% compared to 3.3%); and
- A smaller percentage speaking Vietnamese at home (0.4% compared to 2.0%).

The largest changes in the spoken languages of the population in Stonnington between 2001 and 2006 were for those speaking:

- Mandarin (+850 persons);
- Hindi (+308 persons);
- Greek (-318 persons), and;
- Indonesian (-302 persons).

Table 16 Top ten languages other than English, Glen Eira, 2006

Language top 10 non-English languages ranked for 2006 (persons aged 5 years and over)	City of Glen Eira						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	Melbourne Statistical Division %	number	%	Melbourne Statistical Division %	
Greek	5,774	4.7	3.2	5,753	4.9	3.5	21
Russian	4,793	3.9	0.4	4,890	4.2	0.4	-97
Mandarin	2,836	2.3	1.8	1,499	1.3	1.1	1,337
Hebrew	2,207	1.8	0.1	1,884	1.6	0.1	323
Italian	2,079	1.7	3.3	2,373	2.0	4.0	-294
Cantonese	1,494	1.2	1.8	1,453	1.2	1.8	41
Polish	1,123	0.9	0.5	1,256	1.1	0.5	-133
Yiddish	916	0.8	0	1,261	1.1	0.1	-345
Hindi	794	0.7	0.5	400	0.3	0.3	394
German	623	0.5	0.4	663	0.6	0.5	-40
Speak English Only	82,488	67.6	68.0	81,556	69.6	69.4	932
Non-English total	31,920	26.1	26.5	29,565	25.2	25.8	2,355
Not Stated	7,660	6.3	5.5	6,080	5.2	4.8	1,580
Total	122,068	100.0	100.0	117,201	100.0	100.0	4,867

Analysis of the language spoken at home by the population of the City of Glen Eira in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a similar proportion of people who spoke English only as well as a similar proportion of those speaking a non-English language (either exclusively, or in addition to English).

Overall, 67.6% of the population spoke English only, and 26.1% spoke a non-English language, compared with 68.0% and 26.5% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

The most common language spoken at home, other than English, in the City of Glen Eira was Greek, with 4.7% of the population, or 5,774 people using this language.

The major differences between the languages spoken at home for the population of the City of Glen Eira and the Melbourne Statistical Division were:

- A larger percentage speaking Russian at home (3.9% compared to 0.4%);
- A larger percentage speaking Hebrew at home (1.8% compared to 0.1%);

- A larger percentage speaking Greek at home (4.7% compared to 3.2%), and;
- A smaller percentage speaking Italian at home (1.7% compared to 3.3%).

The largest changes in the spoken languages of the population in the City of Glen Eira between 2001 and 2006 were for those speaking:

- Mandarin (+1,337 persons);
- Hindi (+394 persons);
- Hebrew (+323 persons), and;
- Yiddish (-345 persons).

Proficiency in English

The information in this section is derived from the Census question, 'How well does the person speak English?' and applies only to overseas born persons aged 5 years and over.

The data, when viewed with other ethnic and cultural indicators, such as Country of Birth, Language Spoken at Home and Religion, reflects the ethnic composition of the population and the number of years of residence in Australia. In general, an area with a higher proportion of persons born in English-speaking countries or who emigrated from non-English speaking countries several decades ago is likely to have greater English-speaking proficiency.

Table 17 Proficiency in English, Port Phillip, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Proficiency in English (overseas born persons aged 5 years and over)	City of Port Phillip						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	
Speaks English only	12,210	52.9	37.0	11,157	50.0	38.1	1,053
Speaks another language and English not well or not at all	2,196	9.5	13.9	2,735	12.2	14.7	-539
Speaks another language and English well or very well	8,393	36.4	48.1	8,163	36.6	46.1	230
Speaks another language and English - proficiency not stated	193	0.8	0.6	134	0.6	0.8	59
Not stated	68	0.3	0.3	138	0.6	0.4	-70
Total	23,060	100.0	100.0	22,327	100.0	100.0	733

Analysis of the proficiency in English data for the City of Port Phillip in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a larger proportion of persons who spoke English only, and a smaller proportion of persons who spoke another language and English not well or not at all.

Overall, 52.9% of persons spoke English only, and 9.5% spoke another language and English not well or not at all, compared with 37.0% and 13.9% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

The most significant changes in the proficiency in English of the population in this area between 2001 and 2006 were in those speaking:

- English only (+1,053 persons), and;
- Another language and English not well or not at all (-539 persons).

Table 18 Proficiency in English, Stonnington, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Proficiency in English (overseas born persons aged 5 years and over)	City of Stonnington						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
	Enumerated data number	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL % DIVISION %		number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	
Speaks English only	11,210	46.2	37.0	10,996	47.8	38.1	214
Speaks another language and English not well or not at all	2,333	9.6	13.9	2,477	10.8	14.7	-144
Speaks another language and English well or very well	10,511	43.3	48.1	9,380	40.8	46.1	1,131
Speaks another language and English - proficiency not stated	134	0.6	0.6	102	0.4	0.8	32
Not stated	68	0.3	0.3	34	0.1	0.4	34
Total	24,256	100.0	100.0	22,989	100.0	100.0	1,267

Analysis of the proficiency in English data for City of Stonnington in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a larger proportion of persons who spoke English only, and a smaller proportion of persons who spoke another language and English not well or not at all.

Overall, 46.2% of persons spoke English only, and 9.6% spoke another language and English not well or not at all, compared with 37.0% and 13.9% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

The most significant changes in the proficiency in English of the population in this area between 2001 and 2006 were in those speaking:

- Another language and English well or very well (+1,131 persons), and;
- English only (+214 persons).

Table 19 Proficiency in English, Glen Eira, 2006

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001, 1996, and 1991.

Proficiency in English (overseas born persons aged 5 years and over)	City of Glen Eira							
	2006			2001			Melbourne Statistical Division %	Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	Melbourne Statistical Division %	number	%			
Enumerated data								
Speaks English only	15,884	40.7	37.0	15,556	42.1	38.1	328	
Speaks another language and English not well or not at all	3,522	9.0	13.9	3,763	10.2	14.7	-241	
Speaks another language and English well or very well	19,222	49.3	48.1	17,275	46.8	46.1	1,947	
Speaks another language and English - proficiency not stated	245	0.6	0.6	205	0.6	0.8	40	
Not stated	135	0.3	0.3	137	0.4	0.4	-2	
Total	39,008	100.0	100.0	36,936	100.0	100.0	2,072	

Analysis of the proficiency in English data for the City of Glen Eira in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a slightly larger proportion of persons who spoke English only, and a smaller proportion of persons who spoke another language and English not well or not at all.

Overall, 40.7% of persons spoke English only, and 9.0% spoke another language and English not well or not at all, compared with 37.0% and 13.9% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

The most significant changes in the proficiency in English of the population in this area between 2001 and 2006 were in those speaking:

- Another language and English well or very well (+1,947 persons), and;
- English only (+328 persons).

Language spoken at home by proficiency in English

Different cultural and linguistic populations vary in the degree to which they are proficient in English. This may reflect factors such as the length of time the population has been resident in Australia, as well as the education system in the country of birth and the degree of difficulty that members of the group experience in learning English. Difficulty in learning English may reflect, for example, whether the written language uses the same script as English.

Proficiency in English can also reflect the migration experience (for example, whether through family reunion, skilled migrant or humanitarian immigration) and the degree of trauma that immigrants experience prior to and during settlement. Refugee populations who have experienced significant trauma may find learning a new language and understanding a new culture more difficult than other immigrant groups.

Proficiency in English is important when considering the need for interpreters and translations. This will reflect both the absolute number of people speaking a particular language, plus their proficiency in English. Tables 20-22 below show the top ten language groups, ranked from the highest number speaking English 'not well or not at all', to the lowest. Percentages, shown in brackets, indicate the overall proficiency in English of the different groups. For example, the Greek speaking group in Port Phillip has a higher overall proficiency in English than the Russian speaking group, but because of the greater number of Greek speaking people there are more who speak English not well or not at all.

In considering the tables below it is important to note that people may over-estimate their proficiency in English.

Table 20 Top fifteen languages other than English spoken at home by proficiency in English, Port Phillip, 2006

Source: adapted from Victorian Multicultural Commission "Population Diversity in Local Councils in Victoria: 2006 Census" at <http://www.multicultural.vic.gov.au/Web24/vmc.nsf/allDocs/RWPAAA33284C2D8E696CA2572F4000ED010?OpenDocument>

Language other than English (LOTE)	Speaks English Very well/Well		Speaks English Not well/Not at all		Not Stated		Total	
	Persons	%	Persons	%	Persons	%	Persons	%
Greek	2,171	75.3	698	24.2	14	0.5	2,883	100.0
Russian	730	49.9	674	46.0	60	4.1	1,464	100.0
Mandarin	825	82.7	162	16.2	10	1.0	997	100.0
Cantonese	565	83.0	111	16.3	5	0.7	681	100.0
Italian	966	88.2	104	9.5	25	2.3	1,095	100.0
Polish	409	75.6	93	17.2	39	7.2	541	100.0
Japanese	201	79.8	51	20.2	0	—	252	100.0
Yiddish	198	75.6	50	19.1	14	5.3	262	100.0
Arabic	221	84.4	37	14.1	4	1.5	262	100.0
Spanish	453	93.0	28	5.7	6	1.2	487	100.0
Indonesian	518	96.3	16	3.0	4	0.7	538	100.0
German	482	95.4	16	3.2	7	1.4	505	100.0
French	428	95.1	14	3.1	8	1.8	450	100.0
Hebrew	312	93.1	15	4.5	8	2.4	335	100.0
Hindi	314	96.3	9	2.8	3	0.9	326	100.0

Table 20 indicates that amongst the top fifteen languages other than English spoken in Port Phillip, the three groups with the lowest proficiency in English were:

- Russian speaking – 46% speaking English not well or not at all
- Greek speaking – 24.2% speaking English not well or not at all
- Japanese speaking – 20.2% speaking English not well or not at all

Table 21 Top fifteen languages other than English spoken at home by proficiency in English, Stonnington, 2006

Source: adapted from Victorian Multicultural Commission "Population Diversity in Local Councils in Victoria: 2006 Census" at <http://www.multicultural.vic.gov.au/Web24/vmc.nsf/allDocs/RWPAAA33284C2D8E696CA2572F4000ED010?OpenDocument>

Language other than English (LOTE)	Speaks English Very well/Well		Speaks English Not well/Not at all		Not Stated		Total	
	Persons	%	Persons	%	Persons	%	Persons	%
Greek	2,969	75.6	898	22.9	59	1.5	3,926	100.0
Russian	361	49.7	348	47.9	17	2.3	726	100.0
Mandarin	1,705	84.7	299	14.9	9	0.4	2,013	100.0
Cantonese	1,245	84.3	223	15.1	8	0.5	1,476	100.0
Italian	1,055	87.0	142	11.7	16	1.3	1,213	100.0
Vietnamese	323	80.5	74	18.5	4	1.0	401	100.0
Japanese	349	83.7	68	16.3	0	—	417	100.0
Turkish	174	72.5	66	27.5	0	—	240	100.0
Thai	201	85.2	32	13.6	3	1.3	236	100.0
Polish	315	87.3	41	11.4	5	1.4	361	100.0
Indonesian	567	93.4	40	6.6	0	—	607	100.0
Spanish	288	88.3	30	9.2	8	2.5	326	100.0
French	454	93.6	25	5.2	6	1.2	485	100.0
Hindi	573	96.6	17	2.9	3	0.5	593	100.0
German	372	96.1	8	2.1	7	1.8	387	100.0

Table 21 shows that amongst the top fifteen languages other than English spoken in the City of Stonnington, the three groups with the lowest proficiency in English are:

- Russian speaking – 47.9% speaking English not well or not at all
- Turkish speaking – 27.5% speaking English not well or not at all
- Greek speaking – 22.9% speaking English not well or not at all

Table 22 Top fifteen languages other than English spoken at home by proficiency in English, Glen Eira, 2006

Source: adapted from Victorian Multicultural Commission "Population Diversity in Local Councils in Victoria: 2006 Census" at

<http://www.multicultural.vic.gov.au/Web24/vmc.nsf/allDocs/RWPAAA33284C2D8E696CA2572F4000ED010?OpenDocument>

Language other than English (LOTE)	Speaks English Very well/Well		Speaks English Not well/Not at all		Not Stated		Total	
	Persons	%	Persons	%	Persons	%	Persons	%
Greek	4,739	82.0	984	17.0	56	1.0	5,779	100.0
Russian	3,854	79.9	917	19.0	50	1.0	4,821	100.0
Mandarin	2,349	82.3	481	16.8	25	0.9	2,855	100.0
Cantonese	1,206	80.4	275	18.3	19	1.3	1,500	100.0
Italian	1,807	86.6	249	11.9	30	1.4	2,086	100.0
Japanese	358	70.2	142	27.8	10	2.0	510	100.0
Polish	1,030	90.1	97	8.5	16	1.4	1,143	100.0
Hebrew	2,303	95.1	82	3.4	36	1.5	2,421	100.0
Yiddish	912	91.1	57	5.7	32	3.2	1,001	100.0
Hungarian	522	88.9	55	9.4	10	1.7	587	100.0
French	551	94.0	28	4.8	7	1.2	586	100.0
Spanish	448	92.8	27	5.6	8	1.7	483	100.0
Spanish	448	92.8	27	5.6	8	1.7	483	100.0
Indonesian	455	94.6	20	4.2	6	1.2	481	100.0
Hindi	773	97.2	16	2.0	6	0.8	795	100.0
German	618	96.7	12	1.9	9	1.4	639	100.0

Table 22 shows that amongst the top fifteen languages other than English spoken in the City of Glen Eira, the three groups with the lowest proficiency in English are:

- Japanese speaking – 27.8% speaking English not well or not at all
- Russian speaking – 19.0% speaking English not well or not at all
- Cantonese and Mandarin speaking (Chinese languages) – 18.3% and 16.8% respectively speaking English not well or not at all

It is worth noting that both Port Phillip and Stonnington have higher proportions of people speaking English not well or not at all amongst the top fifteen language groups, although they have lower proportions speaking languages other than English overall. This is also reflected in Tables 17-19 which show that the total proportions of the population speaking English not well or not at all are slightly higher in Port Phillip and Stonnington than in Glen Eira, being 9.5%, 9.7% and 9.0% respectively.

It is not clear why this difference occurs but it may possibly be related to the greater amounts of public housing in Port Phillip and Stonnington than in Glen Eira. This would give lower-income immigrant groups, who may have had less opportunity to learn English than higher-income immigrants, more opportunities to settle in these two municipalities. As Table 13 has shown, residents in Office of Housing dwellings are more likely to have been born in non-English speaking countries than the general population.

Recent arrivals

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006 (accessed from profile id)

The Year of Arrival data indicates the year (or period) when the overseas born population arrived in Australia. The data shows the degree to which areas are 'ports' for new overseas migrants and reveals the role of the area in housing the overseas-born.

Recent arrival numbers in an area are often determined by:

- housing affordability;
- employment opportunities; and
- pre-existing communities located in the area.

Table 23 Recent arrivals – City of Port Phillip, 2006

Year of arrival (year of arrival in Australia)	City of Port Phillip		
	2006		MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %
Enumerated data	number	%	
2006	1,028	4.5	2.6
2005	1,499	6.5	3.8
2004	1,266	5.5	3.5
2003	961	4.2	3.0
2002	805	3.5	2.4
2001	766	3.3	2.4
1996 to 2000	2,530	11.0	9.5
1995 to 1991	1,550	6.7	8.2
Before 1991	11,470	49.7	60.0
Not stated	1,187	5.1	4.6
Total			

Analysis of the year of arrival for the overseas born population of the City of Port Phillip in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a smaller proportion of people who arrived before 1991 but a larger proportion of recent arrivals (those who arrived between 2001 and 2006).

Overall, 49.7% of the overseas born population arrived before 1991, and 27.5% arrived during or after 2001, compared with 60.0% and 17.7% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

Table 24 Recent arrivals – City of Stonnington, 2006

Year of arrival (year of arrival in Australia)	City of Stonnington		
	2006		MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %
Enumerated data	number	%	
2006	1,107	4.6	2.6
2005	1,617	6.7	3.8
2004	1,301	5.4	3.5
2003	1,099	4.5	3.0
2002	832	3.4	2.4
2001	778	3.2	2.4
1996 to 2000	2,346	9.7	9.5
1995 to 1991	1,547	6.4	8.2
Before 1991	12,512	51.6	60.0
Not stated	1,117	4.6	4.6
Total	24,256	100.0	100.0

Analysis of the year of arrival for the overseas born population of City of Stonnington in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a smaller proportion of people who arrived before 1991 but a larger proportion of recent arrivals (those who arrived between 2001 and 2006).

Overall, 51.6% of the overseas born population arrived before 1991, and 27.8% arrived during or after 2001, compared with 60.0% and 17.7% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

Table 25 Recent arrivals – City of Glen Eira, 2006

Year of arrival (year of arrival in Australia)	City of Glen Eira		
	2006		Melbourne Statistical Division %
Enumerated data	number	%	
2006	1,008	2.6	2.6
2005	1,614	4.1	3.8
2004	1,644	4.2	3.5
2003	1,398	3.6	3.0
2002	1,175	3.0	2.4
2001	1,063	2.7	2.4
1996 to 2000	4,016	10.3	9.5
1995 to 1991	3,575	9.2	8.2
Before 1991	21,930	56.2	60.0
Not stated	1,580	4.1	4.6
Total	39,003	100.0	100.0

Analysis of the year of arrival for the overseas born population of the City of Glen Eira in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a smaller proportion of people who arrived before 1991 but a larger proportion of recent arrivals (those who arrived between 2001 and 2006).

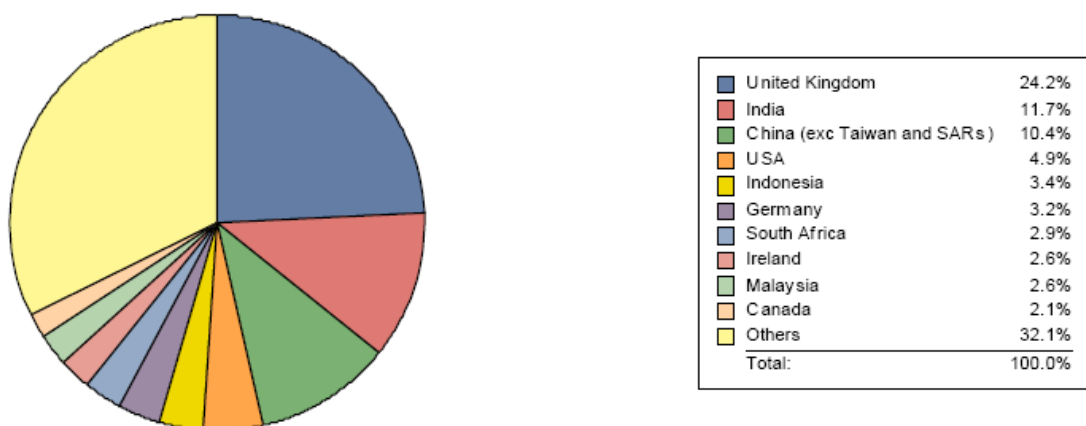
Overall, 56.2% of the overseas born population arrived before 1991, and 20.2% arrived during or after 2001, compared with 60.0% and 17.7% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division

Newly emerging communities

Figure 1 Top ten countries of birth for settlers arriving 2007 – 2009, City of Port Phillip

Source: Department of Immigration and Citizenship Settlement Database, 2009 at <http://www.immi.gov.au/living-in-australia/delivering-assistance/settlement-reporting-facility/>

Top 10 Countries of Birth for
 Migration Stream : All Settlers
 Ethnicity: All Settlers
 Local Government Area: Port Phillip (C);
 Sex : All Settlers
 Settlers Arriving from 1 Jan 2007 to 1 Jan 2009

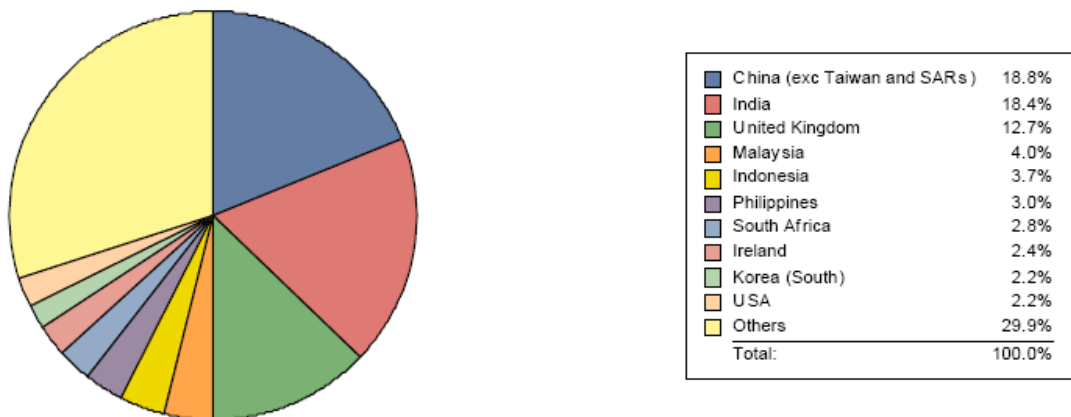


Country of Birth	Number of Settlers
United Kingdom	312
India	151
China (exc Taiwan and SARs)	134
USA	63
Indonesia	44
Germany	41
South Africa	38
Ireland	33
Malaysia	33
Canada	27
Others	414
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Total Birthplace Known	1,290
Birthplace Unknown	3
Total	1,293

Figure 2 Top ten countries of birth for settlers arriving 2007 – 2009, City of Stonnington

Source: Department of Immigration and Citizenship Settlement Database, 2009 at <http://www.immi.gov.au/living-in-australia/delivering-assistance/settlement-reporting-facility/>

Top 10 Countries of Birth for
 Migration Stream : All Settlers
 Ethnicity: All Settlers
 Local Government Area: Stonnington (C);
 Sex : All Settlers
 Settlers Arriving from 1 Jan 2007 to 1 Jan 2009

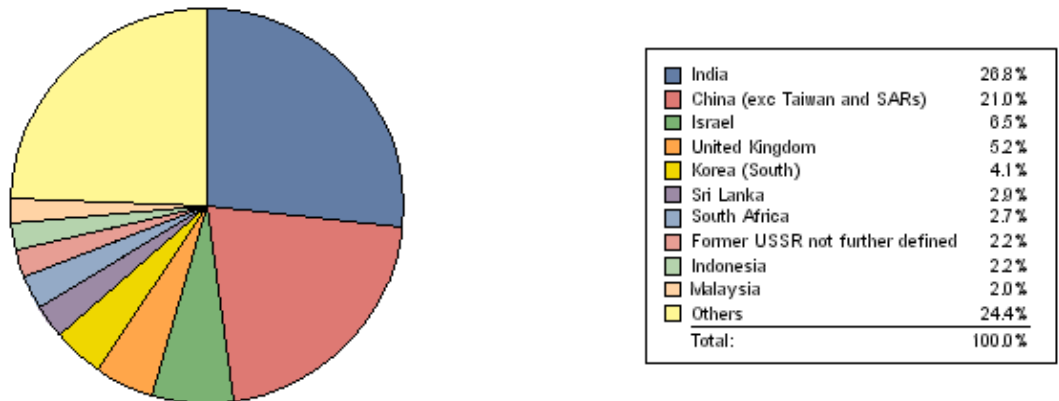


Country of Birth	Number of Settlers
China (exc Taiwan and SARs)	207
India	203
United Kingdom	140
Malaysia	44
Indonesia	41
Philippines	33
South Africa	31
Ireland	26
Korea (South)	24
USA	24
Others	330
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Total Birthplace Known	1,103
Birthplace Unknown	4
Total	1,107

Figure 3 Top ten countries of birth for settlers arriving 2007 – 2009, City of Glen Eira

Source: Department of Immigration and Citizenship Settlement Database, 2009 at <http://www.immi.gov.au/living-in-australia/delivering-assistance/settlement-reporting-facility/>

Top 10 Countries of Birth for
 Migration Stream: All Settlers
 Ethnicity: All Settlers
 Local Government Area: Glen Eira (C);
 Sex: All Settlers
 Settlers Arriving from 1 Jan 2007 to 1 Jan 2009



Country of Birth	Number of Settlers
India	572
China (exc Taiwan and SARs)	449
Israel	139
United Kingdom	112
Korea (South)	88
Sri Lanka	61
South Africa	58
Former USSR not further defined	46
Indonesia	46
Malaysia	43
Others	522
Total Birthplace Known	2,136
Birthplace Unknown	3
Total	2,139

Religion

Religion is an indicator of cultural identity and ethnicity when observed in conjunction with other key variables. The data reveals the major concentrations of religions in an area as well as highlighting the proportion of persons with no religion. There are a number of reasons for different religious compositions across areas. These include:

- the country of birth and ethnic background of the population; and
- the age of the population (belief in religion is generally stronger, the older the population).

Table 26 Top ten religions, City of Port Phillip, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Religion top 10 religions ranked for 2006 (persons)	City of Port Phillip						
	2006		2001		MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION		Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	number	%	%	
Catholic	17,568	20.7	28.4	16,455	21.0	29.4	1,113
Anglican	10,157	11.9	12.0	10,203	13.0	13.7	-46
Orthodox	4,150	4.9	6.0	4,284	5.5	6.2	-134
Judaism	3,875	4.6	1.1	3,926	5.0	1.1	-51
Uniting Church	2,269	2.7	4.0	2,353	3.0	4.6	-84
Buddhism	1,633	1.9	3.5	1,643	2.1	3.2	-10
Presbyterian and Reformed	1,563	1.8	2.3	1,805	2.3	2.7	-242
Other Christian	1,045	1.2	1.8	969	1.2	1.6	76
Islam	853	1.0	2.9	892	1.1	2.6	-39
Hinduism	782	0.9	1.1	470	0.6	0.7	312
Christian Total	38,551	45.3	58.9	37,869	48.4	62.8	682
Non Christian Total	7,658	9.0	9.3	7,481	9.6	8.2	177
No Religion	22,204	26.1	20.0	18,464	23.6	17.1	3,740
Inadequately Described	1,162	1.4	0.8	2,605	3.3	2.1	-1,443
Not Stated	15,435	18.2	11.0	11,811	15.1	9.8	3,624
Total	85,010	100.0	100.0	78,230	100.0	100.0	6,780

Overall, 54.3% of the population nominated a religion, and 26.1% said they had no religion, compared with 68.2% and 20.0% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division

The dominant single religion in the City of Port Phillip was Catholic, with 20.7% of the population or 17,568 people as adherents.

The major differences between the religious affiliation for the population of the City of Port Phillip and the Melbourne Statistical Division were:

- A *larger* percentage who nominated Judaism (4.6% compared to 1.1%), and;
- A *smaller* percentage who nominated Catholic (20.7% compared to 28.4%).

The largest changes in the religious affiliation of the population in the City of Port Phillip between 2001 and 2006 were for those who nominated:

- Catholic (+1,113 persons);
- Hinduism (+312 persons);
- Presbyterian and Reformed (-242 persons), and;
- Orthodox (-134 persons).

Table 27 Top ten religions, City of Stonnington, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Religion top 10 religions ranked for 2006 (persons)	City of Stonnington						
	2006			2001			Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	number	%	MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION %	
Catholic	18,958	21.3	28.4	18,495	21.5	29.4	463
Anglican	14,930	16.8	12.0	16,074	18.7	13.7	-1,144
Orthodox	5,338	6.0	6.0	5,285	6.1	6.2	53
Judaism	4,451	5.0	1.1	4,548	5.3	1.1	-97
Uniting Church	3,871	4.4	4.0	4,572	5.3	4.6	-701
Buddhism	2,276	2.6	3.5	2,123	2.5	3.2	153
Presbyterian and Reformed	1,950	2.2	2.3	2,161	2.5	2.7	-211
Hinduism	1,329	1.5	1.1	562	0.7	0.7	767
Other Christian	1,020	1.1	1.8	984	1.1	1.6	36
Islam	952	1.1	2.9	996	1.2	2.6	-44
Christian Total	47,932	53.9	58.9	49,540	57.5	62.8	-1,608
Non Christian Total	9,488	10.7	9.3	8,660	10.1	8.2	828
No Religion	18,670	21.0	20.0	15,539	18.1	17.1	3,131

Inadequately Described	852	1.0	0.8	2,132	2.5	2.1	-1,280
Not Stated	12,034	13.5	11.0	10,217	11.9	9.8	1,817
Total	88,976	100.0	100.0	86,088	100.0	100.0	2,888

Overall, 64.6% of the population nominated a religion, and 21.0% said they had no religion, compared with 68.2% and 20.0% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division

The dominant single religion in City of Stonnington was Catholic, with 21.3% of the population or 18,958 people as adherents.

The major differences between the religious affiliation for the population of City of Stonnington and the Melbourne Statistical Division were:

- A larger percentage who nominated Anglican (16.8% compared to 12.0%);
- A larger percentage who nominated Judaism (5.0% compared to 1.1%), and;
- A smaller percentage who nominated Catholic (21.3% compared to 28.4%).

The largest changes in the religious affiliation of the population in City of Stonnington between 2001 and 2006 were for those who nominated:

- Hinduism (+767 persons);
- Catholic (+463 persons);
- Anglican (-1,144 persons), and;
- Uniting Church (-701 persons).

Table 28 Top ten religions, City of Glen Eira, 2006

Source: ABS, Census of Population and Housing, 2006, 2001 (accessed from profile id)

Religion top 10 religions ranked for 2006 (persons)	City of Glen Eira							
	2006			2001			Melbourne Statistical Division %	Change 2001 to 2006
	number	%	Melbourne Statistical Division %	number	%			
Catholic	26,021	21.3	28.4	26,116	22.3	29.4	-95	
Judaism	21,571	17.7	1.1	19,480	16.6	1.1	2,091	
Anglican	11,859	9.7	12.0	13,413	11.4	13.7	-1,554	
Orthodox	8,261	6.8	6.0	7,969	6.8	6.2	292	
Uniting Church	4,390	3.6	4.0	4,948	4.2	4.6	-558	
Buddhism	2,305	1.9	3.5	1,944	1.7	3.2	361	
Presbyterian and Reformed	2,271	1.9	2.3	2,831	2.4	2.7	-560	
Hinduism	2,092	1.7	1.1	993	0.8	0.7	1,099	
Other Christian	1,365	1.1	1.8	1,265	1.1	1.6	100	
Baptist	874	0.7	1.4	922	0.8	1.5	-48	
Christian Total	56,815	46.5	58.9	59,389	50.7	62.8	-2,574	
Non Christian Total	27,326	22.4	9.3	23,720	20.2	8.2	3,606	
No Religion	22,827	18.7	20.0	18,969	16.2	17.1	3,858	

Inadequately Described	911	0.7	0.8	2,671	2.3	2.1	-1,760
Not Stated	14,190	11.6	11.0	12,450	10.6	9.8	1,740
Total	122,069	100.0	100.0	117,199	100.0	100.0	4,870

Analysis of the religious affiliation of the population of the City of Glen Eira in 2006 compared to the Melbourne Statistical Division shows that there was a similar proportion of people who professed a religion as well as a similar proportion who stated they had no religion.

Overall, 68.9% of the population nominated a religion, and 18.7% said they had no religion, compared with 68.2% and 20.0% respectively for the Melbourne Statistical Division.

The dominant single religion in the City of Glen Eira was Catholic, with 21.3% of the population or 26,021 people as adherents.

The major differences between the religious affiliation for the population of the City of Glen Eira and the Melbourne Statistical Division were:

- A larger percentage who nominated Judaism (17.7% compared to 1.1%), and;
- A smaller percentage who nominated Catholic (21.3% compared to 28.4%).

The largest changes in the religious affiliation of the population in the City of Glen Eira between 2001 and 2006 were for those who nominated:

- Judaism (+2,091 persons);
- Hinduism (+1,099 persons);
- Anglican (-1,554 persons), and;
- Presbyterian and Reformed (-560 persons).

Appendix 1: Countries of Birth and Languages Other than English – further details

Source: Tables in this Appendix are obtained from the Victorian Multicultural Commission "Population Diversity in Local Councils in Victoria: 2006 Census" at

<http://www.multicultural.vic.gov.au/Web24/vmc.nsf/allDocs/RWPAAA33284C2D8E696CA2572F4000ED010?OpenDocument>

Table A1 Port Phillip LGA: Top 30 Overseas-Born, Birthplace by Gender, 2006, 2001 Census

Birthplace	2006		2001		Change 2001– 06		
	Males	Females	Persons	As % of OSB	Persons	Persons	% Change
England	2,083	1,759	3,842	16.6	3,467	375	10.8
New Zealand	1,162	1,186	2,348	10.2	2,113	235	11.1
Greece	685	712	1,397	6.1	1,544	- 147	- 9.5
India	624	344	968	4.2	558	410	73.5
China (excl. SARs & Taiwan)	323	471	794	3.4	636	158	24.8
Poland	328	403	731	3.2	896	- 165	- 18.4
United States of America	349	350	699	3.0	633	66	10.4
Indonesia	301	343	644	2.8	602	42	7.0
Germany	290	312	602	2.6	588	14	2.4
Ukraine	230	365	595	2.6	708	- 113	- 16.0
Italy	308	270	578	2.5	599	- 21	- 3.5
Scotland	319	256	575	2.5	575	0	
Malaysia	239	312	551	2.4	460	91	19.8
South Africa	285	244	529	2.3	420	109	26.0
Russian Federation	202	283	485	2.1	697	- 212	- 30.4
Ireland	248	211	459	2.0	400	59	14.8
Canada	135	176	311	1.3	283	28	9.9
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	125	148	273	1.2	261	12	4.6
Israel	150	114	264	1.1	206	58	28.2
France	143	120	263	1.1	221	42	19.0
Japan	82	171	253	1.1	221	32	14.5
Singapore	109	135	244	1.1	204	40	19.6
Netherlands	142	101	243	1.1	231	12	5.2
Philippines	77	140	217	0.9	234	- 17	- 7.3
Hungary	108	101	209	0.9	300	- 91	- 30.3
South Eastern Europe, nfd	90	107	197	0.9	N/A		
Egypt	92	94	186	0.8	227	- 41	- 18.1
Viet Nam	83	92	175	0.8	190	- 15	- 7.9
Sri Lanka	89	84	173	0.7	150	23	15.3
Korea, Republic of (South)	66	93	159	0.7	82	77	93.9
Other birthplaces ^(a)	2,036	2,087	4,123	17.9			
Total Overseas-born	11,503	11,584	23,087	100.0	22,255		
Birthplaces not stated	6,292	5,315	11,607		7,943	3,664	46.1
Australia	24,443	25,960	50,403		47,855	2,548	5.3
Total Persons in LGA	42,238	42,859	85,097		78,053	7,044	9.0

^(a) Includes Inadequately Described, At sea, Not Elsewhere Classified. Not reported for 2001 due to classification changes making it not comparable.

Table A2 Port Phillip LGA: Top 30 Languages other than English Spoken at Home by Gender, 2006, 2001 Census

Language other than English (LOTE)	2006			2001	Change 2001– 06		
	Males	Females	Persons	As % of Tot LOTE	Persons ^(b)	Persons	% Change
Greek	1,412	1,469	2,881	19.3	3,147	- 266	- 8.5
Russian	615	846	1,461	9.8	1,924	- 463	- 24.1
Italian	544	553	1,097	7.3	1,154	- 57	- 4.9
Mandarin	430	566	996	6.7	705	291	41.3
Cantonese	292	389	681	4.6	713	- 32	- 4.5
Polish	232	310	542	3.6	664	- 122	- 18.4
Indonesian	249	289	538	3.6	537	1	0.2
German	247	260	507	3.4	485	22	4.5
Spanish	240	247	487	3.3	355	132	37.2
French	230	220	450	3.0	439	11	2.5
Hebrew	180	153	333	2.2	294	39	13.3
Hindi	218	105	323	2.2	177	146	82.5
Yiddish	125	140	265	1.8	346	- 81	- 23.4
Arabic	132	132	264	1.8	364	- 100	- 27.5
Japanese	111	144	255	1.7	227	28	12.3
Hungarian	99	121	220	1.5	297	- 77	- 25.9
Serbian	99	101	200	1.3	219	- 19	- 8.7
Croatian	82	103	185	1.2	180	5	2.8
Vietnamese	78	99	177	1.2	172	5	2.9
Turkish	76	89	165	1.1	199	- 34	- 17.1
Dutch	79	79	158	1.1	144	14	9.7
Korean	62	80	142	0.9	73	69	94.5
Albanian	68	60	128	0.9	151	- 23	- 15.2
Thai	39	74	113	0.8	127	- 14	- 11.0
Portuguese	51	52	103	0.7	65	38	58.5
Swedish	47	44	91	0.6	79	12	15.2
Maltese	39	47	86	0.6	99	- 13	- 13.1
Macedonian	49	32	81	0.5	68	13	19.1
Tamil	52	22	74	0.5	59	15	25.4
Afrikaans	37	31	68	0.5	36	32	88.9
Other Languages ^(a)	961	932	1,893	12.7			
Total LOTE Speakers	7,175	7,789	14,964	100.0	15,246	- 282	- 1.8
English Only	29,160	30,280	59,440		55,327	4,113	7.4
Not Stated	5,900	4,792	10,692		7,479	3,213	43.0
Total Persons in LGA	42,235	42,861	85,096		78,052	7,044	9.0

^(a) Includes Inadequately Described, Not Elsewhere Classified and other supplementary codes. Not included for 2001, due to classification changes making it non-comparable.

^(b) An "N/A" in this category means that the language is not available for 2001 or there has been a classification change making it non-comparable.

Table A3 Stonnington LGA: Top 30 Overseas-Born, Birthplace by Gender, 2006, 2001 Census

Birthplace	2006			2001		Change 2001– 06	
	Males	Females	Persons	As % of OSB	Persons	Persons	% Change
England	1,651	1,388	3,039	12.5	3,114	- 75	- 2.4
New Zealand	922	974	1,896	7.8	1,920	- 24	- 1.3
Greece	891	995	1,886	7.7	2,142	- 256	- 12.0
China (excl. SARs & Taiwan)	713	1,006	1,719	7.0	877	842	96.0
India	968	588	1,556	6.4	761	795	104.5
Malaysia	450	525	975	4.0	907	68	7.5
Indonesia	359	381	740	3.0	1,057	- 317	- 30.0
Italy	336	350	686	2.8	690	- 4	- 0.6
Poland	253	394	647	2.7	714	- 67	- 9.4
United States of America	309	336	645	2.6	628	17	2.7
South Africa	284	322	606	2.5	560	46	8.2
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	260	314	574	2.4	571	3	0.5
Germany	246	294	540	2.2	566	- 26	- 4.6
Viet Nam	217	264	481	2.0	440	41	9.3
Scotland	253	213	466	1.9	474	- 8	- 1.7
Singapore	211	234	445	1.8	409	36	8.8
Sri Lanka	219	215	434	1.8	379	55	14.5
Japan	139	254	393	1.6	416	- 23	- 5.5
Ukraine	114	188	302	1.2	247	55	22.3
Russian Federation	104	194	298	1.2	323	- 25	- 7.7
Ireland	143	147	290	1.2	309	- 19	- 6.1
Thailand	106	181	287	1.2	234	53	22.6
France	128	122	250	1.0	226	24	10.6
Philippines	90	154	244	1.0	219	25	11.4
Korea, Republic of (South)	95	145	240	1.0	163	77	47.2
Canada	121	107	228	0.9	218	10	4.6
Egypt	119	108	227	0.9	225	2	0.9
Netherlands	110	93	203	0.8	239	- 36	- 15.1
Hungary	87	102	189	0.8	228	- 39	- 17.1
Israel	97	87	184	0.8	162	22	13.6
Other birthplaces ^(a)	1,803	1,926	3,729	15.3			
Total Overseas-born	11,798	12,601	24,399	100.0	23,181		
Birthplaces not stated	4,410	4,145	8,555		6,619	1,936	29.2
Australia	26,966	29,965	56,931		57,144	- 213	- 0.4
Total Persons in LGA	43,174	46,711	89,885		86,944	2,941	3.4

^(a) Includes Inadequately Described, At sea, Not Elsewhere Classified. Not reported for 2001 due to classification changes making it not comparable.

Table A4 Stonnington LGA: Top 30 Languages other than English Spoken at Home by Gender, 2006, 2001 Census

Language other than English (LOTE)	2006			As % of Tot LOTE	2001	Change 2001– 06	
	Males	Females	Persons		Persons ^(b)	Persons	% Change
Greek	1,927	2,000	3,927	22.4	4,256	- 329	- 7.7
Mandarin	922	1,092	2,014	11.5	1,172	842	71.8
Cantonese	663	813	1,476	8.4	1,460	16	1.1
Italian	575	637	1,212	6.9	1,260	- 48	- 3.8
Russian	279	447	726	4.1	768	- 42	- 5.5
Indonesian	302	304	606	3.5	933	- 327	- 35.0
Hindi	380	212	592	3.4	293	299	102.0
French	227	257	484	2.8	470	14	3.0
Japanese	183	235	418	2.4	449	- 31	- 6.9
Vietnamese	191	210	401	2.3	369	32	8.7
German	190	197	387	2.2	450	- 63	- 14.0
Polish	123	236	359	2.0	384	- 25	- 6.5
Spanish	163	163	326	1.9	268	58	21.6
Turkish	117	122	239	1.4	289	- 50	- 17.3
Thai	89	146	235	1.3	193	42	21.8
Hebrew	109	106	215	1.2	173	42	24.3
Arabic	103	106	209	1.2	198	11	5.6
Korean	86	120	206	1.2	132	74	56.1
Sinhalese	97	104	201	1.1	151	50	33.1
Hungarian	57	119	176	1.0	205	- 29	- 14.1
Serbian	72	103	175	1.0	162	13	8.0
Gujarati	109	64	173	1.0	18	155	861.1
Tamil	94	58	152	0.9	62	90	145.2
Yiddish	54	70	124	0.7	149	- 25	- 16.8
Croatian	45	69	114	0.7	144	- 30	- 20.8
Dutch	49	59	108	0.6	133	- 25	- 18.8
Tagalog	36	60	96	0.5	N/A		
Chinese, nfd	39	49	88	0.5	117	- 29	- 24.8
Persian (excluding Dari)	38	48	86	0.5	N/A		
Telugu	54	30	84	0.5	47	37	78.7
Other Languages ^(a)	957	971	1,928	11.0			
Total LOTE Speakers	8,330	9,207	17,537	100.0	16,547	990	6.0
English Only	30,832	33,882	64,714		64,451	263	0.4
Not Stated	4,012	3,622	7,634		5,946	1,688	28.4
Total Persons in LGA	43,174	46,711	89,885		86,944	2,941	3.4

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Table A5 Glen Eira LGA: Top 30 Overseas-Born, Birthplace by Gender, 2006, 2001 Census

Birthplace	2006				2001	Change 2001– 06	
	Males	Females	Persons	As % of OSB	Persons	Persons	% Change
England	1,812	1,710	3,522	8.9	3,733	- 211	- 5.7
China (excl. SARs & Taiwan)	1,256	1,542	2,798	7.1	1,602	1,196	74.7
India	1,665	1,059	2,724	6.9	1,496	1,228	82.1
South Africa	1,237	1,317	2,554	6.5	1,986	568	28.6
Greece	1,150	1,231	2,381	6.0	2,507	- 126	- 5.0
Poland	962	1,211	2,173	5.5	2,714	- 541	- 19.9
Russian Federation	746	935	1,681	4.3	1,922	- 241	- 12.5
New Zealand	811	833	1,644	4.2	1,662	- 18	- 1.1
Israel	854	770	1,624	4.1	1,318	306	23.2
Ukraine	729	758	1,487	3.8	1,421	66	4.6
Italy	604	634	1,238	3.1	1,398	- 160	- 11.4
Sri Lanka	460	487	947	2.4	968	- 21	- 2.2
Germany	450	489	939	2.4	1,047	- 108	- 10.3
Malaysia	321	417	738	1.9	639	99	15.5
United States of America	296	346	642	1.6	580	62	10.7
Scotland	338	300	638	1.6	723	- 85	- 11.8
Hungary	257	344	601	1.5	662	- 61	- 9.2
Indonesia	277	285	562	1.4	519	43	8.3
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	232	265	497	1.3	528	- 31	- 5.9
Korea, Republic of (South)	204	229	433	1.1	291	142	48.8
Japan	154	273	427	1.1	394	33	8.4
Philippines	125	255	380	1.0	381	- 1	- 0.3
Viet Nam	163	217	380	1.0	339	41	12.1
Egypt	157	188	345	0.9	407	- 62	- 15.2
Ireland	168	165	333	0.8	342	- 9	- 2.6
France	153	154	307	0.8	300	7	2.3
Romania	126	148	274	0.7	298	- 24	- 8.1
Singapore	113	160	273	0.7	259	14	5.4
Austria	115	143	258	0.7	294	- 36	- 12.2
Belarus	129	122	251	0.6	213	38	17.8
Other birthplaces ^(a)	3,106	3,376	6,482	16.4			
Total Overseas-born	19,170	20,363	39,533	100.0	37,594		
Birthplaces not stated	4,758	4,600	9,358		6,903	2,455	35.6
Australia	36,317	38,876	75,193		74,815	378	0.5
Total Persons in LGA	60,245	63,839	124,084		119,312	4,772	4.0

^(a) Includes Inadequately Described, At sea, Not Elsewhere Classified. Not reported for 2001 due to classification changes making it not comparable.

Table A6 Glen Eira LGA: Top 30 Languages other than English Spoken at Home by Gender, 2006, 2001 Census

Language other than English (LOTE)	2006			2001		Change 2001– 06	
	Males	Females	Persons	As % of Tot LOTE	Persons ^(b)	Persons	% change
Greek	2,810	2,970	5,780	18.0	5,763	17	0.3
Russian	2,300	2,521	4,821	15.0	4,945	- 124	- 2.5
Mandarin	1,306	1,549	2,855	8.9	1,503	1,352	90.0
Hebrew	1,221	1,200	2,421	7.5	2,035	386	19.0
Italian	966	1,120	2,086	6.5	2,396	- 310	- 12.9
Cantonese	687	815	1,502	4.7	1,441	61	4.2
Polish	476	668	1,144	3.6	1,323	- 179	- 13.5
Yiddish	457	545	1,002	3.1	1,421	- 419	- 29.5
Hindi	494	298	792	2.5	399	393	98.5
German	267	372	639	2.0	688	- 49	- 7.1
French	261	324	585	1.8	440	145	33.0
Hungarian	234	351	585	1.8	679	- 94	- 13.8
Japanese	221	289	510	1.6	441	69	15.6
Spanish	221	263	484	1.5	407	77	18.9
Indonesian	246	235	481	1.5	453	28	6.2
Arabic	232	212	444	1.4	508	- 64	- 12.6
Korean	205	233	438	1.4	288	150	52.1
Vietnamese	188	212	400	1.2	302	98	32.5
Telugu	235	116	351	1.1	137	214	156.2
Sinhalese	186	162	348	1.1	325	23	7.1
Tamil	192	124	316	1.0	256	60	23.4
Serbian	136	134	270	0.8	282	- 12	- 4.3
Croatian	102	117	219	0.7	239	- 20	- 8.4
Gujarati	115	68	183	0.6	29	154	531.0
Thai	60	118	178	0.6	165	13	7.9
Punjabi	124	44	168	0.5	44	124	281.8
Filipino	59	83	142	0.4	N/A		
Romanian	57	78	135	0.4	130	5	3.8
Chinese, nfd	56	76	132	0.4	188	- 56	- 29.8
Tagalog	41	86	127	0.4	N/A		
Other Languages ^(a)	1,360	1,297	2,657	8.3			
Total LOTE Speakers	15,515	16,680	32,195	100.0	29,952	2,243	7.5
English only	40583	43281	83964		83330	534	0.6
Not stated	4144	3878	8022		6030	1002	33.0
Total persons in LGA	60,242	63,830	124,081		110,312	4769	4.0

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