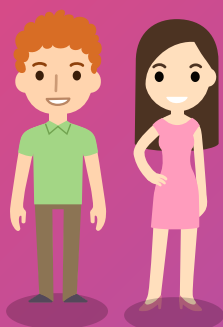


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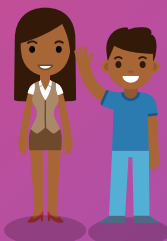
Since 2011, there has been a significant increase in all major ethnic groups. White ethnic groups continue to be the ethnic majority.



White Ethnic Groups

95.3%

Biggest growth is in the White British and White Other ethnic groups



Mixed or Multiple Ethnic Groups

1.7%



Asian, Asian British or Asian Welsh

1.6%



Black, Black British, Black Welsh, Caribbean or African

0.8%



Other Ethnicities

0.6%

Religion

2/3

of people reported their religion as

Christian



Knowsley has the **highest proportion** of people reporting as **Christian** in England & Wales

A decrease of



14%

since 2011

4.8% respondents chose not to answer the religion question

27%

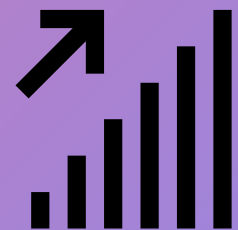
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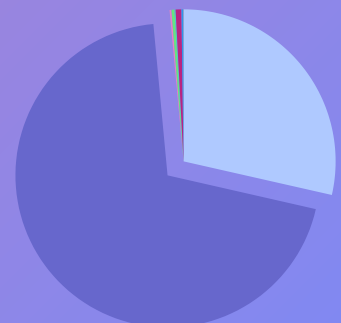
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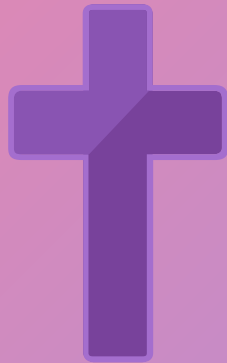
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Census 2021

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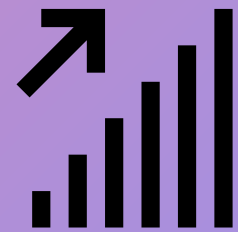
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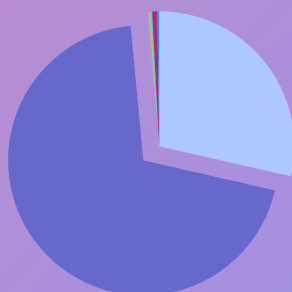
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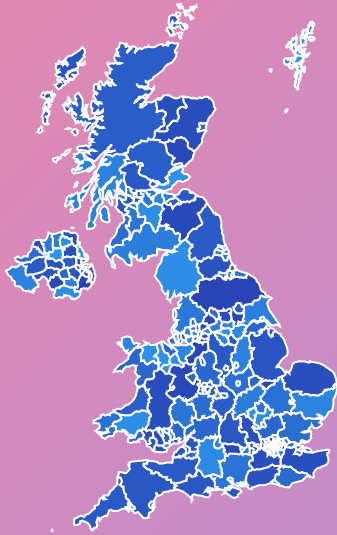
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Nationality



97%

of residents identify as being from the **UK**

Country of Birth

Since 2011, Knowsley has seen an increase in residents born outside of the UK.



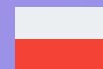
England **93.6%**

Europe **3.8%**

Outside Europe **2.6%**

2nd highest

country of birth in Knowsley is **Poland**



Language

97% of residents reported having **English** as a main language

top ten languages spoken after English



3% of residents reported not having English as a main language

80%

of those **could speak English either very well or well**

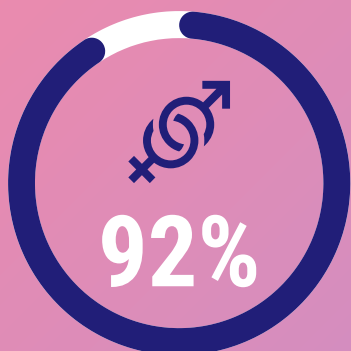
20%

of those were **unable to speak English well or at all**

This is the **same** proportion as England

Census 2021

Sexual Orientation



of residents aged 16 or over identify as **Straight or Heterosexual**

This is **greater than** the North West (90.1%) and England (89.4%) averages



1.5%
of residents identified as **Gay or Lesbian**



0.7%
of residents identified as **Bisexual**



0.1%
of residents identified as **Pansexual**

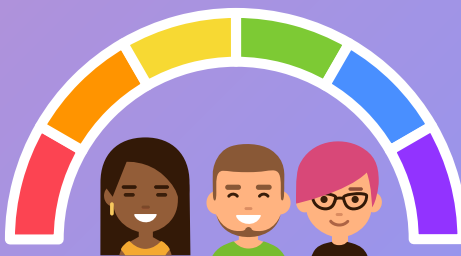
Gender Identity

This is the **first time** the Census has included questions on Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity

0.1%
residents identified as **Trans Women**



0.1%
residents identified as **Trans Men**



The proportion of residents that identify as a different gender from sex registered at birth is the **same** as the national and regional average