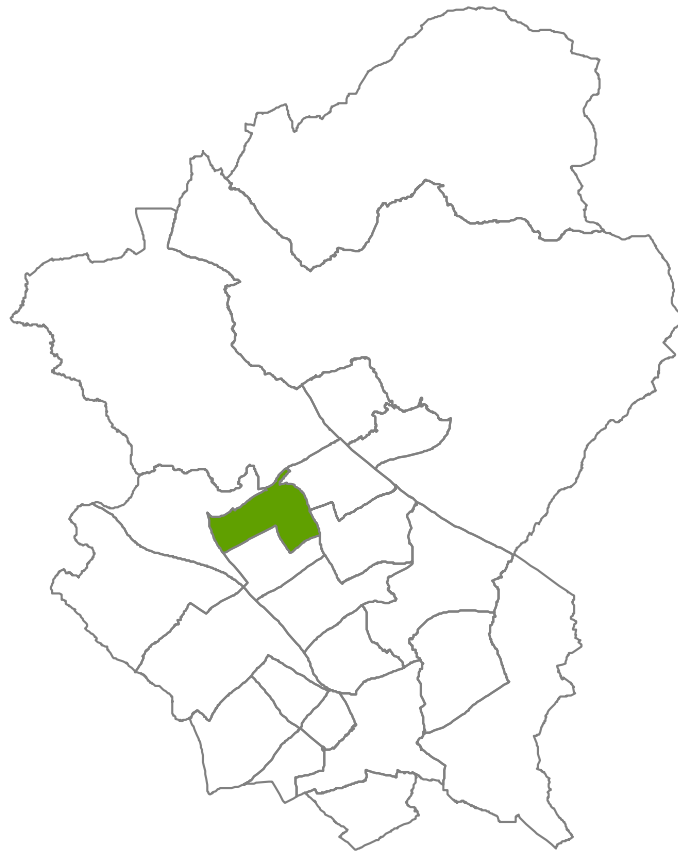


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# Stantonbury Ward 2011 Census Profile



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## 1. Executive Summary

### Population

- The population of Stantonbury in 2011 was 9,470.
- Stantonbury had a relatively small population growth rate. The population grew by 530 people between 2001 and 2011. This is a 5.9% increase, the 7<sup>th</sup> smallest growth rate of all wards in Milton Keynes.
- Stantonbury had a similar age profile to the Milton Keynes average. The average age in Stantonbury was 36 compared with 35 for Milton Keynes.
- The highest growth rate between 2001 and 2011 occurred in the 60-64 year old age group, growing by 88.6%. In contrast the number of people aged 10-14 decreased by 150 people (-21.3%).
- 26.5% of the Stantonbury population were from a black and minority ethnic group. This compares to 13.7% in 2001 and 26.1% for Milton Keynes as a whole.
- The Black African ethnic group had the highest growth in Stantonbury between 2001 and 2011. In 2001 it accounted for 1.4% of the population by 2011 it accounted for 6.6%.
- 18.7% of the population in Stantonbury were born outside of the UK. This is similar to Milton Keynes (18.5%).

### Health

- 625 residents said their day to day activities were limited a lot because of health issues. This is 6.6% of the population compared with 6.4% for Milton Keynes.
- 905 residents in Stantonbury provided some unpaid care a week. This is 9.6% of the population compared with 8.8% in Milton Keynes as a whole.

### Housing

- Stantonbury had a smaller percentage of households with dependent children than Milton Keynes (33.3% compared to 35.0%).
- The percentage of one person households is similar in Stantonbury (25.8%) to Milton Keynes as a whole (25.9%).
- The ward had an average of 2.5 people per household compared with 2.5 in Milton Keynes.
- A larger percentage of dwellings in the ward (32.2%) were semi-detached compared with Milton Keynes (28.1%).
- 13.7% of households in Stantonbury were living in council rented properties. This compares to 11.0% in Milton Keynes as a whole.

- The percentage of households living in private rented accommodation in Stantonbury increased from 7.8% in 2001 to 17.3% in 2011.

### **Transport**

- There were 300 more cars or vans in Stantonbury households in 2011 compared with 2001. This is a 6.9% increase compared to the population growth of 5.9%.

### **Education**

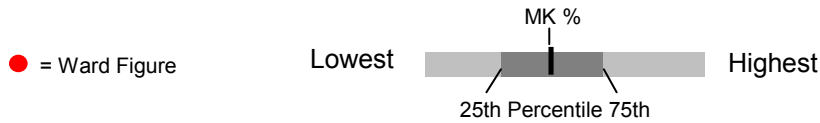
- Levels of qualifications in Stantonbury were significantly lower than the Milton Keynes average; 21.6% had a degree or higher qualification compared with 28.2% in Milton Keynes.
- Although qualifications were lower than Milton Keynes as a whole, levels of qualifications in the ward increased considerably since 2001. In 2001 27.0% of the population had no qualifications by 2011 this had decreased to 20.7%.

### **Economic**

- A smaller percentage (65.3%) of Stantonbury residents aged 16-74 were in employment compared with Milton Keynes (68%).
- There was a fall from 50.8% to 44.7% between 2001 and 2011 in the percentage of the 16-74 year old population in Stantonbury working as full time employees.
- 84.7% of Stantonbury residents in employment were employed in the service sector compared with 85.3% in Milton Keynes as a whole. The wholesale and retail trade industrial sector was the largest employer of Stantonbury residents.
- Residents in Stantonbury were more likely to be classified in semi-routine occupations, routine occupations and never worked and long-term unemployed socio-economic categories than Milton Keynes as a whole.

## Graph 1: Box Plot Showing Key Data

The chart below shows how Stantonbury ward compares with the rest of Milton Keynes in a range of indicators from the 2011 Census. The Stantonbury result for each indicator is shown as a red circle, against the range of results for all wards in Milton Keynes which are shown as a grey bar. The black line indicates the Milton Keynes %.



	Indicator	Ward	Ward %	MK %	MK Low	MK High
Population	Population Growth 2001-2011	529	5.9	17.0	-2.7	189.9
	Aged under 15 years old	1,958	20.7	21.0	15.6	26.1
	Aged 65+	1,048	11.1	11.1	3.9	21.0
	Black & Minority Ethnic Population	2,506	26.5	26.1	7.1	51.1
	Country of Birth Outside UK	1,771	18.7	18.5	6.9	39.3
	All people in HH with English as main language	3,324	88.6	88.7	72.5	97.5
	Religion: Christian	4,986	52.7	52.8	46.6	66.8
Housing	Owner Occupied	2,236	59.6	57.7	29.6	79.3
	Flats	456	11.7	16.2	3.6	40.0
	Households with Dependent Children	1,247	33.3	35.0	27.2	48.0
	Single Person Households	967	25.8	25.9	19.4	30.5
	Lone Parent Households	366	9.8	8.3	3.9	14.1
Economy	Unemployed	408	5.9	4.8	2.5	8.1
	Unemployed: Never Worked	55	0.8	0.5	0.2	1.5
	Economically inactive	1,747	25.1	24.1	16.8	34.0
	In Employment	4,539	65.3	68.0	54.7	76.2
	Service Sector Employment	4,010	84.7	85.3	81.8	88.0
	Managers and Senior Officials	368	7.8	10.9	5.3	20.6
	Elementary Occupations	731	15.4	12.3	6.8	22.8
Education	No Adults in Employment with Dep Children	201	5.4	4.4	1.3	10.8
	No Qualifications	1,527	20.7	18.0	8.6	31.0
	Level 1 Qualification	1,343	18.2	15.9	11.5	20.2
	Level 4 & Higher Qualifications	1,596	21.6	28.2	13.4	40.1
Health	18+ Population who are full time students	297	4.0	3.5	1.9	5.8
	Day to Day Activities Limited a lot	625	6.6	6.4	2.9	11.6
	Bad or Very Bad Health	435	4.6	4.1	2.1	8.3
	Provides Unpaid Care	905	9.6	8.8	6.1	11.6

## 2. Introduction

This document provides a profile of Stantonbury Ward from data released via the 2011 Census. The profile includes data for the ward and comparisons to Milton Keynes and to the 2001 Census figures.

Full 2011 Census tables for Milton Keynes can be found on the MKi Observatory via the link below:

<http://www.mkiobservatory.org.uk/page.aspx?id=1924&siteID=1026>

Full definitions and information on the methodology of the 2011 Census can be viewed on the Office for National Statistics website:

<http://www.ons.gov.uk/ons/guide-method/census/2011/census-data/2011-census-user-guide/index.html>

### 3. Population Size and Age Structure

**Stantonbury had a relatively low population growth rate when compared with Milton Keynes as a whole. The population increased by 530 people (5.9%) to 9,470 between 2001 and 2011.**

In 2011 the population of Stantonbury was 9,470. Table 1 outlines that the population growth in Stantonbury between 2001 and 2011 was lower than for Milton Keynes as a whole. Stantonbury grew by 530 people; this is an increase of 5.9% compared with 17% for Milton Keynes. Out of the 23 wards in Milton Keynes it had the 7<sup>th</sup> smallest population growth rate between 2001 and 2011.

Table 1: Change in Population: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2001 to 2011

	2001 Population	2011 Population	Change	% Change
Stantonbury	8,940	9,469	529	5.9
Milton Keynes	212,700	248,800	36,100	17.0

**Stantonbury had a similar age profile to the Milton Keynes average. The average age in Stantonbury was 36 compared with 35 for Milton Keynes.**

Table 2 shows the age structure of Stantonbury compared with Milton Keynes. It outlines that the ward had a similar age structure to Milton Keynes as a whole. In Stantonbury in 2011 20.7% of the population were aged under 15 compared with 21% in Milton Keynes. 11.1% of the population were aged 65+ compared with 11.1% in Milton Keynes.

Stantonbury had a high percentage of 20-24 year olds. It had the fourth highest percentage (6.3%) of 20-24 years olds of all wards in Milton Keynes.

Table 2: Age Structure: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Rank of % (of 23 wards)	Stantonbury		Milton Keynes
		Persons	%	%
Age 0 to 4	10	757	8.0	8.0
Age 5 to 9	8	650	6.9	6.6
Age 10 to 14	14	551	5.8	6.4
Age 15 to 19	5	617	6.5	5.9
Age 20 to 24	4	600	6.3	5.6
Age 25 to 29	11	687	7.3	7.9
Age 30 to 44	16	2,009	21.2	23.9
Age 45 to 59	10	1,939	20.5	19.3
Age 60 to 64	9	611	6.5	5.3
Age 65 to 74	14	614	6.5	6.2
Age 75 to 84	13	341	3.6	3.4
Age 85 to 89	17	67	0.7	1.0
Age 90 and over	18	26	0.3	0.5
<b>All usual residents</b>		<b>9,469</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

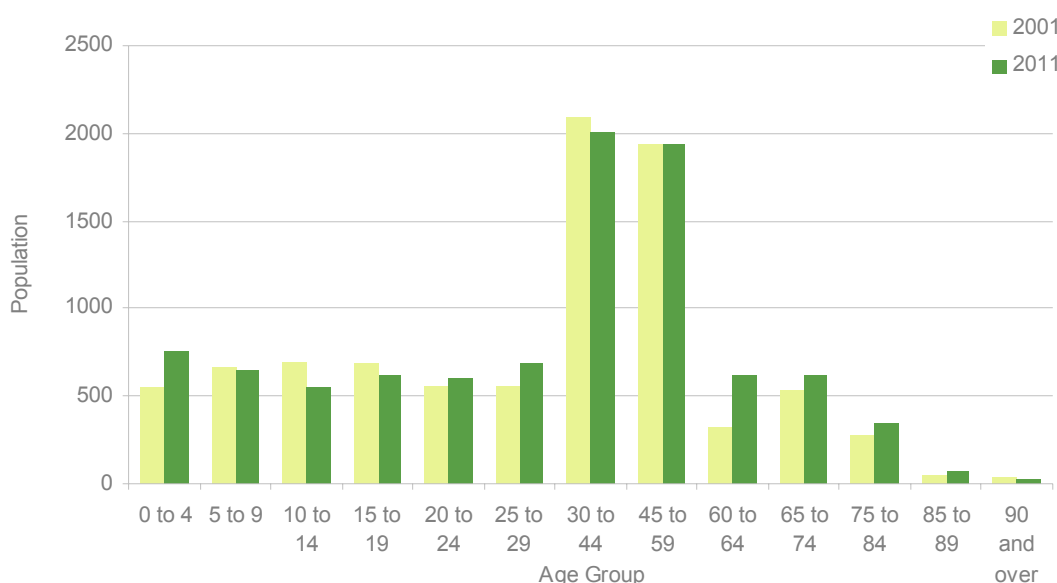
\* The rank is of the % figure and ranked out of all 23 wards in Milton Keynes, with 1 being the highest % and 23 being the lowest %.

**The highest growth rate between 2001 and 2011 in Stantonbury occurred in the 60-64 year old age group.**

Graph 2 shows the change in age structure between 2001 and 2011. It outlines that the highest growth occurred in the 60-64 year old age group. The number of people aged 60-64 grew by 88.6% from 320 people in 2001 to 610 people in 2011. Other age groups that grew significantly include the 0-4 (38.9%) and 85-89 (42.6%) age groups.

The 10-14 year old age group decreased in size by 21.3%. It declined from 700 people to 550.

Graph 2: Age Profile: Stantonbury 2001 and 2011



**4. Ethnicity**

**Stantonbury had a similar sized black and minority ethnic population when compared with Milton Keynes as whole. 26.5% of the population in Stantonbury classified themselves in a black and minority ethnic group compared with 26.1% in Milton Keynes.**

Overall 2,510 people (26.5%) in Stantonbury were from a black and minority ethnic group compared with 26.1% in Milton Keynes.

Table 3 shows the number of people in each ethnic group in Stantonbury compared with Milton Keynes. It outlines that the largest black and minority ethnic group was Black African. 630 people in Stantonbury classified themselves as Black African this is 6.6% of the population, higher than the Milton Keynes figure of 5.2%. The ward had the second highest percentage of Pakistani residents of all wards in Milton Keynes (2.3% compared with 1.5% in Milton Keynes). Stantonbury also had relatively high proportions of Mixed and Other Asian residents.



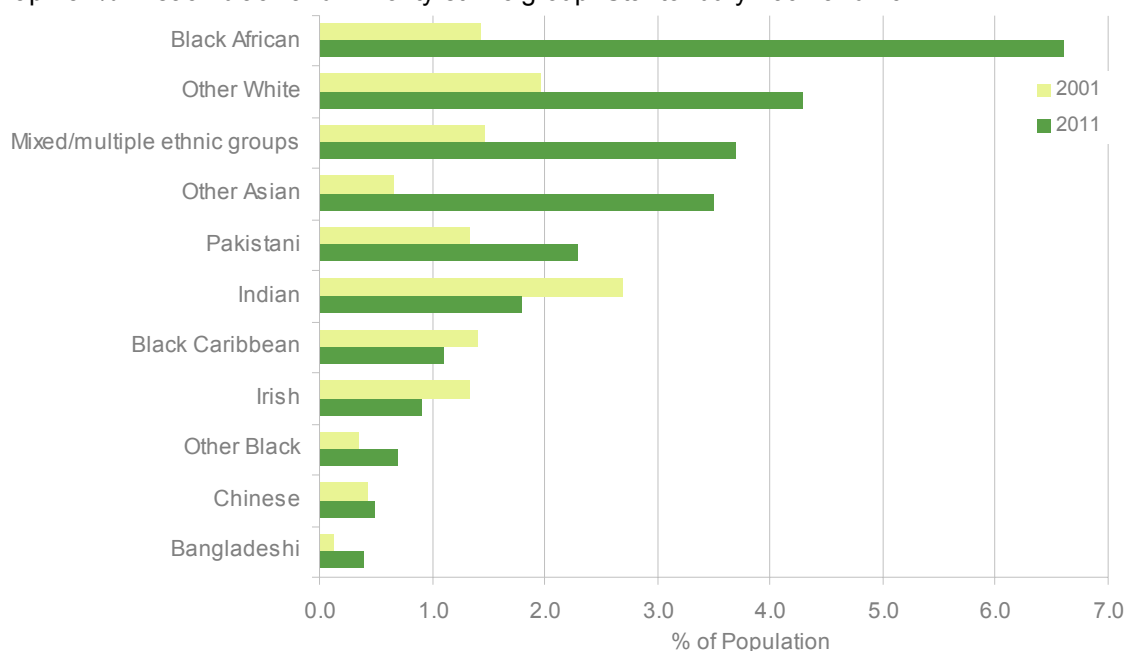
Table 3: Ethnic Group: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

Ethnic Group	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
White: British	6,963	73.5	13	73.9
White: Irish	87	0.9	14	1.0
White: Gypsy or Irish Traveller	7	0.1	3	0.0
White: Other White	410	4.3	11	5.1
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	349	3.7	8	3.3
Asian/Asian British: Indian	166	1.8	13	3.3
Asian/Asian British: Pakistani	214	2.3	2	1.5
Asian/Asian British: Bangladeshi	36	0.4	10	0.8
Asian/Asian British: Chinese	45	0.5	19	1.1
Asian/Asian British: Other Asian	335	3.5	5	2.5
Black/Black British: African	628	6.6	5	5.2
Black/Black British: Caribbean	107	1.1	9	1.0
Black/Black British: Other Black	67	0.7	8	0.6
Other Ethnic Group: Arab	14	0.1	12	0.2
Other ethnic group	41	0.4	13	0.4
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>9,469</b>	<b>100</b>		<b>100.0</b>

**The population is becoming more ethnically diverse. In 2001 13.7% of the population were from a black and minority ethnic group compared with 26.5% in 2011.**

Graph 3 outlines that there were a number of ethnic groups in Stantonbury which experienced very high population growth between 2001 and 2011. The Black African ethnic group had the highest growth in Stantonbury between 2001 and 2011. In 2001 it accounted for 1.4% of the population by 2011 it accounted for 6.6%, this is an increase from 130 people to 630. Other ethnic groups which increased significantly between 2001 and 2011 include Other White (2.0% to 4.3%), Other Asian (0.7% to 3.5%) and Mixed (1.5% to 3.7%).

Graph 3: % in each black and minority ethnic group: Stantonbury 2001 and 2011



## 5. Country of Birth

**18.7% of the population in Stantonbury were born outside of the UK. This is similar to Milton Keynes as a whole (18.5%).**

18.7% of the population in Stantonbury were born outside of the UK; this is a total of 1,770 people. Stantonbury had the tenth highest percentage of its population born outside of the UK of all wards in Milton Keynes. Table 4 shows the country of birth for Stantonbury residents compared with Milton Keynes.

0.7% of the Stantonbury population were born in Ireland and 2.1% were born in EU member states as at March 2001. 240 people were born in 2001-2011 EU accession countries; this is 2.5% of the population the same as Milton Keynes as a whole (2.5%). 1,260 people (13.3%) were born outside of the EU, similar to the Milton Keynes figure of 13.0%.

Table 4: Country of Birth: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
England	7,385	78.0	14	78.1
Northern Ireland	52	0.5	4	0.4
Scotland	178	1.9	15	2.0
Wales	80	0.8	19	1.0
United Kingdom not otherwise specified	3	0.0	3	0.0
<b>UK Total</b>	<b>7,698</b>	<b>81.3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>81.5</b>
Republic of Ireland	71	0.7	12	0.8
Other EU: Member countries in March 2001	195	2.1	9	2.2
Other EU: Accession countries April 2001 to March 2011	241	2.5	7	2.5
<b>EU Total</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5.6</b>
<b>Other countries</b>	<b>1,264</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13.0</b>
<b>Total Outside UK</b>	<b>1,771</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>18.5</b>

The number of Stantonbury residents born outside of the UK increased from 880 people to 1,770 between 2001 and 2011.

**510 people living in Stantonbury had been living in the UK for less than five years.**

5.4% of the total Stantonbury population had lived in the UK for less than five years, the same as Milton Keynes as a whole (5.4%).

Table 5: Length of UK Residence: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Born in the UK	7,698	81.3	14.0	81.5
Resident in UK: Less than 2 years	159	1.7	8.0	1.9
Resident in UK: 2 years or more but less than 5 years	354	3.7	6.0	3.5
Resident in UK: 5 years or more but less than 10 years	477	5.0	9.0	4.8
Resident in UK: 10 years or more	781	8.2	12.0	8.3
Total	9,469	100		100

## 6. Household Language

**6.5% of households in Stantonbury had no adult who had English as their main language compared with 6.4% in Milton Keynes.**

88.6% of households in Stantonbury had all adults in the household with English as their main language and 93.5% had at least one adult with English as their main language.

240 households had no adult who had English as their main language. This is 6.5% of the population.

Table 6: Household Language: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Households	%	Rank	%
All people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language	3,324	88.6	12	88.7
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language	183	4.9	12	4.9
No people aged 16 and over in household but at least one person aged 3 to 15 has English as a main language	68	1.8	4	1.3
No people in household have English as a main language	175	4.7	11	5.1
All Households	3,750	100		100

## 7. Religion

**52.7% of the Stantonbury population stated they were Christian, 5.1% Muslim and 2.9% Hindu. 30.7% of the population in Stantonbury stated they had no religion.**

Table 7 shows the number of people in each religious group in Stantonbury compared with Milton Keynes. It outlines that the largest religious group in Milton Keynes was Christian which accounted for 52.7% of the population, this is similar to Milton Keynes as a whole (52.8%).

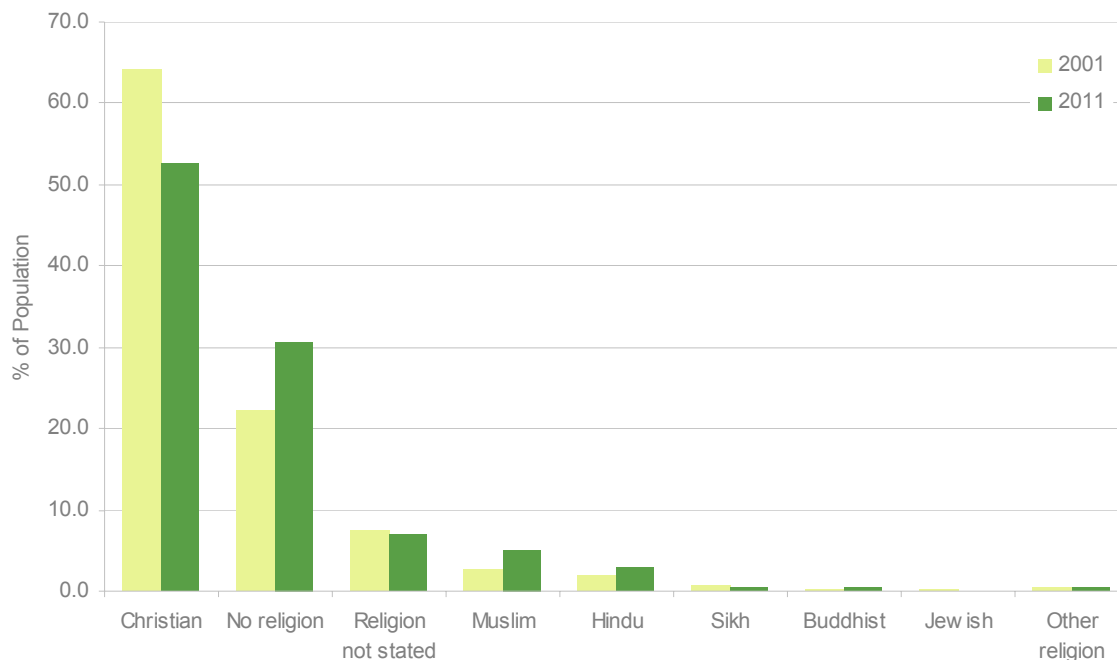
Table 7: Religion: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Christian	4,986	52.7	11	52.8
No religion	2,906	30.7	14	31.3
Religion not stated	651	6.9	8	6.6
Muslim	484	5.1	7	4.8
Hindu	279	2.9	9	2.8
Sikh	51	0.5	8	0.6
Buddhist	51	0.5	8	0.5
Jewish	10	0.1	20	0.2
Other religion	51	0.5	8	0.5
Total	9,469	100		100

480 people in the ward identified themselves as Muslim this is 5.1% of the population compared with 4.8% in Milton Keynes.

Graph 4 outlines the changes in religion in Stantonbury between 2001 and 2011. It shows that there was a decline in the percentage of the population that stated they were Christian (64.2% to 52.7%) and an increase in the percentage that stated they had no religion (22.2% to 30.7%), Muslim (2.6% to 5.1%) and Hindu (1.9% to 2.9%).

Graph 4: % of Stantonbury Population by Religion 2001 and 2011



## 8. Health

**6.6% of residents in Stantonbury said their day to day activities were limited a lot because of health issues. This compares to 6.4% in Milton Keynes as a whole.**

The 2011 Census asked two questions on the health of residents. Both questions highlight that a slightly larger percentage of the population in Stantonbury felt that they had fair health when compared to Milton Keynes.

### 1. Are your day-to-day activities limited because of a health problem or disability which has lasted, or is expected to last, at least 12 months?

625 people stated their day-to-day activities were limited a lot due to health; this is 6.6% of population compared with 6.4% in Milton Keynes. In total 14.6% of residents in Stantonbury stated they were limited a lot or a little. This compares to 13.9% in Milton Keynes.

Table 8: Health - Day-to-day activities: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Day-to-day activities limited a lot	625	6.6	12	6.4
Day-to-day activities limited a little	761	8.0	12	7.5
Day-to-day activities not limited	8,083	85.4	11	86.1

## 2. How is your health in general?

435 respondents in Stantonbury felt their general health was bad or very bad. This is 4.6% of the population compared with 4.1% of the Milton Keynes population. 83.7% of residents in the ward felt they had good or very good health compared with 85.1% in Milton Keynes.

Table 9: Health – General health status: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Very good health	4,445	46.9	13	50.2
Good health	3,484	36.8	6	34.9
Fair health	1,105	11.7	12	10.8
Bad health	358	3.8	6	3.2
Very bad health	77	0.8	16	0.9

The 2011 Census questions on health were different to the 2001 Census and therefore can not be directly compared.

Health status is very strongly correlated to age. Residents in the older age groups tend to be less healthy than younger age groups. Therefore to make robust comparisons between areas health by age is needed.

## 9. Carers

**905 residents in Stantonbury provided some unpaid care a week. This is 9.6% of the population compared with 8.8% in Milton Keynes as a whole.**

The 2011 Census asked respondents if they provided some unpaid care each week to others either because of a long term disability or old age. The results show that around 905 people in Stantonbury provided some unpaid care. This is 9.6% of the population, higher than the Milton Keynes figure of 8.8%.

Table 10 shows the number of hours of unpaid care residents undertook each week. It outlines that around 340 people undertook more than 20 hours of unpaid care each week with 200 of those undertaking more than 50 hours.

Table 10: Provision of unpaid care: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

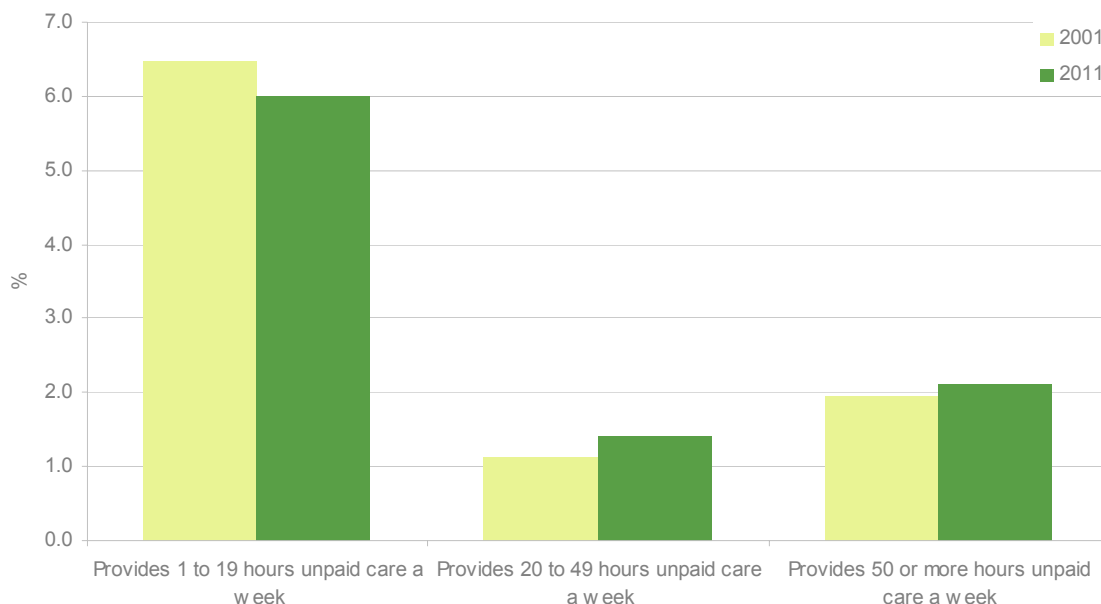
	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Provides no unpaid care	8,564	90.4	14	91.2
Provides 1 to 19 hours unpaid care a week	565	6.0	13	5.6
Provides 20 to 49 hours unpaid care a week	137	1.4	6	1.2
Provides 50 or more hours unpaid care a week	203	2.1	8	1.9

**The number of Stantonbury residents providing unpaid care increased by 50 people (6.0%) between 2001 and 2011.**

The number of Stantonbury residents providing unpaid care grew from 850 in 2001 to 905 in 2011. As a percentage of the ward's population it remained the same.

Graph 5 outlines that those that were providing unpaid care were doing so with greater hours. 3.6% of the population provided unpaid care for 20 or more hours a week compared with 3.1% in 2001.

Graph 5: % of Stantonbury residents providing care: 2001 and 2011



## 10. Living Arrangements

**Stantonbury had a smaller percentage of residents living as a couple compared to Milton Keynes as a whole.**

4,230 residents aged 16 and over in Stantonbury were living as a couple this is 57.3% compared to 60.4% for Milton Keynes. 1,850 (25.1%) residents were single (never married) whilst 580 people (7.9%) were divorced.

Table 11: Living Arrangements: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

		Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
		Persons	%	Rank	%
Living in a Couple	Married	3,254	44.1	18	46.7
	Cohabiting	972	13.2	12	13.7
	Single (never married)	1,851	25.1	8	24.0
Not Living in a Couple	Married	119	1.6	8	1.6
	Separated (but still legally married)	225	3.0	4	2.6
	Divorced	583	7.9	2	6.7
	Widowed	380	5.1	14	4.7
<b>All usual residents aged 16 and over in households</b>		<b>7,384</b>	<b>100</b>		<b>100.0</b>

## 11. Household Composition

### Stantonbury had a lower percentage of households with dependent children than Milton Keynes as a whole.

There were 3,750 households in Stantonbury in 2011. 360 (9.5%) of these households were one person pensioner household, this compares to 8.7% for Milton Keynes as a whole. In total 25.8% of households in the ward were one person households compared with 25.9% for Milton Keynes.

In total 1,250 (33.3%) households in Stantonbury had dependent children this compares to 35.0% in Milton Keynes.

370 households, or 9.8%, in Stantonbury were lone parent households with dependent children. This compares to 8.3% in Milton Keynes as a whole.

Table 12: Household composition: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Households	%	Rank	%
One person household: Aged 65 and over	358	9.5	12	8.7
One person household: Other	609	16.2	13	17.2
One Family All aged 65 and over	191	5.1	14	5.5
Married or same-sex civil partnership couple: Dependent children	575	15.3	15	18.5
Married or same-sex civil partnership couple: No dependent children	723	19.3	12	18.6
Cohabiting couple: Dependent children	161	4.3	15	4.9
Cohabiting couple: No dependent children	249	6.6	11	6.6
Lone parent: Dependent children	366	9.8	5	8.3
Lone Parent: All children non-dependent	178	4.7	3	3.3
Other household types: With dependent children	145	3.9	5	3.2
Other household types: All full-time students	4	0.1	2	0.1
Other household types: All aged 65 and over	4	0.1	15	0.1
Other household types: Other	187	5.0	8	5.0
<b>All households</b>	<b>3,750</b>	<b>100</b>		<b>100</b>

### The percentage of households with dependent children in Stantonbury decreased from 35.0% in 2001 to 33.3% in 2011.

Table 13 outlines how household composition changed between 2001 and 2011. The percentage of households with dependent children fell from 35.0% of households to 33.3%.

The number of lone parent households with dependent children increased from 290 to 370 between 2001 and 2011 and the percentage increased from 8.2% to 9.8%.

Table 13: Household composition: Stantonbury 2011 – 2001

	2011		2001
	Households	%	%
One person household: Aged 65 and over	358	9.5	9.4
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Other household types: Other	187	5.0	3.6
<b>All households</b>	<b>3,750</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

## 12. Rooms and Bedrooms

**The ward had an average of 2.5 people per household compared with 2.5 in Milton Keynes.**

The ward's average household size of 2.5 was similar to Milton Keynes as a whole. The average household size in the ward remained the same between 2001 and 2011.

Stantonbury had a smaller average number of rooms per household than Milton Keynes. There was an average of 5.3 rooms per household compared with 5.5 in Milton Keynes.

Table 14: Average household size: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury		Milton Keynes
	Average	Rank	
Average household size	2.5	9	2.5
Average number of rooms per household	5.3	16	5.5
Average number of bedrooms per household	2.8	10	2.8

**230 households in Stantonbury lived in over occupied accommodation.**

The 2011 Census also estimates the number of households with a high occupancy rating. An occupancy rating of -1 implies that a household had one less room/bedroom than required. Table 15 shows that Stantonbury had around 230 households (6.1%) which were over occupied in terms of bedrooms. This is higher than the Milton Keynes figure of 5.1%.



Table 15: Occupancy rating: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Households	%	Rank	%
Occupancy rating (rooms) of -1 or less	303	8.1	12	9.6
Occupancy rating (bedrooms) of -1 or less	228	6.1	5	5.1

Over occupancy in terms of rooms increased between 2001 and 2011. In 2001 270 (7.6%) households had an occupancy rating of -1 or less, in 2011 it had risen to 300 (8.1%). This is a trend that is seen nationally.

### 13. Accommodation Type

#### A larger percentage of dwellings were classified as semi-detached and terraced properties in Stantonbury than Milton Keynes as a whole.

There were 3,890 dwellings in Stantonbury in 2011. The 2011 Census asked residents what type of dwelling they lived in. A larger percentage (32.2%) of dwellings in the ward were semi-detached compared with Milton Keynes (28.1%). There were also a large number of terraced properties (29.6% compared with 27.4% in Milton Keynes)

Stantonbury had a smaller percentage of flats than Milton Keynes as a whole (11.7% compared to 16.2%).

Table 16: Accommodation Type: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Dwellings	%	Rank	%
Whole house or bungalow: Detached	1,027	26.4	14	28.2
Whole house or bungalow: Semi-detached	1,254	32.2	6	28.1
Whole house or bungalow: Terraced (including end-terrace)	1,151	29.6	7	27.4
Flat: Purpose-built block of flats or tenement	420	10.8	13	14.8
Flat: Part of a converted or shared house (including bed-sits)	33	0.8	10	0.9
Flat: In commercial building	3	0.1	22	0.4
Caravan or other mobile or temporary structure	1	0.0	16	0.1
All dwellings	3,889	100		100

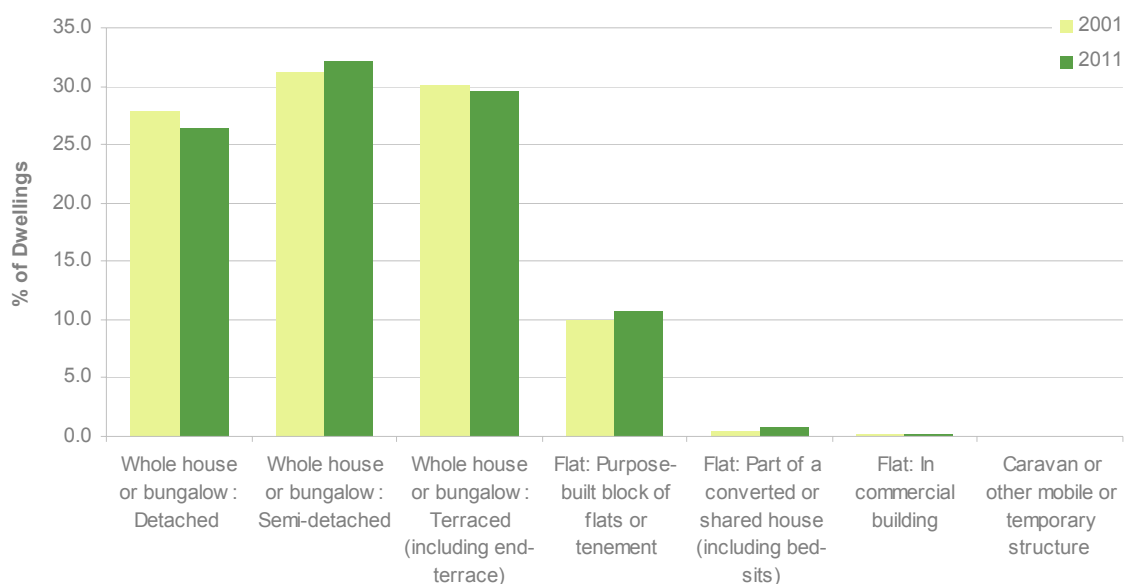
#### A growing percentage of dwellings in the ward were flats. 10.7% of dwellings in the ward were flats in 2001, this compares to 11.7% in 2011.

Overall the number of dwellings in Stantonbury grew from 3,640 in 2001 to 3,890 in 2011. This is an increase of 250 dwellings or 6.8%.

The number of flats in Stantonbury grew by 17.2% between 2001 and 2011 from 390 to 460 in 2011. Graph 6 outlines that the percentage of dwelling which were flats increased from 10.7% in 2001 to 11.7% in 2011; this is a trend which is observed nationally.

The percentage of houses/bungalows in Stantonbury decreased from 89.3% of all dwellings to 88.2%.

Graph 6: Dwellings by type: Stantonbury 2001 – 2011



## 14. Tenure

**13.7% of households in Stantonbury were living in council rented properties. This compares to 11.0% in Milton Keynes as a whole.**

Overall 59.6% of households in Stantonbury were owner occupied; this is higher than the figure for Milton Keynes as a whole of 57.7%.

510 households (13.7%) lived in council rented accommodation compared to 11.0% in Milton Keynes. Stantonbury had a smaller percentage of households in other social rented accommodation than Milton Keynes. There were 210 households in social rented housing other than from the council accounting for 5.6% of households.

650 households were in private rented accommodation (including living rent free); this is 17.3% of households compared with 18.3% in Milton Keynes.

Table 17: Tenure: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Households	%	Rank	%
Owned: Owned outright	880	23.5	12	21.5
Owned: Owned with a mortgage or loan	1,356	36.2	13	36.3
Shared ownership (part owned and part rented)	141	3.8	12	6.1
Social rented: Rented from council (Local Authority)	514	13.7	9	11.0
Social rented: Other	210	5.6	12	7.1
Private rented: Private landlord or letting agency	582	15.5	10	16.2
Private rented: Other	35	0.9	14	1.2
Living rent free	32	0.9	13	0.9
Total	3,750	100		100

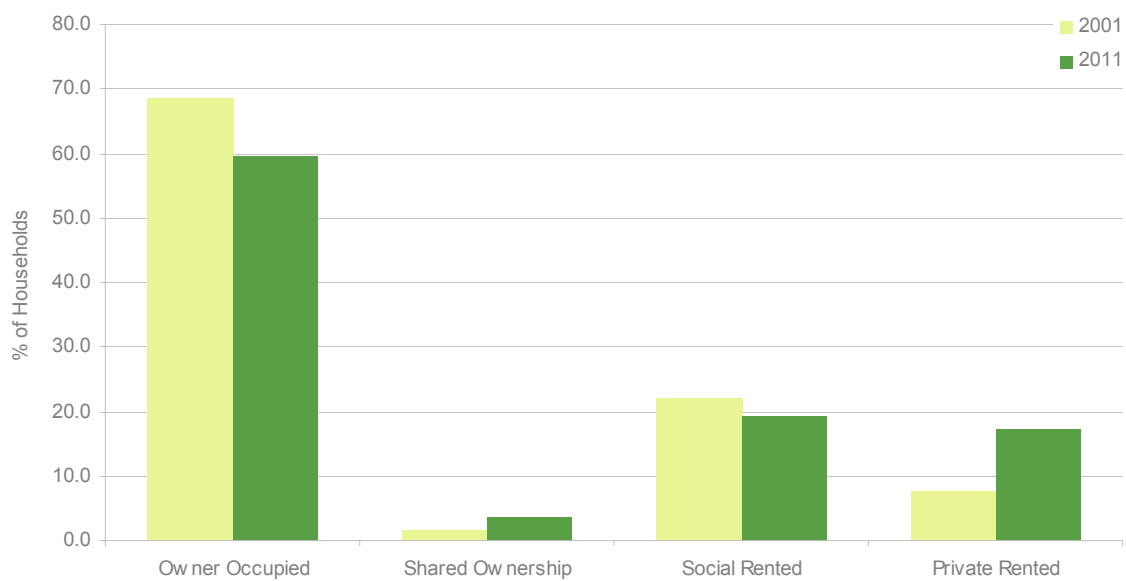
**The percentage of households living in private rented accommodation in Stantonbury increased from 7.8% in 2001 to 17.3% in 2011.**

The number of households living in private rented accommodation increased by 134%, from 280 households to 650 between 2001 and 2011. It increased from 7.8% of all households in 2001 to 17.3% in 2011.

The number of households living in social rented accommodation decreased from 790 in 2001 to 720 in 2011. As a percentage of all dwellings it decreased from 22.0% to 19.3%.

There was a large decrease in the percentage of households living in owner occupied properties in Stantonbury from 68.6% in 2001 to 59.6% in 2011.

Graph 7: Tenure: Stantonbury 2001 – 2011



## 15. Communal Establishments and Residents

**There were 0 residents of communal establishments in Stantonbury Ward.**

There were 0 communal establishments in the ward.

Table 18: Communal Establishment Residents

	Stantonbury		Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	%
All communal establishments	0	-	-
All usual residents in communal establishments	0	-	-
NHS: General hospital	0	-	4.0
NHS: Mental health hospital/unit (including secure units)	0	-	0.2
NHS: Other hospital	0	-	0.0
Local Authority: Children's home (including secure units)	0	-	0.2
Medical & care establishment: Local Authority: Care home or other home	0	-	1.5
Medical & care establishment: Registered Social Landlord/Housing Association	0	-	0.0
Medical & care establishment: Other: Care home with nursing	0	-	33.2
Medical & care establishment: Other: Care home without nursing	0	-	27.0
Medical & care establishment: Other: Children's home (including secure units)	0	-	1.5
Medical & care establishment: Other	0	-	5.1
Other establishments	0	-	26.2
Establishment not stated	0	-	1.1

## 16. Car or Van Availability

**20.7% of households in Stantonbury had no cars or vans in the household. This is the ninth highest percentage of all wards in Milton Keynes.**

In total in 2011 there were 4,660 cars or vans in households in Stantonbury compared with 4,360 in 2001. However 780 households in the ward had no car or van. This is 20.7% of all households, compared with 18.9% in Milton Keynes.

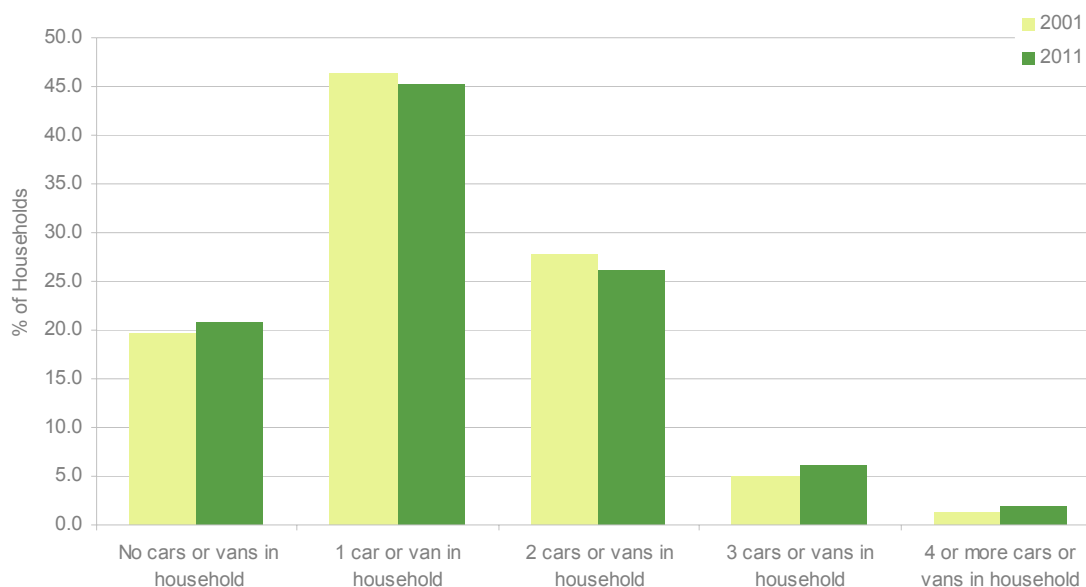
Table 19: Number of Cars and Vans in Households: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Households	%	Rank	%
No cars or vans in household	776	20.7	9	18.9
1 car or van in household	1,695	45.2	4	43.2
2 cars or vans in household	977	26.1	17	29.8
3 cars or vans in household	229	6.1	14	6.1
4 or more cars or vans in household	73	1.9	14	1.9
All cars or vans in the area	4,661	-	-	-

There was an average of 1.2 cars per household in Stantonbury compared to 1.3 cars per household in Milton Keynes.

Graph 8 outlines that between 2001 and 2011 the percentage of households with no car/van increased slightly whilst the percentage of households with 1 or 2 cars/vans decreased. The percentage of households with 3 or more cars also increased slightly.

Graph 8: Number of Cars and Vans in Households: Stantonbury 2001 – 2011



## 18. Qualifications and Students

**Levels of qualifications in Stantonbury were significantly lower than the Milton Keynes average; 21.6% had a degree or higher qualification compared with 28.2% in Milton Keynes.**

Table 20 shows the highest level of qualifications for residents aged 16+. It outlines that roughly 1,530 people aged 16+ in Stantonbury had no qualifications. This is 20.7% of the population and is higher than the Milton Keynes average of 18.0%.

About 1,600 people aged 16+ in the ward had a degree or higher qualification. This is 21.6% of the population, lower than the Milton Keynes average of 28.2%.

Table 20: Highest level of qualifications for residents aged 16+: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
No qualifications	1,527	20.7	7	18.0
Level 1 qualifications	1,343	18.2	4	15.9
Level 2 qualifications	1,288	17.4	7	16.7
Apprenticeship	257	3.5	13	3.4
Level 3 qualifications	866	11.7	10	11.5
Level 4 qualifications and above	1,596	21.6	18	28.2
Other qualifications	507	6.9	6	6.3

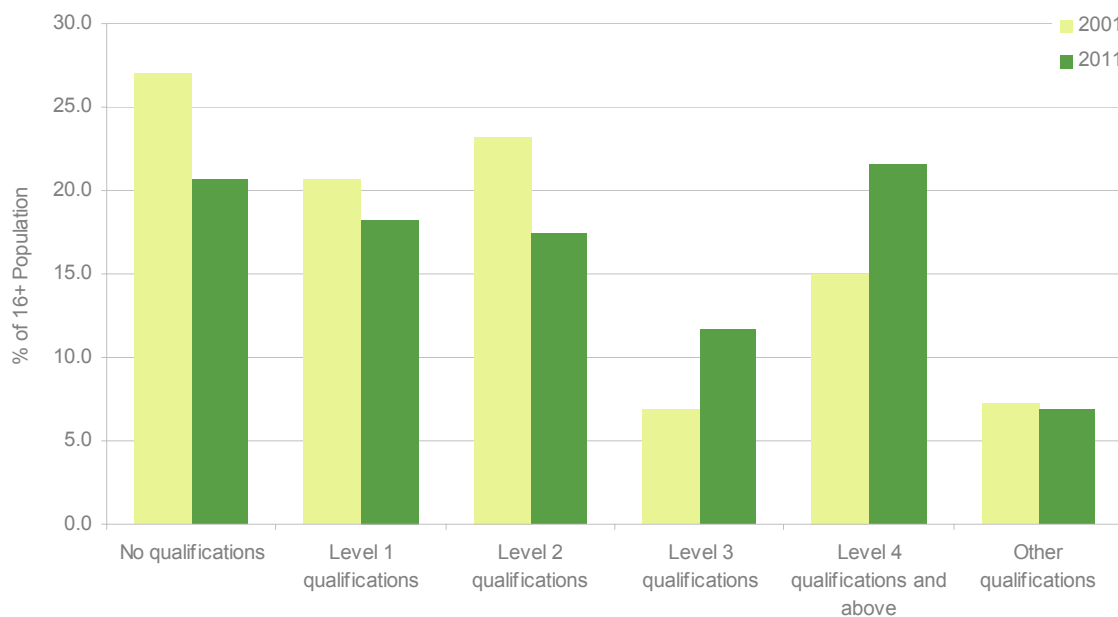
### Definitions:

**Level 1 qualifications:** 1-4 GCSEs or equivalent. **Level 2 qualifications:** 5+ GCSEs Level (A\*-C) or equivalent; **Level 3 qualifications:** 2+ A Levels or equivalent; **Level 4+ qualifications:** Degree and higher or equivalent.

## Levels of qualifications in Stantonbury increased significantly between 2001 and 2011.

Although qualifications were lower than Milton Keynes as a whole, levels of qualifications in the ward increased considerably between 2001 and 2011. Graph 9 outlines how levels of qualifications changed since 2001. In 2001 15.0% of residents aged 16+ had a degree or higher, by 2011 this had increased to 21.6%. In 2001 27.0% of the population had no qualifications by 2011 this had decreased to 20.7%.

Graph 9: Highest Level of qualifications of the residents aged 16+: Stantonbury 2001- 2011



## Stantonbury had a larger percentage of students aged 18+ than Milton Keynes.

Table 21 shows that there were 300 people aged 18 and over in full time education resident in the ward. This is 4.0% of the population, higher than the Milton Keynes average of 3.5%.

Table 21: Number of full time students: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Schoolchildren and full-time students: Age 16 to 17	226	3.1	6	2.9
Schoolchildren and full-time students: Age 18 and over	297	4.0	5	3.5

## 19. Economic Activity

**A smaller percentage (65.3%) of Stantonbury residents aged 16-74 were in employment compared with Milton Keynes (68%).**

Table 22 outlines that the population aged 16-74 can be broken down into two broad categories:

### 1. Economically Active: People that were in work or looking and available for work.

5,200 people in the Stantonbury were economically active. This is 74.9% of the 16-74 year old population slightly smaller than the Milton Keynes figure of 75.9%. The percentage of the population that worked as full time employees was lower in Stantonbury compared with Milton Keynes as a whole. 3,105 residents in the ward were full time employees; this is 44.7% of the 16-74 year old population lower than the Milton Keynes average of 46.3%. 540 residents (7.7%) in Milton Keynes were self employed; this is a smaller percentage than the Milton Keynes average (8.7%).

There were 410 unemployed people in Stantonbury which accounted for 5.9% of the population, higher than the Milton Keynes rate of 4.8%.

### 2. Economically Inactive: People that were not in work and were not looking and available for work.

Stantonbury had a slightly larger percentage of the 16-74 population who were economically inactive. 25.1% of the ward's 16-74 population were economically inactive compared with 24.1% in Milton Keynes as a whole. This is due to a larger percentage of the 16-74 year old population being retired, student, looking after home or family or long term sick or disabled.

Table 22: Economic activity of residents aged 16-74: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

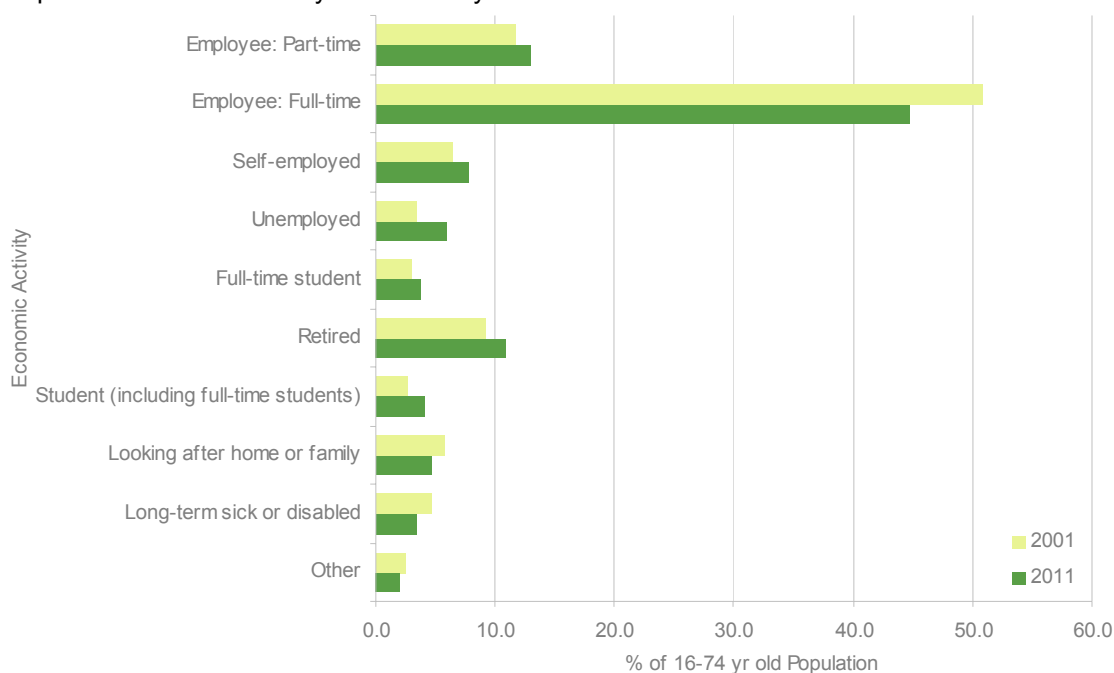
	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
<b>Economically Active</b>	<b>5,203</b>	<b>74.9</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>75.9</b>
Employee: Part-time	896	12.9	16	13.0
Employee: Full-time	3,105	44.7	14	46.3
Self-employed	538	7.7	18	8.7
Unemployed	408	5.9	6	4.8
Full-time student	256	3.7	2	3.1
<b>Economically Inactive</b>	<b>1,747</b>	<b>25.1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>24.1</b>
Retired	756	10.9	13	10.3
Student (including full-time students)	286	4.1	8	3.9
Looking after home or family	326	4.7	6	4.6
Long-term sick or disabled	241	3.5	8	3.2
Other	138	2.0	8	2.1

**There was a fall in the percentage of 16-74 year old population working as full time employees in Stantonbury between 2001 and 2011.**

Graph 10 outlines that the percentage of the 16-74 population employed as full time employees decreased from 50.8% in 2001 to 44.7% in 2011. However, there was an increase in the percentage of people in part time employment and self employment which offsets this decrease to some degree. This is a trend experienced nationally.

The percentage of people who were unemployed increased from 3.5% to 5.9%, whilst the percentage of people who were economically inactive remained roughly the same between 2001 and 2011.

Graph 10: Economic Activity: Stantonbury 2001 – 2011



Economic activity is strongly correlated to age. Middle aged people tend to be more economically active than younger people (who may be students) and older people (who were more likely to be retired etc). Therefore to make robust comparisons between areas economic activity by age is needed.

**20. Hours Worked**

**Three quarters of Stantonbury residents in employment worked full time hours whilst a quarter worked part time.**

The 2011 Census asked those in employment how many hours they worked a week. Table 23 outlines that in total 1,210 of the ward’s residents worked part time hours this is 25.6%.

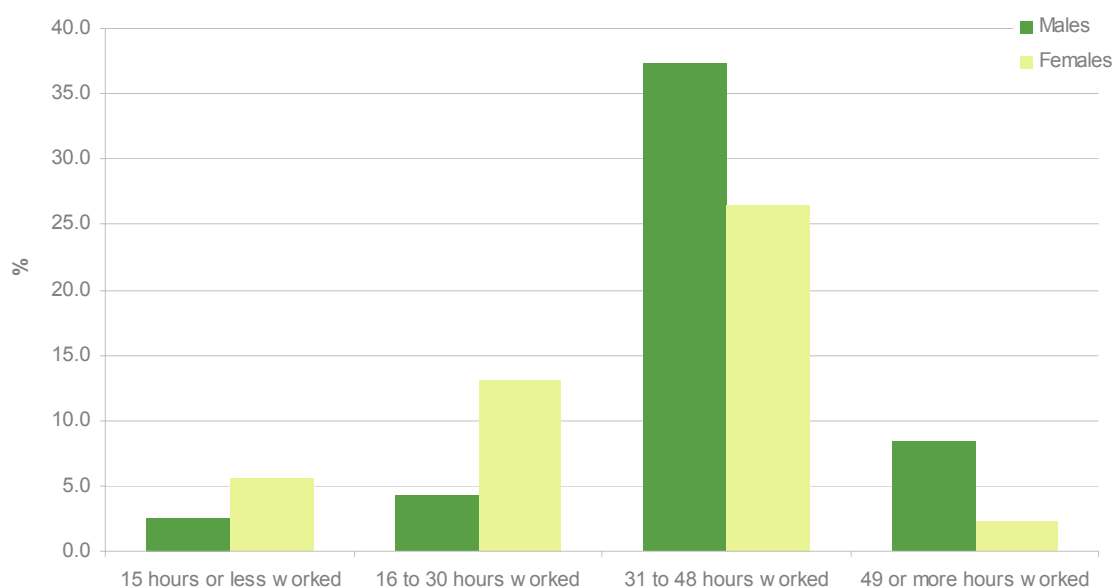


Table 23: Hours worked: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Part-time: 15 hours or less worked	388	8.2	15	8.2
Part-time: 16 to 30 hours worked	822	17.4	7	16.5
Full-time: 31 to 48 hours worked	3,018	63.8	6	62.4
Full-time: 49 or more hours worked	505	10.7	19	12.9

Graph 11 outlines that females were more likely to be in part time employment than males. 39.4% of female Stantonbury residents in employment were in part time employment compared with just 13.1% of males.

Graph 11: Hours worked by gender: Stantonbury 2011



## 21. Industry

**84.7% of Stantonbury residents in employment were employed in the service sector compared with 85.3% in Milton Keynes as a whole.**

4,010 Stantonbury residents were employed in the service sector. This is 84.7% of employment compared with 85.3% in Milton Keynes as a whole. 390 Stantonbury residents were employed in the manufacturing sector; this is 8.3% of those in employment. A larger percentage of residents were employed in 'other' industries such as construction in the ward compared with Milton Keynes.

**The wholesale and retail trade industrial sector was the largest employer of Stantonbury residents.**

Table 24 provides more detail on the industry of employment in Stantonbury and Milton Keynes. It shows that the wholesale and retail trade was the largest employer of residents in the ward. 1,060 residents were employed in this sector; this is 22.3% of people in employment compared with 20.6% in Milton Keynes. Education, health and social work and public administration, defence and compulsory social security employs 1,100 people (23.2%).

The wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles/cycles, transport and storage and administrative and support service activities were larger in Stantonbury than Milton Keynes as a whole. The education, information and communication and professional, scientific and technical activities were in smaller proportions compared with Milton Keynes.

Table 24: Industry of Employment: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles/cycles	1,056	22.3	6	20.6
Education	472	10.0	16	10.5
Human health and social work activities	433	9.1	11	9.3
Manufacturing	392	8.3	10	8.0
Transport and storage	377	8.0	7	6.5
Administrative and support service activities	310	6.5	5	5.4
Construction	282	6.0	12	5.7
Information and communication	265	5.6	13	6.4
Professional, scientific and technical activities	242	5.1	20	6.6
Financial and insurance activities	216	4.6	13	5.2
Accommodation and food service activities	201	4.2	12	4.5
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	193	4.1	17	4.5
Other	191	4.0	21	4.4
Real estate activities	54	1.1	12	1.2
Water supply sewerage waste management and remediation activities	34	0.7	3	0.5
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	8	0.2	15	0.2
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	6	0.1	10	0.2
Mining and quarrying	1	0.0	21	0.1
Total	4,733	100		100

The 2011 Census table on industry of employment is different to the 2001 Census and therefore can not be compared.

## 22. Occupation

**7.8% of residents in Stantonbury were employed in manager, director and senior official occupations and 15.4% in elementary occupations.**

A lower percentage of employees (7.8%) were employed in the managerial occupations in Stantonbury compared with Milton Keynes as a whole (10.9%). 730 residents were employed in elementary occupations. This is 15.4% of those in employment and is significantly higher than the Milton Keynes average of 12.3%.

A smaller percentage of people in employment in Stantonbury were employed in managers, directors and senior officials, professional occupations and associate professional and technical occupations than Milton Keynes as a whole. Larger proportions were employed in administrative and secretarial occupations, skilled trades occupations, caring, leisure and other service occupations, sales and customer service occupations, process, plant and machine operatives and elementary occupations.

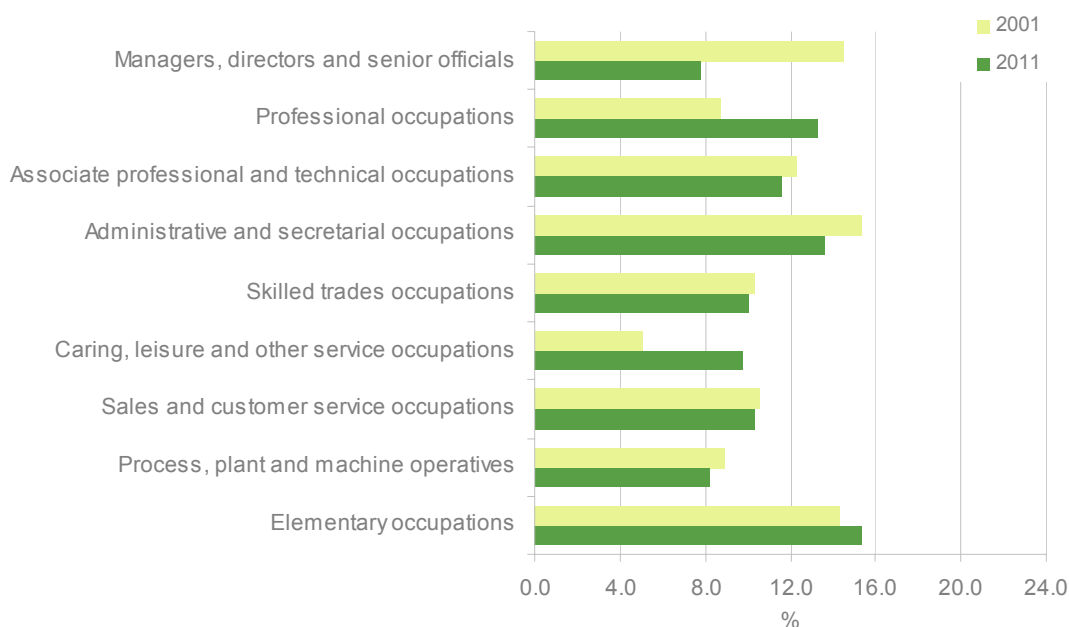
Table 25: Occupation of Employment: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Managers, directors and senior officials	368	7.8	20	10.9
Professional occupations	628	13.3	19	18.2
Associate professional and technical occupations	549	11.6	18	13.5
Administrative and secretarial occupations	645	13.6	6	12.6
Skilled trades occupations	474	10.0	8	8.8
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	464	9.8	4	7.9
Sales and customer service occupations	486	10.3	7	9.3
Process, plant and machine operatives	388	8.2	8	6.6
Elementary occupations	731	15.4	6	12.3
Total	4,733	100		100

**The largest increase in employment between 2001 and 2011 in Stantonbury occurred in professional occupations the largest decrease occurred in managers, directors and senior officials.**

Graph 12 outlines that the largest increase in employment between 2001 and 2011 in Stantonbury occurred in professional occupations. 8.7% of those in employment in 2001 were employed in professional occupations by 2011 this increased to 13.3%. The largest decrease occurred in managers, directors and senior officials from 14.5% to 7.8%. There was also a large increase in the percentage employment in caring, leisure and other service occupations from 5.1% in 2001 to 9.8% in 2011.

Graph 12: Occupation of Employment: Stantonbury 2001 – 2011



## 23. National Statistics – Socio-Economic Classification

**Residents in Stantonbury were more likely to be classified in semi-routine occupations, routine occupations and never worked and long-term unemployed socio-economic categories than Milton Keynes as a whole.**

580 residents aged 16-74 in the ward were in the higher managerial and professional category. This is 8.4% of the population compared with 12.2% in Milton Keynes. Stantonbury also had a smaller percentage of people in the lower managerial, administrative and professional occupation category.

Stantonbury had a higher percentage of residents in the semi-routine occupations, routine occupations and never worked and long-term unemployed categories than Milton Keynes as a whole.

Table 26: National Statistics – Socio-Economic Classification: Stantonbury and Milton Keynes 2011

	Stantonbury			Milton Keynes
	Persons	%	Rank	%
Higher managerial and professional occupations	582	8.4	18	12.2
Large employers & higher managerial & administrative occupations	115	1.7	18	2.4
Higher professional occupations	467	6.7	19	9.8
Lower managerial, administrative and professional occupations	1,312	18.9	16	22.1
Intermediate occupations	1,101	15.8	7	15.0
Small employers and own account workers	529	7.6	15	7.9
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	518	7.5	8	6.8
Semi-routine occupations	1,082	15.6	7	13.3
Routine occupations	919	13.2	6	11.0
Never worked and long-term unemployed	384	5.5	7	4.9
Never worked	216	3.1	8	3.0
Long-term unemployed	168	2.4	5	1.9
Not classified	523	7.5	5	6.8
Full-time students	523	7.5	5	6.8