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Languages spoken by residents in the City of Manningham¹.

- There is a total population of 108821 people living in the City of Manningham. 62% (67454) of these people speak English at home whilst 35% (37633) do not speak English at home.²
- One hundred languages are spoken at home by people residing in Manningham.
- The largest number of people speaking a language other than English speak Greek 8431, followed by Cantonese 7733, Italian 7165, Mandarin 3075, Arabic 1769, Macedonian 739, Persian 616, Croatian 568, German 548 and Vietnamese 497.
- Within the largest 30 communities the oldest population in the Manningham is the Dutch speaking population with 61% (126) of the community 60 years of age or more. Other communities with 40% or more of their population aged 60 years plus are the German speaking community with 52% (286), Maltese 48% (72) and Hungarian 45% (92). Across the English speaking population 19% (12657) are aged 60 years plus whilst across NESB communities 20% (7410) of the population is aged 60 years plus. The largest NESB population aged 60 years or over is the Italian speaking community (2444) followed by the Greek speaking community (1743).
- Within the largest 30 communities the youngest population in the Manningham is the Indonesian speaking community with 70% (172) of its population under 40 years of age. Other communities with 60% or more of their population under 40 years of age are; Turkish 67% (184), Korean 67% (128), Vietnamese 66% (326), Japanese 64% (102), Afrikaans 64% (93), Albanian 63% (127), Mandarin 61% (1870) and Arabic 60% (1060). 52% (35313) of the English speaking population is less than 40 years of age and 49% (18552) of people from NESB are less than 40 years of age. The largest NESB population aged 40 years or less is the Greek speaking community (4406) followed by the Cantonese speaking community (4173) and the Italian speaking community (2531).

¹ All figures are sourced from the ABS Census 2001

² A further 3% (3734) of responses were either not stated, non-verbal, auslan, and invented languages or not indicated.

Table 1 Top 30 languages spoken in Manningham

	Total	% of total NESB population	0-19yrs	% of 0-19 yrs as a % of total language population	20-39yrs	% of 20-39 yrs as a % of total language population	< 40 yrs	% of total < 40 yrs	40-59 yrs	% 40-59 yrs as a % of total language population	60+ yrs	% 60+ yrs as a % of total language population
Total	108821		27376	25%	28783	26%	56159	52%	31817	29%	20845	19%
English	67454		18118	27%	17195	25%	35313	52%	19484	29%	12657	19%
NESB	37633		7799	21%	10753	29%	18552	49%	11671	31%	7410	20%
Afrikaans	146	0%	47	32%	46	32%	93	64%	47	32%	6	4%
Albanian	203	1%	53	26%	74	36%	127	63%	54	27%	22	11%
Arabic	1769	5%	554	31%	506	29%	1060	60%	542	31%	167	9%
Cantonese	7733	21%	2011	26%	2162	28%	4173	54%	2687	35%	873	11%
Chinese, nfd	348	1%	89	26%	118	34%	207	59%	92	26%	49	14%
Croatian	568	2%	92	16%	158	28%	250	44%	175	31%	143	25%
French	160	0%	33	21%	43	27%	76	48%	49	31%	35	22%
German	548	1%	47	9%	78	14%	125	23%	137	25%	286	52%
Greek	8431	22%	1632	19%	2774	33%	4406	52%	2282	27%	1743	21%
Hindi	388	1%	77	20%	142	37%	219	56%	129	33%	40	10%
Hokkien	316	1%	43	14%	79	25%	122	39%	147	47%	47	15%
Hungarian	205	1%	17	8%	36	18%	53	26%	60	29%	92	45%
Indonesian	245	1%	65	27%	107	44%	172	70%	64	26%	9	4%
Italian	7165	19%	759	11%	1772	25%	2531	35%	2190	31%	2444	34%
Japanese	160	0%	52	33%	50	31%	102	64%	46	29%	12	8%
Korean	191	1%	73	38%	55	29%	128	67%	56	29%	7	4%
Macedonian	739	2%	102	14%	193	26%	295	40%	245	33%	199	27%
Maltese	149	0%	3	2%	25	17%	28	19%	49	33%	72	48%
Mandarin	3075	8%	960	31%	910	30%	1870	61%	972	32%	233	8%
Netherlandic	208	1%	3	1%	23	11%	26	13%	56	27%	126	61%
Persian	616	2%	178	29%	178	29%	356	58%	221	36%	39	6%
Polish	267	1%	38	14%	33	12%	71	27%	110	41%	86	32%
Punjabi	173	0%	45	26%	45	26%	90	52%	58	34%	25	14%
Serbian	212	1%	39	18%	66	31%	105	50%	71	33%	36	17%
Sinhalese	132	0%	20	15%	49	37%	69	52%	50	38%	13	10%
Spanish	269	1%	51	19%	82	30%	133	49%	92	34%	44	16%
Tagalog	182	0%	16	9%	67	37%	83	46%	86	47%	13	7%
Tamil	255	1%	50	20%	59	23%	109	43%	108	42%	38	15%
Turkish	273	1%	101	37%	83	30%	184	67%	60	22%	29	11%
Vietnamese	497	1%	126	25%	200	40%	326	66%	142	29%	29	6%
Not stated etc	3734		1459		835		2294		662		778	

Country of Birth of residents in the Manningham³

- People from over 130 countries have settled in the City of Manningham.
- The largest number of people born outside of Australia or England were born in Italy 4335 followed by Greece 3625, China 3481, Hong Kong 2911, Malaysia 2208, South Africa 1359 and New Zealand 1083.
- 38% (40936) of the total population were born outside of Australia and 35% (37734) of the total population was born outside of Australia and England.
- Within the largest 30 communities the oldest community is the Italian born community with 53% (2311) of the population over 60 years of age. Other communities with more than 40% of its population aged 60 years or more are: Netherlands 47% (188), Poland 44% (137) and Germany 44% (329). 15% (10082) of the Australian born population is aged 60 years or more. The largest number of people aged 60 years or over were born in Italy (2311), Greece (1574) and England (1034)
- Within the largest 30 communities the youngest community is the Taiwan born community where 66% (360) of the population is aged under 40 years. Other communities with more than 50% of their population aged less than 40 years of age are: United States born community 63% (273), South African 57% (775), Indonesian 54% (170), Hong Kong 54% (1572), New Zealand 53% (572) and Iran 50% (274). 62% (42026) of the Australian born population is aged less than 40 years. The largest number of people aged 40 years or less were born in Hong Kong (1572), China (1374) and Malaysia (899).

³All figures are sourced from the ABS Census 2001

Table 2 Top 30 Country of Births in the Manningham⁴

	0-19yrs	% of 0-19 yrs as a % of total COB population	20-39yrs	% of 20-39 yrs as a % of total COB population	< 40 yrs	% of total < 40 yrs	40-59 yrs	% 40-59 yrs as a % of total COB population	60+ yrs	% 60+ yrs as a % of total COB population	Total
Australia	22204	33%	19822	29%	42026	62%	15768	23%	10082	15%	67876
China	419	12%	955	27%	1374	39%	1365	39%	742	21%	3481
Croatia	7	2%	73	16%	80	18%	194	43%	174	39%	448
Cyprus	8	2%	56	11%	64	13%	244	50%	184	37%	492
Egypt	37	6%	77	13%	114	19%	291	49%	184	31%	589
England	246	8%	558	17%	804	25%	1364	43%	1034	32%	3202
Germany	28	4%	73	10%	101	14%	312	42%	329	44%	742
Greece	31	1%	251	7%	282	8%	1769	49%	1574	43%	3625
Hong Kong	525	18%	1047	36%	1572	54%	1158	40%	181	6%	2911
India	92	11%	227	28%	319	40%	346	43%	139	17%	804
Indonesia	47	15%	123	39%	170	54%	103	33%	40	13%	313
Iran	100	18%	174	32%	274	50%	228	42%	41	8%	543
Italy	21	0%	161	4%	182	4%	1842	42%	2311	53%	4335
Lebanon	35	7%	132	27%	167	34%	238	48%	93	19%	498
Macedonia	4	1%	50	17%	54	19%	146	51%	89	31%	289
Malaysia	249	11%	650	29%	899	41%	1042	47%	267	12%	2208
Malta	0	0%	15	6%	15	6%	133	51%	113	43%	261
Netherlands	3	1%	29	7%	32	8%	176	44%	188	47%	396
New Zealand	228	21%	344	32%	572	53%	379	35%	132	12%	1083
Philippines	39	13%	110	36%	149	49%	138	46%	16	5%	303
Poland	10	3%	30	10%	40	13%	137	44%	137	44%	314
Scotland	17	3%	65	13%	82	17%	204	41%	206	42%	492
Singapore	85	20%	133	31%	218	50%	172	40%	43	10%	433
South Africa	395	29%	380	28%	775	57%	482	35%	102	8%	1359
Sri Lanka	49	9%	139	27%	188	36%	238	46%	92	18%	518
Taiwan	139	25%	221	40%	360	66%	175	32%	12	2%	547
Turkey	14	6%	76	33%	90	39%	84	37%	55	24%	229
USA	154	35%	119	27%	273	63%	139	32%	23	5%	435
Vietnam	14	2%	368	48%	382	50%	325	42%	60	8%	767
Yugoslavia FR	12	4%	63	20%	75	24%	135	42%	108	34%	318
Not stated, etc	1640		1135	24%	2775	59%	991	21%	975	21%	4741
Total	27374	25%	28771	26%	56145	52%	31829	29%	20838	19%	108812

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