

## Languages spoken by residents in the City of Manningham

- There is a total 111291 people living in the City of Manningham. 58% (64929) of people speak English at home whilst 38% (42620) speak a language other than English at home. The number of people who do not speak English at home has risen by 9% (3593) since the ABS Census of 2006.
- One hundred and four languages are spoken at home by people residing in Manningham.
- The largest number of people speaking a language other than English speak Cantonese (8810) this is a 8% (665) increase in the number of Cantonese speakers from the ABS Census of 2006. The number of people speaking the second largest language group (other than English), Greek has decreased by 2% (194) to 7861. The third largest language group other than English is Mandarin where the number of people speaking Mandarin at home has increased by 48% (2250) since the last census in 2006. Across the Eastern Region the number of people speaking Mandarin at home increased 64% from 29056 in 2006 to 47781 in 2011 Census.
- The Sinhalese speaking community in the City of Manningham has increased since the ABS Census of 2006 by 44% (97) to 319 people. The Hindi speaking community has increased by 33% (141) to 565 people. The number of people speaking other Indian languages has also increased, Punjabi by 94% (187) to 387 people, Malayalam by 19% (19) to 119 people, Bengali by 77% (34) to 78 people and Gujarati by 35% (34) to 132 people. Other community where there was a significant increase in population between the 2006 Census and the 2011 Census include Chinese, nfd 87% (145) to 312 people, Korean 48% (237) to 730 people and Persian 44% (375) to 1228 people.
- A number of the older communities in the City of Manningham who primarily settled in the 1950's and 1960's have seen a decrease in the populations between the 2006 and 2011 Census. For example the Hebrew speaking community decreased by 40% (27), the German community by 9% (43), the Polish community by 10% (28) and the Hungarian community by 14% (25) to 155 people.
- Across the region 24% (241729) of the population is 19 years of age or less. Twenty six percent (17014) of the English speaking and 18% (7847) of people who speak a language other than English at home are aged 19 years or less. Twenty five percent (1704) of the Mandarin, 20% of the Cantonese (1722), 7% of the Italian (423) and 17% (1371) of the Greek speaking communities are aged 19 years or less.
- Across the region 14% (139301) of the population is aged between 20 and 29 years. In the City of Manningham 12% (13196) of the community is in this age group. In the larger communities 20% (1376) of the Mandarin speaking community is in this age group, 14% (1222) of the Cantonese, 8% (655) of the Greek, 5% (284) of the Italian and 17% (303) of the Arabic speaking communities are in this age cohort.
- Twenty nine percent (12486) of people who speak a language other than English at home and 24% (15479) of the English speaking population are aged between 30 and 49 years. In the larger communities including the Mandarin speaking community 33% (2277) of the community are in this age group, 30% (2356) of the Greek, 28% (2467) of the Cantonese, 23% (1323) of the Italian and 27% (501) of the Arabic speaking community are aged

between 30 and 49 years. In the Eastern Region 27% (270070) of the population is in this age group and in the City of Marningham 26% (28897) is aged between 30 and 49 years.

- Across the City of Marningham 14% (15095) of all people are aged 70 years or greater and 38% (5715) of the population is in this age group speak a language other than English at home. Fifty three percent (32) of the Latvian speaking community is in this age group, 42% (70) of the Dutch, 44% (200) of the German and 40% (62) of the Hungarian speaking communities are aged 70 years or greater. Across the region 11% (108507) of the population are in this age group and 25% (27147) of all people in this age cohort speak a language other than English at home.

**Table 1: Languages Spoken in the City of Manningham – ABS Census 2001, 2006 and 2011**

<b>Language</b>	<b>ABS Census 2001</b>	<b>ABS Census 2006</b>	<b>ABS Census 2011</b>	<b>% Change between 2001 and 2011</b>
Afrikaans	146	222	328	124.66%
Albanian	203	191	217	6.90%
Arabic (incl. Lebanese)	1769	1721	1826	3.22%
Armenian	72	86	69	-4.17%
Bengali	46	44	78	69.57%
Cantonese	7733	8145	8810	13.93%
Chinese, nfd	348	167	312	-10.34%
Croatian	568	518	436	-23.24%
Czech	67	51	50	-25.37%
English	67454	66672	64929	-3.74%
French	160	146	181	13.13%
German	548	499	456	-16.79%
Greek	8431	8055	7861	-6.76%
Gujarati	93	98	132	41.94%
Hakka	48	44	82	70.83%
Hebrew	110	67	40	-63.64%
Hindi	388	424	565	45.62%
Hungarian	205	180	155	-24.39%
Indo-Aryan, nfd	22	41	6	-72.73%
Indonesian	245	236	323	31.84%
Italian	7165	6264	5711	-20.29%
Japanese	160	162	217	35.63%
Korean	191	493	730	282.20%
Latvian	123	74	60	-51.22%

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Macedonian	739	659	609	-17.59%
Malay	37	71	75	102.70%
Malayalam	67	100	119	77.61%
Maltese	149	157	148	-0.67%
Mandarin	3075	4683	6934	125.50%
Persian	616	853	1228	99.35%
Polish	267	267	239	-10.49%
Portuguese	84	82	81	-3.57%
Punjabi	173	200	387	123.70%
Romanian	64	77	106	65.63%
Russian	124	135	129	4.03%
Serbian	212	235	219	3.30%
Sinhalese	132	222	319	141.67%
Slovene	124	112	117	-5.65%
Southern Asian, nfd	59	47	37	-37.29%
Spanish	269	336	368	36.80%
Tagalog (Filipino)	182	186	106	-41.76%
Tamil	255	279	285	11.76%
Thai	47	50	76	61.70%
Turkish	273	292	285	4.40%
Ukrainian	69	69	50	-27.54%
Urdu	118	173	253	114.41%
Vietnamese	497	596	682	37.22%
Wu	34	85	101	197.06%
Other languages	1108	1140	1353	22.11%
Auslan	18	34	39	116.67%

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Inadequately described	135	30	25	-81.48%
Non-verbal so described	95	157	138	45.26%
Not stated	3504	3993	3209	-8.42%
<b>Total</b>	<b>108,821</b>	<b>109,920</b>	<b>111,291</b>	<b>2.27%</b>

Source: ABS Census 2001, 2006, 2011

**Table 2: Top 50 Languages Spoken in the City of Manningham by Age**

	0-4 yrs	5-9 yrs	10-19 yrs	20-29 yrs	30-39 yrs	40-49 yrs	50-59 yrs	60-69 yrs	70-79 yrs	80 yrs+	Total
Afrikaans	22	18	62	18	60	101	38	6	0	3	328
Albanian	10	16	32	34	33	40	25	15	5	7	217
Arabic	74	84	240	303	235	266	317	176	81	50	1826
Armenian	0	7	10	9	8	11	10	7	7	0	69
Bengali	0	4	10	6	11	19	12	9	4	3	78
Cantonese	293	296	1133	1222	1096	1371	1639	1014	496	250	8810
Chinese, nfd	8	20	35	70	35	58	44	24	15	3	312
Croatian	10	12	31	34	43	77	53	76	82	18	436
Czech	0	0	3	0	7	8	9	12	4	7	50
Dutch	4	4	13	6	0	20	29	19	32	38	165
English	3474	4253	9287	7519	6511	8968	8339	8083	5375	3120	64929
Filipino	6	0	0	7	16	12	20	18	3	0	82
French	5	5	24	17	26	38	22	19	14	11	181
German	16	15	24	13	30	50	39	69	120	80	456
Greek	255	382	734	655	867	1489	909	1094	1090	386	7861
Gujarati	0	3	23	15	33	17	24	4	13	0	132
Hakka	3	0	3	3	15	16	17	15	10	0	82
Hindi	26	21	42	111	107	90	81	57	27	3	565
Hungarian	3	6	3	7	16	15	28	15	33	29	155
Indonesian	15	21	28	56	78	51	42	22	3	7	323
Italian	88	94	241	284	445	878	830	1042	1144	665	5711
Japanese	23	16	29	25	34	38	18	25	5	4	217
Korean	41	63	137	89	132	149	77	27	15	0	730
Latvian	7	0	0	0	4	6	4	7	14	18	60
Macedonian	8	13	26	50	52	92	110	100	110	48	609
Malay	0	0	8	9	15	12	15	13	3	0	75

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Malayalam	3	3	12	23	28	18	13	16	3	0	119
Maltese	0	0	4	7	3	16	21	37	43	17	148
Mandarin	379	362	963	1376	1014	1263	908	435	168	66	6934
Marathi	6	8	6	3	6	11	8	0	0	0	48
Min Nan	10	0	22	46	49	47	101	77	31	21	404
Persian	49	56	147	194	263	185	184	93	40	17	1228
Polish	10	8	9	21	19	18	54	42	34	24	239
Portuguese	0	9	4	10	13	20	19	6	0	0	81
Punjabi	16	19	38	101	64	48	39	36	22	4	387
Romanian	7	5	11	0	26	15	23	9	5	5	106
Russian	4	8	10	11	19	20	17	15	17	8	129
Serbian	10	3	17	27	29	33	28	46	15	11	219
Sindhi	3	3	8	12	6	4	8	4	0	0	48
Sinhalese	10	20	32	38	74	64	40	26	12	3	319
Slovene	0	0	0	0	9	11	12	24	45	16	117
Spanish	20	16	31	36	66	68	56	44	20	11	368
Tagalog	4	7	6	13	26	13	19	18	0	0	106
Tamil	14	8	17	29	49	45	45	54	19	5	285
Thai	8	8	5	8	23	19	5	0	0	0	76
Turkish	8	12	50	45	28	63	34	20	11	14	285
Ukrainian	0	0	4	3	7	4	11	10	4	7	50
Urdu	21	27	24	56	58	31	17	16	3	0	253
Vietnamese	37	43	115	82	120	110	111	40	17	7	682
Wu	0	0	18	22	0	17	28	6	10	0	101
Other languages	26	21	75	119	83	136	92	59	60	18	689
Not stated	234	148	285	333	330	383	356	333	317	490	3209

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Auslan Inadequately described Non verbal	125	4	13	19	18	4	15	4	0	0	202
<b>Total</b>	<b>5395</b>	<b>6151</b>	<b>14104</b>	<b>13196</b>	<b>12339</b>	<b>16558</b>	<b>15015</b>	<b>13438</b>	<b>9601</b>	<b>5494</b>	<b>111291</b>
% of population who speak a language other than English	31%	28%	32%	40%	44%	43%	41%	37%	40%	34%	38%
% of population in this age group	5%	6%	13%	12%	11%	15%	13%	12%	9%	5%	

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**Table 3: Percentage of Language Group within Age Cohorts for the Top 50 Languages Spoken in the City of Manningham**

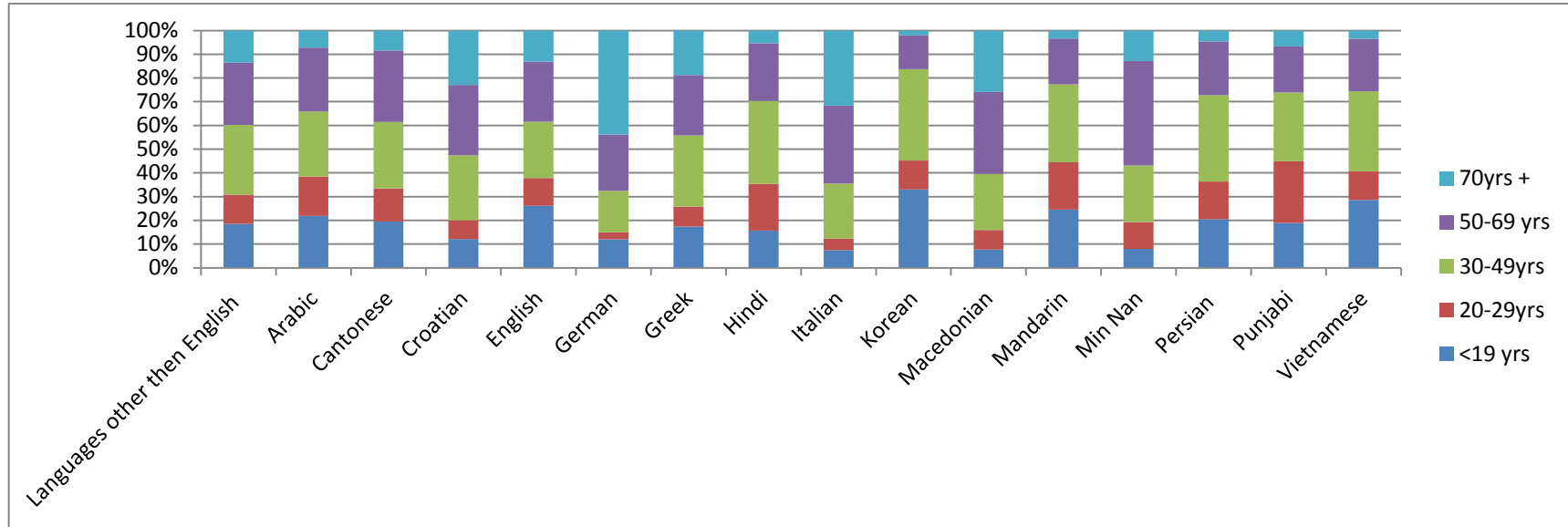
	0-4 yrs	5-9 yrs	10-19 yrs	20-29 yrs	30-39 yrs	40-49 yrs	50-59 yrs	60-69 yrs	70-79 yrs	80 yrs+
Afrikaans	6.71%	5.49%	18.90%	5.49%	18.29%	30.79%	11.59%	1.83%	0.00%	0.91%
Albanian	4.61%	7.37%	14.75%	15.67%	15.21%	18.43%	11.52%	6.91%	2.30%	3.23%
Arabic	4.05%	4.60%	13.14%	16.59%	12.87%	14.57%	17.36%	9.64%	4.44%	2.74%
Armenian	0.00%	10.14%	14.49%	13.04%	11.59%	15.94%	14.49%	10.14%	10.14%	0.00%
Bengali	0.00%	5.13%	12.82%	7.69%	14.10%	24.36%	15.38%	11.54%	5.13%	3.85%
Cantonese	3.33%	3.36%	12.86%	13.87%	12.44%	15.56%	18.60%	11.51%	5.63%	2.84%
Chinese, nfd	2.56%	6.41%	11.22%	22.44%	11.22%	18.59%	14.10%	7.69%	4.81%	0.96%
Croatian	2.29%	2.75%	7.11%	7.80%	9.86%	17.66%	12.16%	17.43%	18.81%	4.13%
Czech	0.00%	0.00%	6.00%	0.00%	14.00%	16.00%	18.00%	24.00%	8.00%	14.00%
Dutch	2.42%	2.42%	7.88%	3.64%	0.00%	12.12%	17.58%	11.52%	19.39%	23.03%
English	5.35%	6.55%	14.30%	11.58%	10.03%	13.81%	12.84%	12.45%	8.28%	4.81%
Filipino	7.32%	0.00%	0.00%	8.54%	19.51%	14.63%	24.39%	21.95%	3.66%	0.00%
French	2.76%	2.76%	13.26%	9.39%	14.36%	20.99%	12.15%	10.50%	7.73%	6.08%
German	3.51%	3.29%	5.26%	2.85%	6.58%	10.96%	8.55%	15.13%	26.32%	17.54%
Greek	3.24%	4.86%	9.34%	8.33%	11.03%	18.94%	11.56%	13.92%	13.87%	4.91%
Gujarati	0.00%	2.27%	17.42%	11.36%	25.00%	12.88%	18.18%	3.03%	9.85%	0.00%
Hakka	3.66%	0.00%	3.66%	3.66%	18.29%	19.51%	20.73%	18.29%	12.20%	0.00%
Hindi	4.60%	3.72%	7.43%	19.65%	18.94%	15.93%	14.34%	10.09%	4.78%	0.53%
Hungarian	1.94%	3.87%	1.94%	4.52%	10.32%	9.68%	18.06%	9.68%	21.29%	18.71%
Indonesian	4.64%	6.50%	8.67%	17.34%	24.15%	15.79%	13.00%	6.81%	0.93%	2.17%
Italian	1.54%	1.65%	4.22%	4.97%	7.79%	15.37%	14.53%	18.25%	20.03%	11.64%
Japanese	10.60%	7.37%	13.36%	11.52%	15.67%	17.51%	8.29%	11.52%	2.30%	1.84%
Korean	5.62%	8.63%	18.77%	12.19%	18.08%	20.41%	10.55%	3.70%	2.05%	0.00%
Latvian	11.67%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	6.67%	10.00%	6.67%	11.67%	23.33%	30.00%
Macedonian	1.31%	2.13%	4.27%	8.21%	8.54%	15.11%	18.06%	16.42%	18.06%	7.88%
Malay	0.00%	0.00%	10.67%	12.00%	20.00%	16.00%	20.00%	17.33%	4.00%	0.00%
Malayalam	2.52%	2.52%	10.08%	19.33%	23.53%	15.13%	10.92%	13.45%	2.52%	0.00%

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Maltese	0.00%	0.00%	2.70%	4.73%	2.03%	10.81%	14.19%	25.00%	29.05%	11.49%
Mandarin	5.47%	5.22%	13.89%	19.84%	14.62%	18.21%	13.09%	6.27%	2.42%	0.95%
Marathi	12.50%	16.67%	12.50%	6.25%	12.50%	22.92%	16.67%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Min Nan	2.48%	0.00%	5.45%	11.39%	12.13%	11.63%	25.00%	19.06%	7.67%	5.20%
Persian	3.99%	4.56%	11.97%	15.80%	21.42%	15.07%	14.98%	7.57%	3.26%	1.38%
Polish	4.18%	3.35%	3.77%	8.79%	7.95%	7.53%	22.59%	17.57%	14.23%	10.04%
Portuguese	0.00%	11.11%	4.94%	12.35%	16.05%	24.69%	23.46%	7.41%	0.00%	0.00%
Punjabi	4.13%	4.91%	9.82%	26.10%	16.54%	12.40%	10.08%	9.30%	5.68%	1.03%
Romanian	6.60%	4.72%	10.38%	0.00%	24.53%	14.15%	21.70%	8.49%	4.72%	4.72%
Russian	3.10%	6.20%	7.75%	8.53%	14.73%	15.50%	13.18%	11.63%	13.18%	6.20%
Serbian	4.57%	1.37%	7.76%	12.33%	13.24%	15.07%	12.79%	21.00%	6.85%	5.02%
Sindhi	6.25%	6.25%	16.67%	25.00%	12.50%	8.33%	16.67%	8.33%	0.00%	0.00%
Sinhalese	3.13%	6.27%	10.03%	11.91%	23.20%	20.06%	12.54%	8.15%	3.76%	0.94%
Slovene	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	7.69%	9.40%	10.26%	20.51%	38.46%	13.68%
Spanish	5.43%	4.35%	8.42%	9.78%	17.93%	18.48%	15.22%	11.96%	5.43%	2.99%
Tagalog	3.77%	6.60%	5.66%	12.26%	24.53%	12.26%	17.92%	16.98%	0.00%	0.00%
Tamil	4.91%	2.81%	5.96%	10.18%	17.19%	15.79%	15.79%	18.95%	6.67%	1.75%
Thai	10.53%	10.53%	6.58%	10.53%	30.26%	25.00%	6.58%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Turkish	2.81%	4.21%	17.54%	15.79%	9.82%	22.11%	11.93%	7.02%	3.86%	4.91%
Ukrainian	0.00%	0.00%	8.00%	6.00%	14.00%	8.00%	22.00%	20.00%	8.00%	14.00%
Urdu	8.30%	10.67%	9.49%	22.13%	22.92%	12.25%	6.72%	6.32%	1.19%	0.00%
Vietnamese	5.43%	6.30%	16.86%	12.02%	17.60%	16.13%	16.28%	5.87%	2.49%	1.03%
Wu	0.00%	0.00%	17.82%	21.78%	0.00%	16.83%	27.72%	5.94%	9.90%	0.00%
Other languages	3.77%	3.05%	10.89%	17.27%	12.05%	19.74%	13.35%	8.56%	8.71%	2.61%
Not stated	7.29%	4.61%	8.88%	10.38%	10.28%	11.94%	11.09%	10.38%	9.88%	15.27%
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% of population who speak a language other than English	31%	28%	32%	40%	44%	43%	41%	37%	40%	34%
% of population in this age group	5%	6%	13%	12%	11%	15%	13%	12%	9%	5%

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## The largest 15 language groups by the percentage of the community by age cohort percentage in the City of Manningham



Thirty three percent (241) of the Korean speaking community are aged 19 years or less. Twenty six percent (17014) of the English speaking and 18% (7847) of people who speak a language other than English at home are aged 19 years or less. Twenty four percent (241729) of the total regional population is aged 19 years or less. Twenty five percent (1704) of the Mandarin, 20% of the Cantonese (1722), 22% of the Arabic (398) and 17% (1371) of the Greek speaking communities are aged 19 years or less. Across the City of Manningham **23% (25650) of the population are aged 19 years or less and 30% (7725) of all people in this age group speak a language other than English at home.**

Across the City of Manningham 12% of the English speaking (7519) and 12% (5225) of people who speak a language other than English at home are aged between 20 and 29 years of age. Twenty percent (1376) of the Mandarin speaking community is in this age group, 17% (303) of the Arabic, 14% (1222) Cantonese, 5% (284) of the Italian and 88% (655) of the Greek speaking communities are in this age cohort. In the Eastern Region 14% (139301) of the population are aged between 20 and 29 years and in the City of Manningham 12% (13196) of the community is in this age group.

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