

BURNABY BY THE NUMBERS

Population (2016)



232,755

While Burnaby occupies just over 3% of the land area of Metro Vancouver, it accounts for approximately 10% of the region's population. It is the third largest city in British Columbia.

Employment



144,322
Jobs



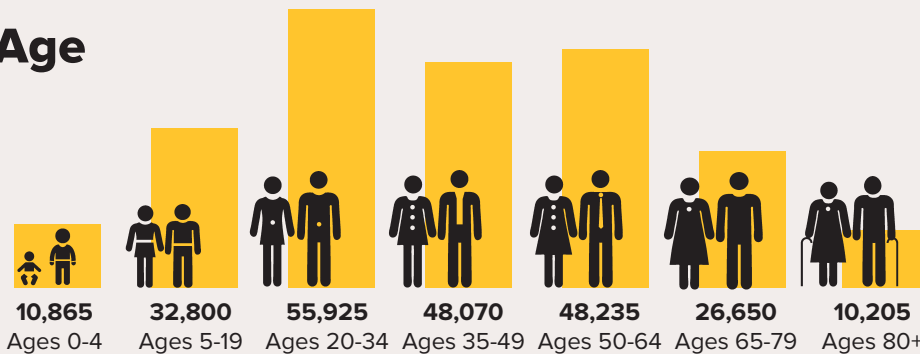
6.4%
Unemployment Rate

Burnaby is a net regional employer with 12 jobs for every 10 workers.

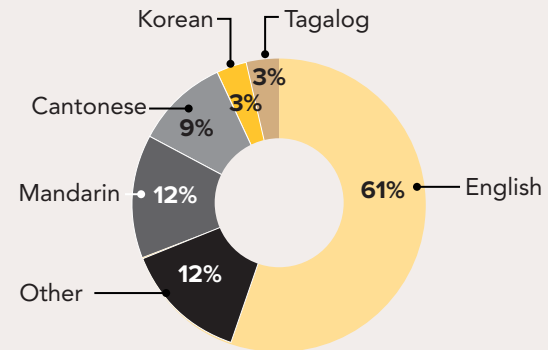
Top 5 occupations

- 26%** Sales & Service Occupations
- 19%** Business, Finance & Administration Occupations
- 11%** Trades, Transport & Equipment Operators and Related Occupations
- 10%** Management Occupations
- 10%** Education, Law & Social, Community & Government Services

Age



Languages spoken at home



50%

of Burnaby's population were born outside Canada. The top three places of birth were China, Hong Kong, and the Philippines.

40.3 Years Old

The population is getting older. In 1996, the average age was 37.8 compared to 40.3 in 2016.



2.9

Average persons per family



59%

of the population aged 15 years and older has a post-secondary certificate, diploma, or degree.

Source: Statistics Canada, 2016 Census of Canada.