



SLACKS CREEK SUBURB PROFILE

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THE LOGAN TOGETHER ROADMAP



**READY TO
HAVE KIDS**

**GOOD START
IN LIFE**

**ON TRACK AT
3 YEARS**

**ON TRACK AT
5 YEARS**

**ON TRACK AT
8 YEARS**

FAMILY FOUNDATIONS



Priorities

- ▶ Jobs and employment
- ▶ Secure housing
- ▶ Family safety
- ▶ Social/emotional wellbeing for all the family
- ▶ Parents feel knowledgeable and confident

STRONG COMMUNITY



Priorities

- ▶ Social connection
- ▶ An empowered community

EFFECTIVE SYSTEMS



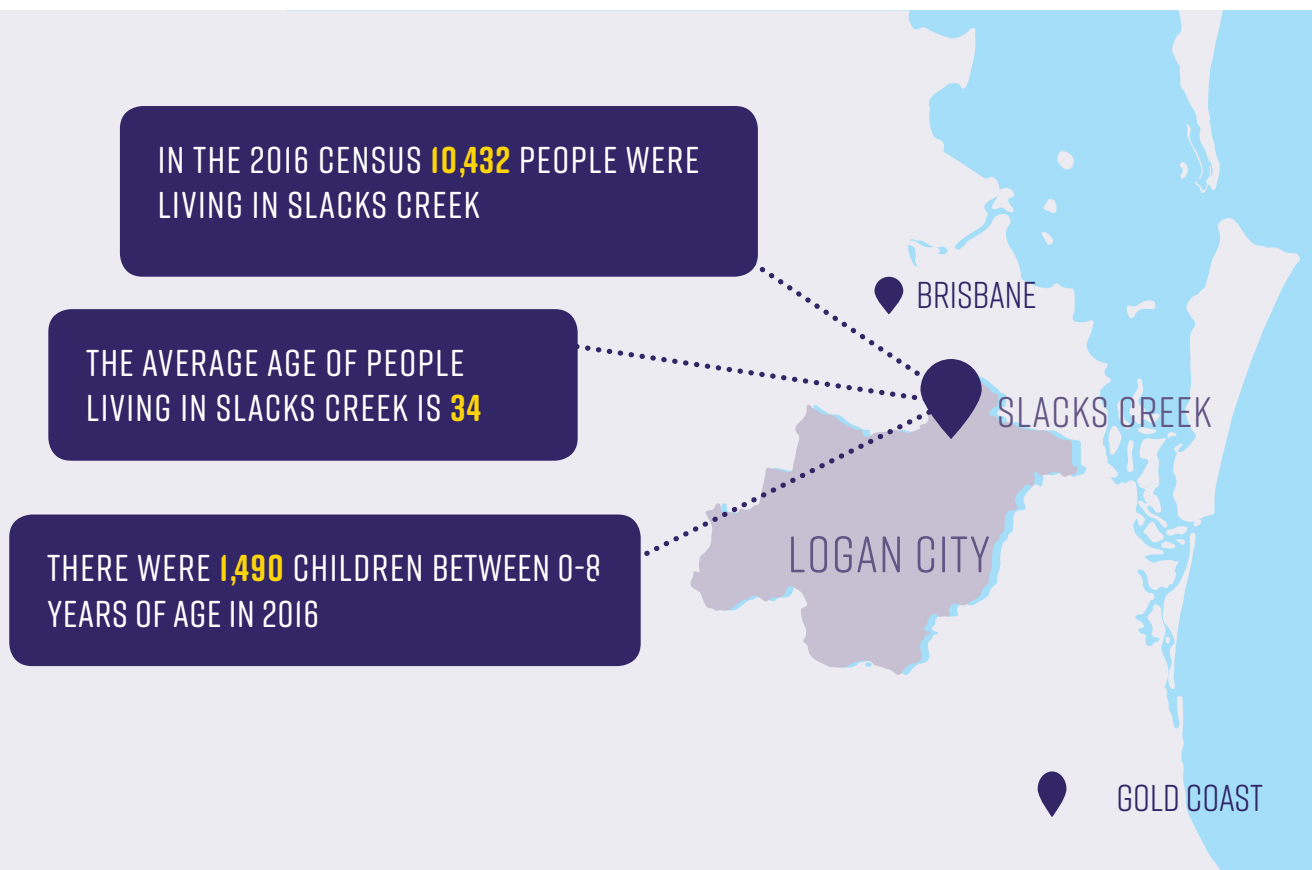
Priorities

- ▶ Social investment reform
- ▶ Child development workforce strategies
- ▶ Multi-agency service integration

INTRODUCTION

The following profile has been developed to support the analysis of population characteristics at a suburb level. In addition to population characteristics there is a particular focus on children aged 0-8 years, with the Australian Early Development Census (AEDC) and Naplan data being included where available.

This information, as well as other Logan Suburb Profiles, can be found on the Logan Together website, along with a detailed Roadmap. This is a live document which is frequently being updated, so please visit www.logantogether.org.au for the most up-to-date data.



POPULATION

TABLE 1: POPULATION OF THE SLACKS CREEK COMMUNITY BY AGE IN 2016

AGE	NO. OF PEOPLE IN CREEK	SLACKS % OF PEOPLE IN CREEK	AUSTRALIA %
0-4 years	785	7.5	6.3
5-9 years	848	8.1	6.4
10-14 years	735	7.0	6.0
15-19 years	725	6.9	6.1
20-24 years	742	7.1	6.7
25-29 years	749	7.2	7.1
30-34 years	765	7.3	7.3
35-39 years	710	6.8	6.7
40-44 years	674	6.5	6.8
45-49 years	627	6.0	6.8
50-54 years	601	5.8	6.5
55-59 years	566	5.4	6.2
60-64 years	565	5.4	5.6
65-69 years	502	4.8	5.1
70-74 years	333	3.2	3.8
75-79 years	207	2.0	2.8
80-84 years	122	1.1	2.0
85 years and over	168	1.6	2.1

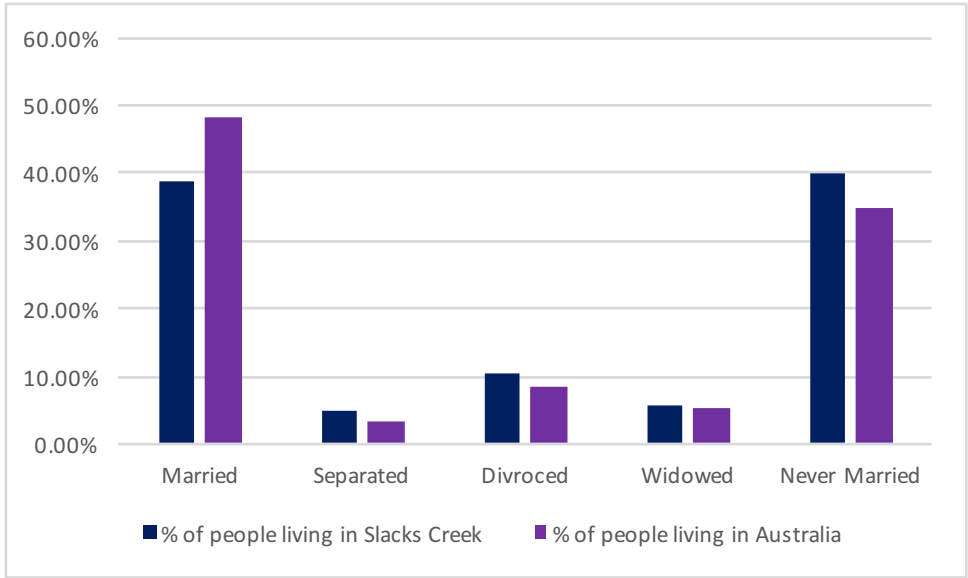
Source: ABS census data 2016

TABLE 2: BREAKDOWN BY AGE OF CHILDREN 0-8 YEARS IN SLACKS CREEK 2016

AGE	NO OF PEOPLE IN SLACKS CREEK	% SLACKS CREEK	% AUSTRALIA
0	158	1.5	1.2
1	135	1.3	1.3
2	184	1.8	1.3
3	140	1.3	1.3
4	178	1.7	1.3
5	180	1.7	1.3
6	170	1.6	1.3
7	168	1.6	1.3
8	177	1.7	1.3

Source: ABS census data 2016

FIGURE I: REGISTERED MARITAL STATUS OF PEOPLE AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER IN KINGSTON



Source: ABS Census 2016:

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TABLE 3: FAMILY COMPOSITION IN SLACKS CREEK

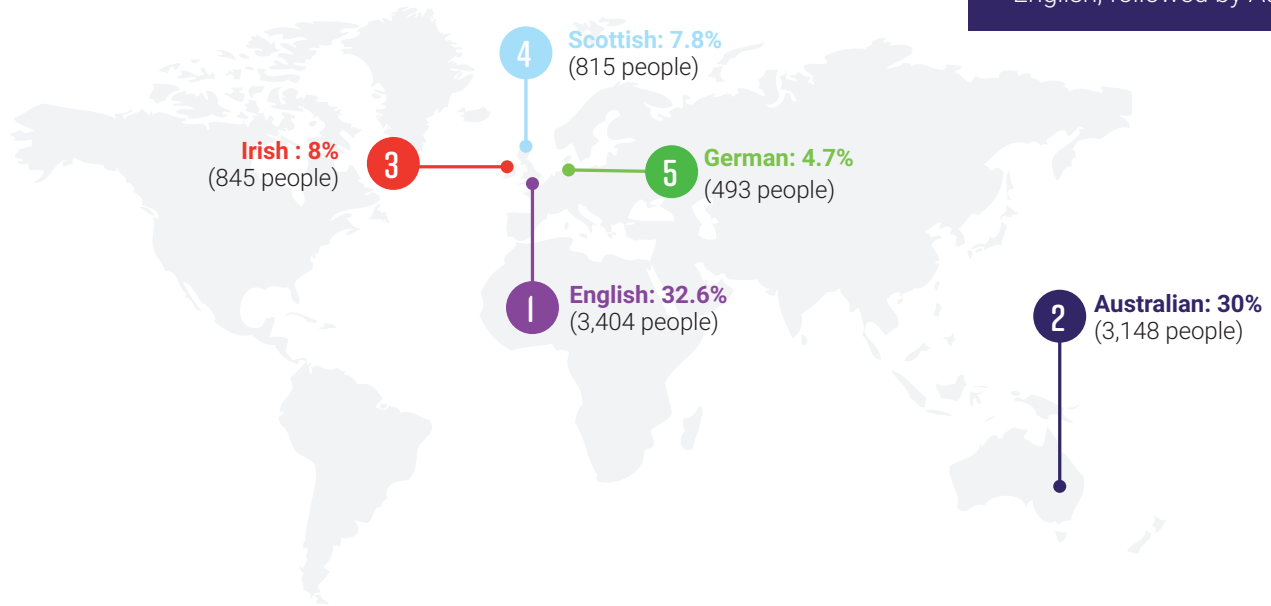
	FAMILIES IN SLACKS CREEK	PERSONS IN SLACKS CREEK
Couple family with no children	778	1,578
Couple family with:		
Children under 15 and:		
dependent students and non-dependent children	41	267
dependent students and no non-dependent children	94	496
no dependent students and with non-dependent children	57	268
no dependent students and no non-dependent children	554	2,268
Total:	746	3,297
No children under 15 and		
with dependent students and non-dependent children	39	167
with dependent students and no non-dependent children	50	159
no dependent students and with non-dependent children	207	700
Total	297	1,023
One parent family with:		
Children under 15 and:		
dependent students and non-dependent children	22	95
dependent students and no non-dependent children	62	288
no dependent students and with non-dependent children	27	113
no dependent students and no non-dependent children	293	867
Total	403	1,366
No children under 15 and:		
with dependent students and non-dependent children	19	70
with dependent students and no non-dependent children	52	116
no dependent students and with non-dependent children	228	502
Total	296	688
Other family	704	2,057
Total	53	109

Source: ABS Census 2016

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CULTURAL BACKGROUND

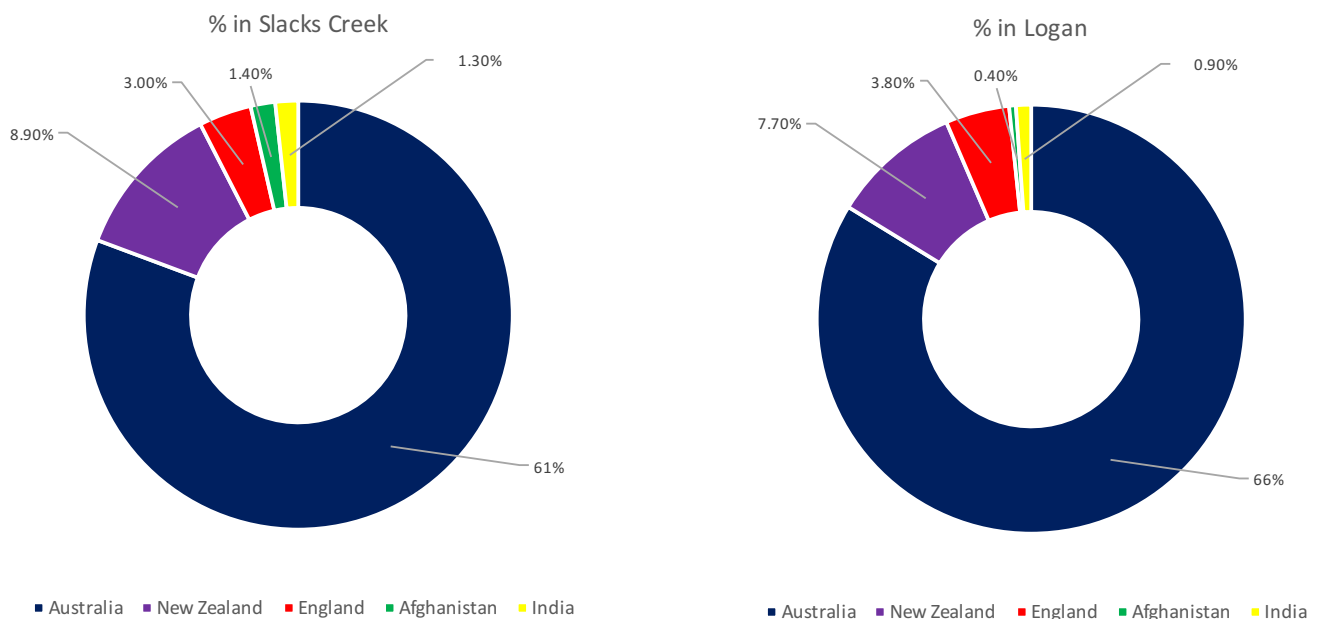
FIGURE 2: ANCESTRY OF PEOPLE LIVING IN SLACKS CREEK (TOP 5 COUNTRIES OF BIRTH OF PARENTS)



Source: ABS Census 2016 (people aged 15 and over)

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FIGURE 3: COUNTRY OF BIRTH OF PEOPLE LIVING IN SLACKS CREEK (TOP 5 RESPONSES)



Source: ABS Census 2016

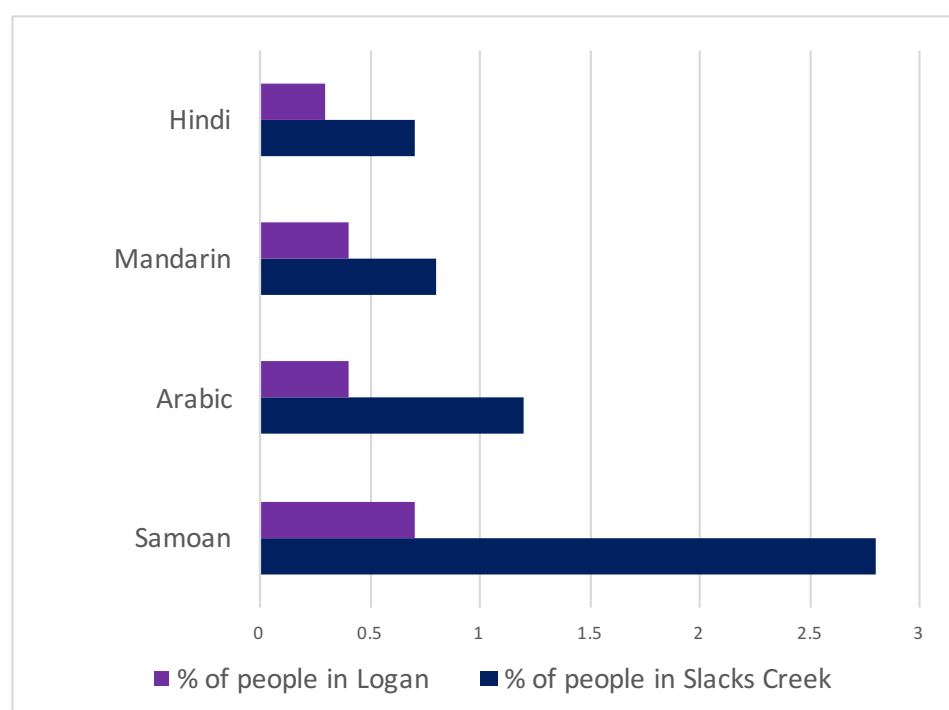
TABLE 4: ABORIGINAL AND/OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PEOPLE

AGE	MALES	FEMALES	TOTAL
0-4 years	28	39	66
5-9 years	42	40	85
10-14 years	40	37	73
15-19 years	35	23	55
20-24 years	22	23	46
25-29 years	19	13	33
30-34 years	15	13	25
35-39 years	11	10	26
40-44 years	6	12	13
45-49 years	11	13	22
50-54 years	10	8	15
55-59 years	5	14	19
60-64 years	6	12	14
65 years and over	4	11	20
Total	250	265	517

Source: ABS Census 2016:

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FIGURE 4 : LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH SPOKEN IN THE HOME (TOP 4 RESPONSES IN SLACKS CREEK)



7,406 people (71%) of people in Slacks Creek speak only English in the home, compared to 78% in Logan as a whole.

EDUCATION

TABLE 5: NUMBER OF PEOPLE LIVING IN SLACKS CREEK ATTENDING AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION

EDUCATION TYPE	SLACKS CREEK #	SLACKS CREEK %	AUSTRALIA %
Preschool	122	1.1	4.8
Primary School - Govt.	801	7.6	18.2
Primary School - Catholic	88	0.8	5.3
Primary School - other non Govt.	109	1.0	3.2
Secondary School -Govt.	640	6.1	11.5
Secondary School - Catholic	43	0.4	4.7
Secondary School - other non Govt.	75	0.7	3.9
Technical or Further Education	231	2.2	5.9
University or tertiary institution	247	2.3	16.1
Other	105	1.0	2.8
Not stated	813	7.8	23.7



EARLY EDUCATION AND CARE

There are many different types of early education and care services. Most are regulated under the National Quality Framework (NQF) including; family day care, long day care, kindergarten/preschool and outside school hours care.

Regulated services are required to meet high national standards to ensure children are safe and are given opportunities for learning and development on a regular basis. These services are given quality ratings to help families choose the best service for their child and family.

The National Quality Framework introduced a new quality standard in 2012 to improve education and care across long day care, family day care, preschool/kindergarten, and outside school hours care services.

ECEC CENTRES AND NQS RATING

Services are assessed against the 7 quality areas of the National Quality Standard (NQS) and given an overall rating based on these results.

The National Quality Framework includes the National Law and National Regulations, the National Quality Standard, an assessment and quality rating process and national learning frameworks.

The overall service ratings are:

- Excellent rating, awarded by ACECQA
- Exceeding National Quality Standard
- Meeting National Quality Standard
- Working towards National Quality Standard
- Significant Improvement Required

Services must display their ratings at the service at all times.

The 7 quality areas of the National Quality Standard are:

1. Educational program and practice
2. Children's health and safety
3. Physical environment
4. Staffing arrangements
5. Relationships with children
6. Partnerships with families and communities
7. Leadership and service management

The following is a list of the Early Education and Care services currently available in Slacks Creek and their National Quality Standard (NQS) Ratings as at the time of writing.

CENTRE NAME	OVERALL NATIONAL QUALITY STANDARDS RATING
Paradise Road Early Learning	Working Towards
Future Kids Family Day Care	Working Towards
Little Aussie Kids Early Learning Centre	Working Towards
United Hearts Family Day Care	Working Towards
Kingston Early Learning Centre	Meeting
Goodstart Early Learning - Slacks Creek	Working towards
Goodstart Early Learning - Daisy Hill	Exceeding

SCHOOLS IN SLACKS CREEK

There are currently two schools in Slacks Creek:

SCHOOL NAME	SECTOR	TYPE	STATUS AS AT SEPTEMBER 2017
Mabel Park State High School	Secondary	Non-government	Year 7 - 12
Mabel Park State School	Primary	Non-government	Prep - Year 6

TABLE 6: MABEL PARK STATE HIGH SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

Mabel Park State High's strength is our exceptional culture and people. The staff are committed to ensuring that students excel beyond what they think they are capable of, as we push high expectations for all. We have a wide array of subject choices and pathways so that every student succeeds. With continuing improvement in NAPLAN results, and outstanding Senior results, the school is challenging preconceived ideas of what is possible through innovation.

YEAR	TEACHING STAFF	TOTAL	FEMALE	MALE	INDIGENOUS	LANGUAGE BACKGROUND OTHER THAN ENGLISH
2016	58	615	292	323	12%	41%

TABLE 7: MABEL PARK STATE SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

Mabel Park State School is a co-educational Prep – Year 7 school situated in Slacks Creek. The student population is unique, combining a rich blend of socio-economic and culturally diverse elements. We aspire to 'Every child, every day, learning and achieving' with high expectations for all as an integral feature. We create a foundation of pride in our school and maintain caring learning environments. We are recognised as providers of high quality education and have forged an excellent reputation in academic improvement and in transforming student learning with iPads as key devices.

YEAR	TEACHING STAFF	TOTAL	FEMALE	MALE	INDIGENOUS	LANGUAGE BACKGROUND OTHER THAN ENGLISH
2016	70	723	336	387	21%	36%



FIGURE 5 MABEL PARK SHS STUDENT ATTENDANCE - TERM 3 2016

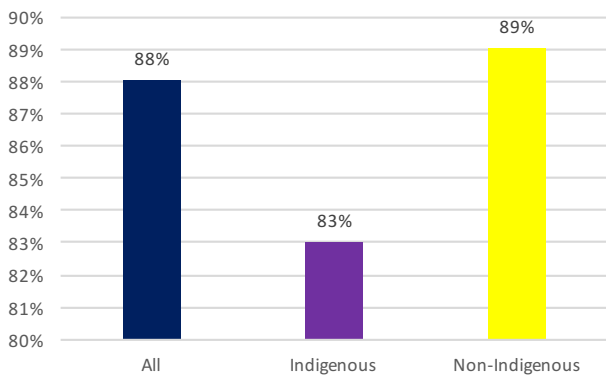
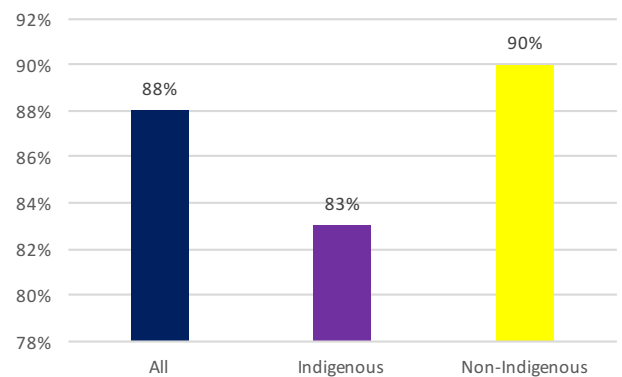


FIGURE 6: MABEL PARK STATE SCHOOL STUDENT ATTENDANCE - TERM 3 2016



AUSTRALIAN EARLY DEVELOPMENT CENSUS (AEDC)(AEDC)

The AEDC is a nationwide measure that looks at how well children across Australia are growing up or ‘developing’.

The AEDC looks at five different elements or domains that are important for children’s development. These are: physical health and wellbeing, social competence, emotional maturity, language and cognitive skills (school-based); and communication skills and general knowledge.

The AEDC is collected every three years in schools across Australia. The data collection was completed in 2009, 2012 and 2015.

TABLE 8: SLACKS CREEK AEDC (2015 DATA) NUMBER AND % OF CHILDREN DEVELOPMENTALLY VULNERABLE ON ONE OR MORE DOMAINS

# CHILDREN	PHYSICAL HEALTH & WELLBEING	SOCIAL COMPETENCE	EMOTIONAL MATURITY	LANGUAGE & COGNITIVE SKILLS	COMMUNICATION SKILLS & GENERAL KNOWLEDGE	VULNERABLE ON 1 OR > DOMAINS	VULNERABLE ON 2 OR > DOMAINS
169	15.9%	15.2%	14.7%	12.2%	14.6%	32.5%	18.9%

NAPLAN PERFORMANCE

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) assesses all students in Australian schools in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. In the tables below, “NMS” refers to National Minimum Standard.

TABLE 9: NAPLAN RESULTS PERCENTAGE FOR MABEL PARK SHS YEAR 7 AGAINST STATISTICALLY SIMILAR SCHOOLS AND ALL AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS

YEAR 7 2016	READING	WRITING	SPELLING	GRAMMAR PUNCTUATION	NUMERACY
Mabel Park State High School	<NMS: 13 NMS: 26 >NMS: 61	<NMS: 16 NMS: 26 >NMS: 58	<NMS: 13 NMS: 19 >NMS: 68	<NMS: 12 NMS: 27 >NMS: 61	<NMS: 6 NMS: 25 >NMS: 70
Statistically Similar Schools	<NMS: 14 NMS: 30 >NMS: 52	<NMS: 22 NMS: 28 >NMS: 46	<NMS: 17 NMS: 22 >NMS: 57	<NMS: 15 NMS: 32 >NMS: 48	<NMS: 9 NMS: 30 >NMS: 57
All Australian Schools	<NMS: 4 NMS: 14 >NMS: 82	<NMS: 9 NMS: 18 >NMS: 72	<NMS: 5 NMS: 12 >NMS: 80	<NMS: 6 NMS: 14 >NMS: 78	<NMS: 3 NMS: 12 >NMS: 84

TABLE 10: NAPLAN RESULTS PERCENTAGE FOR MABEL PARK SHS YEAR 9 AGAINST ALL AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS

YEAR 9 2016	READING	WRITING	SPELLING	GRAMMAR PUNCTUATION	NUMERACY
Mabel Park State High School	<NMS: 20 NMS: 43 >NMS: 37	<NMS: 42 NMS: 28 >NMS: 30	<NMS: 28 NMS: 17 >NMS: 55	<NMS: 27 NMS: 32 >NMS: 42	<NMS: 5 NMS: 39 >NMS: 55
Statistically Similar Schools	<NMS: 15 NMS: 31 >NMS: 50	<NMS: 25 NMS: 27 >NMS: 34	<NMS: 24 NMS: 21 >NMS: 52	<NMS: 24 NMS: 27 >NMS: 45	<NMS: 6 NMS: 37 >NMS: 53
All Australian Schools	<NMS: 5 NMS: 16 >NMS: 77	<NMS: 15 NMS: 23 >NMS: 60	<NMS: 8 NMS: 15 >NMS: 76	<NMS: 8 NMS: 20 >NMS: 71	<NMS: 3 NMS: 15 >NMS: 80

TABLE II: NAPLAN RESULTS PERCENTAGE FOR MABEL PARK STATE SCHOOL YEAR 3 AGAINST STATISTICALLY SIMILAR SCHOOLS AND ALL AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS

YEAR 3 2016	READING	WRITING	SPELLING	GRAMMAR PUNCTUATION	NUMERACY
Mabel Park State School	<NMS: 18 NMS: 16 >NMS: 67	<NMS: 8 NMS: 21 >NMS: 72	<NMS: 18 NMS: 14 >NMS: 69	<NMS: 10 NMS: 16 >NMS: 75	<NMS: 18 NMS: 31 >NMS: 51
Statistically Similar Schools	<NMS: 10 NMS: 21 >NMS: 64	<NMS: 6 NMS: 13 >NMS: 77	<NMS: 12 NMS: 20 >NMS: 64	<NMS: 9 NMS: 11 >NMS: 76	<NMS: 10 NMS: 26 >NMS: 59
All Australian Schools	<NMS: 3 NMS: 8 >NMS: 86	<NMS: 2 NMS: 4 >NMS: 92	<NMS: 4 NMS: 8 >NMS: 86	<NMS: 3 NMS: 7 >NMS: 88	<NMS: 3 NMS: 11 >NMS: 85

TABLE 12: NAPLAN RESULTS PERCENTAGE FORMABEL PARK STATE SCHOOL YEAR 5 AGAINST STATISTICALLY SIMILAR SCHOOLS AND ALL AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS

YEAR 5 2016	READING	WRITING	SPELLING	GRAMMAR PUNCTUATION	NUMERACY
Mabel Park State School	<NMS: 11 NMS: 29 >NMS: 59	<NMS: 15 NMS: 16 >NMS: 66	<NMS: 11 NMS: 14 >NMS: 76	<NMS: 11 NMS: 33 >NMS: 56	<NMS: 16 NMS: 28 >NMS: 57
Statistically Similar Schools	<NMS: 16 NMS: 24 >NMS: 56	<NMS: 14 NMS: 21 >NMS: 61	<NMS: 15 NMS: 16 >NMS: 65	<NMS: 12 NMS: 23 >NMS: 61	<NMS: 14 NMS: 25 >NMS: 58
All Australian Schools	<NMS: 5 NMS: 10 >NMS: 83	<NMS: 5 NMS: 13 >NMS: 80	<NMS: 6 NMS: 12 >NMS: 81	<NMS: 5 NMS: 10 >NMS: 83	<NMS: 4 NMS: 13 >NMS: 82

TABLE 13: LEVEL OF EDUCATION OF PEOPLE LIVING IN SLACKS CREEK

Number of people 15 years and over: 8,055

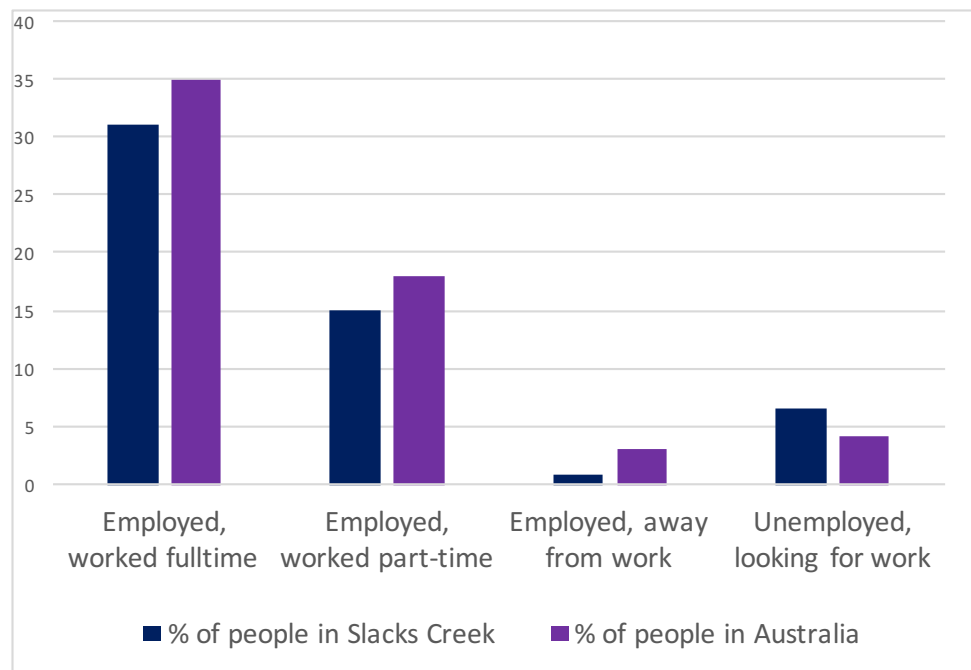
	NO. OF PEOPLE IN SLACKS CREEK	% OF PEOPLE IN SLACKS CREEK	% OF PEOPLE IN AUSTRALIA
Postgraduate Degree	0	0	.07
Doctoral Degree	22	0.3	0.61
Master Degree	73	0.9	3.1
Grad Dip and Grad Cert	3	0.03	0.14
Grad Dip	42	0.5	1.11
Grad Cert	4	0.04	0.3
Bachelor Degree	435	5.4	11.6
Adv Dip and Dip	9	0.1	.05
Adv Dip/Associate Degree	119	1.5	2.4
Diploma	308	3.8	3.7
Cert III and IV	1,004	13	11.2
Cert I and II	67	0.8	0.7
Cert	101	1.2	1.1
Level of education inadequately described	35	0.4	0.4
Level of education not stated	99	1.2	1.1

Source: ABS census data 2016



EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

FIGURE 7: SELECTED LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS (PEOPLE AGED 15 AND OVER)



Number of people aged 15 years and over in Slacks Creek: 8,055
 Number of people in the labour force: 4,492
 Number of people not in labour force: 3,037

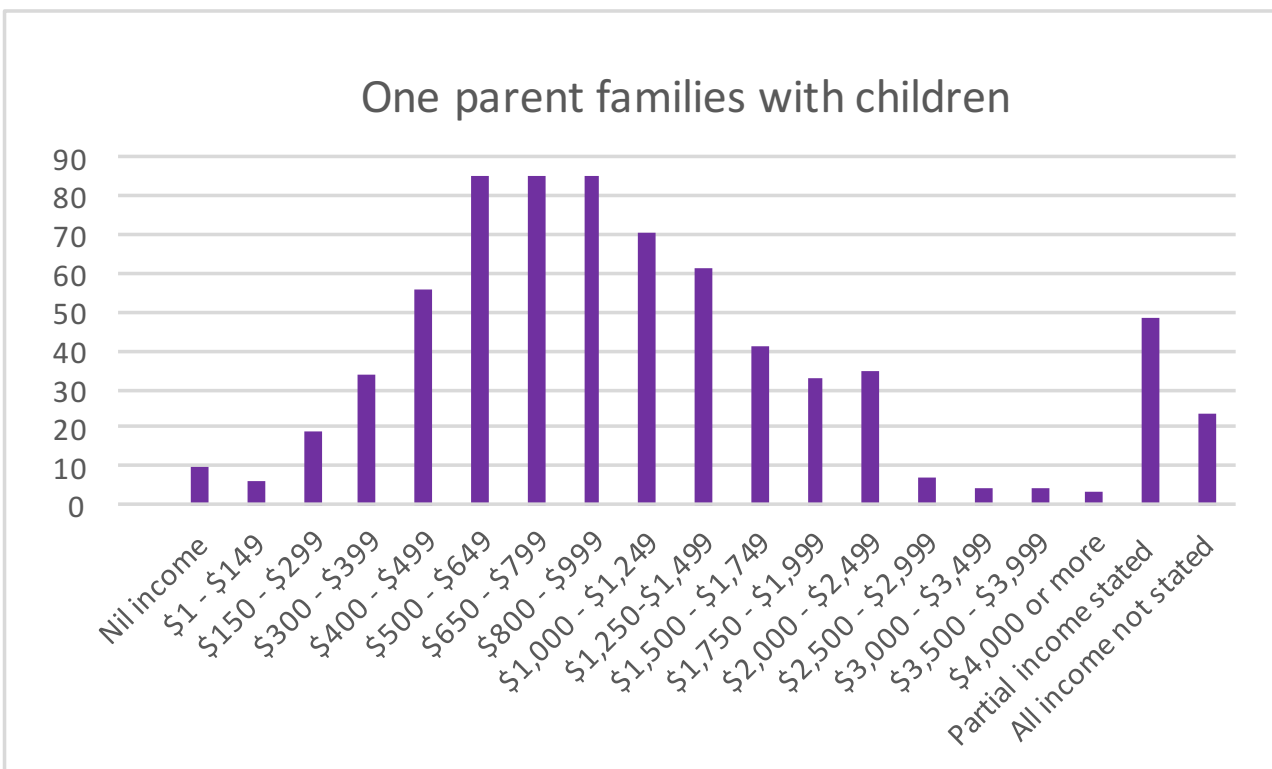
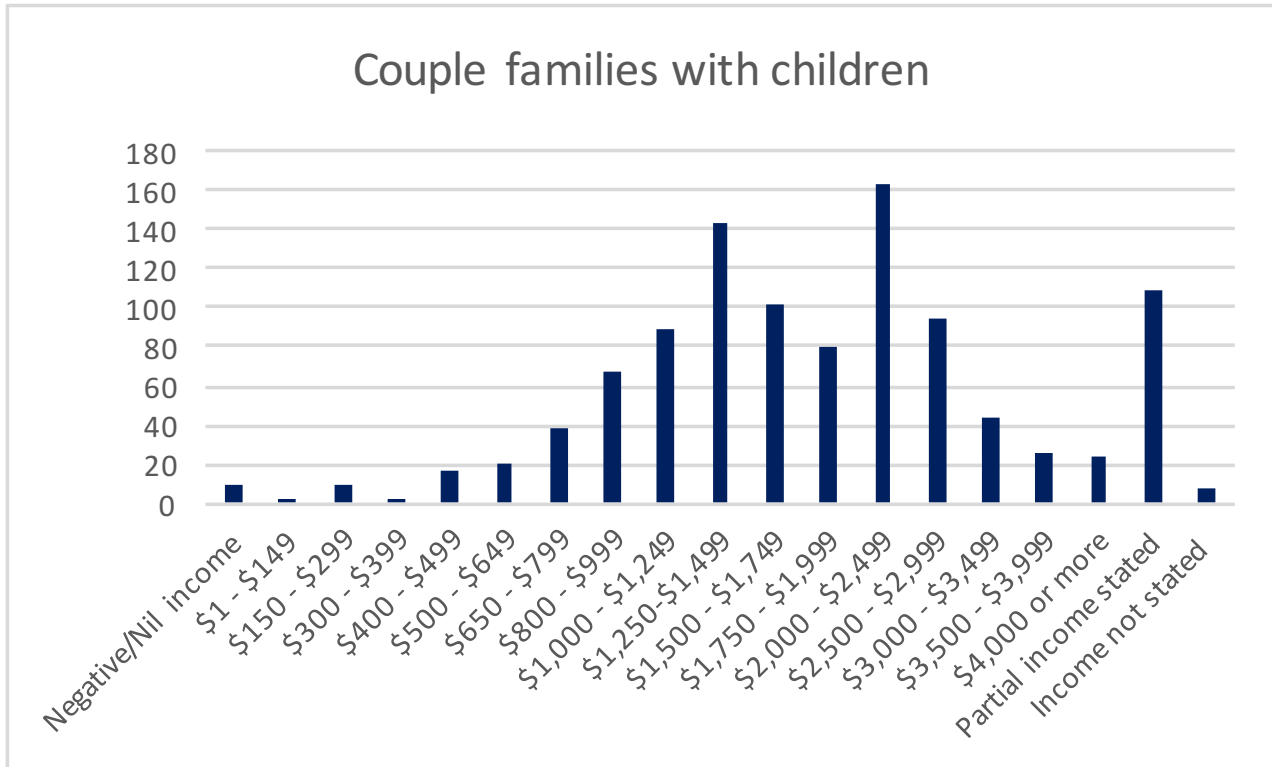
TABLE 14: NO OF PERSONS EMPLOYED BY OCCUPATION (PEOPLE AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER)

	% OF PEOPLE IN SLACKS CREEK	% OF PEOPLE IN AUSTRALIA
Managers	1.7	7.3
Professionals	4.9	12.4
Technicians and trade workers	4.3	7.6
Community and personal service workers	6.1	6.0
Clerical and administrative workers	12.9	7.6
Sales workers	8.5	5.2
Machinery operators and drivers	4	3.5
Labourers	5.5	5.3
Inadequately described/not stated	1	0.9

Source: ABS Census 2016:

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FIGURE 8: TOTAL WEEKLY INCOME OF FAMILIES IN SLACKS CREEK



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TABLE 15: HOUSEHOLD INCOME AND HOUSING COSTS - SELECTED MEDIANS AND AVERAGE

	SLACKS CREEK	LOGAN	AUSTRALIA
Median age of persons	34	34	38
Median total personal income (\$/weekly)	539	635	662
Median total family income (\$/weekly)	1,297	1,546	1,734
Median total household income (\$/weekly)	1,144	1,416	1,438
Median mortgage repayment (\$/monthly)	1,411	1,733	1,755
Median rent (\$/weekly)	300	335	335
Average number of persons per bedroom	0.9	0.8	0.9
Average household size	2.8	2.9	2.6

Source: ABS Census 2016:

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INTERNET CONNECTION

TABLE 16: DWELLING INTERNET CONNECTION

	% OF DWELLINGS IN SLACKS CREEK	% OF DWELLINGS IN LOGAN	% OF DWELLINGS IN AUSTRALIA
Internet accessed from dwelling	79	84.7	83.1
Internet not accessed from dwelling	17.3	12.6	14.1
Not stated	3.5	2.7	2.6

Source: ABS Census 2016:

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TRANSPORT

FIGURE 9: NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES BY DWELLING

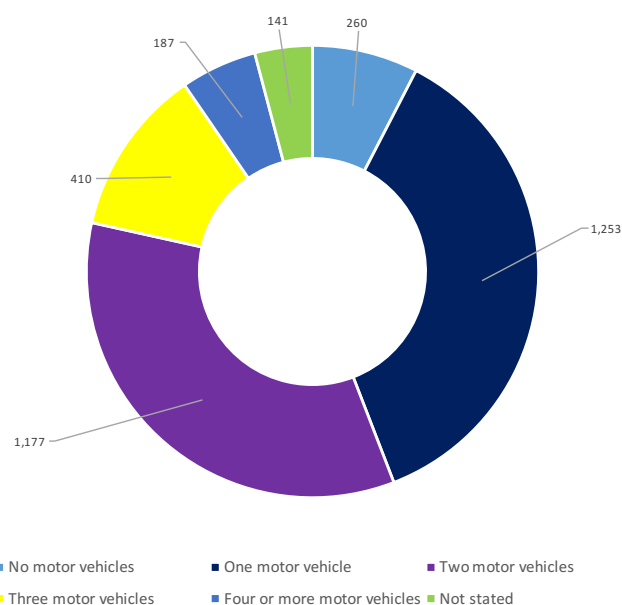


TABLE 17: PRIMARY SINGLE METHOD OF TRANSPORT TO WORK

	% IN SLACKS CREEK	% IN LOGAN	% IN AUSTRALIA
Train	1.7	1.3	5.6
Bus	4.4	3.3	3.7
Ferry	0	0	0.1
Tram (includes light rail)	0	0	0.7
Taxi	0.3	0.1	0.2
Car, as driver	79	83.1	75.8
Car, as passenger	8.7	6.8	5.7
Truck	1.4	1.9	1.0
Motorbike/scooter	1.6	1.1	0.7
Bicycle	0.3	0.3	1.2
Other	0.8	0.6	0.8
Walked only	1.6	1.3	4.3

Source: ABS Census 2016:

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CRIME

FOR UP-TO-DATE CRIME INFORMATION ABOUT THIS AND OTHER LOGAN SUBURBS, GO TO [HTTPS://DATA.POLICE.QLD.GOV.AU/CRIMESTATSMOBILE/#/MAP](https://data.police.qld.gov.au/crimestatsmobile/#/map)



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