

# **BORONIA HEIGHTS** SUBURB PROFILE



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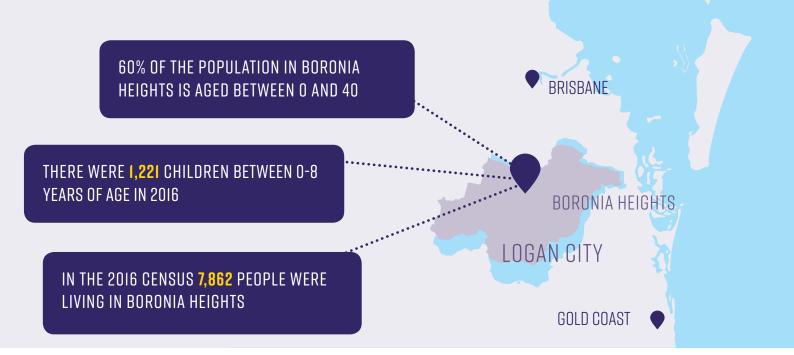
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## **INTRODUCTION**

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 pther 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

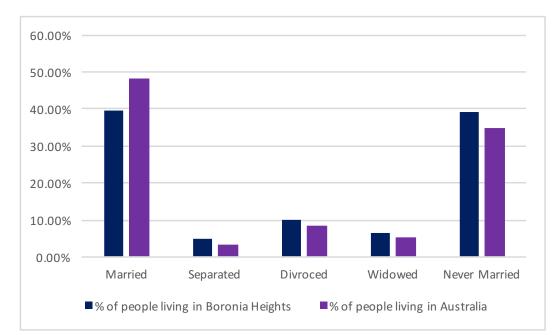
#### TABLE I: POPULATION OF THE BORONIA HEIGHTS COMMUNITY BY AGE IN 2016

AGE	NO. OF PEOPLE IN Boronia heights	%. OF PEOPLE IN Boronia heights	AUSTRALIA %
0-4 years	673	8.6	6.3
5-9 years	671	8.5	6.4
10-14 years	556	7.1	6.0
15-19 years	535	6.8	6.1
20-24 years	557	7.1	6.7
25-29 years	597	7.6	7.1
30-34 years	629	8	7.3
35-39 years	548	7	6.7
40-44 years	504	6.4	6.8
45-49 years	456	5.8	6.8
50-54 years	448	5.7	6.5
55-59 years	421	5.4	6.2
60-64 years	368	4.7	5.6
65-69 years	272	3.5	5.1
70-74 years	183	2.3	3.8
75-79 years	141	1.8	2.8
80-84 years	127	1.6	2.0
85 years and over	191	2.4	2.1

Source: ABS census data 2016

#### TABLE 2: BREAKDOWN BY AGE OF CHILDREN 0-8 YEARS IN BORONIA HEIGHTS 2016

AGE	NO OF PEOPLE IN BORONIA HEIGHTS	% BORONIA HEIGHTS	% AUSTRALIA
0	118	1.5	1.2
1	153	1.9	1.3
2	136	1.7	1.3
3	127	1.6	1.3
4	138	1.8	1.3
5	133	1.7	1.3
6	137	1.7	1.3
7	141	1.8	1.3
8	131	1.7	1.3



#### FIGURE I: REGISTERED MARITAL STATUS OF PEOPLE AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER IN BORONIA HEIGHTS

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



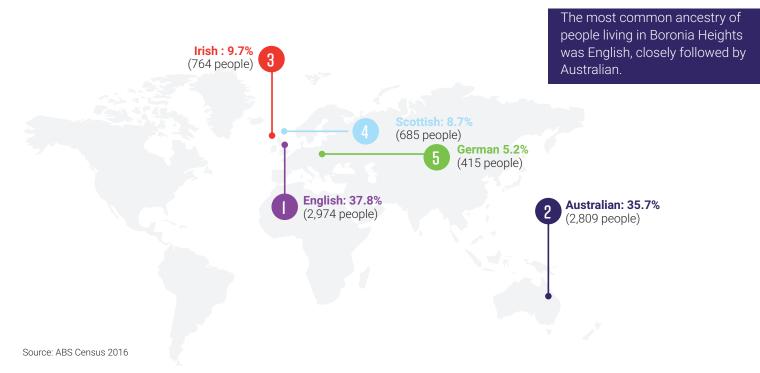
#### TABLE 3: FAMILY COMPOSITION OF PEOPLE LIVING IN BORONIA HEIGHTS

	FAMILIES IN BORONIA HEIGHTS	PERSONS IN BORONIA HEIGHTS
Couple family with no children	530	1,083
Couple family with:		
Children under 15 and:		
dependent students and non-dependent children	22	121
dependent students and no non-dependent children	68	351
no dependent students and with non-dependent children	42	189
no dependent students and no non-dependent children	532	2,065
Total:	656	2,726
No children under 15 and		
with dependent students and non-dependent children	31	130
with dependent students and no non-dependent children	53	172
no dependent students and with non-dependent children	152	495
Total	234	791
One parent family with:		
Children under 15 and:		
dependent students and non-dependent children	13	52
dependent students and no non-dependent children	46	156
no dependent students and with non-dependent children	37	149
no dependent students and no non-dependent children	238	697
Total	330	1,053
No children under 15 and:		
with dependent students and non-dependent children	26	81
with dependent students and no non-dependent children	22	55
no dependent students and with non-dependent children	156	352
Total	205	482
Other family	36	77
Total	2,002	6,217

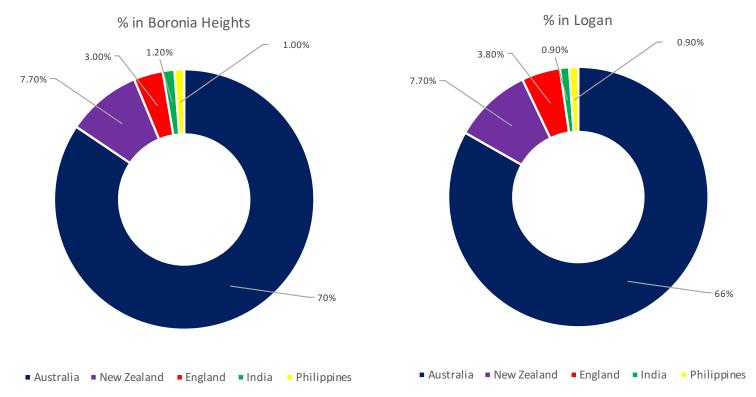
Source: ABS Census 2016

## **CULTURAL BACKGROUND**

#### FIGURE 2: ANCESTRY OF PEOPLE LIVING IN BORONIA HEIGHTS (TOP 5 COUNTRIES OF BIRTH OF PARENTS)



#### FIGURE 3: COUNTRY OF BIRTH OF PEOPLE LIVING IN BORONIA HEIGHTS



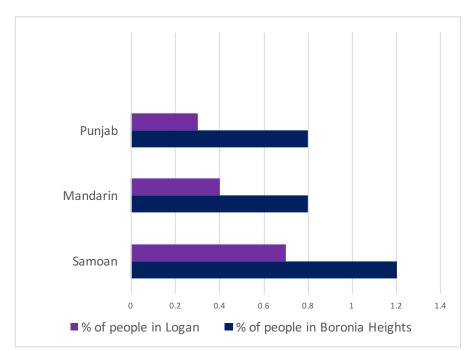
#### **TABLE 4**: ABORIGINAL AND/OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PEOPLE

AGE	MALES	FEMALES	TOTAL
0-4 years	23	15	40
5-9 years	20	21	37
10-14 years	20	14	27
15-19 years	17	18	35
20-24 years	11	15	32
25-29 years	13	12	30
30-34 years	3	7	14
35-39 years	4	7	14
40-44 years	5	8	17
45-49 years	3	14	20
50-54 years	5	6	14
55-59 years	4	7	9
60-64 years	3	5	4
65 years and over	3	10	10
Total	140	148	289

Source: ABS Census 2016

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#### FIGURE 4: LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH SPOKEN AT HOME (TOP THREE RESPONSES)



6,312 people (80%) of people in Boronia Heights speak only English in the home, compared to 78% in Logan as a whole.

Source: ABS Census 2016

# EDUCATION

#### TABLE 5: NUMBER OF PEOPLE LIVING IN BORONIA HEIGHTS ATTENDING AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION

EDUCATION TYPE	BORONIA HEIGHTS #	BORONIA HEIGHTS %	AUSTRALIA %
Preschool	142	1.8	4.8
Primary School - Govt.	661	8.4	18.2
Primary School - Catholic	91	1.2	5.3
Primary School - other non Govt.	61	0.8	3.2
Secondary School -Govt.	420	5.3	11.5
Secondary School - Catholic	57	0.7	4.7
Secondary School - other non Govt.	53	0.7	3.9
Technical or Further Education	145	1.8	5.9
University or tertiary institution	159	2	16.1
Other	83	1.1	2.8
Not stated	490	6.2	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 Boronia Heights and their National Quality Standard (NQS) Ratings as at the time of writing.

CENTRE NAME	OVERALL NATIONAL QUALITY STANDARDS RATING
Goodstart Boronia Heights - Mackellar Drive	Working Towards
Goodstart Boronia Heights - Fedrick Street	Meeting
Parklands Drive Early Education and Care	Meeting
Goodstart Boronia Heights - Middle Road	Exceeding
Kids Clubhouse Learn and Play Centre	Working Towards

### SCHOOLS IN BORONIA HEIGHTS

#### There is currently one school in Boronia Heights:

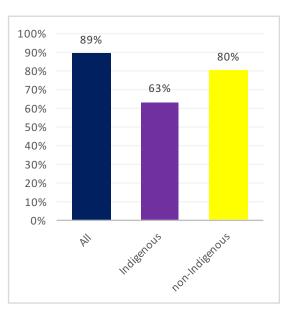
SCHOOL NAME	SECTOR	ТҮРЕ	STATUS AS AT SEPTEMBER 2017
Boronia Heights State School	Primary	Government	Prep - Year 6

#### TABLE 6: BORONIA HEIGHTS STATE SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

Boronia Heights State School was established in 1990 offering a co-educational program to students from Prep to Year 6. We are very proud of our school and promote a team approach where everyone works together in providing quality educational opportunities for all. We value and respect the differences between all members of the school community and promote strong and productive partnerships between home and school.

YEAR	TEACHING STAFF	TOTAL	FEMALE	MALE	INDIGENOUS	LANGUAGE BACKGROUND OTHER THAN ENGLISH
2016	51	665	311	354	5%	17%

#### **FIGURE 5**: BORONIA HEIGHTS STATE SCHOOL STUDENT ATTENDANCE - TERM 3 2016



### AUSTRALIAN EARLY DEVELOPMENT CENSUS (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 10:** BORONIA HEIGHTS AEDC (2015 DATA) NUMBER AND % OF CHILDRENDEVELOPMENTALLY VULNERABLE ON ONE OR MORE DOMAINS

# CHILDREN	PHYSICAL HEALTH & Wellbeing	SOCIAL Competence	EMOTIONAL MATURITY	LANGUAGE & Cognitive skills	COMMUNICATION SKILLS & GENERAL KNOWLEDGE	VULNERABLE ON I OR > DOMAINS	VULNERABLE ON 2 OR > DOMAINS
147	16.7%	14.5%	11.6%	12.3%	10.1%	34.8%	15.9%

### 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 II:** NAPLAN RESULTS PERCENTAGE FOR **BORONIA HEIGHTS STATE SCHOOL YEAR 3** AGAINSTSTATISTICALLY SIMILAR SCHOOLS AND ALL AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS

YEAR 3 2016	READING	WRITING	SPELLING	GRAMMAR PUNCTUATION	NUMERACY
Boronia Heights State School	<nms: 15<br="">NMS: 25 &gt;NMS: 60</nms:>	<nms: 7<br="">NMS: 14 &gt;NMS: 79</nms:>	<nms: 11<br="">NMS: 20 &gt;NMS: 69</nms:>	<nms: 13<br="">NMS: 14 &gt;NMS: 72</nms:>	<nms: 11<br="">NMS: 26 &gt;NMS: 62</nms:>
Statistically Similar Schools	<nms: 6<br="">NMS: 17 &gt;NMS: 75</nms:>	<nms: 2<br="">NMS: 10 &gt;NMS: 87</nms:>	<nms: 7<br="">NMS: 15 &gt;NMS: 76</nms:>	<nms: 6<br="">NMS: 8 &gt;NMS: 83</nms:>	<nms: 5<br="">NMS: 21 &gt;NMS: 72</nms:>
All Australian Schools	<nms: 3<br="">NMS: 8 &gt;NMS: 86</nms:>	<nms: 2<br="">NMS: 4 &gt;NMS: 92</nms:>	<nms: 4<br="">NMS: 8 &gt;NMS: 86</nms:>	<nms: 3<br="">NMS: 7 &gt;NMS: 88</nms:>	<nms: 3<br="">NMS: 11 &gt;NMS: 85</nms:>

### TABLE 12: NAPLAN RESULTS PERCENTAGE FOR BORONIA HEIGHTS STATE SCHOOLYEAR 5 AGAINST ALL AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS

YEAR 5 2016	READING	WRITING	SPELLING	GRAMMAR PUNCTUATION	NUMERACY
Boronia Heights State School	<nms: 19<br="">NMS: 14 &gt;NMS: 67</nms:>	<nms: 16<br="">NMS: 16 &gt;NMS: 69</nms:>	<nms: 8<br="">NMS: 18 &gt;NMS: 74</nms:>	<nms: 7<br="">NMS: 22 &gt;NMS: 71</nms:>	<nms: 13<br="">NMS: 14 &gt;NMS: 73</nms:>
Statistically Similar Schools	<nms: 10<br="">NMS: 19 &gt;NMS: 69</nms:>	<nms: 10<br="">NMS: 18 &gt;NMS: 71</nms:>	<nms: 9<br="">NMS: 15 &gt;NMS: 75</nms:>	<nms: 6<br="">NMS: 20 &gt;NMS: 73</nms:>	<nms: 8<br="">NMS: 20 &gt;NMS: 70</nms:>
All Australian Schools	<nms: 5<br="">NMS: 10 &gt;NMS: 83</nms:>	<nms: 5<br="">NMS: 13 &gt;NMS: 80</nms:>	<nms: 6<br="">NMS: 12 &gt;NMS: 81</nms:>	<nms: 5<br="">NMS: 10 &gt;NMS: 83</nms:>	<nms: 4<br="">NMS: 13 &gt;NMS: 82</nms:>

#### TABLE 6: LEVEL OF EDUCATION OF PEOPLE LIVING IN BORONIA HEIGHTS

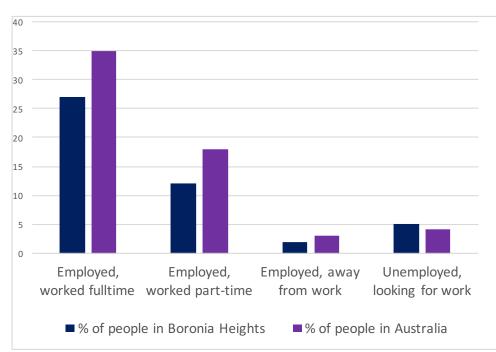
#### Number of people 15 years and over: 5,972

	NO. OF PEOPLE IN BORONIA HEIGHTS	%. OF PEOPLE IN BORONIA HEIGHTS	% OF PEOPLE IN AUSTRALIA
Postgraduate Degree	0	0	.07
Doctoral Degree	0	0	0.61
Master Degree	35	0.4	3.1
Grad Dip and Grad Cert	4	0.1	0.14
Grad Dip	20	0.3	1.11
Grad Cert	5	0.1	0.3
Bachelor Degree	270	3.4	11.6
Adv Dip and Dip	5	0.1	.05
Adv Dip/Associate Degree	84	1.1	2.4
Diploma	229	2.9	3.7
Cert III and IV	978	12.4	11.2
Cert I and II	46	0.6	0.7
Cert	85	1.1	1.1
Level of education inadequately described	18	0.2	0.4
Level of education not stated	66	0.8	1.1
Total	1,860	23.7	38

Source: ABS Census 2016



## EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION



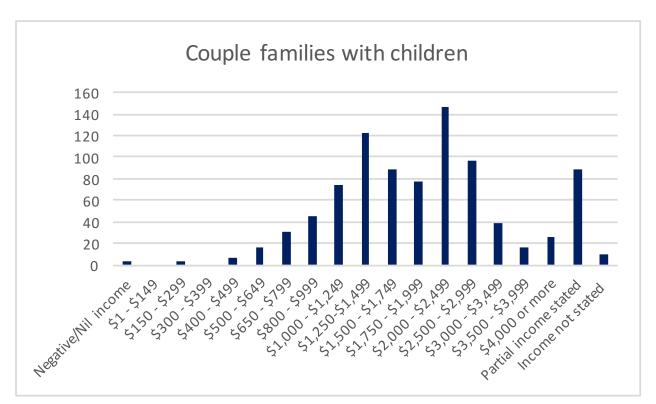
#### FIGURE 5: SELECTED LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS (PEOPLE AGED 15 AND OVER)

Number of people aged 15 years and over in Boronia Heights: 5,972 Number of people in the labour force: 3,682 Number of people not in labour force: 1,961

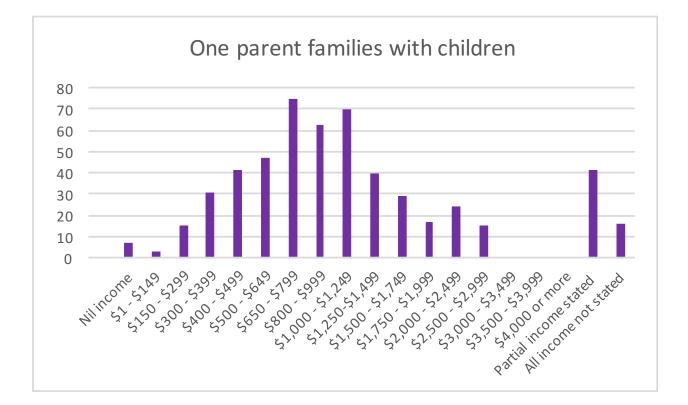
#### TABLE 7: NO OF PERSONS EMPLOYED BY OCCUPATION (AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER)

	% OF PEOPLE IN BORONIA HEIGHTS	% OF PEOPLE IN AUSTRALIA
Managers	2.9	7.3
Professionals	3.5	12.4
Technicians and trade workers	7.4	7.6
Community and personal service workers	4.4	6.0
Clerical and administrative workers	6.3	7.6
Sales workers	4.4	5.2
Machinery operators and drivers	5.4	3.5
Labourers	5.5	5.3
Inadequately described/not stated	0.9	0.9

Source: ABS Census 2016







#### TABLE 8: HOUSEHOLD INCOME AND HOUSING COSTS - SELECTED MEDIANS AND AVERAGE

	BORONIA HEIGHTS	LOGAN	AUSTRALIA
Median age of persons	32	34	38
Median total personal income (\$/weekly)	609	635	662
Median total family income (\$/weekly)	1,392	1,546	1,734
Median total household income (\$/weekly)	1,308	1,416	1,438
Median mortgage repayment (\$/monthly)	1,560	1,733	1,755
Median rent (\$/weekly)	340	335	335
Average number of persons per bedroom	0.8	0.8	0.9
Average household size	2.9	2.9	2.6

Source: ABS Census 2016

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### **INTERNET CONNECTION**

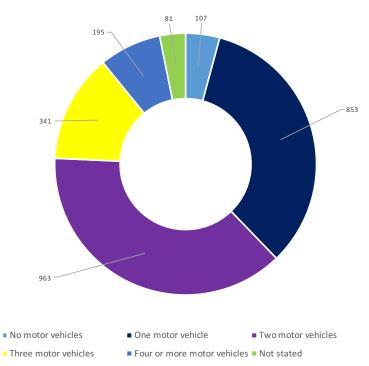
#### TABLE 9: DWELLING INTERNET CONNECTION

	% OF DWELLINGS IN Yarrabilba	% OF DWELLINGS IN LOGAN	% OF DWELLINGS IN AUSTRALIA
Inernet accessed from dwelling	84.3	84.7	83.1
Internet not accessed from dwelling	12.9	12.6	14.1
Not stated	2.7	2.7	2.6

Source: ABS Census 2016



## TRANSPORT



#### FIGURE 7: NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES BY DWELLING

#### TABLE 10: PRIMARY SINGLE METHOD OF TRANSPORT TO WORK

	% IN BORONIA HEIGHTS	% IN LOGAN	% IN AUSTRALIA
Train	0.1	1.3	5.6
Bus	3.3	3.3	3.7
Ferry	0	0	0.1
Tram (includes light rail)	0	0	0.7
Тахі	0	0.1	0.2
Car, as driver	98	83.1	74.8
Car, as passenger	6.8	6.8	5.7
Truck	1.8	1.9	1.0
Motorbike/scooter	1.9	1.1	0.7
Bicycle	0	0.3	1.2
Other	0.8	0.6	0.8
Walked only Source: ABS Census 2016	1.6	1.3	4.3

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