

# Caerphilly County Borough

## Electoral Ward Profile - Risca East

Source: 2001 Census

### Population

Total	6,384
Males	3,092
Females	3,292

### Age Structure (%)

0 - 4 years	6.7
5 - 15 years	16.0
16 - 17 years	2.6
18 - 29 years	14.2
30 - 44 years	22.2
45 - 64 years	25.2
65 years and over	13.0
75 years and over	5.3

### Ethnic Group (%)

White	99.2
Mixed	0.4
Asian or Asian British	0.1
Black or Black British	0.1
Chinese	0.0
Other	0.2
% of all people identifying themselves as Welsh	12.6

### Marital Status (%)

All people aged 16+	4,930
Single (never married)	27.5
Married	45.9
Re-married	8.6
Separated (but still legally married)	1.7
Divorced	9.7
Widowed	6.7

### Health and Provision of Unpaid Care

% of people with limiting long term illness	21.8
% of working age with limiting long term illness	12.1
% of people whose health was:	
Good	65.1
Fairly good	23.2
Not good	11.7
All people who provide unpaid care	694
% of people who provide unpaid care:	
1 - 19 hours per week	59.2
20 - 49 hours per week	12.5
50 hours or more per week	28.2

### Economic Activity

Total males 16 - 74 years	2,215
Total females 16 - 74 years	2,375
% males 16 - 74 years who are econ. active	71.6
% females 16 - 74 years who are econ. active	55.9
% males 16 - 74 years who are:	
Working full time	58.4
Working part time	2.3
Self employed	5.1
Unemployed	4.4
Full time student	1.4
% females 16 - 74 years who are:	
Working full time	29.3
Working part time	20.8
Self employed	2.0
Unemployed	2.1
Full time student	1.8

### Economic Inactivity

% males 16 - 74 years who are econ. inactive	28.4
% females 16 - 74 years who are econ. inactive	44.1
% males 16 - 74 years who are:	
Retired	12.6
Student	2.9
Looking after home/family	1.0
Permanently sick/disabled	9.3
Other	2.5
% females 16 - 74 years who are:	
Retired	15.2
Student	4.0
Looking after home/family	12.0
Permanently sick/disabled	8.4
Other	4.4

### Hours Worked (%)

Males:	
15 hours and under	2.2
16 - 30 hours	3.8
31 - 37 hours	16.7
38 - 48 hours	61.1
49 hours or more	16.2
Females:	
15 hours and under	11.0
16 - 30 hours	32.2
31 - 37 hours	24.5
38 - 48 hours	28.3
49 hours or more	3.9

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#### Industry of Employment (%)

Agriculture, hunting, forestry & fishing	0.4
Mining & quarrying	0.1
Manufacturing	29.6
Electricity, gas & water supply	0.9
Construction	5.2
Wholesale & retail, repair of motor vehicles	16.8
Hotels & catering	3.7
Transport, storage & communication	6.0
Financial intermediation	3.8
Real estate, renting & business activities	6.0
Public administration & defence	7.1
Education	6.5
Health & Social Work	10.9
Other industries	3.0

#### Occupation Groups (%)

Managers & senior officials	9.6
Professional	7.2
Associate professional & technical	12.3
Administrative & secretarial	13.0
Skilled trades	11.9
Personal services	6.6
Sales & customer service	8.1
Process, plant & machine operatives	16.3
Elementary occupations	14.8

#### Qualifications (%)

No qualifications	37.0
Highest qualification:	
1+ O level passes, 1+ CSE/GCSE any grades, NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ	19.0
5+ O level passes, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A-C), 1+ A/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ	20.5
2+ A levels, 4+ AS levels, NVQ level 3, Advanced GNVQ	4.9
First degree, Higher degree, NVQ levels 4/5, HNC/D, professional qualifications	11.3
Other qualifications/level unknown	7.3

#### Travel to Work (%)

Train	0.6
Bus, minibus or coach	7.8
Motorcycle, scooter or moped	1.1
Driving a car or van	65.6
Passenger in a car or van	11.0
Taxi or minicab	0.3
Bicycle	1.1
On foot	7.1
Other	0.2
Work mainly at or from home	5.2

#### Car/Van Ownership (%)

Households with no car/van	26.6
Households with one car/van	47.1
Households with two cars/vans	21.7
Households with three or more cars/vans	4.7

#### Household Spaces and Accommodation Type

All household spaces	2,669
% Detached house	10.0
% Semi-detached house	48.8
% Terraced house	33.5
% Flat, maisonette or apartment	7.7
% Caravan/other mobile or temporary structure	0.0
% Vacant or second residence/holiday accomm.	3.9

#### Household Tenure (%)

Owner occupied	72.4
Rented from local authority	20.4
Rented from housing assoc/reg. social landlord	2.6
Rented from private landlord/letting agency	2.9
Other	1.6

#### Household Composition (%)

One person OAP households	9.9
Households containing only OAPs (more than one)	8.5
One person households	13.9
Married/cohabiting couple households with:	
no children	18.8
dependent children	23.4
all children non-dependent	8.5
Lone parent households with:	
dependent children	9.5
all children non-dependent	3.7
Other households	3.6

#### Knowledge of Welsh (%)

All people 3 years and over	6,138
% people 3 years and over who:	
Understand spoken Welsh only	1.7
Speak but do not read/write Welsh	2.5
Speak and read but do not write Welsh	0.8
Speak, read and write Welsh	8.8
Have another combination of skills	2.0
% with no knowledge of Welsh	84.1