

The City of Winnipeg



Winnipeg's Neighborhood Profiles

SPENCE

CENSUS DATA

(Source: Statistics Canada)

TOTAL POPULATION	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
	Number	% change (1)	Number	% change (1)
1996 CENSUS	3,940	-19.1%	618,475	0.5%
1991 CENSUS	4,870	-4.8%	615,215	3.5%
1986 CENSUS (2)	5,115	4.5%	594,555	5.3%
1981 CENSUS (2)	4,895	-1.7%	564,475	0.6%
1976 CENSUS (2)	4,980	-20.1%	560,875	4.8%
1971 CENSUS (2)	6,230		535,100	

(1) % Change from previous census year.

(2) Winnipeg figures include Headingley

1996 CENSUS DATA

(Source: Statistics Canada)

NOTE: The Winnipeg's Neighborhood Profiles are based on Non-Institutional Population and 20% sampling as provided by Statistics Canada. This means the data does not include people living in hospitals, nursing homes, prisons, etc. As well, one in five dwellings were surveyed and the results were then multiplied by five to arrive at representative data for the whole community.

POPULATION BY AGE (Non-Institutional)	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
	Age Group	Number	%	Number
Less than 5	390	10.0%	41,965	6.9%
5-9	285	7.3%	41,455	6.8%
10-14	200	5.1%	39,745	6.5%
15-19	240	6.1%	39,310	6.4%
20-24	350	8.9%	44,925	7.3%
25-29	365	9.3%	46,035	7.5%
30-34	400	10.2%	52,640	8.6%
35-39	310	7.9%	52,335	8.6%
40-44	305	7.8%	48,215	7.9%
45-49	230	5.9%	43,695	7.1%
50-54	235	6.0%	32,280	5.3%
55-59	140	3.6%	25,475	4.2%
60-64	155	4.0%	24,210	4.0%
65-69	100	2.6%	23,005	3.8%
70-74	90	2.3%	22,285	3.6%
75+	120	3.1%	34,050	5.6%
TOTAL	3,915	100.0%	611,625	100.0%

MARITAL STATUS (15 Years and Over)	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
	Marital Status	Number	%	Number
Never married (single) 15 years and over	1,540	50.2%	157,535	32.3%
Legally married (not separated)	825	26.9%	246,250	50.4%
Legally married and separated	170	5.5%	15,890	3.3%
Divorced	345	11.2%	35,370	7.2%
Widowed	190	6.2%	33,425	6.8%
TOTAL (15 Years and Over)	3,070	100.0%	488,470	100.0%

CENSUS FAMILIES	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Family Size				
2 persons	365	44.5%	72,870	44.6%
3 persons	215	26.2%	36,945	22.6%
4 persons	150	18.3%	36,575	22.4%
5 or more persons	90	11.0%	16,930	10.4%
TOTAL CENSUS FAMILIES	820	100.0%	163,320	100.0%
Average number of persons per census family	3.0		3.0	

Family Structure				
Married couples	375	46.0%	121,850	74.6%
Common-law couples	100	12.3%	14,325	8.8%
One parent - female	300	36.8%	23,155	14.2%
One parent - male	40	4.9%	3,985	2.4%
TOTAL FAMILIES	815	100.0%	163,315	100.0%

Families by Type				
Married couples with children	240	29.4%	73,225	44.8%
Married couples without children	135	16.6%	48,625	29.8%
Common-law couples with children	40	4.9%	6,355	3.9%
Common-law couples without children	60	7.4%	7,970	4.9%
One parent - female	300	36.8%	23,155	14.2%
One parent - male	40	4.9%	3,985	2.4%
TOTAL FAMILIES	815	100.0%	163,315	100.0%

Families with Children				
Married couples	240	38.7%	73,225	68.6%
Common-law couples	40	6.5%	6,355	6.0%
One parent - female	300	48.4%	23,155	21.7%
One parent - male	40	6.5%	3,985	3.7%
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN	620	100.0%	106,720	100.0%
With one child	285	46.0%	45,485	42.6%
With two children	190	30.6%	42,035	39.4%
With three or more children	145	23.4%	19,205	18.0%
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN	620	100.0%	106,725	100.0%

CENSUS FAMILIES (Cont'd)	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Family Income				
Under \$10,000	200	24.5%	8,800	5.4%
\$10,000 - \$19,999	245	30.1%	14,740	9.0%
\$20,000 - \$29,999	200	24.5%	20,625	12.6%
\$30,000 - \$39,999	80	9.8%	22,230	13.6%
\$40,000 - \$ 49,999	45	5.5%	22,245	13.6%
\$50,000 - \$59,999	25	3.1%	20,600	12.6%
\$60,000 - \$69,999	10	1.2%	16,050	9.8%
\$70,000 - \$79,999	0	0.0%	11,630	7.1%
\$80,000 - \$89,999	0	0.0%	8,040	4.9%
\$90,000 - \$99,999	0	0.0%	5,520	3.4%
\$100,000 and over	10	1.2%	12,835	7.9%
TOTAL	815	100.0%	163,315	100.0%
AVERAGE INCOME	\$21,608		\$53,174	

Family Average Income by Family Structure				
Married and common-law couple families	475		136,175	
Average Income	\$25,742		\$58,136	
Female one-parent families	300		23,150	
Average Income	\$15,131		\$26,536	
Male one-parent families	40		3,985	
Average Income	\$20,941		\$38,369	

HOUSEHOLDS	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Household Size				
1 person	725	44.6%	71,700	29.1%
2 persons	380	23.4%	76,985	31.3%
3 persons	230	14.2%	38,710	15.7%
4 - 5 persons	215	13.2%	52,385	21.3%
6 or more persons	75	4.6%	6,395	2.6%
TOTAL	1,625	100.0%	246,175	100.0%
Average number of persons per household	2.2		2.5	

Household Type				
One-family households	750	46.3%	158,460	64.4%
Multiple-family households	30	1.9%	2,375	1.0%
Non-family households	840	51.9%	85,340	34.7%
TOTAL	1,620	100.0%	246,175	100.0%

Household Income				
Under \$10,000	610	37.1%	21,055	8.6%
\$10,000 - \$19,999	510	31.0%	41,795	17.0%
\$20,000 - \$29,999	230	14.0%	35,210	14.3%
\$30,000 - \$39,999	115	7.0%	32,605	13.2%
\$40,000 - \$49,999	95	5.8%	28,425	11.5%
\$50,000 - \$59,999	35	2.1%	25,200	10.2%
\$60,000 - \$69,999	20	1.2%	18,550	7.5%
\$70,000 - \$79,999	10	0.6%	13,315	5.4%
\$80,000 - \$89,999	0	0.0%	9,165	3.7%
\$90,000 - \$99,999	10	0.6%	6,380	2.6%
\$100,000 and over	10	0.6%	14,475	5.9%
TOTAL	1,645	100.0%	246,175	100.0%
AVERAGE INCOME	\$17,674		\$44,937	

COMPOSITION OF TOTAL INCOME	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Employment income - %	57.3		74.0	
Government transfer payments - %	38.9		13.9	
Other - %	3.8		12.1	

INCIDENCE OF LOW INCOME	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Total economic families	830		165,660	
Low income	560		32,165	
Incidence of low income - %	67.6		19.4	
Total unattached individuals	920		95,095	
Low income	795		46,650	
Incidence of low income - %	86.6		49.1	
Total population in private households	3,605		606,770	
Low income	2,545		147,425	
Incidence of low income - %	70.5		24.3	

CITIZENSHIP	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Canadian	3,390	86.0%	584,880	95.6%
Other	550	14.0%	26,750	4.4%
TOTAL	3,940	100.0%	611,630	100.0%

KNOWLEDGE OF LANGUAGES	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Knowledge of Official Languages				
English only	3,575	90.7%	538,745	88.1%
French only	20	0.5%	845	0.1%
Both English and French	180	4.6%	64,730	10.6%
Neither English nor French	155	3.9%	7,310	1.2%
TOTAL INDIVIDUALS	3,930	100.0%	611,630	100.0%

Knowledge of Other Languages				
Chinese	240	6.1%	10,285	1.7%
German	55	1.4%	27,960	4.6%
Spanish	55	1.4%	7,910	1.3%
Italian	10	0.3%	6,445	1.1%
Dutch	10	0.3%	2,490	0.4%
Polish	45	1.1%	11,805	1.9%
Arabic	30	0.8%	970	0.2%
Tagalog (Filipino)	565	14.3%	20,770	3.4%
Ukrainian	55	1.4%	22,265	3.6%
Vietnamese	280	7.1%	3,025	0.5%
Punjabi	0	0.0%	5,255	0.9%
Cree	220	5.6%	2,815	0.5%
Non verbal languages	0	0.0%	1,620	0.3%
Portuguese	230	5.8%	8,175	1.3%
Greek	0	0.0%	1,585	0.3%
Hindi	0	0.0%	2,560	0.4%
Russian	15	0.4%	2,925	0.5%
Japanese	10	0.3%	895	0.1%
Inuktitut(Eskimo)	0	0.0%	25	0.0%
Micmac	0	0.0%	10	0.0%
Kutchin-Gwich'in (Loucheux)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Ojibway	155	3.9%	3,705	0.6%
Hungarian	10	0.3%	1,940	0.3%
Creoles	0	0.0%	255	0.0%
Norwegian	10	0.3%	280	0.0%
Montagnais-Naskapi	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
South Slave	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Dogrib	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Chipewyan	0	0.0%	10	0.0%
Other languages	280	7.1%	21,290	3.5%
TOTAL INDIVIDUALS	3,940	n/a	611,630	n/a

ABORIGINALS	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
North American Indian single response	720	65.2%	19,535	44.9%
Metis single response	305	27.6%	22,730	52.3%
Inuit single response	0	0.0%	110	0.3%
Multiple aboriginal responses	0	0.0%	365	0.8%
Other Aboriginal response	80	7.2%	720	1.7%
TOTAL ABORIGINALS	1,105	100.0%	43,460	100.0%
Aboriginal population	1,105	28.0%	43,460	7.1%
Non-Aboriginal population	2,835	72.0%	568,170	92.9%
TOTAL	3,940	100.0%	611,630	100.0%

VISIBLE MINORITIES	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Black	135	8.8%	9,845	13.5%
South Asian	130	8.4%	11,330	15.6%
Chinese	175	11.4%	11,195	15.4%
Korean	40	2.6%	860	1.2%
Japanese	0	0.0%	1,505	2.1%
Southeast Asian	330	21.4%	4,135	5.7%
Filipino	650	42.2%	25,590	35.2%
Arab/West Asian	30	1.9%	1,600	2.2%
Latin American	15	1.0%	3,890	5.4%
Visible Minority, n.i.e.	10	0.6%	1,435	2.0%
Multiple Visible Minority	25	1.6%	1,305	1.8%
TOTAL VISIBLE MINORITIES	1,540	100.0%	72,690	100.0%
Visible Minority Population	1,540	39.2%	72,690	11.9%
Non-Visible Minority Population	2,390	60.8%	538,945	88.1%
TOTAL	3,930	100.0%	611,635	100.0%

EDUCATION	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
School Attendance (15 to 24 Years Old)				
Not attending school	270	45.8%	33,110	39.3%
Attending school full-time	295	50.0%	44,355	52.7%
Attending school part-time	25	4.2%	6,770	8.0%
TOTAL (15 TO 24 YEARS OLD)	590	100.0%	84,235	100.0%

Education Attainment (15 Years Old)				
Less than Grade 9	650	21.2%	44,420	9.1%
Grade 9 - 12 without secondary certificate	1,080	35.2%	127,140	26.0%
Grade 9 - 12 with secondary certificate	265	8.6%	56,680	11.6%
Non-university - without certificate or diploma	190	6.2%	27,065	5.5%
Non-university - with certificate or diploma	315	10.3%	93,450	19.1%
University without degree	390	12.7%	66,130	13.5%
University with degree	175	5.7%	73,590	15.1%
TOTAL (15 YEARS AND OVER)	3,065	100.0%	488,475	100.0%

LABOUR FORCE	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
15 years and over				
In labour force	1,750		325,045	
Employed	1,220		298,390	
Unemployed	530		26,655	
Not in the labour force	1,315		163,420	
Unemployment rate %	30.3		8.2	
Employment to population ratio %	39.8		61.1	
Participation rate %	57.1		66.5	

15 - 24 years (Youth)				
In labour force	340		56,925	
Employed	205		48,770	
Unemployed	135		8,155	
Not in the labour force	255		27,310	
Unemployment rate %	39.7		14.3	
Employment to population ratio %	34.5		57.9	
Participation rate %	57.1		67.6	

25 years and over				
In labour force	1,410		268,120	
Employed	1,015		249,620	
Unemployed	390		18,500	
Not in the labour force	1,060		136,110	
Unemployment rate %	27.8		6.9	
Employment to population ratio %	41.1		61.8	
Participation rate %	56.9		66.3	

Employment Sectors				
All industries			315,950	
Agricultural and related service	10	0.6%	1,735	0.5%
Fishing and trapping	0	0.0%	85	0.0%
Logging and forestry	0	0.0%	275	0.1%
Mining (including milling), quarrying and oil well	0	0.0%	395	0.1%
Manufacturing	360	20.7%	42,070	12.9%
Construction	130	7.5%	13,255	4.1%
Transportation and storage	40	2.3%	17,980	5.5%
Communication and other utility	30	1.7%	12,865	4.0%
Wholesale trade	55	3.2%	17,360	5.3%
Retail trade	155	8.9%	38,370	11.8%
Finance and insurance	0	0.0%	12,710	3.9%
Real estate operator and insurance agent	90	5.2%	6,505	2.0%
Business service	50	2.9%	18,710	5.8%
Government service	40	2.3%	22,950	7.1%
Educational service	40	2.3%	24,430	7.5%
Health and social service	115	6.6%	37,835	11.6%
Accommodation, food and beverage service	220	12.6%	22,950	7.1%
Other service	150	8.6%	25,460	7.8%
Other (Not applicable to an industry)	255	14.7%	9,095	2.8%
TOTAL	1,740	100.0%	325,045	100.0%

LABOUR FORCE	SPENCE		CITY OF	
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(Cont'd)			WINNIPEG	
Work Status (In Labour Force - 15 Years and Over)				
Employees	1,400	93.6%	285,925	90.6%
Self-Employed	95	6.4%	29,500	9.4%
TOTAL	1,495	100.0%	315,425	100.0%
Males				
Employees	830	93.8%	147,140	88.5%
Self-Employed	55	6.2%	19,125	11.5%
TOTAL	885	100.0%	166,265	100.0%
Females				
Employees	570	93.4%	138,785	93.0%
Self-Employed	40	6.6%	10,375	7.0%
TOTAL	610	100.0%	149,160	100.0%

Place of Work (In Labour Force - 15 Years and Over)				
Usual place of work	1,020	84.0%	263,675	88.4%
At home	95	7.8%	14,305	4.8%
Outside Canada	0	0.0%	705	0.2%
No usual place of work	100	8.2%	19,705	6.6%
TOTAL	1,215	100.0%	298,390	100.0%
Males				
Usual place of work	540	79.4%	134,995	86.5%
At home	60	8.8%	6,325	4.1%
Outside Canada	0	0.0%	440	0.3%
No usual place of work	80	11.8%	14,340	9.2%
TOTAL	680	100.0%	156,100	100.0%
Females				
Usual place of work	480	89.7%	128,680	90.4%
At home	35	6.5%	7,980	5.6%
Outside Canada	0	0.0%	265	0.2%
No usual place of work	20	3.7%	5,365	3.8%
TOTAL	535	100.0%	142,290	100.0%

LABOUR FORCE (Cont'd)	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Employment Income				
Total	1,465		323,825	
Average employment income	\$11,976		\$25,077	
Total who worked full year, full time	565	38.6%	\$177,130	54.7%
Average employment income	\$17,641		\$34,399	
Total who worked part time or part year	900	61.4%	146,690	45.3%
Average employment income	\$8,440		\$13,822	
Males				
Total	835		169,705	
Average employment income	\$13,259		\$30,248	
Total who worked full year, full time	285	34.1%	103,575	61.0%
Average employment income	\$20,773		\$39,250	
Total who worked part time or part year	550	65.9%	66,125	39.0%
Average employment income	\$9,375		\$16,149	
Females				
Total	630		154,120	
Average employment income	\$10,275		\$19,384	
Total who worked full year, full time	280	44.4%	73,555	47.7%
Average employment income	\$14,454		\$27,567	
Total who worked part time or part year	350	55.6%	80,565	52.3%
Average employment income	\$6,970		\$11,912	

MODE OF TRANSPORTATION	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
15 years and over				
Car, truck, van - as driver	370	33.3%	188,630	66.6%
Car, truck, van - as passenger	135	12.2%	25,950	9.2%
Public transit	335	30.2%	44,015	15.5%
Walk to work	230	20.7%	18,220	6.4%
Bicycle	20	1.8%	4,125	1.5%
Motorcycle	0	0.0%	145	0.1%
Taxicab	0	0.0%	605	0.2%
Other method	20	1.8%	1,675	0.6%
TOTAL	1,110	100.0%	283,365	100.0%

CHANGE IN RESIDENCE	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Moved Within 1 Year (1995 - 1996)				
Non-movers	2,595	67.5%	506,055	83.9%
Movers	1,250	32.5%	97,390	16.1%
TOTAL	3,845	100.0%	603,445	100.0%

Moved Within 5 Years (1991 - 1996)				
Did not move	1,235	34.7%	319,365	56.1%
Moved	2,320	65.3%	250,215	43.9%
TOTAL	3,555	100.0%	569,580	100.0%

DWELLING	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Dwelling Type				
Single-detached house	320	19.8%	146,220	59.4%
Semi-detached house	0	0.0%	9,975	4.1%
Row house	10	0.6%	8,330	3.4%
Apartment, detached duplex	210	13.0%	5,075	2.1%
Apartment building, less than five storeys	740	45.7%	41,750	17.0%
Apartment building, five or more storeys	310	19.1%	33,830	13.7%
Other single attached house	30	1.9%	395	0.2%
Movable dwelling	0	0.0%	600	0.2%
TOTAL DWELLINGS	1,620	100.0%	246,175	100.0%

Number of Rooms				
Average Number of Rooms per Dwelling	4.0		5.7	
Average Number of Bedrooms per Dwelling	1.6		2.4	

Dwelling Condition				
In need of regular maintenance only	955	58.6%	157,390	63.9%
In need of minor repairs	495	30.4%	66,975	27.2%
In need of major repairs	180	11.0%	21,810	8.9%
TOTAL DWELLINGS	1,630	100.0%	246,175	100.0%

Dwellings by Period of Construction				
before 1946	815	50.2%	50,800	20.6%
1946-1960	350	21.5%	51,270	20.8%
1961-1970	170	10.5%	45,440	18.5%
1971-1980	55	3.4%	51,795	21.0%
1981-1990	210	12.9%	39,065	15.9%
1991-1996	25	1.5%	7,800	3.2%
TOTAL DWELLINGS	1,625	100.0%	246,170	100.0%

Dwelling Tenure				
Owned	315	19.4%	152,695	62.0%
Rented	1,310	80.6%	93,480	38.0%
Band Dwelling				
TOTAL DWELLINGS	1,625	100.0%	246,175	100.0%

DWELLING (Cont'd)	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
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Miscellaneous Dwelling Costs

Tenant Occupied

Total dwellings	1,310		93,480	
Average gross rent	\$438		\$508	
Households spending 30% or more on shelter costs	760	58.0%	40,640	43.5%

Owner Occupied

Total dwellings	315		152,650	
Average value of dwelling	\$51,160		\$95,345	
Average owner's major payment	\$422		\$681	
Households spending 30% or more on shelter costs	80	25.4%	18,475	12.1%

One-Family Household Dwellings

Tenant Occupied

Total Dwellings	520		37,075	
Average Gross Rent	\$485		\$555	
Households spending 30% or more on shelter costs	280	53.8%	13,995	37.7%

Owner Occupied

Total dwellings	125		110,020	
Average owner's major payment	\$432		\$723	
Households spending 30% or more on shelter costs	20	16.0%	10,795	9.8%

LAND AREA (In Square Kilometers)	SPENCE		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
	<i>sq. km.</i>	<i>% of Winnipeg</i>	<i>sq. km.</i>	
	0.48	0.1%	464.1	