

# The City of Winnipeg



## Winnipeg's Neighborhood Profiles

### COLONY

### CENSUS DATA

(Source: Statistics Canada)

TOTAL POPULATION	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
	Number	% change (1)	Number	% change (1)
<b>1996 CENSUS</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>15.8%</b>	<b>618,475</b>	<b>0.5%</b>
1991 CENSUS	570	72.7%	615,215	3.5%
1986 CENSUS (2)	330	n/a	594,555	5.3%
1981 CENSUS (2)	n/a	n/a	564,475	0.6%
1976 CENSUS (2)	n/a	n/a	560,875	4.8%
1971 CENSUS (2)	n/a		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)	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
	Number	%	Number	%
Age Group				
Less than 5	10	1.6%	41,965	6.9%
5-9	0	0.0%	41,455	6.8%
10-14	0	0.0%	39,745	6.5%
15-19	70	11.2%	39,310	6.4%
20-24	145	23.2%	44,925	7.3%
25-29	70	11.2%	46,035	7.5%
30-34	40	6.4%	52,640	8.6%
35-39	40	6.4%	52,335	8.6%
40-44	15	2.4%	48,215	7.9%
45-49	40	6.4%	43,695	7.1%
50-54	15	2.4%	32,280	5.3%
55-59	20	3.2%	25,475	4.2%
60-64	25	4.0%	24,210	4.0%
65-69	45	7.2%	23,005	3.8%
70-74	40	6.4%	22,285	3.6%
75+	50	8.0%	34,050	5.6%
TOTAL	625	100.0%	611,625	100.0%

MARITAL STATUS (15 Years and Over)	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
	Number	%	Number	%
Never married (single) 15 years and over	415	64.8%	157,535	32.3%
Legally married (not separated)	115	18.0%	246,250	50.4%
Legally married and separated	25	3.9%	15,890	3.3%
Divorced	40	6.3%	35,370	7.2%
Widowed	45	7.0%	33,425	6.8%
TOTAL (15 Years and Over)	640	100.0%	488,470	100.0%

CENSUS FAMILIES	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
<b>Family Size</b>				
2 persons	95	100.0%	72,870	44.6%
3 persons	0	0.0%	36,945	22.6%
4 persons	0	0.0%	36,575	22.4%
5 or more persons	0	0.0%	16,930	10.4%
TOTAL CENSUS FAMILIES	95	100.0%	163,320	100.0%
Average number of persons per census family	2.0		3.0	

<b>Family Structure</b>				
Married couples	60	60.0%	121,850	74.6%
Common-law couples	15	15.0%	14,325	8.8%
One parent - female	15	15.0%	23,155	14.2%
One parent - male	10	10.0%	3,985	2.4%
TOTAL FAMILIES	100	100.0%	163,315	100.0%

<b>Families by Type</b>				
Married couples with children	10	9.5%	73,225	44.8%
Married couples without children	55	52.4%	48,625	29.8%
Common-law couples with children	0	0.0%	6,355	3.9%
Common-law couples without children	15	14.3%	7,970	4.9%
One parent - female	15	14.3%	23,155	14.2%
One parent - male	10	9.5%	3,985	2.4%
TOTAL FAMILIES	105	100.0%	163,315	100.0%

<b>Families with Children</b>				
Married couples	10	28.6%	73,225	68.6%
Common-law couples	0	0.0%	6,355	6.0%
One parent - female	15	42.9%	23,155	21.7%
One parent - male	10	28.6%	3,985	3.7%
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN	35	100.0%	106,720	100.0%
With one child	25	100.0%	45,485	42.6%
With two children	0	0.0%	42,035	39.4%
With three or more children	0	0.0%	19,205	18.0%
TOTAL FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN	25	100.0%	106,725	100.0%

<b>CENSUS FAMILIES</b> (Cont'd)	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
<b>Family Income</b>				
Under \$10,000	10	10.0%	8,800	5.4%
\$10,000 - \$19,999	25	25.0%	14,740	9.0%
\$20,000 - \$29,999	15	15.0%	20,625	12.6%
\$30,000 - \$39,999	25	25.0%	22,230	13.6%
\$40,000 - \$ 49,999	15	15.0%	22,245	13.6%
\$50,000 - \$59,999	10	10.0%	20,600	12.6%
\$60,000 - \$69,999	0	0.0%	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	0	0.0%	12,835	7.9%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>163,315</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>AVERAGE INCOME</b>	<b>\$28,347</b>		<b>\$53,174</b>	

<b>Family Average Income by Family Structure</b>				
Married and common-law couple families	75		136,175	
Average Income	\$28,238		\$58,136	
Female one-parent families	15		23,150	
Average Income	\$16,151		\$26,536	
Male one-parent families	10		3,985	
Average Income	\$48,113		\$38,369	

HOUSEHOLDS	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
<b>Household Size</b>				
1 person	255	57.3%	71,700	29.1%
2 persons	160	36.0%	76,985	31.3%
3 persons	20	4.5%	38,710	15.7%
4 - 5 persons	10	2.2%	52,385	21.3%
6 or more persons	0	0.0%	6,395	2.6%
TOTAL	445	100.0%	246,175	100.0%
Average number of persons per household	1.5		2.5	

<b>Household Type</b>				
One-family households	100	23.0%	158,460	64.4%
Multiple-family households	0	0.0%	2,375	1.0%
Non-family households	335	77.0%	85,340	34.7%
TOTAL	435	100.0%	246,175	100.0%

<b>Household Income</b>				
Under \$10,000	140	31.5%	21,055	8.6%
\$10,000 - \$19,999	125	28.1%	41,795	17.0%
\$20,000 - \$29,999	45	10.1%	35,210	14.3%
\$30,000 - \$39,999	65	14.6%	32,605	13.2%
\$40,000 - \$49,999	25	5.6%	28,425	11.5%
\$50,000 - \$59,999	25	5.6%	25,200	10.2%
\$60,000 - \$69,999	10	2.2%	18,550	7.5%
\$70,000 - \$79,999	0	0.0%	13,315	5.4%
\$80,000 - \$89,999	0	0.0%	9,165	3.7%
\$90,000 - \$99,999	10	2.2%	6,380	2.6%
\$100,000 and over	0	0.0%	14,475	5.9%
TOTAL	445	100.0%	246,175	100.0%
AVERAGE INCOME	\$21,044		\$44,937	

<b>COMPOSITION OF TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
Employment income - %	61.6		74.0	
Government transfer payments - %	25.2		13.9	
Other - %	13.2		12.1	

<b>INCIDENCE OF LOW INCOME</b>	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
Total economic families	120		165,660	
Low income	50		32,165	
Incidence of low income - %	41.4		19.4	
Total unattached individuals	400		95,095	
Low income	255		46,650	
Incidence of low income - %	64.3		49.1	
Total population in private households	650		606,770	
Low income	355		147,425	
Incidence of low income - %	55.3		24.3	

CITIZENSHIP	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
Canadian	500	76.3%	584,880	95.6%
Other	155	23.7%	26,750	4.4%
TOTAL	655	100.0%	611,630	100.0%

KNOWLEDGE OF LANGUAGES	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
<b>Knowledge of Official Languages</b>				
English only	595	90.8%	538,745	88.1%
French only	0	0.0%	845	0.1%
Both English and French	50	7.6%	64,730	10.6%
Neither English nor French	0	0.0%	7,310	1.2%
TOTAL INDIVIDUALS	645	100.0%	611,630	100.0%

<b>Knowledge of Other Languages</b>				
Chinese	150	22.9%	10,285	1.7%
German	15	2.3%	27,960	4.6%
Spanish	25	3.8%	7,910	1.3%
Italian	15	2.3%	6,445	1.1%
Dutch	0	0.0%	2,490	0.4%
Polish	10	1.5%	11,805	1.9%
Arabic	0	0.0%	970	0.2%
Tagalog (Filipino)	0	0.0%	20,770	3.4%
Ukrainian	10	1.5%	22,265	3.6%
Vietnamese	0	0.0%	3,025	0.5%
Punjabi	0	0.0%	5,255	0.9%
Cree	25	3.8%	2,815	0.5%
Non verbal languages	0	0.0%	1,620	0.3%
Portuguese	0	0.0%	8,175	1.3%
Greek	10	1.5%	1,585	0.3%
Hindi	0	0.0%	2,560	0.4%
Russian	10	1.5%	2,925	0.5%
Japanese	0	0.0%	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	10	1.5%	3,705	0.6%
Hungarian	0	0.0%	1,940	0.3%
Creoles	10	1.5%	255	0.0%
Norwegian	0	0.0%	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	55	8.4%	21,290	3.5%
TOTAL INDIVIDUALS	655	n/a	611,630	n/a

<b>ABORIGINALS</b>	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
North American Indian single response	35	58.3%	19,535	44.9%
Metis single response	25	41.7%	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	0	0.0%	720	1.7%
<b>TOTAL ABORIGINALS</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>43,460</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Aboriginal population</b>				
Aboriginal population	60	9.3%	43,460	7.1%
<b>Non-Aboriginal population</b>				
Non-Aboriginal population	585	90.7%	568,170	92.9%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>611,630</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<b>VISIBLE MINORITIES</b>	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
Black	40	19.0%	9,845	13.5%
South Asian	0	0.0%	11,330	15.6%
Chinese	135	64.3%	11,195	15.4%
Korean	10	4.8%	860	1.2%
Japanese	0	0.0%	1,505	2.1%
Southeast Asian	0	0.0%	4,135	5.7%
Filipino	0	0.0%	25,590	35.2%
Arab/West Asian	0	0.0%	1,600	2.2%
Latin American	0	0.0%	3,890	5.4%
Visible Minority, n.i.e.	0	0.0%	1,435	2.0%
Multiple Visible Minority	25	11.9%	1,305	1.8%
<b>TOTAL VISIBLE MINORITIES</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>72,690</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Visible Minority Population</b>				
Visible Minority Population	210	32.6%	72,690	11.9%
<b>Non-Visible Minority Population</b>				
Non-Visible Minority Population	435	67.4%	538,945	88.1%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>611,635</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<b>EDUCATION</b>	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
<b>School Attendance (15 to 24 Years Old)</b>				
Not attending school	25	11.9%	33,110	39.3%
Attending school full-time	185	88.1%	44,355	52.7%
Attending school part-time	0	0.0%	6,770	8.0%
<b>TOTAL (15 TO 24 YEARS OLD)</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>84,235</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<b>Education Attainment (15 Years Old)</b>				
Less than Grade 9	50	7.9%	44,420	9.1%
Grade 9 - 12 without secondary certificate	105	16.7%	127,140	26.0%
Grade 9 - 12 with secondary certificate	40	6.3%	56,680	11.6%
Non-university - without certificate or diploma	25	4.0%	27,065	5.5%
Non-university - with certificate or diploma	100	15.9%	93,450	19.1%
University without degree	240	38.1%	66,130	13.5%
University with degree	70	11.1%	73,590	15.1%
<b>TOTAL (15 YEARS AND OVER)</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>488,475</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

LABOUR FORCE	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
<b>15 years and over</b>				
In labour force	280		325,045	
Employed	230		298,390	
Unemployed	45		26,655	
Not in the labour force	360		163,420	
Unemployment rate %	14.5		8.2	
Employment to population ratio %	37.0		61.1	
Participation rate %	43.3		66.5	

<b>15 - 24 years (Youth)</b>				
In labour force	55		56,925	
Employed	45		48,770	
Unemployed	10		8,155	
Not in the labour force	165		27,310	
Unemployment rate %	0.0		14.3	
Employment to population ratio %	20.5		57.9	
Participation rate %	25.0		67.6	

<b>25 years and over</b>				
In labour force	225		268,120	
Employed	185		249,620	
Unemployed	35		18,500	
Not in the labour force	200		136,110	
Unemployment rate %	15.6		6.9	
Employment to population ratio %	44.0		61.8	
Participation rate %	53.6		66.3	

<b>Employment Sectors</b>				
All industries			315,950	
Agricultural and related service	0	0.0%	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	10	3.7%	42,070	12.9%
Construction	0	0.0%	13,255	4.1%
Transportation and storage	10	3.7%	17,980	5.5%
Communication and other utility	10	3.7%	12,865	4.0%
Wholesale trade	15	5.6%	17,360	5.3%
Retail trade	30	11.1%	38,370	11.8%
Finance and insurance	10	3.7%	12,710	3.9%
Real estate operator and insurance agent	10	3.7%	6,505	2.0%
Business service	15	5.6%	18,710	5.8%
Government service	20	7.4%	22,950	7.1%
Educational service	40	14.8%	24,430	7.5%
Health and social service	30	11.1%	37,835	11.6%
Accommodation, food and beverage service	20	7.4%	22,950	7.1%
Other service	40	14.8%	25,460	7.8%
Other (Not applicable to an industry)	10	3.7%	9,095	2.8%
TOTAL	270	100.0%	325,045	100.0%

LABOUR FORCE	COLONY		CITY OF	
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(Cont'd)			WINNIPEG	
<b>Work Status (In Labour Force - 15 Years and Over)</b>				
Employees	260	100.0%	285,925	90.6%
Self-Employed	0	0.0%	29,500	9.4%
TOTAL	260	100.0%	315,425	100.0%
<b>Males</b>				
Employees	135	100.0%	147,140	88.5%
Self-Employed	0	0.0%	19,125	11.5%
TOTAL	135	100.0%	166,265	100.0%
<b>Females</b>				
Employees	125	100.0%	138,785	93.0%
Self-Employed	0	0.0%	10,375	7.0%
TOTAL	125	100.0%	149,160	100.0%

<b>Place of Work (In Labour Force - 15 Years and Over)</b>				
Usual place of work	225	100.0%	263,675	88.4%
At home	0	0.0%	14,305	4.8%
Outside Canada	0	0.0%	705	0.2%
No usual place of work	0	0.0%	19,705	6.6%
TOTAL	225	100.0%	298,390	100.0%
<b>Males</b>				
Usual place of work	110	100.0%	134,995	86.5%
At home	0	0.0%	6,325	4.1%
Outside Canada	0	0.0%	440	0.3%
No usual place of work	0	0.0%	14,340	9.2%
TOTAL	110	100.0%	156,100	100.0%
<b>Females</b>				
Usual place of work	115	100.0%	128,680	90.4%
At home	0	0.0%	7,980	5.6%
Outside Canada	0	0.0%	265	0.2%
No usual place of work	0	0.0%	5,365	3.8%
TOTAL	115	100.0%	142,290	100.0%

<b>LABOUR FORCE</b> (Cont'd)	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
<b>Employment Income</b>				
Total	280		323,825	
Average employment income	\$19,932		\$25,077	
Total who worked full year, full time	115	41.1%	\$177,130	54.7%
Average employment income	\$31,942		\$34,399	
Total who worked part time or part year	160	57.1%	146,690	45.3%
Average employment income	\$11,358		\$13,822	
<b>Males</b>				
Total	140		169,705	
Average employment income	\$24,491		\$30,248	
Total who worked full year, full time	90	64.3%	103,575	61.0%
Average employment income	\$32,962		\$39,250	
Total who worked part time or part year	50	35.7%	66,125	39.0%
Average employment income	\$9,359		\$16,149	
<b>Females</b>				
Total	140		154,120	
Average employment income	\$15,372		\$19,384	
Total who worked full year, full time	25	17.9%	73,555	47.7%
Average employment income	\$28,270		\$27,567	
Total who worked part time or part year	110	78.6%	80,565	52.3%
Average employment income	\$12,267		\$11,912	

<b>MODE OF TRANSPORTATION</b>	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
<b>15 years and over</b>				
Car, truck, van - as driver	35	16.3%	188,630	66.6%
Car, truck, van - as passenger	10	4.7%	25,950	9.2%
Public transit	90	41.9%	44,015	15.5%
Walk to work	80	37.2%	18,220	6.4%
Bicycle	0	0.0%	4,125	1.5%
Motorcycle	0	0.0%	145	0.1%
Taxicab	0	0.0%	605	0.2%
Other method	0	0.0%	1,675	0.6%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>283,365</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<b>CHANGE IN RESIDENCE</b>	<b>COLONY</b>		<b>CITY OF WINNIPEG</b>	
<b>Moved Within 1 Year (1995 - 1996)</b>				
Non-movers	385	59.2%	506,055	83.9%
Movers	265	40.8%	97,390	16.1%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>603,445</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<b>Moved Within 5 Years (1991 - 1996)</b>				
Did not move	120	18.8%	319,365	56.1%
Moved	520	81.3%	250,215	43.9%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>569,580</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

DWELLING	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
<b>Dwelling Type</b>				
Single-detached house	115	26.4%	146,220	59.4%
Semi-detached house	0	0.0%	9,975	4.1%
Row house	0	0.0%	8,330	3.4%
Apartment, detached duplex	0	0.0%	5,075	2.1%
Apartment building, less than five storeys	75	17.2%	41,750	17.0%
Apartment building, five or more storeys	245	56.3%	33,830	13.7%
Other single attached house	0	0.0%	395	0.2%
Movable dwelling	0	0.0%	600	0.2%
<b>TOTAL DWELLINGS</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>246,175</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<b>Number of Rooms</b>				
Average Number of Rooms per Dwelling	3.2		5.7	
Average Number of Bedrooms per Dwelling	1.0		2.4	

<b>Dwelling Condition</b>				
In need of regular maintenance only	270	62.1%	157,390	63.9%
In need of minor repairs	140	32.2%	66,975	27.2%
In need of major repairs	25	5.7%	21,810	8.9%
<b>TOTAL DWELLINGS</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>246,175</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<b>Dwellings by Period of Construction</b>				
before 1946	55	12.8%	50,800	20.6%
1946-1960	85	19.8%	51,270	20.8%
1961-1970	15	3.5%	45,440	18.5%
1971-1980	225	52.3%	51,795	21.0%
1981-1990	50	11.6%	39,065	15.9%
1991-1996	0	0.0%	7,800	3.2%
<b>TOTAL DWELLINGS</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>246,170</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<b>Dwelling Tenure</b>				
Owned	0	0.0%	152,695	62.0%
Rented	430	100.0%	93,480	38.0%
Band Dwelling				
<b>TOTAL DWELLINGS</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>246,175</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

DWELLING (Cont'd)	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
<b>Miscellaneous Dwelling Costs</b>				
<b>Tenant Occupied</b>				
Total dwellings	435		93,480	
Average gross rent	\$581		\$508	
Households spending 30% or more on shelter costs	230	52.9%	40,640	43.5%
<b>Owner Occupied</b>				
Total dwellings	10		152,650	
Average value of dwelling	\$0		\$95,345	
Average owner's major payment	\$0		\$681	
Households spending 30% or more on shelter costs	0	0.0%	18,475	12.1%

<b>One-Family Household Dwellings</b>				
<b>Tenant Occupied</b>				
Total Dwellings	95		37,075	
Average Gross Rent	\$520		\$555	
Households spending 30% or more on shelter costs	20	21.1%	13,995	37.7%
<b>Owner Occupied</b>				
Total dwellings	10		110,020	
Average owner's major payment	\$0		\$723	
Households spending 30% or more on shelter costs	0	0.0%	10,795	9.8%

LAND AREA (In Square Kilometers)	COLONY		CITY OF WINNIPEG	
	sq. km.	% of Winnipeg	sq. km.	
	0.13	0.0%	464.1	