



Camden's population

Latest 'official' population estimate

279,500

usual residents at
Mid-2020

Warning!
There are concerns about the accuracy of the overall mid-year estimates for Camden; while for Camden and some other London boroughs there is serious concern about the accuracy of the child age population. Evidence has been passed to ONS to by GLA City Intelligence.
[Use with caution.](#)

Latest '**official**' estimate of the **usual resident population** of Camden in the **2011 Census-based series by the Office for National Statistics (ONS)**. Based on the 2011 Census, the estimates are annually updated with births, deaths and estimates of migration and other changes between mid-2011 and mid-2020. Next updated: mid-2021 estimate, based on 2021 Census exp. September 2022.
Source: ONS Mid-year Estimates, mid-2020, © ONS, June 2021.

Notes

1. **Usual resident population** are all people who live in Camden who will be expected to reside for at least 12 months (UN definition)
2. The 2011 census also identified a further 5,000 people living in Camden who were '**short-term residents**' and who would be excluded from this figure. However, ONS do not make updated estimates for this population type.
3. **Mid-year estimates are used** when providing statistical returns to central government, for calculating performance indicators that need a population denominator and when comparing Camden with other local authorities.

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- ONS website: [mid-year population estimates](#)

10 year population forecast

+ 15,100

10 year forecast
2021 to 2031

+ 5.7%

Greater London Authority (GLA) forecasts Camden's **population at mid-2021** to be **264,100**, with an additional 15,100 people forecast by mid-2031 (+5.7%) to 279,200. The GLA forecast of the borough's usual resident population. It is based on the borough's housing capacity and has been adjusted to take into account the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

It provides a set of outputs for population by age and sex, borough and ward.
Next updated: 2022.

Source: GLA 2019-based Projections Scenario 3, © GLA, 2021.

Notes

1. **Usual resident population** definition.
2. Relates to Camden Planning's residential development forecast at March 2021.
3. **GLA projections are used when preparing Camden strategies and for planning services.**

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