

# Community report

## Armidale Regional (A)

Prepared from Community Explorer topic selections for briefing, planning and reporting use.

AREA

**Armidale Regional (A)**

COMPARISON

**Regional NSW**

POPULATION

**Persons**

GENERATED

**31 March 2026**

### Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

**01** Qualifications

### Sources and method

- Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2021 and, where available, 2016 comparison data.
- Percentages are calculated from the denominator supplied for each topic. Change (pp) is the 2021 percentage minus the 2016 percentage when the topic is comparable across years.
- Usual residence topics describe where people usually live, rather than where they were counted on Census night.

# Qualifications

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## Key takeaway

Detailed insight for Qualifications in Armidale Regional (A) is not yet available for the current filters.

## About this topic

Qualifications records the highest non-school qualification completed by people aged 15 years and over. It describes post-school educational attainment such as certificates, diplomas, and university degrees.

This topic is a key indicator of skill level and socio-economic opportunity within an area. It is most useful when read with employment status, occupation, and income, which show how qualifications relate to labour market outcomes.

## Interpretation notes

- This topic uses highest completed non-school qualification, so incomplete study and current enrolment do not count as attained qualifications.
- It applies to people aged 15 years and over and should be read with schooling for the full education profile.

## Highest qualification achieved

Armidale Regional (A) – Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional NSW %	Count	%	Regional NSW %	Count	pp
Bachelor Or Higher Degree	–	–	17.8%	5,597	23.2%	14.5%	–	–
Advanced Diploma Or Diploma	–	–	8.7%	1,729	7.2%	8.2%	–	–
Vocational	–	–	24.4%	4,317	17.9%	23.6%	–	–
No Qualification	–	–	39.1%	9,654	40.0%	41.7%	–	–
Not Stated	–	–	10.0%	2,818	11.7%	12.1%	–	–
<b>Total</b>	–	–	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>24,115</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	–	–

Data basis: usual residence.