

Community report

Bunbury (C)

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

AREA

Bunbury (C)

COMPARISON

Regional WA

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

30 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

In 2021, no qualification was the most common qualification level among residents aged 15 and over in Bunbury (C), accounting for 42.2% (11,619 people). This share was higher than Regional WA (40.5%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in vocational, which increased by 821 people and 2 percentage points.

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

Bunbury (C) – Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional WA %	Count	%	Regional WA %	Count	pp
Bachelor Or Higher Degree	4,070	14.8%	13.5%	3,506	13.3%	11.6%	+564	+1.5
Advanced Diploma Or Diploma	2,139	7.8%	7.6%	1,997	7.6%	7.3%	+142	+0.2
Vocational	7,107	25.8%	24.7%	6,286	23.8%	24.0%	+821	+2.0
No Qualification	11,619	42.2%	40.5%	11,275	42.7%	42.3%	+344	-0.5
Not Stated	2,601	9.4%	13.6%	3,319	12.6%	14.8%	-718	-3.2
Total	27,536	100.0%	100.0%	26,383	100.0%	100.0%	+1,153	0.0

Data basis: usual residence.