

# Community report

## Frankston (C)

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

AREA

**Frankston (C)**

COMPARISON

**Greater Melbourne**

POPULATION

**Persons**

GENERATED

**27 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 Frankston (C), accounting for 38.5% (43,728 people). This share was higher than Greater Melbourne (35.2%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in bachelor degree or higher, which increased by 5,341 people and 4.2 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

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

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	%	Greater Melbourne %	Count	pp
Bachelor Or Higher Degree	21,195	18.7%	32.8%	15,854	14.5%	27.5%	+5,341	+4.2
Advanced Diploma Or Diploma	12,691	11.2%	9.9%	11,147	10.2%	9.5%	+1,544	+1.0
Vocational	26,558	23.4%	14.8%	25,716	23.6%	15.3%	+842	-0.2
No Qualification	43,728	38.5%	35.2%	44,967	41.2%	38.6%	-1,239	-2.7
Not Stated	9,272	8.2%	7.2%	11,430	10.5%	9.2%	-2,158	-2.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>113,444</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>109,114</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>+4,330</b>	<b>0.0</b>

Data basis: usual residence.