

Community report

Tweed (A)

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

AREA

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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

In 2021, no qualification was the most common qualification level among residents aged 15 and over in Tweed (A), accounting for 38.1% (31,005 people). This share was lower than Regional NSW (39.1%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in bachelor degree or higher, which increased by 4,187 people and 4.3 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

Tweed (A) – Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional NSW %	Count	%	Regional NSW %	Count	pp
Bachelor Or Higher Degree	14,400	17.7%	17.8%	10,213	13.4%	14.5%	+4,187	+4.3
Advanced Diploma Or Diploma	7,865	9.7%	8.7%	6,727	8.8%	8.2%	+1,138	+0.9
Vocational	19,176	23.6%	24.4%	17,670	23.2%	23.6%	+1,506	+0.4
No Qualification	31,005	38.1%	39.1%	31,911	42.0%	41.7%	-906	-3.9
Not Stated	8,861	10.9%	10.0%	9,531	12.5%	12.1%	-670	-1.6
Total	81,307	100.0%	100.0%	76,052	100.0%	100.0%	+5,255	0.0

Data basis: usual residence.