

Community report

Wangaratta (RC)

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

AREA

Wangaratta (RC)

COMPARISON

Regional Vic.

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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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 Wangaratta (RC), accounting for 39.9% (9,810 people). This share was lower than Regional Vic. (40.4%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in bachelor degree or higher, which increased by 981 people and 3.2 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

Wangaratta (RC) – Persons aged 15+ (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	%	Regional Vic. %	Count	pp
Bachelor Or Higher Degree	4,258	17.3%	18.2%	3,277	14.1%	14.5%	+981	+3.2
Advanced Diploma Or Diploma	2,405	9.8%	9.3%	2,149	9.3%	8.5%	+256	+0.5
Vocational	5,773	23.5%	22.4%	5,211	22.5%	22.0%	+562	+1.0
No Qualification	9,810	39.9%	40.4%	9,726	41.9%	42.8%	+84	-2.0
Not Stated	2,357	9.6%	9.7%	2,846	12.3%	12.2%	-489	-2.7
Total	24,603	100.0%	100.0%	23,209	100.0%	100.0%	+1,394	0.0

Data basis: usual residence.