

# **Paisley East and Ralston**

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Renfrewshire Council  
Multi-Member Electoral Ward 3

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## **Introduction**

This document details population and household information relevant to the Paisley East and Ralston multi-member electoral ward sourced from Scotland's Census 2011, published by the National Records of Scotland in various releases since 2012. The document is split into seven sections: General Population, Equality and Human Rights, Marital and Civil Partnership Status, Economic Activity, Household Information, Transport, and Health and Care.

## Summary

- Paisley East and Ralston is situated to the East of Renfrewshire and shares borders with the Renfrew South and Gallowhill, Paisley North West, and Paisley South wards.
- The ward incorporates Paisley town centre, the housing estates of Ralston, Seedhill, and Williamsburgh, and attractions such as Paisley Abbey, Paisley Town Hall, the Anchor Mills, Barshaw Park, and Ralston Golf Course.
- Over 17,000 people live in the area, in slightly more than 8,500 households.
- There are more females (50.73%) than males (49.27%).
- The area has a larger proportion of working-age residents but smaller proportion of young people compared with the Renfrewshire averages.
- Almost 3% of the population have an Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British background; 1% of people are Muslims, 0.5% Sikh and 0.2% Hindu.
- A higher proportion of people can speak, read and write in Gaelic than across any other Renfrewshire ward.
- 39% of people aged 16 and over in Paisley East and Ralston are single.
- A similar proportion (68.9%) of working age residents in Paisley East and Ralston are economically active as the whole of Renfrewshire.
- The main industries were human health and social activities, wholesale and retail trade, and education.
- Overall qualification levels are higher than Renfrewshire, and more females have higher qualifications than males.
- Over half of all households in Paisley East and Ralston are purpose-built blocks of flats or tenement, and over one quarter of households are owned outright.
- 63% of all households have at least one car or van, and the most common method of transport to work is car or van.
- There are proportionally fewer deprived households than across Renfrewshire, but a higher proportion is suffering the highest level of deprivation.
- 11% of people provide unpaid care up.
- Similar proportions, 81%, of people in this ward to the whole of Renfrewshire believe they have 'very good' or 'good health'.
- 69% of people have no long term health conditions.

## Section One – General Population

Table 1 illustrates the total number of households, and the total number of people living in Paisley East and Ralston. There are over 8,500 households in Paisley East and Ralston, which equates to almost 11% of the total number of households in Renfrewshire. There are over 17,000 people that live in the ward, which equates to 9.78% of the Renfrewshire population.

	Ward Total	Renfrewshire Total	Ward %
All Households	8,650	80,902	10.69%
All People	17,114	174,908	9.78%

*Table 1: All Households and All People in Paisley East and Ralston*

Following on from this, Table 2 illustrates the total number of males and females in Paisley East and Ralston against the Renfrewshire totals. There are 250 more females than males in this ward, leading to a higher than average number of males and a lower than average number of females compared with the rest of Renfrewshire.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
All people	17,114		174,908	
Males	8,432	49.27%	84,109	48.09%
Females	8,682	50.73%	90,799	51.91%

*Table 2: Gender of all people in Paisley East and Ralston*

Paisley East and Ralston has a higher proportion of people aged 20 to 44 than the rest of Renfrewshire, as can be seen in Table 3. There are also a higher proportion of older adults in this ward than there are throughout Renfrewshire, with over 8% of the ward population aged 75 and over.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
All people	17,114		174,908	
0 to 4	904	5.28%	9,636	5.51%
5 to 9	712	4.16%	9,078	5.19%
10 to 14	763	4.46%	9,904	5.66%
15 to 19	948	5.54%	10,791	6.17%
20 to 24	1,225	7.16%	11,018	6.30%
25 to 29	1,175	6.87%	10,699	6.12%
30 to 44	3,570	20.86%	34,746	19.87%
45 to 59	3,725	21.77%	38,536	22.03%
60 to 64	1,097	6.41%	11,021	6.30%
65 to 74	1,499	8.76%	16,147	9.23%
75 to 84	1,068	6.24%	9,979	5.71%
85 to 89	274	1.60%	2,232	1.28%
90 and over	154	0.90%	1,121	0.64%

*Table 3: Age of all people in Paisley East and Ralston*

This is further highlighted in Table 4; over 65% of the Paisley East and Ralston population are aged 18 to 64, compared to 63.21% of the Renfrewshire population, while over 17% are aged 65 and over, compared with 16.85% of Renfrewshire.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people</b>	<b>17,114</b>		<b>174,908</b>	
<b>0 to 4</b>	904	<b>5.28%</b>	9,636	<b>5.51%</b>
<b>5 to 15</b>	1,648	<b>9.63%</b>	21,067	<b>12.04%</b>
<b>16 &amp; 17</b>	358	<b>2.09%</b>	4,159	<b>2.38%</b>
<b>18 to 64</b>	11,209	<b>65.50%</b>	110,567	<b>63.21%</b>
<b>65 to 74</b>	1,499	<b>8.76%</b>	16,147	<b>9.23%</b>
<b>75 and over</b>	1,496	<b>8.74%</b>	13,332	<b>7.62%</b>

*Table 4: Age of all people in Paisley East and Ralston*

Table 5 illustrates the total working-age population of Paisley East and Ralston against the whole of Renfrewshire. The proportion of 16 to 64 years olds is higher in the ward by 2%, while over 76% of people in Paisley East and Ralston are aged 16 to 74, higher than the Renfrewshire average of 74.82%.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people</b>	<b>17,114</b>		<b>174,908</b>	
<b>16 to 64</b>	11,567	<b>67.59%</b>	114,726	<b>65.59%</b>
<b>16 to 74</b>	13,066	<b>76.35%</b>	130,873	<b>74.82%</b>

*Table 5: Working-age people in Paisley East and Ralston*

In Table 6, five-year age bands of all people in Paisley East and Ralston are illustrated, separated by gender. There are more people aged 45 to 49 in the ward than in any other age band (1,478) with 50.88% of them female. The table also shows there is a higher concentration of very elderly men aged 90 to 94 in the ward than there are across Renfrewshire (31% to 27.5%) and a higher proportion of men aged 95 and over in the ward than across the local authority (26% to 20%). The age band with the closest split between the male and female populations in Paisley East and Ralston is 25 to 29, with 49.32% of the population male and 50.68% female. This equates to 474 males and 487 females in Paisley East and Ralston. In every age band from age 25 there are a higher proportion of females than males in Paisley East and Ralston, while across Renfrewshire this occurs in all age bands from 30.

To summarise, there is generally a larger proportion of working-age people in Paisley East and Ralston compared with the rest of Renfrewshire, while there are proportionately less young people than the whole of Renfrewshire.

	Paisley East and Raiston					Renfrewshire				
	All people	Male	Female	% Male	% Female	All people	Male	Female	% Male	% Female
<b>All people</b>	<b>17,596</b>	<b>8,331</b>	<b>9,265</b>	<b>47.35%</b>	<b>52.65%</b>	<b>174,908</b>	<b>84,109</b>	<b>90,799</b>	<b>48.09%</b>	<b>51.91%</b>
<b>0 to 4</b>	<b>980</b>	502	478	<b>51.22%</b>	<b>48.78%</b>	<b>9,636</b>	4,892	4,744	<b>50.77%</b>	<b>49.23%</b>
<b>5 to 9</b>	<b>1,008</b>	495	513	<b>49.11%</b>	<b>50.89%</b>	<b>9,078</b>	4,575	4,503	<b>50.40%</b>	<b>49.60%</b>
<b>10 to 14</b>	<b>1,024</b>	541	483	<b>52.83%</b>	<b>47.17%</b>	<b>9,904</b>	5,099	4,805	<b>51.48%</b>	<b>48.52%</b>
<b>15 to 19</b>	<b>1,128</b>	590	538	<b>52.30%</b>	<b>47.70%</b>	<b>10,791</b>	5,509	5,282	<b>51.05%</b>	<b>48.95%</b>
<b>20 to 24</b>	<b>1,019</b>	524	495	<b>51.42%</b>	<b>48.58%</b>	<b>11,018</b>	5,666	5,352	<b>51.42%</b>	<b>48.58%</b>
<b>25 to 29</b>	<b>961</b>	474	487	<b>49.32%</b>	<b>50.68%</b>	<b>10,699</b>	5,376	5,323	<b>50.25%</b>	<b>49.75%</b>
<b>30 to 34</b>	<b>928</b>	420	508	<b>45.26%</b>	<b>54.74%</b>	<b>10,130</b>	4,850	5,280	<b>47.88%</b>	<b>52.12%</b>
<b>35 to 39</b>	<b>1,053</b>	475	578	<b>45.11%</b>	<b>54.89%</b>	<b>10,925</b>	5,151	5,774	<b>47.15%</b>	<b>52.85%</b>
<b>40 to 44</b>	<b>1,362</b>	616	746	<b>45.23%</b>	<b>54.77%</b>	<b>13,691</b>	6,387	7,304	<b>46.65%</b>	<b>53.35%</b>
<b>45 to 49</b>	<b>1,478</b>	726	752	<b>49.12%</b>	<b>50.88%</b>	<b>14,392</b>	6,956	7,436	<b>48.33%</b>	<b>51.67%</b>
<b>50 to 54</b>	<b>1,228</b>	584	644	<b>47.56%</b>	<b>52.44%</b>	<b>13,180</b>	6,462	6,718	<b>49.03%</b>	<b>50.97%</b>
<b>55 to 59</b>	<b>1,066</b>	514	552	<b>48.22%</b>	<b>51.78%</b>	<b>10,964</b>	5,336	5,628	<b>48.67%</b>	<b>51.33%</b>
<b>60 to 64</b>	<b>1,113</b>	545	568	<b>48.97%</b>	<b>51.03%</b>	<b>11,021</b>	5,283	5,738	<b>47.94%</b>	<b>52.06%</b>
<b>65 to 69</b>	<b>852</b>	384	468	<b>45.07%</b>	<b>54.93%</b>	<b>8,678</b>	4,092	4,586	<b>47.15%</b>	<b>52.85%</b>
<b>70 to 74</b>	<b>852</b>	366	486	<b>42.96%</b>	<b>57.04%</b>	<b>7,469</b>	3,362	4,107	<b>45.01%</b>	<b>54.99%</b>
<b>75 to 79</b>	<b>708</b>	279	429	<b>39.41%</b>	<b>60.59%</b>	<b>5,942</b>	2,466	3,476	<b>41.50%</b>	<b>58.50%</b>
<b>80 to 84</b>	<b>465</b>	181	284	<b>38.92%</b>	<b>61.08%</b>	<b>4,037</b>	1,594	2,443	<b>39.48%</b>	<b>60.52%</b>
<b>85 to 89</b>	<b>252</b>	80	172	<b>31.75%</b>	<b>68.25%</b>	<b>2,232</b>	762	1,470	<b>34.14%</b>	<b>65.86%</b>
<b>90 to 94</b>	<b>88</b>	27	61	<b>30.68%</b>	<b>69.32%</b>	<b>886</b>	244	642	<b>27.54%</b>	<b>72.46%</b>
<b>95 and over</b>	<b>31</b>	8	23	<b>25.81%</b>	<b>74.19%</b>	<b>235</b>	47	188	<b>20.00%</b>	<b>80.00%</b>

*Table 6: Age Bands by Gender of All People in Paisley East and Raiston*

## Section Two – Ethnicity and Religion

Paisley East and Ralston has a diverse mix and larger proportion of minority ethnic groups than the rest of Renfrewshire, with almost 3% of people in the Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British group, compared to 1.78% across Renfrewshire. Table 7 illustrates this, and shows that there is a higher proportion of people from African, Caribbean or Black backgrounds, or those of multiple or mixed ethnic groups within Paisley East and Ralston than there is across the rest of Renfrewshire. Tables 8.1 and 8.2 develop this further, by looking at the total number of males and females and their age bands across each ethnic group.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All People</b>	<b>17,114</b>		<b>174,908</b>	
<b>White</b>	16,401	<b>95.83%</b>	170,127	<b>97.27%</b>
<b>Mixed or multiple ethnic groups</b>	58	<b>0.34%</b>	437	<b>0.25%</b>
<b>Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British</b>	459	<b>2.68%</b>	3,110	<b>1.78%</b>
<b>African</b>	135	<b>0.79%</b>	804	<b>0.46%</b>
<b>Caribbean or Black</b>	20	<b>0.12%</b>	119	<b>0.07%</b>
<b>Other Ethnic Groups</b>	41	<b>0.24%</b>	311	<b>0.18%</b>

*Table 7: Ethnic Group of all people in Paisley East and Ralston*

Age group	All Males	White	Mixed or multiple ethnic groups	Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British	African	Caribbean or Black	Other ethnic groups
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,432</b>	<b>8,013</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>0 to 4</b>	<b>474</b>	447	3	20	2	-	2
<b>5 to 9</b>	<b>360</b>	338	4	16	1	1	-
<b>10 to 14</b>	<b>384</b>	368	2	12	2	-	-
<b>15</b>	<b>89</b>	88	-	1	-	-	-
<b>16 to 17</b>	<b>200</b>	190	-	8	1	-	1
<b>18 to 19</b>	<b>206</b>	179	1	23	3	-	-
<b>20 to 24</b>	<b>685</b>	575	4	64	34	1	7
<b>25 to 29</b>	<b>621</b>	583	2	20	12	3	1
<b>30 to 34</b>	<b>571</b>	517	-	43	7	-	4
<b>35 to 39</b>	<b>587</b>	543	2	24	14	2	2
<b>40 to 44</b>	<b>637</b>	625	2	9	1	-	-
<b>45 to 49</b>	<b>642</b>	628	-	9	4	-	1
<b>50 to 54</b>	<b>628</b>	618	-	7	2	-	1
<b>55 to 59</b>	<b>565</b>	555	1	6	-	-	3
<b>60 to 64</b>	<b>566</b>	551	2	8	3	1	1
<b>65 to 69</b>	<b>379</b>	376	1	2	-	-	-
<b>70 to 74</b>	<b>311</b>	308	1	1	-	1	-
<b>75 to 79</b>	<b>219</b>	216	-	3	-	-	-
<b>80 to 84</b>	<b>183</b>	183	-	-	-	-	-
<b>85 and over</b>	<b>125</b>	125	-	-	-	-	-

*Table 8.1: Age and Ethnic Group of all Males in Paisley East and Ralston*

Age Group	All Females	White	Mixed or multiple ethnic groups	Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British	African	Caribbean or Black	Other ethnic groups
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,682</b>	<b>8,388</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>18</b>
0 to 4	430	398	12	9	5	2	4
5 to 9	352	326	8	12	4	1	1
10 to 14	379	356	1	20	1	-	1
15	84	81	-	2	1	-	-
16 to 17	158	151	1	5	1	-	-
18 to 19	211	202	1	6	2	-	-
20 to 24	540	514	1	20	4	-	1
25 to 29	554	530	2	13	5	2	2
30 to 34	571	535	-	23	10	1	2
35 to 39	569	542	4	13	9	-	1
40 to 44	635	609	-	24	1	-	1
45 to 49	695	682	1	6	4	1	1
50 to 54	627	615	-	10	-	2	-
55 to 59	568	552	1	13	-	2	-
60 to 64	531	525	-	4	-	-	2
65 to 69	406	403	-	1	1	-	1
70 to 74	403	399	1	1	1	-	1
75 to 79	360	359	-	1	-	-	-
80 to 84	306	306	-	-	-	-	-
85 and over	303	303	-	-	-	-	-

*Table 8.2: Age and Ethnic Group of all Females in Paisley East and Ralston*

Paisley East and Ralston's higher proportion of Asian population is reflected in a larger proportion of Muslims, Sikhs and Hindus than the rest of Renfrewshire. Although proportions of these three religious groups in Paisley East and Ralston are small, they are higher than the proportion across Renfrewshire. Other religious groups are generally similar in proportion to the rest of Renfrewshire.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All People</b>	<b>17,114</b>		<b>174,908</b>	
<b>Church of Scotland</b>	5,287	<b>30.89%</b>	56,366	<b>32.23%</b>
<b>Roman Catholic</b>	4,010	<b>23.43%</b>	39,769	<b>22.74%</b>
<b>Other Christian</b>	717	<b>4.19%</b>	6,816	<b>3.90%</b>
<b>Buddhist</b>	31	<b>0.18%</b>	257	<b>0.15%</b>
<b>Hindu</b>	36	<b>0.21%</b>	273	<b>0.16%</b>
<b>Jewish</b>	6	<b>0.04%</b>	63	<b>0.04%</b>
<b>Muslim</b>	164	<b>0.96%</b>	1,313	<b>0.75%</b>
<b>Sikh</b>	85	<b>0.50%</b>	573	<b>0.33%</b>
<b>Other Religion</b>	34	<b>0.20%</b>	360	<b>0.21%</b>
<b>No Religion</b>	5,710	<b>33.36%</b>	57,132	<b>32.66%</b>
<b>Religion not stated</b>	1,034	<b>6.04%</b>	11,986	<b>6.85%</b>

*Table 9: Religion of all people in Paisley East and Ralston*

Table 10 illustrates the number of people in Paisley East and Ralston by their level of proficiency in the Gaelic language. Unlike the rest of Renfrewshire over 1% (230 people) of the ward's population have Gaelic skills. There are 77 people in this ward that speak, read and write in Gaelic, which is the highest number of people within any of Renfrewshire's wards. This equates to 0.47% of the Paisley East and Ralston population.

	<b>Ward</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>Renfrewshire</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>All people aged 3 and over</b>	<b>16,553</b>		<b>169,077</b>	
<b>Understands but does not speak, read or write Gaelic</b>	69	<b>0.42%</b>	521	<b>0.31%</b>
<b>Speaks, reads and writes Gaelic</b>	77	<b>0.47%</b>	490	<b>0.29%</b>
<b>Speaks but does not read or write Gaelic</b>	59	<b>0.36%</b>	387	<b>0.23%</b>
<b>Speaks and reads but does not write Gaelic</b>	16	<b>0.10%</b>	80	<b>0.05%</b>
<b>Reads but does not speak or write Gaelic</b>	6	<b>0.04%</b>	73	<b>0.04%</b>
<b>Other combination of skills in Gaelic</b>	3	<b>0.02%</b>	35	<b>0.02%</b>
<b>No skills in Gaelic</b>	16,323	<b>98.61%</b>	167,491	<b>99.06%</b>

*Table 10: Number of people in Paisley East and Ralston by Gaelic proficiency*

## Section Three – Marital and Civil Partnership Status

The majority of people aged 16 and over in Paisley East and Ralston are not married (60%), which is a higher proportion than the Renfrewshire average. There are a higher proportion of single people in the ward (39%) than there are across Renfrewshire (35%), while there are also a higher proportion of people in Paisley East and Ralston that are widowed or surviving partners (8.67%) than there are across Renfrewshire. Tables 12.1 and 12.2 illustrate the total number of males and females across each category, split into age bands.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people aged 16 and over</b>	<b>14,562</b>		<b>144,205</b>	
<b>Single (never married or never registered a same-sex civil partnership)</b>	5,712	<b>39.23%</b>	51,109	<b>35.44%</b>
<b>Married</b>	5,869	<b>40.30%</b>	63,539	<b>44.06%</b>
<b>In a registered same-sex civil partnership</b>	21	<b>0.14%</b>	151	<b>0.10%</b>
<b>Separated (but still legally married or still legally in a same-sex civil partnership)</b>	491	<b>3.37%</b>	5,125	<b>3.55%</b>
<b>Divorced or formerly in a same-sex civil partnership which is now legally dissolved</b>	1,207	<b>8.29%</b>	12,226	<b>8.48%</b>
<b>Widowed or surviving partner from a same-sex civil partnership</b>	1,262	<b>8.67%</b>	12,055	<b>8.36%</b>

*Table 11: All people in Paisley East and Ralston by Marital and Civil Partnership Status*

Age group	All Males aged 16 and over	Single (never married or never registered a same-sex civil partnership)	Married	In a registered same-sex civil partnership	Separated (but still legally married or still legally in a same-sex civil partnership)	Divorced or formerly in a same-sex civil partnership which is now legally dissolved	Widowed or surviving partner from a same-sex civil partnership
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,125</b>	<b>3,099</b>	<b>2,934</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>290</b>
<b>16 to 17</b>	<b>200</b>	200	-	-	-	-	-
<b>18 to 19</b>	<b>206</b>	206	-	-	-	-	-
<b>20 to 24</b>	<b>685</b>	674	8	-	2	1	-
<b>25 to 29</b>	<b>621</b>	557	58	-	3	3	-
<b>30 to 34</b>	<b>571</b>	376	163	-	17	14	1
<b>35 to 39</b>	<b>587</b>	292	240	3	24	27	1
<b>40 to 44</b>	<b>637</b>	254	263	3	51	64	2
<b>45 to 49</b>	<b>642</b>	181	315	3	35	98	10
<b>50 to 54</b>	<b>628</b>	113	364	-	38	107	6
<b>55 to 59</b>	<b>565</b>	91	357	1	24	77	15
<b>60 to 64</b>	<b>566</b>	63	366	-	24	90	23
<b>65 to 69</b>	<b>379</b>	40	259	-	10	45	25
<b>70 to 74</b>	<b>311</b>	29	221	-	8	17	36
<b>75 to 79</b>	<b>219</b>	7	152	-	-	5	55
<b>80 to 84</b>	<b>183</b>	12	112	-	2	4	53
<b>85 and over</b>	<b>125</b>	4	56	-	-	2	63

*Table 12.1: All Males in Paisley East and Ralston by Age by Marital and Civil Partnership Status*

Age group	All Females aged 16 and over	Single (never married or never registered a same-sex civil partnership)	Married	In a registered same-sex civil partnership	Separated (but still legally married or still legally in a same-sex civil partnership)	Divorced or formerly in a same-sex civil partnership which is now legally dissolved	Widowed or surviving partner from a same-sex civil partnership
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,437</b>	<b>2,613</b>	<b>2,935</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>972</b>
16 to 17	158	158	-	-	-	-	-
18 to 19	211	211	-	-	-	-	-
20 to 24	540	513	20	2	3	1	1
25 to 29	554	459	82	1	10	2	-
30 to 34	571	329	198	-	21	20	3
35 to 39	569	259	230	2	32	42	4
40 to 44	635	215	293	3	42	76	6
45 to 49	695	159	366	2	52	103	13
50 to 54	627	85	368	1	27	125	21
55 to 59	568	53	357	-	28	91	39
60 to 64	531	31	335	-	14	89	62
65 to 69	406	28	241	-	12	48	77
70 to 74	403	26	206	-	9	33	129
75 to 79	360	32	126	-	2	16	184
80 to 84	306	24	77	-	-	6	199
85 and over	303	31	36	-	1	1	234

*Table 12.2: All Females in Paisley East and Ralston by Age by Marital and Civil Partnership Status*

The tables show that people in Paisley East and Ralston are more likely not to be married than married, and females are less likely than males to be married. Approximately 39% of females are married, compared to 41% of males.

## Section Four – Economic Activity

Tables 13 to 15 highlight the number of working age people across Paisley East and Ralston by their level of economic activity, industry and occupation in the week leading up to the 2011 Census. Should you seek the most up to date representation, details can be found at <http://www.nomisweb.co.uk/>.

The Census defines Economic Activity as “*whether or not a person aged 16 and over was working or looking for work in the week before census. Rather than a simple indicator of whether or not someone was currently in employment, it provides a measure of whether or not a person was an active participant in the labour market.*”<sup>1</sup>

Across Paisley East and Ralston, 41.5% of people aged 16 to 74 were in full-time employment, compared with the Renfrewshire average of 41.13%. There were a higher proportion of students (both economically active and inactive) in the ward than across Renfrewshire. The ward has a similar level of economic activity (68.9%) as the whole of Renfrewshire. There are more men in full-time employment than women but there are more women in part-time employment or looking after the family at home than men.

		Paisley East and Ralston				Renfrewshire			
		Male	Female	All People	%	Male	Female	All People	%
<b>All people aged 16 to 74</b>		<b>6,598</b>	<b>6,468</b>	<b>13,066</b>		<b>63,344</b>	<b>67,529</b>	<b>130,873</b>	
<b>Economically active</b>	<b>Employee: Part-time</b>	318	1,252	<b>1,570</b>	<b>12.02%</b>	3,195	14,104	<b>17,299</b>	<b>13.22%</b>
	<b>Employee: Full-time</b>	3,133	2,290	<b>5,423</b>	<b>41.50%</b>	31,165	22,664	<b>53,829</b>	<b>41.13%</b>
	<b>Self-employed</b>	539	173	<b>712</b>	<b>5.45%</b>	5,246	1,870	<b>7,116</b>	<b>5.44%</b>
	<b>Unemployed</b>	493	197	<b>690</b>	<b>5.28%</b>	4,325	2,385	<b>6,710</b>	<b>5.13%</b>
	<b>Full-time student</b>	273	328	<b>601</b>	<b>4.60%</b>	2,182	2,814	<b>4,996</b>	<b>3.82%</b>
	<b>Economically inactive</b>	<b>Retired</b>	816	1,173	<b>1,989</b>	<b>15.22%</b>	8,364	11,955	<b>20,319</b>
	<b>Student</b>	388	286	<b>674</b>	<b>5.16%</b>	2,969	2,868	<b>5,837</b>	<b>4.46%</b>
	<b>Looking after home or family</b>	59	312	<b>371</b>	<b>2.84%</b>	469	3,753	<b>4,222</b>	<b>3.23%</b>
	<b>Long-term sick or disabled</b>	478	343	<b>821</b>	<b>6.28%</b>	4,415	3,967	<b>8,382</b>	<b>6.40%</b>
	<b>Other</b>	101	114	<b>215</b>	<b>1.65%</b>	1,014	1,149	<b>2,163</b>	<b>1.65%</b>

Table 13: Economic Activity by Gender of all people aged 16 to 74 in Paisley East and Ralston

<sup>1</sup> <http://www.scotlandscensus.gov.uk/variables-classification/economic-activity>

Industries that employed the most people aged 16 to 74 in Paisley East and Ralston were human health and social activities, and wholesale and retail trade. Almost 10% of people in Paisley East and Ralston were employed in education. There are slight variations in employment proportions across Renfrewshire but generally industries in Paisley East and Ralston have similar industry employment levels. The male/female divide in industries in Paisley East and Ralston is as expected and is broadly similar in line with the divide across Renfrewshire.

	Paisley East and Ralston				Renfrewshire			
	Male	Female	All People	%	Male	Female	All People	%
<b>All people aged 16 to 74 in employment</b>	<b>4,205</b>	<b>3,984</b>	<b>8,189</b>		<b>41,219</b>	<b>40,907</b>	<b>82,126</b>	
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	8	5	13	0.16%	207	119	326	0.40%
Mining and quarrying	20	4	24	0.29%	196	22	218	0.27%
Manufacturing	495	173	668	8.16%	5,616	1,991	7,607	9.26%
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	43	15	58	0.71%	445	139	584	0.71%
Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	25	3	28	0.34%	468	85	553	0.67%
Construction	550	70	620	7.57%	5,645	712	6,357	7.74%
Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	642	578	1,220	14.90%	6,269	6,407	12,676	15.43%
Transport and storage	326	113	439	5.36%	4,060	1,331	5,391	6.56%
Accommodation and food service activities	177	228	405	4.95%	1,737	2,453	4,190	5.10%
Information and communication	184	80	264	3.22%	1,552	725	2,277	2.77%
Financial and insurance activities	164	207	371	4.53%	1,454	2,038	3,492	4.25%
Real estate activities	64	79	143	1.75%	401	572	973	1.18%
Professional, scientific and technical activities	220	189	409	4.99%	1,793	1,780	3,573	4.35%
Administrative and support service activities	214	134	348	4.25%	2,103	1,706	3,809	4.64%
Public administration and defence, compulsory social security	348	326	674	8.23%	3,024	3,056	6,080	7.40%
Education	240	554	794	9.70%	1,874	4,981	6,855	8.35%
Human health and social work activities	315	1,031	1,346	16.44%	2,700	10,613	13,313	16.21%
Other	170	195	365	4.46%	1,675	2,177	3,852	4.69%

*Table 14: Industry by Gender of all people aged 16 to 74 in employment in Paisley East and Ralston*

Following on from industry, Table 15 indicates the occupation of all people aged 16 to 74 in Paisley East and Ralston. The most common occupation for people in Paisley East and Ralston was in professional occupations, which was also the most common occupation for people across Renfrewshire. The occupation with the least number of people employed in Paisley East and Ralston was process, plant and machine operatives, with only 6% of people in the ward employed in this occupation. This was also the occupation with the least number of employees across the rest of Renfrewshire.

	Paisley East and Ralston				Renfrewshire			
	Male	Female	All people	%	Male	Female	All People	%
<b>All people aged 16 to 74 in employment</b>	<b>4,205</b>	<b>3,984</b>	<b>8,189</b>		<b>41,219</b>	<b>40,907</b>	<b>82,126</b>	
<b>Professional occupations</b>	715	891	<b>1,606</b>	<b>19.61%</b>	5,531	7,385	<b>12,916</b>	<b>15.73%</b>
<b>Associate professional and technical occupations</b>	692	543	<b>1,235</b>	<b>15.08%</b>	6,172	4,718	<b>10,890</b>	<b>13.26%</b>
<b>Administrative and secretarial occupations</b>	282	795	<b>1,077</b>	<b>13.15%</b>	2,149	8,465	<b>10,614</b>	<b>12.92%</b>
<b>Sales and customer service occupations</b>	346	513	<b>859</b>	<b>10.49%</b>	2,952	5,525	<b>8,477</b>	<b>10.32%</b>
<b>Skilled trades occupations</b>	749	66	<b>815</b>	<b>9.95%</b>	8,398	761	<b>9,159</b>	<b>11.15%</b>
<b>Elementary occupations</b>	425	336	<b>761</b>	<b>9.29%</b>	4,732	3,987	<b>8,719</b>	<b>10.62%</b>
<b>Caring, leisure and other service occupations</b>	162	554	<b>716</b>	<b>8.74%</b>	1,618	6,850	<b>8,468</b>	<b>10.31%</b>
<b>Managers, directors and senior officials</b>	398	225	<b>623</b>	<b>7.61%</b>	4,211	2,421	<b>6,632</b>	<b>8.08%</b>
<b>Process, plant and machine operatives</b>	436	61	<b>497</b>	<b>6.07%</b>	5,456	795	<b>6,251</b>	<b>7.61%</b>

*Table 15: Occupation by Gender of all people aged 16 to 74 in employment in Paisley East and Ralston*

Levels of education qualifications across Paisley East and Ralston are greater than that of the Renfrewshire total with few exceptions; Table 16.1 shows 28% of the Paisley East and Ralston population have achieved degree level or equivalent qualifications, compared to 23.06% of the Renfrewshire population. Almost one-quarter of people in Paisley East and Ralston have no qualifications, compared to the Renfrewshire average of 28.1%. While only one-fifth of the Paisley East and Ralston population have Level 1 qualifications only, there is a higher than average proportion of people aged 16 and over with Level 2 and 3 qualifications than the rest of Renfrewshire.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people aged 16 and over</b>	<b>14,562</b>		<b>144,205</b>	
<b>No qualifications</b>	3,496	<b>24.01%</b>	40,517	<b>28.10%</b>
<b>Level 1</b>	2,986	<b>20.51%</b>	33,344	<b>23.12%</b>
<b>Level 2</b>	2,193	<b>15.06%</b>	20,933	<b>14.52%</b>
<b>Level 3</b>	1,755	<b>12.05%</b>	16,159	<b>11.21%</b>
<b>Level 4 and above</b>	4,132	<b>28.38%</b>	33,252	<b>23.06%</b>

**Table 16.1: Highest Level of Qualification of all people aged 16 and over in Paisley East and Ralston<sup>2</sup>**

This is explored further in Table 16.2 which highlights there are more females with no qualifications than there are males, in Paisley East and Ralston. However, there are over 250 more females than males with Level 4 qualifications in the ward. There are 696 females aged 35 to 49 with Level 4 qualifications compared to 600 males of the same age group, while there are over 1,000 females aged 65 and over with no qualifications compared to only 610 males of the same age group.

		All people aged 16 and over	No qualifications	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4 and above
<b>All people aged 16 and over</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>14,562</b>	<b>3,496</b>	<b>2,986</b>	<b>2,193</b>	<b>1,755</b>	<b>4,132</b>
	<b>16 to 24</b>	2,000	128	625	637	311	299
	<b>25 to 34</b>	2,317	154	451	332	384	996
	<b>35 to 49</b>	3,765	515	889	521	544	1,296
	<b>50 to 64</b>	3,485	1,042	615	503	346	979
	<b>65 and over</b>	2,995	1,657	406	200	170	562
<b>Males aged 16 and over</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>7,125</b>	<b>1,572</b>	<b>1,510</b>	<b>1,213</b>	<b>897</b>	<b>1,933</b>
	<b>16 to 24</b>	1,091	85	333	338	180	155
	<b>25 to 34</b>	1,192	85	255	214	200	438
	<b>35 to 49</b>	1,866	276	479	265	246	600
	<b>50 to 64</b>	1,759	516	300	286	182	475
	<b>65 and over</b>	1,217	610	143	110	89	265
<b>Females aged 16 and over</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>7,437</b>	<b>1,924</b>	<b>1,476</b>	<b>980</b>	<b>858</b>	<b>2,199</b>
	<b>16 to 24</b>	909	43	292	299	131	144
	<b>25 to 34</b>	1,125	69	196	118	184	558
	<b>35 to 49</b>	1,899	239	410	256	298	696
	<b>50 to 64</b>	1,726	526	315	217	164	504
	<b>65 and over</b>	1,778	1,047	263	90	81	297

**Table 16.2: Highest Level of Qualification of all people aged 16 and over by gender in Paisley East and Ralston**

<sup>2</sup>Level 1: 0 Grade, Standard Grade, Access 3 Cluster, Intermediate 1 or 2, GCSE, CSE, Senior Certification or equivalent; GSVQ Foundation or Intermediate, SVQ level 1 or 2, SCOTVEC Module, City and Guilds Craft or equivalent; Other school qualifications not already mentioned (including foreign qualifications).

Level 2: SCE Higher Grade, Higher, Advanced Higher, CSYS, A Level, AS Level, Advanced Senior Certificate or equivalent; GSVQ Advanced, SVQ level 3, ONC, OND, SCOTVEC National Diploma, City and Guilds Advanced Craft or equivalent.

Level 3: HNC, HND, SVQ level 4 or equivalent; Other post-school but pre-Higher Education qualifications not already mentioned (including foreign qualifications).

Level 4 and above: Degree, Postgraduate qualifications, Masters, PhD, SVQ level 5 or equivalent; Professional qualifications (for example, teaching, nursing, accountancy); Other Higher Education qualifications not already mentioned (including foreign qualifications).

## Section Five – Household Information

The most common type of household in Paisley East and Ralston is one person households, with over 45% of all households in the ward falling into this category. This is much higher than the Renfrewshire equivalent of 38.6%. There are a lower than average proportion of lone parent households in Paisley East and Ralston than across Renfrewshire, while there is also a lower than average number of married couple households in the ward than there are throughout the local authority.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All households</b>	<b>8,650</b>		<b>80,902</b>	
<b>One person household</b>	3,944	<b>45.60%</b>	31,226	<b>38.60%</b>
<b>Married couple household: No dependent children</b>	1,886	<b>21.80%</b>	19,869	<b>24.56%</b>
<b>Married couple household: With dependent children</b>	975	<b>11.27%</b>	11,171	<b>13.81%</b>
<b>Same-sex civil partnership couple household</b>	8	<b>0.09%</b>	57	<b>0.07%</b>
<b>Cohabiting couple household: No dependent children</b>	493	<b>5.70%</b>	3,929	<b>4.86%</b>
<b>Cohabiting couple household: With dependent children</b>	247	<b>2.86%</b>	2,834	<b>3.50%</b>
<b>Lone parent household: No dependent children</b>	290	<b>3.35%</b>	3,655	<b>4.52%</b>
<b>Lone parent household: With dependent children</b>	609	<b>7.04%</b>	6,933	<b>8.57%</b>
<b>Multi-person household: All full-time students</b>	71	<b>0.82%</b>	242	<b>0.30%</b>
<b>Multi-person household: Other</b>	127	<b>1.47%</b>	986	<b>1.22%</b>

*Table 17: Type of all households in Paisley East and Ralston*

Following on from Table 17, Table 18 illustrates that there are proportionally slightly more households owned outright in Paisley East and Ralston than there are across Renfrewshire but less owned with a mortgage. The table also indicated that there are almost half the percentages of households in Paisley East and Ralston that are rented from the local authority than across Renfrewshire, while there are over 5% more households that are rented from a private landlord or letting agency in the ward than the amount rented throughout Renfrewshire. There are also a higher proportion of households within the ward that are 'other social rented', which can be attributed to Williamsburgh Housing Association owning properties in the area.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All households</b>	<b>8,650</b>		<b>80,902</b>	
<b>Owned: Owned outright</b>	2,407	<b>27.83%</b>	20,520	<b>25.36%</b>
<b>Owned: Owned with a mortgage or loan</b>	2,974	<b>34.38%</b>	31,692	<b>39.17%</b>
<b>Owned: Shared ownership (part owned and part rented)</b>	8	<b>0.09%</b>	186	<b>0.23%</b>
<b>Rented: Council (Local authority)</b>	744	<b>8.60%</b>	12,712	<b>15.71%</b>
<b>Rented: Other social rented</b>	1,058	<b>12.23%</b>	7,161	<b>8.85%</b>
<b>Rented: Private landlord or letting agency</b>	1,287	<b>14.88%</b>	7,325	<b>9.05%</b>
<b>Rented: Other</b>	97	<b>1.12%</b>	749	<b>0.93%</b>
<b>Living rent free</b>	75	<b>0.87%</b>	557	<b>0.69%</b>

*Table 18: Tenure of all households in Paisley East and Ralston*

Within Paisley East and Ralston, the majority of household spaces (occupied or unoccupied) are purpose-built flats or tenement buildings (54.12%) which is considerably higher than the Renfrewshire average of 41%. Only 8% of household spaces in Paisley East and Ralston are terraced houses, while the Renfrewshire average is almost three-times as much. One-quarter of household spaces in Paisley East and Ralston are semi-detached households, higher than the Renfrewshire average of 21.42%.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All household spaces</b>	<b>9,008</b>		<b>83,202</b>	
<b>Whole house or bungalow: Detached</b>	826	<b>9.17%</b>	12,329	<b>14.82%</b>
<b>Whole house or bungalow: Semi-detached</b>	2,291	<b>25.43%</b>	17,823	<b>21.42%</b>
<b>Whole house or bungalow: Terraced (including end-terrace)</b>	750	<b>8.33%</b>	17,576	<b>21.12%</b>
<b>Flat, maisonette or apartment: Purpose-built block of flats or tenement</b>	4,875	<b>54.12%</b>	34,181	<b>41.08%</b>
<b>Flat, maisonette or apartment: Part of a converted or shared house (including bed-sits)</b>	173	<b>1.92%</b>	974	<b>1.17%</b>
<b>Flat, maisonette or apartment: In a commercial building</b>	92	<b>1.02%</b>	309	<b>0.37%</b>
<b>Caravan or other mobile or temporary structure</b>	1	<b>0.01%</b>	10	<b>0.01%</b>

*Table 19: All household spaces in Paisley East and Ralston*

The picture across Paisley East and Ralston is fairly different to that of Renfrewshire when analysing the number of vehicles per household. There is a higher than average number of households in Paisley East and Ralston that have no cars or vans (37.63%) compared to the rest of Renfrewshire. However, there are a higher proportion of households in the ward that have one car or van (41.27%) than the Renfrewshire average. It is less likely for a household in Paisley East and Ralston to have two or more cars than it is throughout Renfrewshire, with nearly 5% of households across the local authority having three cars or more.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All households</b>	<b>8,650</b>		<b>80,902</b>	
<b>No cars or vans</b>	3,255	<b>37.63%</b>	27,790	<b>34.35%</b>
<b>One car or van</b>	3,570	<b>41.27%</b>	32,743	<b>40.47%</b>
<b>Two cars or vans</b>	1,523	<b>17.61%</b>	16,517	<b>20.42%</b>
<b>Three cars or vans</b>	231	<b>2.67%</b>	3,009	<b>3.72%</b>
<b>Four or more cars or vans</b>	71	<b>0.82%</b>	843	<b>1.04%</b>

*Table 20: Car or Van availability in all households in Paisley East and Ralston*

There are a total of 578 lone-parent working-age households in the Paisley East and Ralston ward, 32 male and 546 female. In Paisley East and Ralston, female lone parents tend to favour working part-time (34.8%) than full-time (20.88%), which mirrors the Renfrewshire average. There are more male lone parents in employment (68.75%) than there are across Renfrewshire (66.5%), and less male lone parents' unemployed than the Renfrewshire average also.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>Lone parent: Total</b>	<b>578</b>		<b>6,541</b>	
<b>Male lone parent: In part-time employment</b>	4	<b>12.50%</b>	46	<b>11.41%</b>
<b>Male lone parent: In full-time employment</b>	18	<b>56.25%</b>	222	<b>55.09%</b>
<b>Male lone parent: Not in employment</b>	10	<b>31.25%</b>	135	<b>33.50%</b>
<b>Female lone parent: In part-time employment</b>	190	<b>34.80%</b>	2,122	<b>34.57%</b>
<b>Female lone parent: In full-time employment</b>	114	<b>20.88%</b>	1,297	<b>21.13%</b>
<b>Female lone parent: Not in employment</b>	242	<b>44.32%</b>	2,719	<b>44.30%</b>

*Table 21: Lone parent households in Paisley East and Ralston*

Over 3% of all households in Paisley East and Ralston have no central heating, which is a larger proportion than the whole of Renfrewshire.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All occupied household spaces</b>	<b>8,650</b>		<b>80,902</b>	
<b>No central heating</b>	266	<b>3.08%</b>	1,814	<b>2.24%</b>
<b>Gas central heating</b>	7,210	<b>83.35%</b>	68,405	<b>84.55%</b>
<b>Electric (including storage heaters) central heating</b>	922	<b>10.66%</b>	8,138	<b>10.06%</b>
<b>Oil central heating</b>	14	<b>0.16%</b>	416	<b>0.51%</b>
<b>Solid fuel (for example wood, coal) central heating</b>	4	<b>0.05%</b>	66	<b>0.08%</b>
<b>Other central heating</b>	76	<b>0.88%</b>	615	<b>0.76%</b>
<b>Two or more types of central heating</b>	158	<b>1.83%</b>	1,448	<b>1.79%</b>

*Table 22: Type of central heating in all occupied spaces in Paisley East and Ralston*

Table 23 shows that there are proportionally fewer households suffering deprivation in Paisley East and Ralston than across Renfrewshire. However, there is a slightly higher proportion of households in Paisley East and Ralston that are deprived in four dimensions.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All households</b>	<b>8,650</b>		<b>80,902</b>	
<b>Household is not deprived in any dimension</b>	3,423	<b>39.57%</b>	30,689	<b>37.93%</b>
<b>Household is deprived in 1 dimension</b>	2,755	<b>31.85%</b>	25,503	<b>31.52%</b>
<b>Household is deprived in 2 dimensions</b>	1,775	<b>20.52%</b>	17,697	<b>21.87%</b>
<b>Household is deprived in 3 dimensions</b>	582	<b>6.73%</b>	6,253	<b>7.73%</b>
<b>Household is deprived in 4 dimensions</b>	115	<b>1.33%</b>	760	<b>0.94%</b>

*Table 23: Deprivation dimension of all households in Paisley East and Ralston<sup>3</sup>*

<sup>3</sup>The dimensions of deprivation used to classify households are indicators based on four selected household characteristics. A household is deprived in a dimension if it meets the following conditions:

1. Employment: a person in the household aged 16 and over who is not a full-time student is either unemployed or long-term sick or disabled.
2. Education: no person aged 16 to 64 in the household has a highest level qualification of level 2 or above, or no person aged 16 to 18 is a full-time student.
3. Health and disability: any person in the household has 'bad' or 'very bad' general health, or has a long-term limiting health problem or disability.
4. Housing: the household's accommodation is either overcrowded (with an occupancy rating of -1 or less), is in a shared dwelling or does not have central heating.

## Section Six – Transport

The most common method of transport used by working age people of Paisley East and Ralston, and across Renfrewshire is by driving a car or van. A slightly higher proportion of people in Paisley East and Ralston will use a bus to get to work than the Renfrewshire average, while it is more likely someone from the ward will walk to work than the rest of Renfrewshire. There are also a higher proportion of people in Paisley East and Ralston that would travel to work by train. This is likely to be higher than average due to train stations based at Hawkhead and Crookston.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>7,705</b>		<b>78,244</b>	
<b>Work mainly at or from home</b>	650	<b>8.44%</b>	6,596	<b>8.43%</b>
<b>Underground, metro, light rail or tram</b>	29	<b>0.38%</b>	181	<b>0.23%</b>
<b>Train</b>	559	<b>7.26%</b>	4,384	<b>5.60%</b>
<b>Bus, minibus or coach</b>	917	<b>11.90%</b>	8,696	<b>11.11%</b>
<b>Taxi or minicab</b>	63	<b>0.82%</b>	605	<b>0.77%</b>
<b>Driving a car or van</b>	4,299	<b>55.79%</b>	46,668	<b>59.64%</b>
<b>Passenger in a car or van</b>	367	<b>4.76%</b>	4,648	<b>5.94%</b>
<b>Motorcycle, scooter or moped</b>	18	<b>0.23%</b>	189	<b>0.24%</b>
<b>Bicycle</b>	74	<b>0.96%</b>	624	<b>0.80%</b>
<b>On foot</b>	656	<b>8.51%</b>	4,977	<b>6.36%</b>
<b>Other</b>	73	<b>0.95%</b>	676	<b>0.86%</b>

*Table 24.1: Method of travel to work by all people aged 16 to 74 in employment in Paisley East and Ralston*

The figures differ slightly when incorporating students, with proportionally less people in Paisley East and Ralston travelling by bus compared to people in Renfrewshire. Furthermore, there are more people likely to study at home in Paisley East and Ralston than there are across Renfrewshire.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people</b>	<b>10,629</b>		<b>110,194</b>	
<b>Work or study mainly at or from home</b>	1,100	<b>10.35%</b>	10,665	<b>9.68%</b>
<b>Underground, metro, light rail or tram</b>	35	<b>0.33%</b>	245	<b>0.22%</b>
<b>Train</b>	732	<b>6.89%</b>	5,961	<b>5.41%</b>
<b>Bus, minibus or coach</b>	1,462	<b>13.75%</b>	15,447	<b>14.02%</b>
<b>Taxi or minicab</b>	79	<b>0.74%</b>	897	<b>0.81%</b>
<b>Driving a car or van</b>	4,443	<b>41.80%</b>	48,245	<b>43.78%</b>
<b>Passenger in a car or van</b>	857	<b>8.06%</b>	10,776	<b>9.78%</b>
<b>Motorcycle, scooter or moped</b>	19	<b>0.18%</b>	201	<b>0.18%</b>
<b>Bicycle</b>	104	<b>0.98%</b>	723	<b>0.66%</b>
<b>On foot</b>	1,722	<b>16.20%</b>	16,289	<b>14.78%</b>
<b>Other</b>	76	<b>0.72%</b>	745	<b>0.68%</b>

*Table 24.2: Method of travel to work or study by all people aged 4 and over who are studying or aged 16 to 74 in employment in Paisley East and Ralston<sup>4</sup>*

<sup>4</sup>Excludes some 4 and 5 year olds (a total of 11,867 in Scotland) who were reported as being in full-time education but for whom no information on their place of study or method of travel to study was provided.

## Section Seven – Health and Care

The general health levels of the people of Paisley East and Ralston are similar to those across Renfrewshire. Almost 81% of people in Paisley East and Ralston have very good or good health, compared with 80.69% of people in Renfrewshire. However, there are more people in Paisley East and Ralston with bad or very bad health (6.37%) than there are across Renfrewshire (6.28%).

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people</b>	<b>17,114</b>		<b>174,908</b>	
<b>Very good health</b>	8,816	<b>51.51%</b>	90,014	<b>51.46%</b>
<b>Good health</b>	5,045	<b>29.48%</b>	51,118	<b>29.23%</b>
<b>Fair health</b>	2,163	<b>12.64%</b>	22,802	<b>13.04%</b>
<b>Bad health</b>	843	<b>4.93%</b>	8,317	<b>4.76%</b>
<b>Very bad health</b>	247	<b>1.44%</b>	2,657	<b>1.52%</b>

*Table 25.1: General health of all people in Paisley East and Ralston*

Leading on from this, Table 25.2 illustrates the level of health of all people in Paisley East and Ralston, by their age and ethnic group. Only 16 out of 459 Asian people in the ward suffer from bad or very bad health, two of which are aged 65 to 74, while one person of African origin has bad or very bad health, aged 25 to 49. Almost 7% of white people in the ward have bad or very bad health, equating to over 1,000 people; the majority of these people are aged 50 to 64.

		All people	White	Mixed or multiple ethnic groups	Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British	African	Caribbean or Black	Other ethnic groups
All people	Total	17,114	16,401	58	459	135	20	41
	Very good or good health	13,861	13,203	55	417	132	18	36
	Fair health	2,163	2,129	2	26	2	2	2
	Bad or very bad health	1,090	1,069	1	16	1	-	3
Aged 0 to 24	Total	4,552	4,213	38	218	61	5	17
	Very good or good health	4,385	4,051	38	213	61	5	17
	Fair health	129	126	-	3	-	-	-
	Bad or very bad health	38	36	-	2	-	-	-
Aged 25 to 49	Total	6,082	5,794	13	184	67	9	15
	Very good or good health	5,249	4,982	12	169	65	9	12
	Fair health	531	521	1	6	1	-	2
	Bad or very bad health	302	291	-	9	1	-	1
Aged 50 to 64	Total	3,485	3,416	4	48	5	5	7
	Very good or good health	2,554	2,504	3	33	5	4	5
	Fair health	567	554	-	12	-	1	-
	Bad or very bad health	364	358	1	3	-	-	2
Aged 65 to 74	Total	1,499	1,486	3	5	2	1	2
	Very good or good health	990	984	2	1	1	-	2
	Fair health	358	353	1	2	1	1	-
	Bad or very bad health	151	149	-	2	-	-	-
Aged 75 to 84	Total	1,068	1,064	-	4	-	-	-
	Very good or good health	551	550	-	1	-	-	-
	Fair health	372	369	-	3	-	-	-
	Bad or very bad health	145	145	-	-	-	-	-
Aged 85 and over	Total	428	428	-	-	-	-	-
	Very good or good health	132	132	-	-	-	-	-
	Fair health	206	206	-	-	-	-	-
	Bad or very bad health	90	90	-	-	-	-	-

Table 25.2: General health by ethnic group by age of all people in Paisley East and Ralston

Table 26 illustrates the similarities in the proportion of people in Paisley East and Ralston whose day-to-day activities are not limited in any way.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people</b>	<b>17,114</b>		<b>174,908</b>	
<b>Day-to-day activities limited a lot</b>	1,779	<b>10.39%</b>	18,729	<b>10.71%</b>
<b>Day-to-day activities limited a little</b>	1,757	<b>10.27%</b>	17,940	<b>10.26%</b>
<b>Day-to-day activities not limited</b>	13,578	<b>79.34%</b>	138,239	<b>79.04%</b>

*Table 26: Long-term health problem or disability of all people in Paisley East and Ralston*

Continuing on from Table 26, it is highlighted that 69.17% of people in Paisley East and Ralston do not suffer from any long-term health conditions. There are small variations in the ward's proportions of the various long term health conditions compared to the whole of Renfrewshire.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people</b>	<b>17,114</b>		<b>174,908</b>	
<b>No condition</b>	11,838	<b>69.17%</b>	120,555	<b>68.92%</b>
<b>One or more conditions</b>	5,276	<b>30.83%</b>	54,353	<b>31.08%</b>
<b>Deafness or partial hearing loss</b>	1,196	<b>6.99%</b>	11,987	<b>6.85%</b>
<b>Blindness or partial sight loss</b>	431	<b>2.52%</b>	4,231	<b>2.42%</b>
<b>Learning disability</b>	80	<b>0.47%</b>	946	<b>0.54%</b>
<b>Learning difficulty</b>	343	<b>2.00%</b>	3,417	<b>1.95%</b>
<b>Developmental disorder</b>	92	<b>0.54%</b>	1,045	<b>0.60%</b>
<b>Physical disability</b>	1,180	<b>6.89%</b>	12,622	<b>7.22%</b>
<b>Mental health condition</b>	936	<b>5.47%</b>	9,161	<b>5.24%</b>
<b>Other condition</b>	3,208	<b>18.74%</b>	33,571	<b>19.19%</b>

*Table 27: Long-term health conditions of all people in Paisley East and Ralston<sup>5</sup>*

Table 28 shows that overall provision of unpaid care in Paisley East and Ralston is similar to the rest of Renfrewshire. However, there is a slightly higher proportion of people providing up to 34 hours, or 50 and more hours, in the ward than there is across Renfrewshire.

	Ward	%	Renfrewshire	%
<b>All people</b>	<b>17,114</b>		<b>174,908</b>	
<b>Provides no unpaid care</b>	15,323	<b>89.53%</b>	157,149	<b>89.85%</b>
<b>Provides 1 to 19 hours unpaid care a week</b>	1,079	<b>6.30%</b>	9,897	<b>5.66%</b>
<b>Provides 20 to 34 hours unpaid care a week</b>	174	<b>1.02%</b>	1,729	<b>0.99%</b>
<b>Provides 35 to 49 hours unpaid care a week</b>	130	<b>0.76%</b>	1,513	<b>0.87%</b>
<b>Provides 50 or more hours unpaid care a week</b>	480	<b>2.80%</b>	4,620	<b>2.64%</b>

*Table 28: Provision of unpaid care by all people in Paisley East and Ralston*

<sup>5</sup>People with more than one condition are counted separately for each condition but once only in the 'All people' and 'One or more conditions' categories.

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