

Community Social Statistics: ACADIA

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Population

| Total Population 2004 - 2008 | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|--------------------|
| | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | % Change 2004-2008 |
| ACADIA | 10,515 | 10,575 | 10,657 | 10,792 | 10,697 | 1.7% |
| CALGARY | 933,495 | 956,078 | 991,759 | 1,019,942 | 1,042,892 | 11.7% |

Source: City of Calgary, Civic Census 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008

| Population Mobility, 2006 | | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------|
| | Total Population Aged 1 and Over | Persons who Moved, 2005-2006 | |
| | | Number | Percent |
| ACADIA | 10,280 | 2,230 | 21.7% |
| CALGARY | 966,840 | 197,525 | 20.4% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

Population (continued)

| Age Distribution, 2006 | | | | |
|------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| All Ages | 10,657 | 100.0% | 991,759 | 100.0% |
| 0-4 | 398 | 3.7% | 57,709 | 5.8% |
| 5-14 | 887 | 8.3% | 119,330 | 12.0% |
| 15-19 | 546 | 5.1% | 65,299 | 6.6% |
| 20-24 | 927 | 8.7% | 77,509 | 7.8% |
| 25-34 | 1,721 | 16.1% | 162,997 | 16.4% |
| 35-44 | 1,706 | 16.0% | 174,136 | 17.6% |
| 45-54 | 1,603 | 15.0% | 154,654 | 15.6% |
| 55-64 | 1,001 | 9.4% | 86,266 | 8.7% |
| 65-74 | 1,073 | 10.1% | 52,670 | 5.3% |
| 75+ | 795 | 7.5% | 41,189 | 4.2% |

Source: City of Calgary, Civic Census 2006

Income & Employment

| Median Household Income, 2000 and 2005 | | | |
|--|----------|----------|----------|
| | 2000* | 2005 | % change |
| ACADIA | \$52,603 | \$50,778 | -3.5% |
| CALGARY | \$66,060 | \$67,238 | 1.8% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

*2000 income has been adjusted to 2005 dollars.

| Persons in Low-Income Households, 2000 and 2005 | | | | |
|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 2000 | | 2005 | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| ACADIA | 2,085 | 19.2% | 1,823 | 17.6% |
| CALGARY | 129,105 | 14.9% | 138,745 | 14.2% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

| Labour Force Participation and Unemployment Rates, 2006 | | | | |
|---|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Youth Aged 15-24 | 1,465 | 100.0% | 142,385 | 100.0% |
| Labour Force Participation | 1,260 | 86.0% | 103,910 | 73.0% |
| Unemployment | 135 | 10.7% | 8,915 | 8.6% |
| Population Aged 25 and Over | 7,570 | 100.0% | 658,880 | 100.0% |
| Labour Force Participation | 5,240 | 69.2% | 500,295 | 75.9% |
| Unemployment | 115 | 2.2% | 15,985 | 3.2% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

Family

| Persons in Private Households by Living Arrangements, 2006 | | | | |
|--|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total Persons in Private Households | 10,360 | 100.0% | 977,320 | 100.0% |
| Total Family Persons* | 7,530 | 72.7% | 797,870 | 81.6% |
| Total Non-Family Persons** | 2,830 | 27.3% | 179,450 | 18.4% |
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| Living with Relatives | 285 | 10.1% | 25,385 | 14.1% |
| Living with Non-Relatives | 895 | 31.6% | 54,650 | 30.5% |
| Living Alone | 1,655 | 58.5% | 99,415 | 55.4% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

* Statistics Canada defines "Family Persons" as those living in households containing at least one census family, that is, a married couple with or without children, a couple living common-law with or without children, or a lone parent living with one or more children.

** "Non-Family Persons" are defined as those living in households made up of either one person living alone in a private dwelling or to a group of two or more people who share a private dwelling, but who do not constitute a census family.

| Population Aged 15 and Over by Marital Status, 2006 | | | | |
|---|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total Population Aged 15+ | 9,035 | 100.0% | 801,270 | 100.0% |
| Never Married | 3,385 | 37.5% | 285,625 | 35.6% |
| Married | 3,725 | 41.2% | 398,250 | 49.7% |
| Separated | 325 | 3.6% | 22,325 | 2.8% |
| Divorced | 1,060 | 11.7% | 63,725 | 8.0% |
| Widowed | 545 | 6.0% | 31,345 | 3.9% |
| Common Law | 980 | 10.8% | 66,265 | 8.3% |
| Not Common Law | 8,050 | 89.1% | 735,000 | 91.7% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

| Number of Children at Home by Age, 2006 | | | | |
|---|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total number of children at home | 2,380 | 100.0% | 299,955 | 100.0% |
| Under 6 years of age | 465 | 19.5% | 71,120 | 23.7% |
| 6 - 14 years | 845 | 35.5% | 105,750 | 35.3% |
| 15 - 17 years | 275 | 11.6% | 38,255 | 12.8% |
| 18 - 24 years | 450 | 18.9% | 59,440 | 19.8% |
| 25 years and over | 345 | 14.5% | 25,385 | 8.5% |
| Average # of children at home | 0.8 | | 1.1 | |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

Family (continued)

| Families with Children Headed by a Lone Parent, 2006 | | | |
|--|------------------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | Total Families with Children | Lone Parent Families | |
| | | Number | Percent |
| ACADIA | 1,570 | 505 | 32.2% |
| CALGARY | 169,300 | 39,770 | 23.5% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

Social Isolation

| Social Isolation Indicators, 2006 | | | | |
|--|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total Persons Living Alone | 1,655 | 16.0% | 99,415 | 10.2% |
| Seniors Living Alone | 525 | 31.1% | 23,145 | 26.1% |
| Persons Who Speak Neither English nor French | 95 | 0.9% | 20,590 | 2.1% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

Education

| Population Aged 15 and Over by Highest Certificate, Diploma or Degree, 2006 | | | | |
|---|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total Population Aged 15+ | 9,030 | 100.0% | 801,265 | 100.0% |
| No Certificate, Diploma or Degree | 1,830 | 20.3% | 145,125 | 18.1% |
| High School Certificate or equivalent | 2,645 | 29.3% | 205,120 | 25.6% |
| Apprenticeship or Trades Certificate/Diploma | 1,260 | 14.0% | 66,275 | 8.3% |
| College, CEGEP or other non-university Certificate/Degree | 1,695 | 18.8% | 141,945 | 17.7% |
| University Certificate/Degree below Bachelor Level | 425 | 4.7% | 40,140 | 5.0% |
| University Certificate/Degree (BA and above) | 1,170 | 13.0% | 202,670 | 25.3% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

Diversity

| Population Diversity, 2006 | | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Aboriginal Population* | 345 | 3.3% | 24,420 | 2.5% |
| Immigrant Population | 2,145 | 20.7% | 242,750 | 24.8% |
| Visible Minority Population | 1,210 | 11.7% | 232,460 | 23.7% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

* Refers to the "Aboriginal Identity" population defined by Statistics Canada as those persons who reported identifying with at least one Aboriginal group (e.g. North American Indian, Métis, or Inuit) and/or those who did not report an Aboriginal identity, but reported themselves as a Registered or Treaty Indian and/or a member of a Band or First Nation.

| Immigrant Population by Year of Immigration, 2006 | | | | |
|---|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total Immigrant Population | 2,145 | 100.0% | 242,745 | 100.0% |
| Before 1961 | 420 | 19.6% | 20,610 | 8.5% |
| 1961-1970 | 210 | 9.8% | 18,755 | 7.7% |
| 1971-1980 | 220 | 10.3% | 39,410 | 16.2% |
| 1981-1990 | 220 | 10.3% | 41,575 | 17.1% |
| 1991-2000 | 485 | 22.6% | 65,545 | 27.0% |
| 2001-2006 | 595 | 27.7% | 56,855 | 23.4% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

| Recent Immigrant Population by Country of Birth, 2006 (Showing Top 10 Countries for Calgary Overall) | | | | |
|---|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Recent Immigrant Population | 595 | 100.0% | 56,855 | 100.0% |
| China | 50 | 8.4% | 9,490 | 16.7% |
| India | 10 | 1.7% | 5,885 | 10.4% |
| Philippines | 185 | 31.1% | 5,730 | 10.1% |
| Pakistan | 0 | 0.0% | 4,025 | 7.1% |
| United States | 0 | 0.0% | 1,725 | 3.0% |
| South Korea | 35 | 5.9% | 2,390 | 4.2% |
| United Kingdom | 10 | 1.7% | 1,860 | 3.3% |
| Colombia | 30 | 5.0% | 1,345 | 2.4% |
| Afghanistan | 15 | 2.5% | 1,290 | 2.3% |
| Sudan | 0 | 0.0% | 1,180 | 2.1% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

Housing

| Occupied Private Dwellings by Structure Type, 2006 | | | | |
|--|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total Occupied Private Dwellings | 4,825 | 100.0% | 384,740 | 100.0% |
| Single Detached | 2,195 | 45.5% | 222,430 | 57.8% |
| Semi-Detached | 125 | 2.6% | 22,130 | 5.8% |
| Row House | 360 | 7.5% | 34,835 | 9.1% |
| Apartment | 2,015 | 41.8% | 103,225 | 26.8% |
| Other | 135 | 2.8% | 2,125 | 0.6% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

| Occupied Private Dwellings by Tenure, 2006 | | | | |
|--|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ACADIA | | CALGARY | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total Occupied Private Dwellings | 4,825 | 100.0% | 384,740 | 100.0% |
| Owned | 2,900 | 60.1% | 280,085 | 72.8% |
| Rented | 1,925 | 39.9% | 104,660 | 27.2% |
| Average Rent per Month | \$ 865 | | \$871 | |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

| Tenant-Occupied Households Spending 30% or More of Household Income on Shelter, 2006 | | | |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | Total Tenant Households | Spending 30% or More on Shelter | |
| | | Number | Percent |
| ACADIA | 1,925 | 770 | 40.0% |
| CALGARY | 104,660 | 41,135 | 39.3% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

| Occupied Private Dwellings Requiring Major Repair, 2006 | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|------------------------|---------|
| | Total Occupied Private Dwellings | Major Repairs Required | |
| | | Number | Percent |
| ACADIA | 4,830 | 300 | 6.2% |
| CALGARY | 384,740 | 18,770 | 4.9% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Canada

Additional Information

The following web sites present additional information at the community district level on property taxes, land use, crime, community associations and facilities. Please note that Community & Neighbourhood Services does not maintain or update the information found at these web sites.

- The City of Calgary's Assessment business unit compiles information on property values and taxes by community district; this information can be found at [Assessment Community Profiles](#). [My Property](#) provides additional information on properties in Calgary, including year of construction, building permits and garbage collection.
- The City of Calgary's Land Information & Mapping business unit compiles information on community facilities (neighbourhoods recycling depots, leisure centres, city parking, libraries, schools, etc.), including maps for each community district; see [Interactive Facilities & Service Locater](#).
- The Calgary Police Service compiles crime statistics by community district; see [Community Crime Statistics](#).
- Calgaryarea.com Inc. gives a brief description of each community district, including community boundaries and community association information such as contact numbers, facilities and programs. It also provides information about community schools, Calgary Child Care, Calgary Seniors Services and more; see [Calgaryarea.com](#).

Contact

Please direct questions about the community demographic information presented on the previous pages or requests for further information to socialresearch@calgary.ca.