

# 2001 Census of Population

## KEY STATISTICS

### Rhayader Local Community Forum Area (LCF09)

POPULATION	No.	% of A
total residents <b>(A)</b>	<b>3497</b>	-
age 0 to 14	597	17.09
age 15 to 19	167	4.78
age 20 to 29	247	7.07
age 30 to 44	660	18.89
age 45 to 59	781	22.36
age 60 to 64	246	7.04
age 65 to 74	407	11.65
age 75+	388	11.11

SEX	No.	% of A
male	1729	49.44
female	1768	50.56

ILLNESS & CARERS	No.	% of A
limiting long-term illness	738	21.10
persons who provide unpaid care	340	9.72

ORIGINS	No.	% of A
born in Wales	2043	58.42
identifying themselves as Welsh ethnic group: Non-White	465	13.30
	16	0.46

KNOWLEDGE OF WELSH (AGE 3+)	No.	% of B
residents age 3+ <b>(B)</b>	<b>3404</b>	-
understands spoken Welsh only	153	4.49
only speaks Welsh	74	2.17
speaks & reads Welsh	419	12.31
other combination of skills	99	2.91
no knowledge of Welsh	2659	78.11

EMPLOYMENT STATUS (AGE 16-74)	No.	% of C
residents age 16 - 74 <b>(C)</b>	<b>2470</b>	-
economically active	1630	65.99
self-employed	549	22.23
full-time employees	647	26.19
part-time employees	304	12.31
unemployed	92	3.72
full time student	38	1.54
economically inactive: retired	432	17.49
economically inactive: other	408	16.52

SEC BY OCCUPATION (AGE 16-74) (of last job held)	No.	% of C
large employers & higher managerial	13	0.53
higher professional	90	3.65
lower managerial & professional intermediate	348	14.11
small employers & own acct. workers	142	5.76
lower supervisory & technical	512	20.75
semi-routine	137	5.55
routine	311	12.61
never worked	208	8.43
long-term unemployed	39	1.58
full-time students	35	1.42
not classifiable for other reasons	107	4.34
	525	21.28

INDUSTRY OF EMPLOYMENT	No.	% of D
persons in employment (16-74) <b>(D)</b>	<b>1533</b>	-
agriculture, forestry, fishing	226	14.74
electricity, gas & water supply	18	1.17
mining & quarrying	7	0.46
manufacturing	205	13.37
construction	125	8.15
wholesale & retail trade	216	14.09
hotels & catering	108	7.05
transport, storage & communication	74	4.83
banking & finance	120	7.83
public administration and defence	61	3.98
education	89	5.81
health and social work	191	12.46
other	93	6.07

HOUSEHOLDS	No.	% of A
households <b>(E)</b>	<b>1515</b>	-
residents in households	3423	97.88
average household size	2.26	-

HOUSEHOLD TYPE	No.	% of E
pensioners living alone	259	17.18
lone parent with dep. children	66	4.38

HOUSEHOLD TENURE	No.	% of E
owner occupied	1048	69.17
privately rented accom.	191	12.61
Housing Assoc./reg. landlord	55	3.63
Local Authority rented	142	9.37
other rented	79	5.21

CAR AVAILABILITY	No.	% of E
households with no car/van	232	15.29
households with 1 car/van	741	48.85
households with 2+ car/vans	544	35.86

HOUSEHOLD AMENITIES	No.	% of E
no central heating	156	10.30
lacking or sharing bath/shower	12	0.79

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**NOTES**  
Counts have been adjusted by ONS to avoid disclosure of confidential information. Columns may not add.  
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