

Ward 8 - Census 2006

Boundary: Hwy 407 (n), Steeles Ave E (s), McCowan Rd (e), Hwy 404 (w)

	Total	Percentage
Demographic Characteristics		
Population	35,300	
Population in 2001	38,709	
Population in 2006		10%
2001 to 2006 population change		
Visible Minority		
Total population	38,699	100%
Not a visible minority	3,942	10%
Total visible minority population	34,743	90%
Chinese	19,180	
South Asian	9,724	
Black	1,571	
Filipino	1,685	
Latin American	213	
Southeast Asian	206	
Arab	298	
West Asian	249	
Korean	40	
Japanese	80	
Other	1,423	
Age Groups		
Total population	38,700	100%
0 to 4 years	1,905	5%
5 to 9 years	2,174	6%
10 to 19 years	5,413	14%
20 to 39 years	11,405	30%
40 to 65 years	13,984	36%
65 and over	3,836	10%
Mother Tongue		
Total population	38,694	100%
English only	14,582	38%
French only	56	0%
Other language(s)	23,736	61%
Educational Attainment		
Total population 15 years and over	35,425	100%
No certificate, diploma or degree	9,215	26%
High school	10,094	28%
Apprenticeship or trades	1,850	5%
College	4,985	14%
University below the bachelor level	2,797	8%
University	6,493	18%
Labour Force Activity		
Total population 15 years and over	35,420	100%
In the labour force	23,401	66%
Employed	21,695	61%
Unemployed	1,693	7%
Not in the labour force	12,032	34%
Occupation		
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over	22,828	100%
Sales & service occupations	5,559	24%
Business & finance	5,099	22%
Processing, manufacturing and utilities	3,301	14%
Natural & applied sciences	2,025	9%
Trades & transport	1,122	5%
Management	2,093	9%
Social sciences	406	2%
Health occupations	904	4%
Art, culture, recreation	2,171	10%
Place of Work		
Total employed labour force 15 years and over	21,690	100%
Worked at home	1,076	5%
Worked outside Canada	169	1%
No fixed workplace address	1,906	9%
Worked at usual place	18,537	85%