







Research and intelligence

2011 Census - Households

Nationally – The Census shows that the number of households in England & Wales has increased by **8%** to 23,366,044 in 2011.

Locally - The Census shows that the number of households in Shropshire has increased from 117,301 in 2001 to **129,700** in 2011. This is an increase of **11%** and higher than the increase of 8% for England and Wales.

Highest Ranking Electoral Wards

Bayston Hill, Column and Sutton Electoral Ward has the highest number of households (5,240 followed by Church Stretton and Craven Arms (4059).

Electoral Ward	Number of Households (at least one person resident)	Ranking (Highest to Lowest)
Bayston Hill, Column and Sutton	5,240	1
Church Stretton and Craven Arms	4,059	2
Oswestry East	3,866	3
Market Drayton West	3,694	4
Wem	3,551	5
Whitchurch North	3,126	6
Bridgnorth West and Tasley	3,089	7
Bridgnorth East and Astley Abbotts	3,012	8
Cleobury Mortimer	2,946	9
Gobowen, Selattyn and Weston Rhyn	2,672	10

Lowest Ranking Electoral Wards

Chirbury & Worthen Electoral Ward has the lowest number of households followed by Hodnet & then Worfield.

Electoral Ward	Number of Households (at least one person resident)	Ranking (Lowest to Highest)
Chirbury and Worthen	1,262	1
Hodnet	1,412	2
Worfield	1,501	3
Ruyton and Baschurch	1,507	4
Corvedale	1,544	5
Brown Clee	1,564	6
Loton	1,576	7
Highley	1,583	8
Cheswardine	1,588	9
Sundorne	1,590	10

