

# City of Cape Town – 2011 Census Suburb Kenilworth

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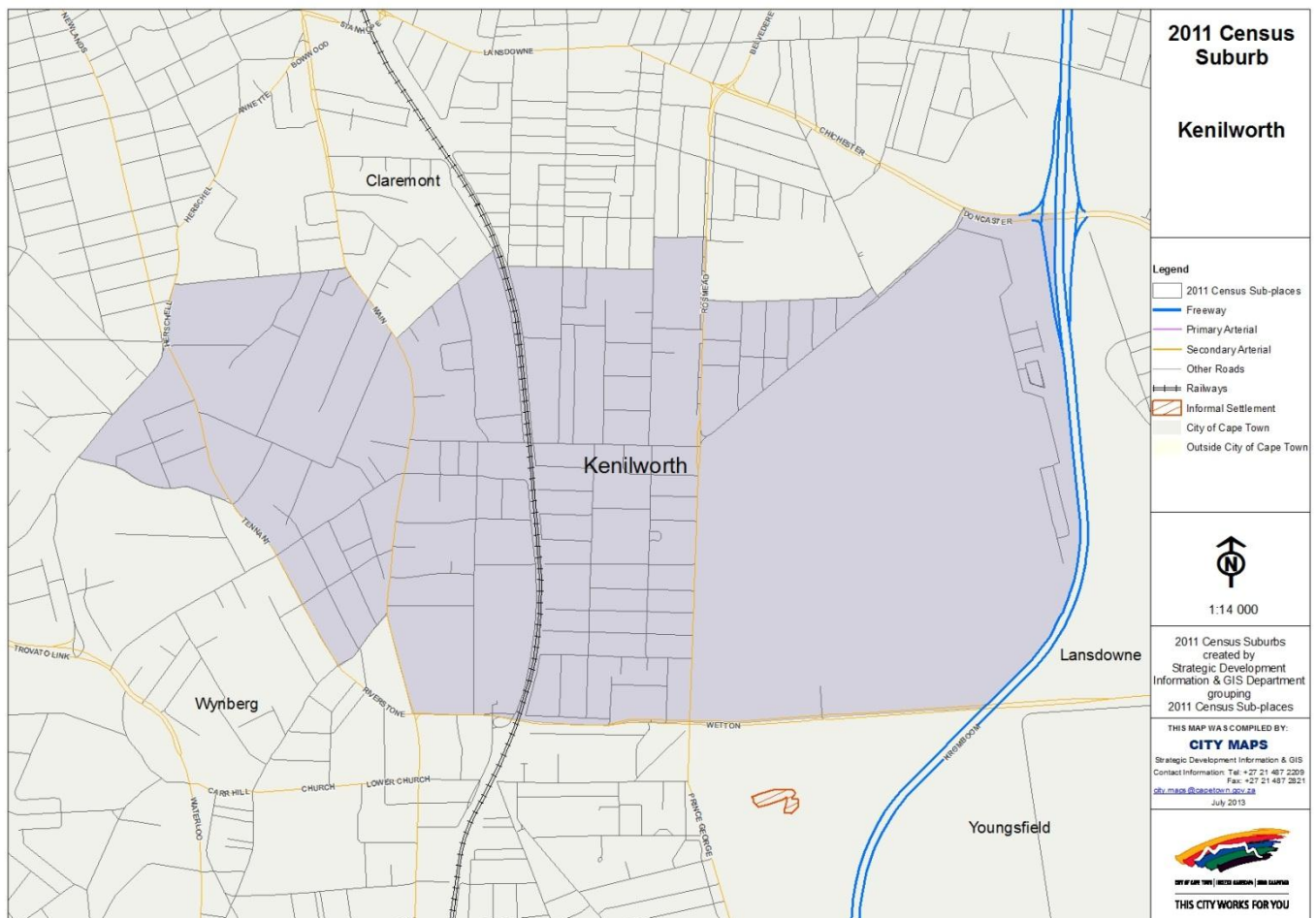
Compiled by Strategic Development Information and GIS Department (SDI&GIS), City of Cape Town  
2011 Census data supplied by Statistics South Africa  
(Based on information available at the time of compilation as released by Statistics South Africa)

The 2011 Census suburbs (190) have been created by SDI&GIS grouping the 2011 Census sub-places using GIS and December 2011 aerial photography. A sub-place is defined by Statistics South Africa "is the second (lowest) level of the place name category, namely a suburb, section or zone of an (apartheid) township, smallholdings, village, sub-village, ward or informal settlement."

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## 2011 Census Suburb Description

2011 Census suburb Kenilworth includes the following sub-places: Kenilworth.



**Data Notes:**

- The following databases from Statistics South Africa (SSA) software were used to extract the data for the profiles:  
Demographic Profile – Descriptive and Education databases  
Economic Profile – Labour Force and Head of Household databases  
Dwelling Profile – Dwellings database  
Household Services Profile – Household Services database
- In some Census suburbs there may be no data for households, or a very low number, as the Census suburb has population mainly living in collective living quarters (e.g. hotels, hostels, students' residences, hospitals, prisons and other institutions) or is an industrial or commercial area. In these instances the number of households is not applicable. All tables have the data included, even if at times they are "0", for completeness. The tables relating to population, age and labour force indicators would include the population living in these collective living quarters.
- The Census suburbs where the population is categorised as living mainly in collective living quarters or is an industrial or commercial area, the average household size has been excluded as it is not applicable. There are some Census suburbs with an average household size that have a small percentage of the population living in collective living quarters within that Census suburb, and this could artificially inflate the average household size.

**2011 Census Suburb Overview**

<b>2011 Census Suburb Kenilworth</b>	<b>2011</b>
Population	10 872
Households	5 157
Average Household Size	2.11

In 2011 the population of 2011 Census suburb Kenilworth was 10 872 and the number of households was 5 157. The average household size was 2.11.

A household is defined as a group of persons who live together, and provide themselves jointly with food or other essentials for living, or a single person who lives alone (Statistics South Africa).

The population and household numbers above are to be used and quoted as the official numbers for this 2011 Census suburb for 2011.

**Key results for 2011 Census Suburb Kenilworth:**

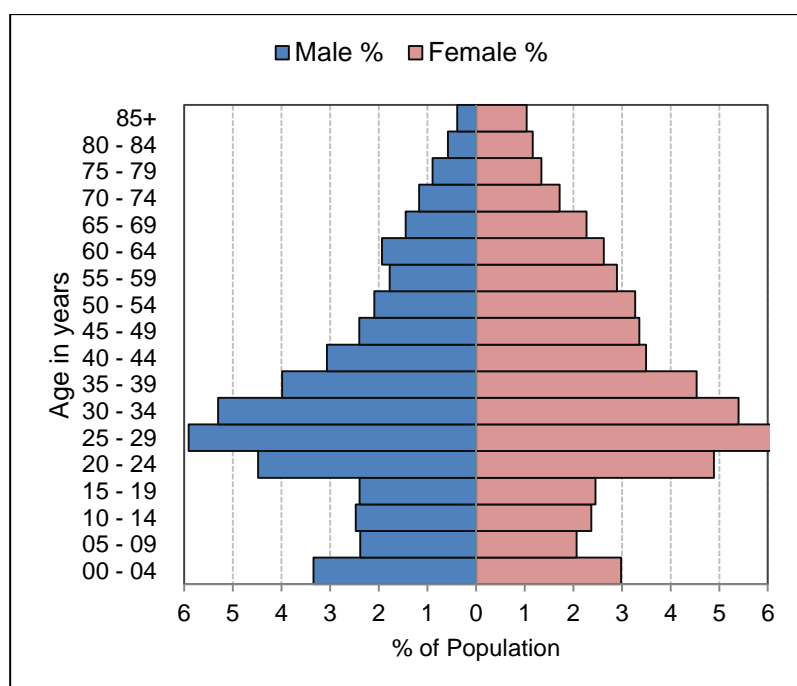
- The population is predominantly White (54%), Black African (21%) and Coloured (16%).
- 87% of those aged 20 years and older have completed Grade 12 or higher.
- 96% of the labour force (aged 15 to 64) is employed.
- 15% of households have a monthly income of R3 200 or less.
- 99% of households live in formal dwellings.
- 99% of households have access to piped water in their dwelling or inside their yard.
- 99.5% of households have access to a flush toilet connected to the public sewer system.
- 99.5% of households have their refuse removed at least once a week.
- 99.6% of households use electricity for lighting in their dwelling.

**Note:** There are small variations in the total population and the number of households in the tables which follow. These occur as Statistics South Africa had to calculate the true population to correct omissions and double counts in the enumeration process. In addition when the data is extracted using the Statistics South Africa software, it randomly rounds off all cells to a base number 3, including the totals. These variations are not significant.

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## Demographic Profile – 2011 Census

Kenilworth Population	Male		Female		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Black African	1 158	10.6%	1 170	10.8%	2 328	21.4%
Coloured	765	7.0%	1 006	9.3%	1 771	16.3%
Asian	247	2.3%	290	2.7%	537	4.9%
White	2 641	24.3%	3 226	29.7%	5 867	54.0%
Other	188	1.7%	183	1.7%	371	3.4%
Total	4 999	46.0%	5 875	54.0%	10 874	100.0%



Kenilworth Age	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
0 to 4 years	214	9.2%	136	7.7%	40	7.4%	278	4.7%	20	5.4%	688	6.3%
5 to 14 years	228	9.8%	184	10.4%	67	12.5%	486	8.3%	46	12.4%	1 011	9.3%
15 to 24 years	413	17.7%	257	14.5%	97	18.0%	713	12.2%	66	17.8%	1 546	14.2%
25 to 64 years	1 401	60.1%	1 075	60.7%	311	57.8%	3 357	57.2%	180	48.5%	6 324	58.1%
65 years and older	75	3.2%	119	6.7%	23	4.3%	1 033	17.6%	59	15.9%	1 309	12.0%
Total	2 331	100.0%	1 771	100.0%	538	100.0%	5 867	100.0%	371	100.0%	10 878	100.0%

Kenilworth Adult Education (for all aged 20+)	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No schooling	21	1.3%	15	1.1%	3	0.8%	24	0.5%	0	0.0%	63	0.8%
Some primary	30	1.8%	45	3.4%	6	1.6%	24	0.5%	0	0.0%	105	1.3%
Completed primary	6	0.4%	24	1.8%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%	3	1.1%	42	0.5%
Some secondary	150	9.1%	222	16.8%	30	7.9%	339	7.2%	21	8.0%	762	9.2%
Grade 12	528	32.2%	444	33.6%	111	29.4%	1 287	27.3%	99	37.5%	2 469	29.7%
Higher	885	53.9%	558	42.3%	222	58.7%	2 970	62.9%	138	52.3%	4 773	57.3%
Other	21	1.3%	12	0.9%	6	1.6%	69	1.5%	3	1.1%	111	1.3%
Total	1 641	100.0%	1 320	100.0%	378	100.0%	4 722	100.0%	264	100.0%	8 325	100.0%

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## Economic Profile – 2011 Census

Kenilworth Labour Force Indicators	Black African	Coloured	Asian	White	Other	Total
<b>Population aged 15 to 64 years</b>	<b>1 815</b>	<b>1 335</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>4 071</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>7 881</b>
<b>Labour Force</b>	<b>1 305</b>	<b>1 056</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>3 210</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>6 066</b>
Employed	1 227	999	285	3 126	189	5 826
Unemployed	78	57	12	84	9	240
<b>Not Economically Active</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>861</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1 815</b>
Discouraged Work-seekers	12	9	0	15	3	39
Other not economically active	498	270	114	846	48	1 776
<b>Rates %</b>						
Unemployment rate	5.98%	5.40%	4.04%	2.62%	4.55%	3.96%
Labour absorption rate	67.60%	74.83%	69.34%	76.79%	75.90%	73.92%
Labour Force participation rate	71.90%	79.10%	72.26%	78.85%	79.52%	76.97%

### Definitions:

**Unemployment rate** is the proportion of the labour force that is unemployed.

The **labour absorption rate** is the proportion of working age (15 to 64 years) population that is employed.

The **labour force participation rate** is the proportion of the working age population that is either employed or unemployed.

**Note:** Based on available data as supplied by Statistics South Africa, the people categorised as living in collective living quarters are included in the "Other not economically active" category.

Kenilworth Monthly Household Income	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
No income	90	9.3%	57	7.4%	24	10.7%	195	6.4%	15	11.4%	381	7.4%
R 1 - R 1 600	33	3.4%	24	3.1%	6	2.7%	66	2.2%	9	6.8%	138	2.7%
R 1 601 - R 3 200	66	6.8%	42	5.4%	3	1.3%	114	3.7%	6	4.5%	231	4.5%
R 3 201 - R 6 400	132	13.7%	63	8.1%	12	5.3%	270	8.8%	12	9.1%	489	9.5%
R 6 401 - R 12 800	189	19.6%	132	17.1%	33	14.7%	495	16.2%	24	18.2%	873	16.9%
R 12 801 - R 25 600	261	27.0%	222	28.7%	66	29.3%	693	22.6%	27	20.5%	1 269	24.6%
R 25 601 - R 51 200	138	14.3%	174	22.5%	48	21.3%	693	22.6%	21	15.9%	1 074	20.8%
R 51 201 - R 102 400	39	4.0%	48	6.2%	21	9.3%	384	12.5%	12	9.1%	504	9.8%
R 102 401 or more	18	1.9%	12	1.6%	12	5.3%	150	4.9%	6	4.5%	198	3.8%
Unspecified	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>966</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>774</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>3 060</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>5 157</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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## Dwelling Profile – 2011 Census

Kenilworth Type of Dwelling	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Formal Dwelling	958	99.1%	773	99.2%	227	99.6%	3 030	99.1%	129	99.2%	5 117	99.1%
Informal dwelling / shack in backyard	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.1%	0	0.0%	5	0.1%
Informal dwelling / shack NOT in backyard	2	0.2%	3	0.4%	0	0.0%	9	0.3%	1	0.8%	15	0.3%
Other	6	0.6%	3	0.4%	1	0.4%	14	0.5%	0	0.0%	24	0.5%
Total	967	100.0%	779	100.0%	228	100.0%	3 057	100.0%	130	100.0%	5 161	100.0%

Kenilworth Tenure Status	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Owned and fully paid off	90	9.3%	93	12.0%	42	18.3%	1 228	40.2%	42	32.8%	1 495	29.0%
Owned but not yet paid off	87	9.0%	180	23.1%	73	31.9%	810	26.5%	37	28.9%	1 187	23.0%
Rented	716	74.1%	470	60.4%	105	45.9%	935	30.6%	42	32.8%	2 268	44.0%
Occupied rent-free	43	4.5%	30	3.9%	5	2.2%	40	1.3%	7	5.5%	125	2.4%
Other	30	3.1%	5	0.6%	4	1.7%	44	1.4%	0	0.0%	83	1.6%
Total	966	100.0%	778	100.0%	229	100.0%	3 057	100.0%	128	100.0%	5 158	100.0%

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## Household Services Profile – 2011 Census

Kenilworth Access to Piped Water	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Piped water inside dwelling	954	99.1%	774	99.2%	228	98.7%	3 045	99.4%	129	97.7%	5 130	99.2%
Piped water inside yard	6	0.6%	3	0.4%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	12	0.2%
Piped water outside yard: < 200m	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Piped water outside yard: > 200m	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	3	2.3%	9	0.2%
No access to piped water	0	0.0%	3	0.4%	3	1.3%	9	0.3%	0	0.0%	15	0.3%
Total	963	100.0%	780	100.0%	231	100.0%	3 063	100.0%	132	100.0%	5 169	100.0%

Kenilworth Toilet Facility	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Flush toilet (connected to sewerage system)	957	99.1%	774	99.6%	228	98.7%	3 048	99.7%	129	100.0%	5 136	99.5%
Flush toilet (with septic tank)	3	0.3%	3	0.4%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	12	0.2%
Chemical toilet	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Pit toilet with ventilation (VIP)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Pit toilet without ventilation	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Bucket toilet	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	3	1.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
None	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Total	966	100.0%	777	100.0%	231	100.0%	3 057	100.0%	129	100.0%	5 160	100.0%

Kenilworth Refuse Disposal	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Removed by local authority/private company at least once a week	963	99.7%	777	99.6%	225	97.4%	3 045	99.6%	126	97.7%	5 136	99.5%
Removed by local authority/private company less often	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	3	1.3%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	12	0.2%
Communal refuse dump	0	0.0%	3	0.4%	3	1.3%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	12	0.2%
Own refuse dump	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	2.3%	3	0.1%
No rubbish disposal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	966	100.0%	780	100.0%	231	100.0%	3 057	100.0%	129	100.0%	5 163	100.0%

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## Household Services Profile continued – 2011 Census

Kenilworth Energy used for Lighting	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	966	100.0%	774	99.2%	228	100.0%	3 042	99.5%	129	100.0%	5 139	99.6%
Gas	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Candles	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Solar	0	0.0%	3	0.4%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
None	0	0.0%	3	0.4%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	6	0.1%
Total	966	100.0%	780	100.0%	228	100.0%	3 057	100.0%	129	100.0%	5 160	100.0%

Kenilworth Energy used for Cooking	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	906	93.8%	717	92.6%	189	82.9%	2 649	86.6%	105	79.5%	4 566	88.5%
Gas	27	2.8%	42	5.4%	30	13.2%	360	11.8%	21	15.9%	480	9.3%
Paraffin	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Wood	3	0.3%	0	0.0%	3	1.3%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%
Coal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Solar	6	0.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%
Other	24	2.5%	12	1.6%	6	2.6%	39	1.3%	3	2.3%	84	1.6%
None	0	0.0%	3	0.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	2.3%	6	0.1%
Total	966	100.0%	774	100.0%	228	100.0%	3 060	100.0%	132	100.0%	5 160	100.0%

Kenilworth Energy used for Heating	Black African		Coloured		Asian		White		Other		Total	
	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%	Num	%
Electricity	840	86.7%	666	85.7%	183	80.3%	2 604	84.9%	102	77.3%	4 395	85.0%
Gas	36	3.7%	18	2.3%	18	7.9%	192	6.3%	15	11.4%	279	5.4%
Paraffin	6	0.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	12	0.2%
Wood	6	0.6%	12	1.5%	3	1.3%	87	2.8%	3	2.3%	111	2.1%
Coal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	12	0.4%	0	0.0%	12	0.2%
Animal dung	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	1.3%	6	0.2%	0	0.0%	9	0.2%
Solar	3	0.3%	3	0.4%	3	1.3%	18	0.6%	3	2.3%	30	0.6%
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%
None	78	8.0%	78	10.0%	18	7.9%	138	4.5%	9	6.8%	321	6.2%
Total	969	100.0%	777	100.0%	228	100.0%	3 066	100.0%	132	100.0%	5 172	100.0%

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