

PENRITH (ALP)

Enrolment Dec 2002 43,839

	Rank	PerCent	Number		
	93 SEDs		2001	1996	%change
Population					
Total population	49	-	66,353	66,944	-0.88%
Population growth	83	-	66,353	66,944	-0.88%
Population density (persons per sq. km)	37	-	1,032.4	1,041.6	-0.88%
Area (sq. kms)	57	-	64	64	-
Proportion of Australian citizens aged 18 and over	59	64.04%	-	62.04%	+3.22%
Number of Australian citizens aged 18 and over	67	-	42,495	41,535	+2.31%
Persons who changed address since 1996	74	34.70%	23,025	22,180	+1.26%
Persons Aged under 5	27	7.21%	4,784	5,425	-0.96%
Persons aged between 5 and 14	48	14.88%	9,872	10,833	-1.44%
Persons aged between 15 and 24	6	15.90%	10,552	11,098	-0.82%
Persons aged between 25 and 64 years	33	52.28%	34,688	33,976	+1.06%
Persons aged 65 years and over	77	9.40%	6,235	5,435	+1.20%
Religion					
Persons of Christian religion	38	75.31%	49,971	52,159	-3.27%
Persons of Catholic religion	36	29.69%	19,703	19,984	-0.42%
Persons of Anglican religion	35	28.19%	18,707	19,607	-1.34%
Persons of non-Christian religion	52	2.26%	1,497	1,196	+0.45%
Persons of Islamic religion	45	0.75%	495	428	+0.10%
Persons of Buddhist religion	59	0.54%	361	179	+0.27%
Persons of Jewish religion	53	0.06%	38	27	+0.02%
Persons of no religion	49	11.63%	7,716	8,151	-0.65%
Ethnicity					
Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders	28	1.96%	1,300	1,098	+0.30%
Persons born overseas	49	18.21%	12,081	13,083	-1.50%
Persons born in UK and Ireland	7	7.80%	5,175	5,910	-1.10%
Persons born in Southern Europe	54	1.72%	1,142	1,234	-0.14%
Persons born in South East Asia	50	1.18%	786	797	-0.02%
Persons born in the Middle East	50	0.42%	281	307	-0.04%
Persons born in North-East Asia	53	0.45%	299	284	+0.02%
Persons born in Southern Asia	37	0.82%	545	647	-0.15%
Persons born in non-English speaking countries	51	8.31%	5,512	5,873	-0.54%
Persons with both parents born overseas	51	24.39%	16,181	n.a.	n.a.
Persons with at least one parent born overseas	50	37.48%	24,870	n.a.	n.a.
Persons not fluent in English	56	0.76%	501	477	+0.04%
Persons aged 5 and over speaking a language other than English at home	55	7.63%	5,062	4,711	+0.52%
Families					
"Traditional Families"	38	39.66%	6,996	7,899	-5.05%
Single parent families	18	12.47%	2,199	2,168	+0.17%
Couple families (without children)	74	30.06%	5,303	4,785	+2.90%
Income					
Families with weekly income below \$500	67	15.96%	2,816	3,786	-5.43%
Families with weekly income from \$500 to \$999	58	23.42%	4,131	5,598	-8.21%
Families with weekly income from \$1000 to \$1499	8	21.60%	3,810	3,863	-0.30%
Families with weekly income \$1500 to \$1999	28	15.34%	2,705	1,532	+6.56%
Families with weekly income \$2000 and above	34	12.04%	2,123	978	+6.41%
Labour Force					
Employed persons aged 15 years and over	19	61.27%	31,663	30,837	+1.63%
Unemployment rate	57	5.8%	1,967	2,607	-1.9%
Labour Force	15	65.08%	33,630	33,444	-0.88%
Women in the labour force	46	44.67%	15,021	14,757	+0.79%
Employees (Government Admin Defence)	11	4.86%	1,539	1,607	-0.22%
Employees (Agriculture Fishing Forestry)	50	0.51%	160	168	-0.03%
Employees (Health and Community Services)	53	9.09%	2,877	2,731	+0.47%
Employees (Education)	19	8.03%	2,543	2,484	+0.19%
Employees (Manufacturing)	26	13.54%	4,286	4,232	+0.17%
Employees (Finance and Insurance, Property and Business Services)	46	14.55%	4,606	4,188	+1.35%
Persons employed in professional occupations	66	22.02%	6,971	6,740	+0.75%
Persons employed as tradespersons or labourers	56	21.05%	6,665	6,587	+0.25%

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Persons with tertiary education qualifications	45	15.33%	7,892	7,185	+1.40%
Persons with trade qualifications	28	18.84%	9,700	8,159	+3.04%
Persons with no qualifications	44	54.77%	28,193	29,419	-2.42%
Persons attending infant, primary or secondary school	41	17.30%	11,481	12,698	-1.82%
Infant, primary or secondary school students attending private schools	40	34.33%	3,942	3,572	+2.91%
Persons attending a tertiary education institution	53	5.86%	3,889	3,927	-0.06%
Persons with highest level of school completed Year 10 or below	36	38.94%	25,838	28,553	-4.06%
Transport					
Persons using public transport to travel to work	42	15.60%	4,145	4,476	-1.28%
Dwellings					
Tenant dwellings	45	26.23%	6,182	5,987	+0.86%
Owner or purchaser dwellings	42	67.37%	15,875	15,607	+1.18%
Dwellings with monthly home loan repayments over \$999	53	49.67%	3,708	2,785	+12.33%
Dwellings with weekly rent over \$299	62	2.35%	145	30	+1.91%
Households with two or more motor vehicles	38	45.05%	10,616	9,703	+4.03%
Flat or apartment dwellings with 3 storeys or more	40	4.07%	1,006	868	+0.61%
Flat or apartment dwellings	45	8.35%	2,063	1,922	+0.62%
Public Housing	26	5.90%	1,391	1,338	+0.23%
Dwellings which are caravans	44	0.42%	105	125	-0.09%
Internet					
Persons who use the Internet	36	36.34%	24,112	n.a.	n.a.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY: SUMMARY OF TWO-PARTY RESULTS 1999					
Electoral District	2PP Votes		2PP Percent		Swing
	ALP	Lib/Nat	ALP	Lib/Nat	to Labor
Penrith	23,235	11,592	66.7	33.3	12.4

