

Did you know  
**Barking and Dagenham has...**

**222,308**  
residents

10th smallest population in London



**57,215**  
under 16s



Highest proportion  
in England and Wales

**145,426**  
16s to 64s



10th lowest proportion  
in London

**19,667**  
over 65s



5th lowest proportion  
in London

**34**  
average age



Lower than London  
average (36)

**58.1**  
male healthy  
life expectancy



Lowest in London

**60.1**  
female healthy  
life expectancy



Below London average (65)

**48**  
average attainment  
8 score per pupil (GCSE)



Below London average (50.6)

**10.7%**  
have no  
qualifications



Highest in London

**66.3**  
births per 1,000  
women of  
childbearing age  
2nd highest in the country



**94.2**  
crimes per  
1,000 people



Below London average (104.6)

**15.7**  
domestic abuse  
offences per  
1,000 people  
Highest in London



**£380,000**  
average house  
price (all types)



Lowest in London

**7%**  
unemployment



3rd highest in the country

**71.1%**  
employment



Below London average (74.5%)

**9.5%**  
Universal Credit  
claimants in  
employment  
5th highest in the country



**69.1%**  
Black, Asian and  
Multi-Ethnic population



10th highest in the country

**12.7%**  
obesity amongst  
children in Reception



4th highest in the country

**3.7%**  
NEET and  
Not Known



Above London average (2.9%)

**Barking &  
Dagenham**

## Sources

**Office for National Statistics 2023 mid-year population estimates**  
(Number of residents; Age range of residents; Average age of residents)

**Office for National Statistics 2021 Census**  
(Ethnicity)

**Office for National Statistics 2018 to 2020** (Healthy life expectancy)

**Department for Education Summer 2023** (GCSE)

**Office for National Statistics Annual Population Survey - January 2023 to December 2023**  
(Have no qualifications)

**Office for National Statistics 2022** (Births)

**Metropolitan Police Service - April 2023 to March 2024** (Crimes; Domestic abuse)

**Office for National Statistics - March 2023** (Average house price)

**Office for National Statistics Annual Population Survey - April 2023 to March 2024**  
(Unemployment, Employment)

**Department for Work and Pensions - March 2024** (Universal Credit claimants in employment)

**National Child Measurement Programme 2022/23** (Obesity amongst children in Reception)

**15billionebp management information service - March 2024** (NEET and Not Known)