

East Cambridgeshire District Figures

East Cambridgeshire is a largely rural district where agriculture accounts for higher proportions of employment compared to the area overall and nationally. Manufacturing and Business administration are the two largest employment sectors in the area, accounting for over 20% of employment. A quarter of the workforce are employed in professional occupations. East Cambridgeshire is home to the cathedral city of Ely, and the market towns of Littleport and Soham. East Cambridgeshire borders South Cambridgeshire, Huntingdonshire and Fenland.

The population of East Cambridgeshire

Population
90,172



Number of people
of working age
53,962



Source: ONS 2020 Mid year population estimates

Number of people who are economically active



26,200
Males



20,000
Females



46,200
In Total

Source: Annual population survey : Apr 2020-March 2021

Number of people in employment



42,000

People in employment



81%

Percentage in employment

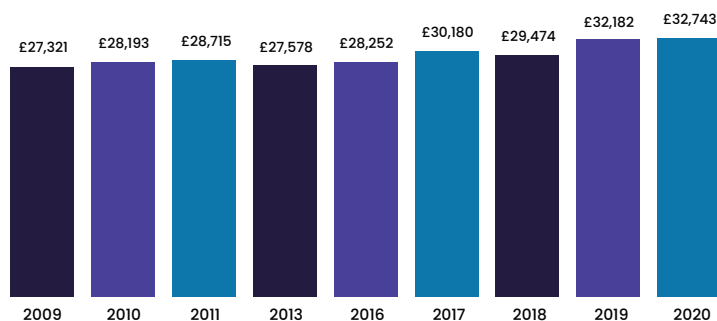


52,000

Total number of people

Source: Annual population survey : Apr 2020-March 2021

Annual Gross Pay averages



Source: Annual survey of hours and earnings - resident analysis 2020

4,000

Managers, Directors
and Senior Officials

Number of people employed by occupation

Source: Annual population survey : Apr 2020-March 2021

11,600

Professional
Occupations

8,000

Associate Prof & Tech
Occupations

3,700

Administrative and
Secretarial
Occupations

6,900

Skilled Trades
Occupations

6,400

Caring, Leisure and
Other Service
Occupations

1,700

Sales and Customer
Service Occupations

1,800

Process, Plant and
Machine Operatives

4,500

Elementary
occupations

Number of people employed by occupation

