



# Golden Plains Shire Data Profile

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## About the data profile:

This provides a collation of datasets around measures impacting on health and wellbeing in Golden Plains Shire and includes:

### 1. Population overview

### 2. Data relating to four health and wellbeing themes:

- *Promoting healthy and connected communities*
- *Enhancing local economies*
- *Managing built and natural environments*
- *Delivering good governance and leadership*

### Data notes:

- This data is drawn from across the four environments the Victorian Government's Environments for health framework for public health planning identifies as impacting on health - social, economic, natural and built. This approach promotes the importance of incorporating health planning into whole-of-council planning.
- Some of the data are "indicators" (i.e. not from whole population surveys) and are subject to the validity constraints identified in the source. These may require further investigation.
- This profile presents the latest available data for each dataset. Currency of data should be considered. Census data is 2016 with results becoming progressively available from 2017. Included datasets are updated from time to time - consult the sources indicated for any subsequent updates. Certain indicators, especially for the VPHS, are no longer collected
- A comparison with the Victorian average and the ranking of Golden Plains within the 79 Local Government Areas is provided where available.

## Comparison key

1. Performing better than Victorian average (10% or more of the average)

2. Performing worse than Victorian average (10% or more of the average)

3. Outside of +/- 10% range but not identified as better or worse

4. Not applicable

	Indicator	Comparison Key	Golden Plains measure		Victoria	LGA ranking (79 Councils)	Year	Source
			Number or rate	%				
<b>Population Overview</b>								
<b>Shire population numbers and growth rates</b>								
1	Total Population (Estimated Resident Population) 2018		23,120		6,460,675		2018	1
2	Population Growth Rate 2017-18			2.4%	2.2%		2018	1
3	Additional population 2008-18		5,664				2018	1
4	Population growth rate 2008-18			32.4%	22.9%		2018	1
5	Bannockburn SA2 area (larger than town) growth rate 2017-18			3.6%			2018	1
6	State Government population projection 2031		30,281				2031	2
7	.id forecast population 2021		24,102				2021	3
8	.id forecast population 2036		32,449				2036	3
9	Number of additional people forecast 2016-2036		10,520				2016-36	3
10	Unoccupied dwellings (indicates potential for part time populations)		783	9.4%	11.0%		2016	4
<b>Town populations Census 2016 (Urban Centres and Localities):</b>								
11	<i>Bannockburn</i>		5,001				2016	4
12	<i>Teesdale</i>		1,664				2016	4
13	<i>Batesford</i>		764				2016	4
14	<i>Inverleigh</i>		724				2016	4
15	<i>Lethbridge</i>		585				2016	4
16	<i>Smythesdale</i>		568				2016	4
17	<i>Enfield</i>		444				2016	4
18	<i>Meredith</i>		396				2016	4
19	<i>Linton</i>		388				2016	4
20	<i>Rural Balance of Shire</i>		11,154				2016	4
21	Total Shire 2016		21,688				2016	4
<b>Age profile</b>								
22	Median Age of population		39		37		2016	4
23	0 to 4 years 2016 Census		1,429	6.6%	6.3%		2016	4
24	5-14 years 2016 Census		3,493	16.2%	12.0%		2016	4
25	15-24 years 2016 Census		2,461	11.4%	13.0%		2016	4
26	25-64 years 2016 Census		11,383	52.5%	53.2%		2016	4
27	65 years and over 2016 Census		2,910	13.3%	15.6%		2016	4
<b>Family/household structure</b>								
28	Average household size		2.8		2.6		2016	4
29	Couples with children		3,015	50.7%	46.3%		2016	4
30	Couple family with children aged less than 15 years			36.0%	31.0%		2016	5
31	Couples without children		2,238	37.7%	36.5%		2016	4
32	One parent family		644	10.8%	15.3%		2016	4
33	Group		116	1.6%	4.5%		2016	4
34	Lone person		1,246	17.4%	24.7%		2016	4
35	Same-sex couple households		19	0.4%	0.7%		2016	5
<b>Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islander people</b>								
36	Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islander people		204	0.9%	0.8%		2016	4
<b>Religion</b>								
37	Proportion Christian			57.5%	52.9%		2016	4
38	Proportion non Christian			5.2%	15.4%		2016	4
39	Proportion no religion			37.3%	31.7%		2016	4
<b>Ethnicity</b>								
40	Residents born overseas (excluding 'not stated')			9.8%	30.3%	58	2016	4
41	Born in non-english speaking country (excluding 'not stated')			3.7%	23.5%	68	2016	4
42	Speaking language other than english at home			8.1%	32.1%	78	2016	4
43	Speaks another language at home, and English not well or not at all (Italian, Croatian, German top 3)		61	0.3%	4.8%	73	2016	4
44	Top overseas country of birth - United Kingdom			4.4%			2016	4
45	Community acceptance of diverse cultures			39.7%	50.6%	61	2011	6

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		Number or rate	%				
<b>Promoting Healthy and Connected Communities</b>							
<b>Physical activity</b>							
46	Sedentary behaviour, adults		1.8%	2.5%		2017	7
47	Adults spending 8 hours or more sitting a day		17.3%	22.0%		2017	7
48	Physical activity 0 days per week		22.3%	18.9%		2015	6
49	Physical activity 4 or more days per week		35.4%	41.3%		2015	6
50	Participation in any organised physical activity		26.7%	28.7%		2015	6
51	Participation in a physical activity organised by a sports club		14.2%	9.8%		2015	6
52	Participation in a physical activity organised by a fitness, leisure or indoor sports centre		3.7%	9.2%		2015	
53	Participation in any non-organised physical activity		64.7%	70.5%		2015	6
54	Activity type - walking		48.6%	51.2%		2015	6
55	Activity type - jogging or running		11.6%	14.0%		2015	6
56	Activity type -cycling		10.4%	11.8%		2015	6
57	Visit to green space (≥ once per week)		41.7%	50.7%		2011	6
<b>Healthy diet</b>							
58	Average number of serves of vegetables per day		2.2%	2.2%		2017	7
59	Average number of serves of fruit per day		1.5%	1.6%		2017	7
60	Adults who met fruit consumption guidelines (2 serves or more daily)		35.1%	47.8%		2017	7
61	Adults who met vegetable consumption guidelines (5-6 serves (gender dependent) or more daily)		5.2%	5.4%		2017	7
62	Adults who met both fruit and vegetables consumption guidelines		3.9%	5.4%		2017	7
63	Adults who did not meet fruit and vegetable consumption guidelines		60.6%	51.7%		2017	7
64	Eats take-away meals/snacks more than once a week		16.1%	15.3%		2017	7
65	Number of cups of water consumed per day		4.9%	5.4%		2015	6
66	Daily Consumer of sugar sweetened soft drinks		13.1%	10.1%		2017	7
67	Food Insecurity - people who ran out of food in last 12 months and could not afford to buy more.		4.4%	4.6%	41	2011	6
<b>Mental health and Welfare</b>							
68	Subjective wellbeing Index (range 0 -100)		76.9%	77.3%		2015	6
69	Satisfaction with life - low or medium (range 0-6)		19.7%	20.5%		2017	7
70	High personal resilience (Range 0-8)		6.6%	6.4%		2015	6
71	Registered mental health clients per 100,000 population		960.0	1,190	66	2013-14	8
72	Persons reporting mild psychological distress		57.2%	53.9%		2017	7
73	Persons reporting a high or very high level of psychological distress		10.6%	15.4%		2014-15	7
74	Deaths from suicide and self inflicted injuries per 100,000 people (age standardised)		16.0	17.3		2011-2015	9
75	Mental health care plans prepared by GP, no. and rate per 100,000		1,276	7056.1	9,127.80	2009-10	8
76	People with a lifetime prevalence of depression or anxiety (%)		26.3%	27.7%		2017	7
77	Gaming machine losses per head of adult population - <i>there are no gaming machines in Shire</i>		0.0	\$531		2019	10
<b>Pressure of modern life</b>							
78	Inadequate sleep (less than 7 hrs)		38.0%	31.5%		2011	6
79	Lack of time/family and friends		27.8%	27.4%		2011	6
80	Time pressure		43.7%	41.3%		2011	6
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81	Adequate work life balance			51.3%	53.1%	32	2014	8
82	Long commute greater than 2 hours a day			6.3%	11.6%	41	2014	8
83	Shares a meal with family (≥ 5 days per week)			73.7%	66.3%		2011	6
84	Workers commuting out of Shire for work		7,367	72.4%			2016	1
<b>Health conditions/disease</b>								
85	Life expectancy males		80.9		80.3	10	2014	8
86	Life expectancy females		85.0		84.4	12	2014	8
87	Indirect age-standardised death rate per 100,000 population		680.0		580	23	2017	11
88	Emergency Department presentations per 100,000 population		290.4		261.5	21	2013-14	8
89	Low birth weight babies			7%	7%	21	2015	12
90	% persons reporting asthma			27.2%	20%	13	2017	7
91	% of persons reporting diabetes type 2			4.5%	5.1%	55	2017	7
92	Proportion of adult population diagnosed with high blood pressure			23.6%	25.9%		2014	8
93	% persons obese			24.3%	19.3%	27	2017	7
94	% persons who are overweight (pre-obese or obese)			55.0%	50.8%	41	2017	7
95	Cancer prevalence (proportion)			8.5%	8.1%	45	2017	7
96	Cancer incidence - per 1,000 females			4.6%	4.8%	61	2014	8
97	Cancer incidence - per 1,000 males			6.2%	5.6%	39	2014	8
98	Vaccine preventable admissions ASR per 100,000		90.8		202.2		2016-17	9
99	Bowel cancer screening rate			57.5%	60.1%	66	2017	7
100	Breast cancer screening rate (mammogram in the last two years)			79.5%	79.2%	41	2017	7
101	Cervical Cancer screening rate			62.7%	79.2%		2014	13
102	Notifications per 100,000 population of chlamydia		343.6				2019	14
103	Notifications per 100,000 population of Influenza		967.4				2019	14
104	Notifications per 100,000 population of Whooping Cough		37.0				2019	14
<b>Alcohol/drug management</b>								
105	Drug and alcohol clients per 100,000 population		290		620	73	2013-14	15
106	Purchased alcohol in the last 7 days			42.0%	36.3%		2012	6
107	7 day \$ spend on packaged liquor (of those purchasing)		35		45		2012	6
108	7 day \$ spend at a licensed premises (of those purchasing)		20		45		2012	6
109	At risk of short-term harm each month			28.3%	29.4%		2015	6
110	Alcohol culture - getting drunk every now and then is okay			27.1%	27.9%		2015	6
111	Adults at increased risk of alcohol related harm on a single occasion (yearly, monthly or weekly)			49.5%	43.0%		2017	7
112	Population abstaining from alcohol consumption			17.2%	20.8%		2017	7
113	Number of alcohol related ambulance attendances		27		25,454		2017-18	15
114	Alcohol related ambulance attendances rate per 100,000		123.1		411.9		2017-18	15
115	Number of Cannabis-related ambulance attendances		7		3,309		2017-18	15
116	Cannabis related ambulance attendances rate per 100,000		31.9		53.6		2017-18	15
117	Current smokers			21.1%	16.7%		2017	7
118	Support for smoking ban in outside dining areas			69.9%	69.8%		2011	6
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			Number or rate	%		LGA ranking (79 Councils)		
	<b>Disability</b>							
119	Number of people with a profound and severe disability		995	4.9%	5.4%		2016	9
120	Disability rate (Age adjusted)		5.7		5.1	36	2016	10
121	Clients of all disability services		72.0		50,354	62	2013-14	8
122	Number and % of 10-19 year olds with a disability		77	4.6%	3.7%		2016	16
123	% of 65-69 year olds with a disability		49	7.6%	7.9%		2016	16
124	% of 80-84 year olds with a disability		22	18.8%	23.5%		2016	16
125	% of 85 years and over with a disability		39	46.4%	39.8%		2016	16
126	Number of people on a disability support pension		620				2019	10
127	Disability support pension recipients per 100,000 eligible population.		5100		4900		2017	9
128	Number of people on a carer's payment		311				2019	9
129	Number of people on a carer's allowance		716				2019	9
130	People with severe and profound disability living in the community		889	4.4%	4.6%		2016	9
131	People (aged 15 plus) providing care to a person with a disability, a long term illness or problems related to old age		2,182	13.0%	11.6%		2016	9
	<b>Accessible health services</b>							
132	General practitioners per 10,000 population ( <i>may be part or fulltime GPs</i> )		5.2		12.1	79	2014	8
133	General practice clinics per 10,000 population		2.0		3	76	2015	8
134	Allied health services sites per 100,000 population		0.5		0.8	69	2015	8
135	Dental services per 10,000 population		1.0		0.3	71	2015	8
136	Hospital inpatient separations per 100,000 population		402.5		431.7	63	2013-14	8
137	Inpatient separations in private hospital			36.7	39	25	2013-14	8
138	Number of general practices		4				2016	13
139	Ambulatory care sensitive conditions (ACSCs) admission rate per 1,000 population		19.9		24.9	68	2013-14	8
140	Emergency Department presentations per 1,000 population		290.4		261.5	21	2013-14	8
141	Emergency Department presentations which are Primary Care type per 1,000 population		132.8		105.1	20	2013-14	8
142	Hospital separations per 1,000 people		256.0				2014-15	13
143	ACSC average length of stay (days)		4.4		4.1	28	2013-14	8
144	ACSC acute per 1,000 population		9.2		10.9	67	2013-14	8
145	ACSC chronic per 1,000 population		9.9		12.8	69	2013-14	8
146	ACSC vaccine preventable per 1,000 population		0.9		1.4	49	2013-14	8
147	Unintentional injuries treated in hospital per 1,000 population		85.7		59.6	18	2013-14	8
148	Unintentional injuries due to falls		32.6		38.2	67	2013-14	8
149	Intentional injuries treated in hospital per 1,000 population		2.6		3	44	2013-14	8
150	Population with private health insurance (ASR per 100)			53.7	51.6	26	2007-8	8
	<b>Other services/facilities</b>							
151	Good facilities and services like shops, childcare, schools libraries ( <i>note 2008</i> )			54.4	79.3		2008	17
152	Number of primary schools		14				2019	18
153	Number of secondary schools		2				2019	18
154	Number of kindergartens		9				2019	18
155	Registered playgroups		9				2016	19
156	Number of family day care carers		9				2016	19
157	Long day care		1				2016	19
158	Occasional care		4				2016	19
	<b>Community connectedness/involvement</b>							
159	Perceptions of neighbourhood - people are willing to help each other			76.8%	74.1%		2015	6
160	Perceptions of neighbourhood - this is a close-knit neighbourhood			66.0%	61.0%		2015	6
161	Perceptions of neighbourhood - people can be trusted			80.3%	71.9%		2015	6
162	Number of people not living in Golden Plains Shire 5 years ago (new residents 2011-16)		1,358				2016	16
163	People living alone		1,246	17.4%	24.7%		2016	4
164	Volunteering (at least once in the last 12 months) ASR per 100		45.3		32.00		2014	9
	<b>Indicator</b>	<b>Comparison Key</b>	<b>Golden Plains measure</b>	<b>Victoria</b>			<b>Year</b>	<b>Source</b>

			Number or rate	%		LGA ranking (79 Councils)		
165	Internet access at home			87.7%	86.4%		2016	9
166	Social networking used to organise time with friends/family			28.9%	35.1%		2011	6
<b>Community safety and crime</b>								
167	Total offences per 100,000 population		2595		7905	79	2018-19	10
168	Drug usage and possession offences per 100,000 population		138		499	76	2018-19	10
169	Violent offences per 100,000 population		493		1240	78	2018-19	10
170	Property and deception offences per 100,000 population		1618		4442	78	2018-19	10
171	Public order and security offences per 100,000 population		99		534		2018-19	10
172	Justice procedures offences per 100,000 population		247		1169		2018-19	10
173	Perceptions of safety - walking alone during day			94.1	92.5		2015	6
174	Perceptions of safety - walking alone during night			66.7	55.1		2015	6
175	Family violence incidents per 1,000 population		4.6		11.4	77	2013-14	8
176	Proportion prepared to intervene in a situation of domestic violence			93.5	93.1		2011	6
<b>Arts and Culture</b>								
177	Attended arts activities or events (in the last 3 months)			53.6	63.6		2011	6
178	Made or created arts or crafts (in last 3 months)			40.1	34.9		2011	6
<b>Early years characteristics</b>								
179	Number and proportion of 0-9 years estimated 2016		3,176	14.7%	12.5%		2016	4
180	Forecast number 0-9 years 2036		4,637	14.3%			2018	3
181	Australian early development census (AEDC) proportion of children vulnerable on 1 or more domains			17.6%	19.9%		2018	20
182	Australian early development census (AEDC) proportion of children vulnerable on 2 or more domains			7.6%	10.1%		2018	20
183	Children fully immunised at 2 years of age			96.2%	91.2%		2018	9
184	Need for assistance with core tasks due to disability % of 0-9yrs		74	4.4%	4.3%		2016	16
185	Percentage of infants fully breastfed at 3 mths		315	67.6%	63.4%		2014-15	9
186	Total fertility rate			2.3%	1.8%		2013-15	9
187	Births		272				2017-18	21
<b>Youth characteristics</b>								
188	Number and proportion 10 - 24 years 2016		4,207	19.5%	18.8%		2016	4
189	Forecast number 10-24 years 2036		6,038	18.6%			2017	3
190	People 15-24 not employed or enrolled in education			8.7%	8.2%		2016	16
191	20-24 yr olds studying at University or other tertiary institution			26.5	42.4		2016	10
192	Youth allowance recipients no. and as % 20-24 yr olds			3.3%			2019	9
193	20-24 year olds who left school before completing year 11			21.1	12		2011	10
<b>Older people characteristics</b>								
194	Population aged 65 years and over		2,910	13.3%	15.6%		2016	4
195	Forecast number 65 years and over 2036		5,210	16.1%				3
196	Percentage of people 75 and over who live alone			30.6	35.9	70	2011	8
197	*Proportion female			65.7	73.9	75	2011	8
198	* Proportion male			34.3	26.1	5	2011	8
199	HACC clients aged 65 and over per 1,000 target population		1172.8		746.4	17	2013-14	8
200	Aged care places - total high care		60				2014	8
201	Aged care places - total low care		60				2014	8
202	Age pension recipients no. and as a % of 65 plus population		1906	64.3%	63.2%		2017	9
<b>Gender</b>								
203	Low gender equality score			24.9%	35.7%		2015	6
204	Median weekly income, males aged 20-64		\$739		\$740		2011	17
205	Median weekly income, females aged 20-64		\$403		\$443		2011	17
206	Proportion of females in the labourforce working full time			36.0%	43.4%		2016	16
207	Proportion of males in the labourforce working full time			72.9%	69.3%		2016	16
208	Proportion of females in the labourforce working part time			57.4%	48.3%		2016	16
209	Proportion of males in the labourforce working part time			20.0%	22.2%		2016	16
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			Number or rate	%				

210	Rate of Family-related violent offences, per 1,000 persons, male victims		1.4		2.3		2018-19	10
211	Rate of Family-related violent offences, per 1,000 persons, female victims		3.7		6.7		2018-19	10
212	Average hours unpaid care provided each week for a person with a disability by males		11.1		10.3		2016	10
213	Average hours unpaid care provided each week for a person with a disability by females		17.3		14.9		2016	10
214	Number of male sole parents		142				2016	10
215	Number of female sole parents		508				2016	10
216	Per cent of 20-24 year-old males who had left school before completing year 11, 2011			22.4%	12.6%		2016	10
217	Per cent of 20-24 year-old females who had left school before completing year 11, 2011			11.4%	7.9%		2016	10
218	% 25-44 year-old males with a university degree, 2011			13.9%	37.4%		2016	10
219	% 25-44 year-old females with a university degree, 2011			31.4%	47.9%		2016	10
220	% Vocational: Highest qualification achieved Males		2,947	34.7%	22.0%		2016	16
221	% Vocational: Highest qualification achieved Females		1,521	18.4%	12.1%		2016	16
<b>Enhancing Local economies</b>								
<b>Employment</b>								
222	Number of jobs (Full time and part time) 2016 census		2,747				2016	4
223	Estimated total number of jobs (full time and part time) 2018 <i>(note not directly comparable to above as different methodology)</i>		4,489				2018	22
224	Number of employed persons 2015		11,633				2018	22
225	Number of local businesses		1,900				2018	22
226	Unemployment rate			4.7	6.6		2018	22
227	<b>From the 2016 Census:</b>							
228	<i>Employed residents who worked within the shire</i>		2,134	21.0			2016	22
229	<i>Residents working outside the shire</i>		7,367	72.4			2016	22
230	<i>No fixed place of work</i>		681	6.7			2016	22
231	<i>Proportion of jobs in the shire undertaken by Shire residents</i>			64.4			2016	22
232	Residents working from home		605	5.9	4.6		2016	22
<b>Economic Circumstances</b>								
233	% of persons with individual income < \$400 per week			30.9	30.3		2016	16
234	% female income < \$400 per week			37.4	34.6		2016	16
235	% male income < \$400 per week			24.6	25.3		2016	16
236	Median weekly household Income		\$1,448		\$1,419		2016	4
237	Total annual household income less than \$40,000			19.8	18.7		2014	22
238	Proportion of households in lowest income quartile 2016			22.2	25.0		2016	22
239	Proportion of households in highest income quartile 2016			22.0	25.0		2016	22
240	Number of people on a Health Care card		1395	7.1	6.9		2017	10
<b>Educational Outcomes (also see Youth)</b>								
241	Percentage of persons who did not complete yr 11			59.6%	43.7%		2016	10
242	Percentage of people who completed a higher education qualification (degree or more)			22.9%	42.7%		2016	10
243	Percentage of students attending government primary school			77.2%	67%		2016	10
244	Percentage of students attending government secondary school			46.4%	43%		2016	10
245	Average distance (km) to Government Secondary School		23.2		4.8		2013	23
<b>Housing Stress</b>								
246	Households with a mortgage			51.4%	33.5%		2016	9
247	Mortgage stress (Low income households (bottom 40%) spending more than 30% income on mortgage)			10.3%	10.2%		2016	9
248	Rental stress (Low income households (bottom 40%) spending more than 30% income on rent)			34.5%	27.20%		2016	9
249	Percentage of rental housing that is affordable			0.3	20.5	47	2016	9
250	Median house price		\$430,000				2017	24
251	Homeless persons (estimated) per 10,000 population			8	41.9	75	2019	25
252	Social housing as a percentage of total dwellings		8	0.0	.028		2016	16
<b>Indicator</b>		<b>Comparison Key</b>	<b>Golden Plains measure</b>		<b>Victoria</b>	<b>LGA ranking (79 Councils)</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Source</b>
			<b>Number or rate</b>	<b>%</b>				





288	Participation in citizen engagement (in the past year)		57.0	51	42	2012	10
289	Council overall performance		49	56 (large rural shires)		2019	28
290	Overall Council direction		46	51 (large rural shires)		2019	28
291	Community satisfaction: Customer Service (Index score)		63	69 (large rural shires)		2019	28
292	Community satisfaction: Making Community Decisions: decisions made in the interest of the community (Index score)		47	52 (large rural shires)		2019	28
293	Community Satisfaction: Council Advocacy - Lobbying on behalf of the community (Index score)		47	52 (large rural shires)		2019	28
294	Community satisfaction: Council's performance on Community Consultation and Engagement (Index score)		47	54 (large rural shires)		2019	28
295	Top Three highest Performing Service Areas	Customer service, Making community decisions, Advocacy, Community consultations				2019	28
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