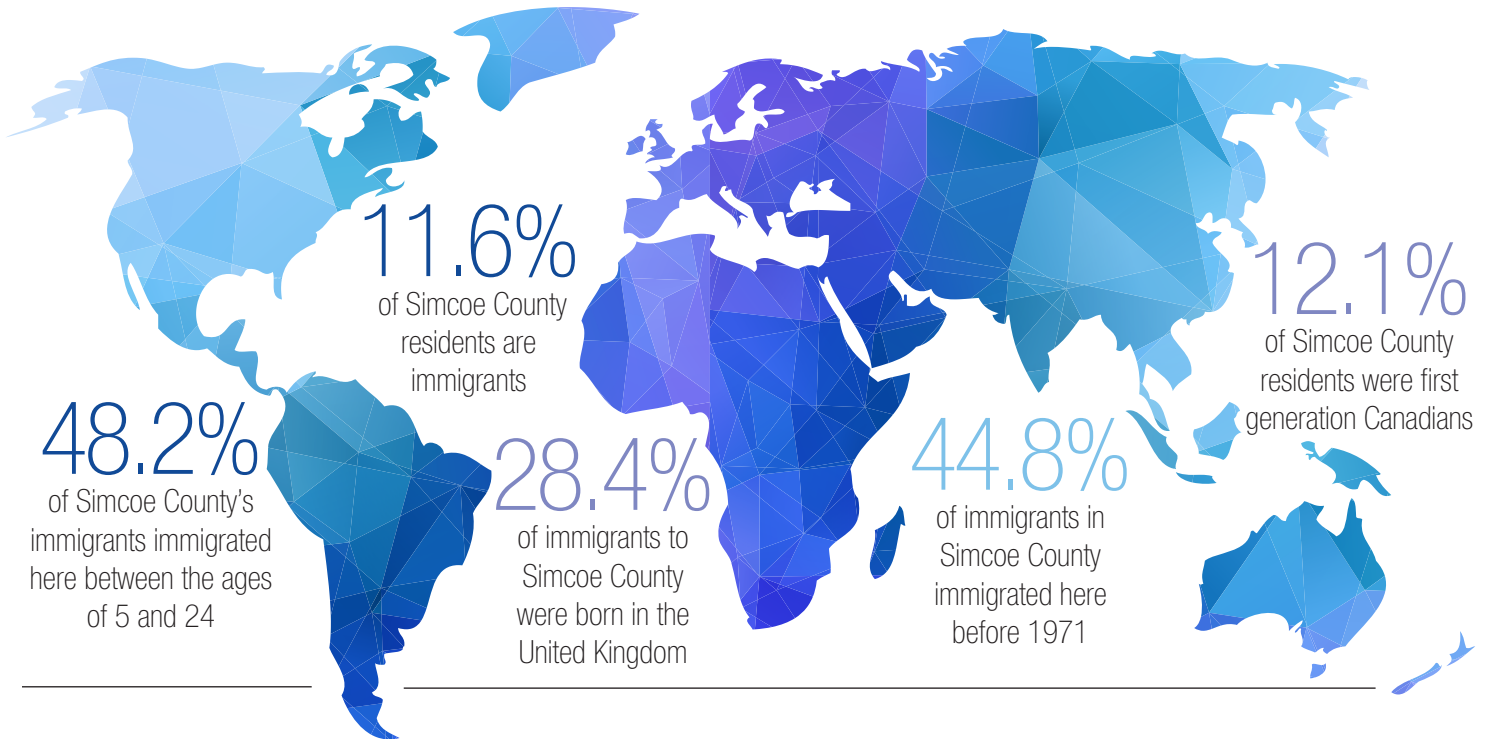




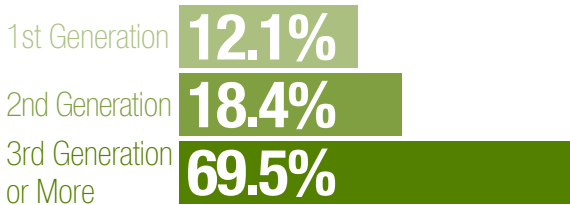
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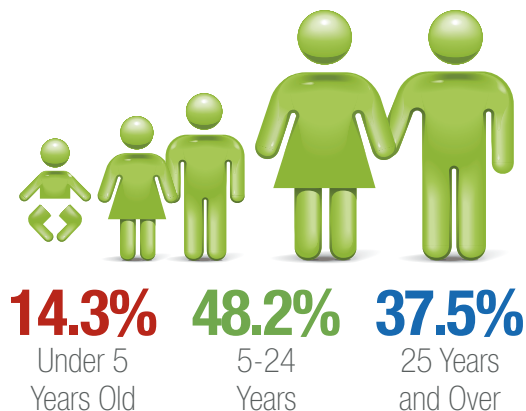
This bulletin summarizes data from the 2011 National Household Survey (NHS) regarding immigration and citizenship in Simcoe County. The NHS reflects a diverse community, with different skills, cultural influences and participation rates. In 2011, 97.6% of Simcoe County residents were Canadian citizens, and 2.4% were not Canadian citizens. A total of 50,915 Simcoe County residents (11.6%) were immigrants to Canada and of these, 68.7% came from Europe, and 44.8% immigrated here before 1971.



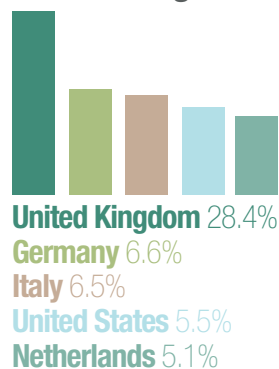
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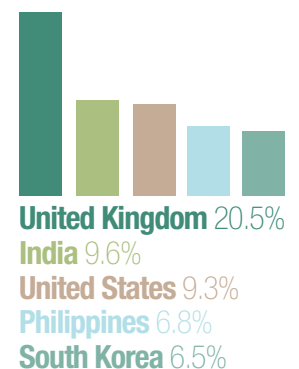
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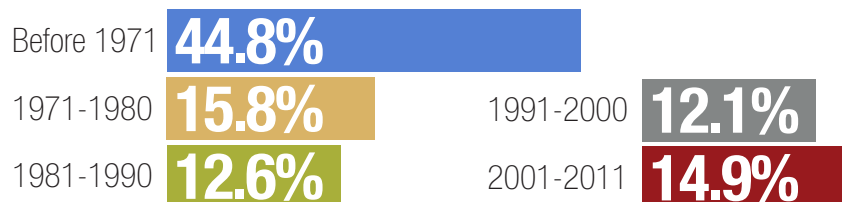
Top 5 Birthplaces for Immigrants



Top 5 Birthplaces for Recent Immigrants



Immigrants in Simcoe County by Period of Immigration



Summary of Facts

In 2011, 97.6% of the 438,285 Simcoe County residents were Canadian citizens, while 2.4% were not. 12.1% of Simcoe County residents were first generation Canadians, 18.4% were second generation Canadians, and 69.5% were third generation or more.

Of Simcoe County residents, 50,915 were immigrants (11.6%). About half of immigrants in Simcoe County immigrated to Canada before 1971 (44.8%), 15.8% immigrated between 1971-1980, 12.6% between 1981-1990, 12.1% between 1991-2000, and 14.9% immigrated between 2001-2011. Similarly, about half of immigrants in Simcoe County immigrated to Canada between the ages of 5 and 24 (48.2%), with 37.5% immigrating at 25 or older, and 14.3% immigrating under the age of 5.

The top 5 countries of birth of immigrants in Simcoe County were: United Kingdom (28.4%), Germany (6.6%), Italy (6.5%), United States (5.5%), and the Netherlands (5.1%). In terms of recent immigrants in Simcoe County, the top 5 countries of birth were: United Kingdom (20.5%), India (9.6%), United States (9.3%), Philippines (6.8%), and South Korea (6.5%).

Population and Citizenship		
	# of Persons	% of Population
Canadian Citizen	427,865	97.6%
Not Canadian Citizen	10,420	2.4%
Total	438,285	100.0%

Total Population by Generation Status		
Generation	# of Persons	% of Population
First	53,035	12.1%
Second	80,445	18.4%
Third or More	304,810	69.5%
Total	438,280	100.0%

First Generation Refers to people who were born outside of Canada. The vast majority are individuals who are, or have been, immigrants to Canada. **Second Generation** Refers to individuals who were born in Canada and had at least one parent born outside of Canada. **Third Generation** Refers to people who are born in Canada with both parents born in Canada.

Top 5 Countries of Birth (Recent Immigrants)		
Country	# of Recent Immigrants	% of Recent Immigrant Population
United Kingdom	770	20.5%
India	360	9.6%
United States	350	9.3%
Philippines	255	6.8%
South Korea	245	6.5%
Other	1,585	42.3%
Total	3,750	100.0%

Recent Immigrants Refers to people who landed in Canada between January 1, 2006 and May 10, 2011

- Figures may not add up due to rounding
- Data in this fact sheet was derived from the 2011 National Household Survey (NHS), which replaced the previous long-form census. Unlike the long-form census, the NHS is voluntary. This difference in methodology may affect the comparability between the NHS and long-form Census data

Source: Statistics Canada, 2011 National Household Survey

Period of Immigration		
Year of Immigration	# of Immigrants	% of Immigrant Population
Before 1971	22,790	44.8%
1971 to 1980	8,025	15.8%
1981 to 1990	6,395	12.6%
1991 to 2000	6,145	12.1%
2001 to 2011	7,565	14.9%
Total	50,915	100.0%

Age at Time of Immigration		
Age	# of Immigrants	% of Immigrant Population
Under 5 years	7,290	14.3%
5 to 14 years	10,895	21.4%
15 to 24 years	13,645	26.8%
25 to 44 years	16,725	32.9%
45 years and older	2,360	4.6%
Total	50,915	100.0%

Top 5 Countries of Birth (Immigrants)		
Country	# of Immigrants	% of Immigrant Population
United Kingdom	14,470	28.4%
Germany	3,360	6.6%
Italy	3,310	6.5%
United States	2,810	5.5%
Netherlands	2,585	5.1%
Other	24,360	47.8%
Total	50,915	100.0%