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St Helena Island

Resident population

4,439 ↓ 
down 95 since February 2016 (2.1%)

Historical trend

5,496  4,439
1861 2021

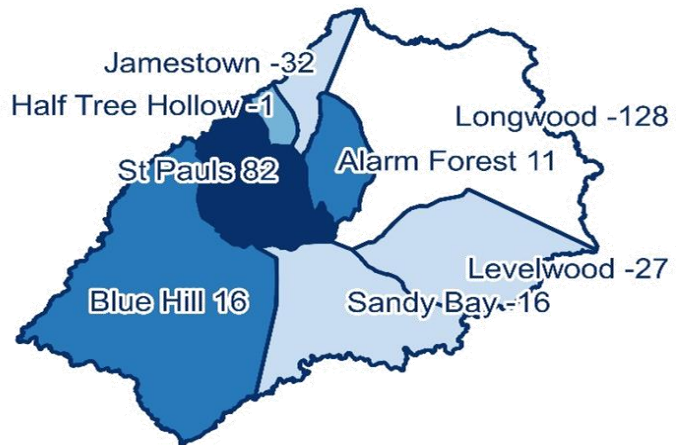
St Helenian residents

4,118 ↓ 
down 4 since February 2016 (0.1%)

Other residents

321 ↓ 
down 91 since February 2016 (22.1%)

Population change by district 2016-2021



Biggest districts

Half Tree Hollow	1,034
St Pauls	928
Longwood	765
Jamestown	625

Smallest districts

Alarm Forest	394
Levelwood	342
Sandy Bay	177
Blue Hill	174

St Helenian residents

Females

2,038 ↑ 
up 30 since February 2016 (+1.5%)

Males

2,080 ↓ 
down 34 since February 2016 (-1.6%)

Median age

51.4 ↑ 
up from 47.4 in February 2016

Under 15

547 ↓ 
down 13 since February 2016 (-2.3%)

Between 15 and 64

2,484 ↓ 
down 154 since February 2016 (-5.8%)

65 and older

1,087 ↑ 
up 163 since February 2016 (+17.6%)

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Active workforce

2,654 ↓

down 102 since February 2016



Unemployment rate

3.5%

of the active resident workforce



Top four industries, number of workers in:

372 Human health and social work



271 Construction



360 Wholesale and retail trade



228 Public administration



Households

92% have a tv screen



66% have access to the internet



92% have treated water



58% have broadcast television



91% have a washing machine



45% have a solar water heater



90% have a fridge freezer



39% have a garden for vegetables



90% have a landline telephone



32% have a roof with asbestos cement



85% have a radio



26% use wood for cooking



80% live in a detached dwelling



18% have a tumble dryer



74% have a mobile phone



12% have a smoke alarm



71% have a car or other vehicle



10% have a motorcycle



69% own their own home



4% have a boat



Number of households

1,937

up 5.2% since February 2016



Average household size

2.3

down from 2.4 persons in February 2016



Households by size

592 one person



up 94 since 2016



680 two persons



up 34 since 2016



366 three persons



down 24 since 2016



206 four persons



up 3 since 2016



93 five persons or more



down 12 since 2016



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