

PEEL 2006 (Overview)

Population

Male:	570,395	49.2%
Female:	589,005	50.8%
Total Population:	1,159,400	
Population Growth 2001 to 2006:	17.2%	

Age Groups

0 - 4 years:	75,585	6.5%
5 - 9 years:	81,255	7.0%
10 - 14 years:	88,150	7.6%
15 - 24 years:	163,165	14.1%
25 - 44 years:	360,285	31.1%
45 - 64 years:	286,420	24.7%
65+ years:	104,520	9.0%

Immigrants

Total Immigrant Population:	561,235	48.6%*
By Place of Birth (Top 3)		
1. Southern Asia	168,750	30.1%
2. Southern Europe	63,380	11.3%
3. Southeast Asia	53,130	9.5%

Visible Minorities

Total Visible Minorities:	576,665	50.0%*
By Visible Minority Group (Top 3)		
1. South Asian	272,760	23.6%
2. Black	95,565	8.3%
3. Chinese	54,285	4.7%

Language (Mother Tongue)

Total Population		
By Mother Tongue:	1,154,070	100.0%
<i>Multiple Responses:</i>	27,895	2.4%
<i>Single Responses:</i>	1,126,165	97.6%
English:	603,445	52.3%
French:	11,975	1.0%
Non-Official Languages	510,760	44.3%
Punjabi	92,820	8.0%
Urdu	42,975	3.7%
Chinese	41,850	3.6%
Polish	34,830	3.0%
Portuguese	31,790	2.8%
Other languages	266,495	23.1%

Marital Status

Single:	276,530	30.2%
Married:	520,350	56.9%
Widowed:	40,995	4.5%
Divorced or Separated:	76,535	8.4%

Families

Couple Families:	274,510	84.7%
Lone-Parent Families:	49,600	15.3%

Population Living Alone

Individuals Living Alone:	52,555	4.6%
Seniors Living Alone:	15,520	15.7%

Home Ownership

Owned Dwellings:	280,465	78.1%
Rented Dwellings:	78,600	21.8%

Type of Housing

Single Detached:	168,780	47.0%
Apartments 5+ Storeys:	66,030	18.4%
Other:	124,230	34.6%

Education

Total population 15 years+	909,145	100.0%
No Certificate or Diploma	180,865	19.9%
High School Certificate	247,840	27.3%
Trades with Cert/Diploma	63,610	7.0%
Community College	155,785	17.1%
University:		
Without degree	53,565	5.9%
Bachelor degree or higher	207,470	22.8%

Employment (Population 15 years+)

Participation Rate:	71.6% (651,200)
Unemployment Rate:	6.4% (41,930)

Income in 2005

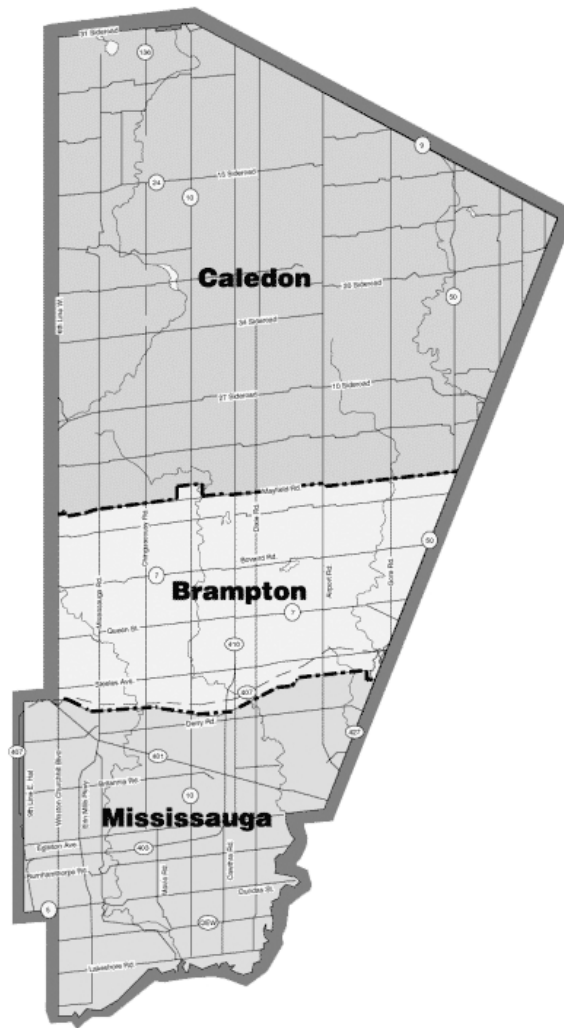
Average Family Income**	\$94,302
Median Family Income	\$79,045

*% of total Peel population

** Income includes employment income, government transfers (OAS, EI), pensions, etc.

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Map of Peel



Source: Region of Peel, 2008

Technical Notes:

For more detailed definitions of any of the above subjects/variables, please see:
Statistics Canada's 2006 **Census Dictionary**:

<http://www12.statcan.ca/english/census06/reference/dictionary/index.cfm>