

COOKSVILLE/DIXIE

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COOKSVILLE/DIXIE 2001 (Overview)

Population

Male:	77,750	49.1%
Female:	80,760	50.9%
Total Population:	158,510	
Population Growth 1996 to 2001:		2.7%

Age Groups

0-4 Years:	9,285	5.9%
5-9 Years:	9,965	6.3%
10-14 Years:	9,830	6.2%
15-24 Years:	21,425	13.5%
25-44 Years:	52,235	33.0%
45-64 Years:	37,690	23.8%
65+ Years:	18,080	11.4%

Immigrants

Total Population:	84,420	53.6%
By Selected Places of Birth (Top 3)		
1. Poland:	9,760	11.6%
2. Philippines:	6,235	7.4%
3. India:	6,195	7.3%

Visible Minorities

Total Population:	63,125	40.1%
By Visible Minority Group (Top 3)		
1. South Asian:	20,335	12.9%
2. Chinese:	9,035	5.7%
3. Filipino:	7,975	5.1%

Language (Mother Tongue)

English:	70,425	44.7%
French:	1,820	1.2%
Non-Official Languages:	80,935	51.4%
Top 5 Non-Official Languages:		
Polish, Chinese, Portuguese, Italian, and Arabic.		

Religion (Top 3)

1. Roman Catholic:	70,530	44.8%
2. Muslim:	12,290	7.8%
3. Hindu:	8,200	5.2%

Mobility Status

(5 years ago)		
Non-Movers:	78,485	52.9%
Movers:	69,810	47.1%
Movers From Outside Canada:	18,960	12.8%

Marital Status

Single:	40,445	31.2%
Married:	69,845	54.0%
Widowed:	7,500	5.8%
Divorced or Separated:	11,645	9.0%

Families

Couple Families:	37,160	83.9%
Lone-Parent Families:	7,145	16.1%

Population Living Alone

Individuals Living Alone:	11,240	7.1%
Seniors Living Alone:	3,420	20.2%

Home Ownership

Owned Dwellings:	31,685	57.7%
Rented Dwellings:	23,215	42.3%

Type of Housing

Single-detached:	16,255	29.6%
Apartments 5+ Storeys:	26,640	48.6%
Other:	11,960	21.8%

Education

(Persons aged 20 years and above)		
Less than Grade 9:	10,960	9.3%
Grades 9-13:	33,225	28.2%
Trades with Cert/Diploma:	10,370	8.8%
Community College:	26,405	22.4%
University:	36,945	31.3%
Without degree:	10,695	9.1%
With Bachelor's degree or higher:	26,235	22.3%

Employment

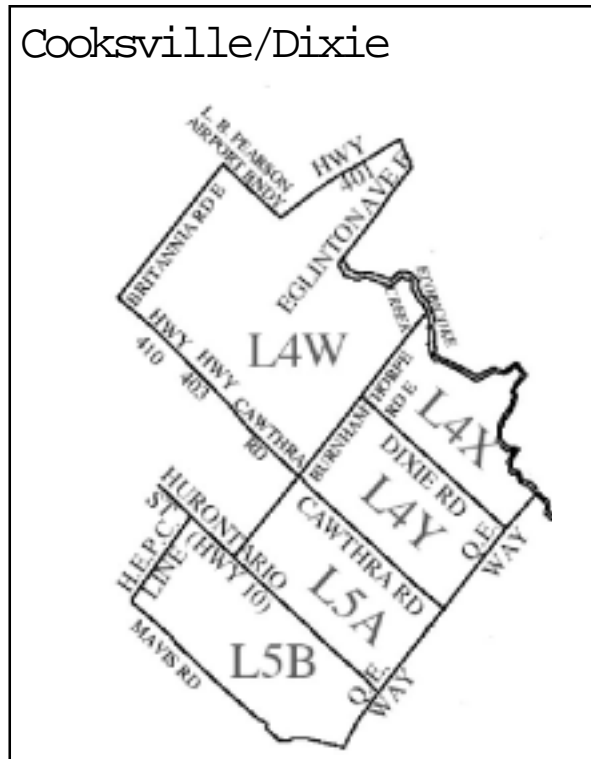
(Persons aged 15 years and above)		
Labour Force Participation Rate:	89,055	69.4%
Unemployment Rate:	5,190	5.8%

Income (2000)

Average Family Income:	\$69,267	
Low-income Families (#):	6,135	14.5%

Postal Codes

L4W, L4X, L4Y, L5A and L5B



A. DEMOGRAPHIC AND CULTURAL CHARACTERISTICS

**Table 4.1
Population by Age Group: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001**

AGE GROUP	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 - 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
0-14	29,745	19.3	29,080	18.3	-665	-2.2
15-24	21,535	14.0	21,425	13.5	-110	-0.5
25-44	53,820	34.9	52,235	33.0	-1,585	-2.9
45-64	33,930	22.0	37,690	23.8	3,760	11.1
65 + years	15,250	9.9	18,080	11.4	2,830	18.6
Total Population	154,280	100.0	158,510	100.0	4,230	2.7

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- Between 1996 and 2001, the population of Cooksville/Dixie grew by 2.7%, while the population of Peel increased by 16.0%.
- The fastest growing age group in Cooksville/Dixie is the 65 and over age group: 18.6% increase between 1996 and 2001.
- In contrast to the rapidly growing elderly population, the 0-14 age group declined by 2.2% between 1996 and 2001.

Table 4.2
The Immigrant Population: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

IMMIGRATION STATUS	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Non-immigrant Population	73,915	48.3	71,230	45.2	-2,685	-3.6
Immigrant Population	77,395	50.6	84,420	53.6	7,025	9.1
Non-permanent Residents	1,650	1.1	1,930	1.2	280	17.0
Total Population by Immigration Status	152,960	100.0	157,580	100.0	4,620	3.0

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- In 2001, 84,420 or 53.6% of Cooksville/Dixie's total population was comprised of immigrants, up from the 1996 figure of 50.6%.
- Between 1996 and 2001, the immigrant population grew by 9.1% while the Canadian-born (non-immigrant) population declined by 3.6%.

Table 4.3
Immigrants by Place of Birth: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

PLACE OF BIRTH	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Immigrants by Selected Places of Birth	77,395	100.0	84,420	100.0	7,025	9.1
Poland	9,585	12.4	9,760	11.6	175	1.8
Philippines	6,000	7.8	6,235	7.4	235	3.9
India	4,900	6.3	6,195	7.3	1,295	26.4
Portugal	4,715	6.1	4,830	5.7	115	2.4
Italy	4,535	5.9	4,155	4.9	-380	-8.4
Vietnam	4,335	5.6	3,905	4.6	-430	-9.9
Pakistan	1,625	2.1	3,495	4.1	1,870	115.1
United Kingdom	4,410	5.7	3,425	4.1	-985	-22.3
Sri Lanka	2,830	3.7	3,280	3.9	450	15.9
China (People's Republic of)	1,735	2.2	2,830	3.4	1,095	63.1
All other places of birth	32,725	42.3	36,310	43.0	3,585	11.0

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- The single largest immigrant group in Cooksville/Dixie is the Polish Group (11.6%).
- In 2001, the top five countries of origin for immigrants in Cooksville/Dixie were Poland, the Philippines, India, Portugal, and Italy.
- The three fastest growing immigrant groups in Cooksville/Dixie are the Pakistani, Chinese, and Indian groups.

Table 4.4
Visible Minorities: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

VISIBLE MINORITY GROUP	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Population by Visible Minority Group	152,960	100.0	157,570	100.0	4,610	3.0
Non Visible Minority Population	98,095	64.1	94,445	59.9	-3,650	-3.7
Visible Minority Population	54,865	35.9	63,125	40.1	8,260	15.1
South Asian	16,310	10.7	20,335	12.9	4,025	24.7
Chinese	7,370	4.8	9,035	5.7	1,665	22.6
Filipino	7,765	5.1	7,975	5.1	210	2.7
Black	8,025	5.2	7,565	4.8	-460	-5.7
Arab/West Asian	3,520	2.3	5,000	3.2	1,480	42.0
Southeast Asian	3,520	2.3	4,600	2.9	1,080	30.7
Latin American	2,565	1.7	2,915	1.8	350	13.6
Korean	1,225	0.8	2,055	1.3	830	67.8
Japanese	540	0.4	395	0.3	-145	-26.9
Visible Minorities, n.i.e.	1,780	1.2	2,170	1.4	390	21.9
Multiple Visible Minorities	1,225	0.8	1,065	0.7	-160	-13.1

Note: All percentages are calculated using total population as the denominator.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- In 2001, there were 63,125 visible minority persons living in Cooksville/Dixie (compared to 54,865 in 1996).
- In 2001, 40.1% of Cooksville/Dixie's population was comprised of visible minorities (compared to 35.9% in 1996).
- The number of visible minorities in Cooksville/Dixie increased by 15.1% between 1996 and 2001.
- In 2001, the three largest groups of visible minorities in Cooksville/Dixie were South Asians (20,335), Chinese (9,035), and Filipinos (7,975).
- The three fastest growing visible minority groups in Cooksville/Dixie are the Korean, Arab/West Asian and Southeast Asian groups.

Table 4.5
Population by Mother Tongue: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

MOTHER TONGUE	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Population by Mother Tongue	152,940	100.0	157,580	100.0	4,640	3.0
Multiple Responses	5,165	3.4	4,400	2.8	-765	-14.8
Single Responses	147,775	96.6	153,180	97.2	5,405	3.7
English	75,010	49.0	70,425	44.7	-4,585	-6.1
French	2,045	1.3	1,820	1.2	-225	-11.0
Non-official languages	70,720	46.2	80,935	51.4	10,215	14.4
Polish	10,720	7.0	11,350	7.2	630	5.9
Chinese	6,230	4.1	7,755	4.9	1,525	24.5
Portuguese	6,090	4.0	6,210	3.9	120	2.0
Italian	6,210	4.1	5,340	3.4	-870	-14.0
Arabic	2,860	1.9	4,410	2.8	1,550	54.2
Tagalog (Filipino)	4,440	2.9	4,305	2.7	-135	-3.0
Vietnamese	3,605	2.4	3,910	2.5	305	8.5
Tamil	2,970	1.9	3,905	2.5	935	31.5
Urdu	1,595	1.0	3,655	2.3	2,060	129.2
Spanish	3,145	2.1	3,485	2.2	340	10.8
Other non-official languages	22,855	14.9	26,610	16.9	3,755	16.4

Note: All percentages are calculated using total population as the denominator.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- Less than half of the Cooksville/Dixie population (44.7%) indicated that English was their mother tongue (first language).
- The number of people with English as their first language declined by 6.1%, while the number of those with non-English first languages increased by 14.4%.
- In 2001, the top five mother tongue languages after English were Polish, Chinese, Portuguese, Italian, and Arabic.
- The greatest population increase occurred among Urdu-speakers (129.2%), Arabic-speakers (54.2%), and Chinese-speakers (24.5%).

Table 4.6
Population by Religion: Cooksville/Dixie, 2001

RELIGION	#	%
Roman Catholic	70,530	44.8
Muslim	12,290	7.8
Hindu	8,200	5.2
United Church	7,745	4.9
Anglican	7,670	4.9
Christian (not included elsewhere)	4,580	2.9
Buddhist	4,245	2.7
Orthodox (not included elsewhere)	2,970	1.9
Baptist	2,580	1.6
Ukrainian Catholic	2,265	1.4
Greek Orthodox	2,250	1.4
Sikh	2,050	1.3
Protestant (not included elsewhere)	2,000	1.3
Pentecostal	1,820	1.2
Presbyterian	1,520	1.0
Lutheran	1,480	0.9
Jehovah's Witness	945	0.6
Serbian Orthodox	640	0.4
Adventist	340	0.2
Methodist	305	0.2
Other religions	3,820	2.4
No religion reported	17,305	11.0
Total Population by Selected Religion	157,580	100.0

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 2001.

Highlights:

- The majority of Cooksville/Dixie's population identified themselves as Christian (69.6%).
- In 2001, the largest religious group in Cooksville/Dixie was the Roman Catholic group (70,530 or 44.8% of the total population).

Table 4.7
Population Aged 5 Years and Over by Mobility Status: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

MOBILITY STATUS 5 YEARS AGO	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Non-Movers	74,350	52.2	78,485	52.9	4,135	5.6
Movers	68,010	47.8	69,810	47.1	1,800	2.6
Movers from Outside Canada	16,040	11.3	18,960	12.8	2,920	18.2
Total Population Aged 5 Years and Over	142,360	100.0	148,300	100.0	5,940	4.2

Note: All percentages are calculated using total population as the denominator.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- From 1996 to 2001, about 69,810 individuals aged five and over changed residence in Cooksville/Dixie. Movers represented 47.1% of the total population aged five and over in 2001, down slightly from 47.8% in 1996.
- Movers from outside Canada represented 12.8% of the total population aged five and over in 2001, up from 11.3% in 1996.

B. HOUSEHOLD AND FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS

Table 4.8
Marital Status of the Population Aged 15 Years and Over:
Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

MARITAL STATUS	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Single	38,790	31.1	40,445	31.2	1,655	4.3
Married	67,195	54.0	69,845	54.0	2,650	3.9
Widowed	6,975	5.6	7,500	5.8	525	7.5
Divorced or Separated	11,570	9.3	11,645	9.0	75	0.6
Total Population Aged 15 Years and Over	124,530	100.0	129,435	100.0	4,905	3.9

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- The number of single adults in Cooksville/Dixie (never/not yet married) increased by 4.3%, (from 38,790 to 40,445), between 1996 and 2001.
- Between 1996 and 2001, the number of legally married (and not separated) people in Cooksville/Dixie increased by 3.9%, (from 67,195 to 69,845 people).
- The number of widowed people increased by 7.5% between 1996 and 2001, and the number of divorced or separated people increased by 0.6%, (from 11,570 to 11,645) in the same period.
- Overall, the group of widowed people is growing at a higher rate than the married group.

Table 4.9
Families: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

FAMILIES	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Number of Families in Private Households	41,870	100.0	44,305	100.0	2,435	5.8
Total couple families	35,395	84.5	37,160	83.9	1,765	5.0
Married couples	32,740	78.2	34,230	77.3	1,490	4.6
Without children at home	10,525	25.1	11,250	25.4	725	6.9
With children at home	22,200	53.0	22,990	51.9	790	3.6
1 child	7,925	18.9	8,620	19.5	695	8.8
2 children	9,960	23.8	10,095	22.8	135	1.4
3 or more children	4,315	10.3	4,270	9.6	-45	-1.0
Common-law couples	2,660	6.4	2,930	6.6	270	10.2
Without children at home	1,705	4.1	1,745	3.9	40	2.3
With children at home	965	2.3	1,175	2.7	210	21.8
1 child	615	1.5	555	1.3	-60	-9.8
2 children	285	0.7	465	1.0	180	63.2
3 or more children	75	0.2	165	0.4	90	120.0
Total lone-parent families	6,475	15.5	7,145	16.1	670	10.3
Female lone-parent families	5,450	13.0	6,020	13.6	570	10.5
1 child	3,130	7.5	3,785	8.5	655	20.9
2 children	1,775	4.2	1,575	3.6	-200	-11.3
3 or more children	545	1.3	665	1.5	120	22.0
Male lone-parent families	1,020	2.4	1,120	2.5	100	9.8
1 child	660	1.6	690	1.6	30	4.5
2 children	245	0.6	365	0.8	120	49.0
3 or more children	120	0.3	75	0.2	-45	-37.5

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- In 2001, there were 44,305 families in Cooksville/Dixie, compared to 41,870 in 1996. This represents an increase of 5.8%, or 2,435 families between 1996 and 2001.
- In 2001, there were 37,160 couple families, an increase of 5.0% over the 1996 figure of 35,395.
- 16.1% of families in Cooksville/Dixie were lone-parent families in 2001.
- Female lone-parent families are growing at a slightly faster rate than male lone-parent families.

Table 4.10
Proportion of Population Living Alone: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Number of Persons in Private Households	152,820	100.0	157,270	100.0	4,450	2.9
Persons Living Alone	10,145	6.6	11,240	7.1	1,095	10.8
Total Number of Persons Aged 65 Years and Over	14,225	100.0	16,960	100.0	2,735	19.2
Seniors (aged 65 and over) Living Alone	2,970	20.9	3,420	20.2	450	15.2

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- In 2001, 7.1% of the total population in Cooksville/Dixie lived alone, up from 6.6% in 1996.
- In 2001, 20.2% of the seniors population lived alone.
- The number of people living alone increased by 10.8% between 1996 and 2001, while the number of seniors living alone increased by 15.2% in the same period.

Table 4.11
Home Ownership/Occupied Private Dwellings: Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Owned	27,595	52.5	31,685	57.7	4,090	14.8
Rented	24,970	47.5	23,215	42.3	-1,755	-7.0
Total Number of Occupied Private Dwellings	52,565	100.0	54,880	100.0	2,315	4.4

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- The majority of people in Cooksville/Dixie own their homes.
- In 2001, 57.7% of the 54,880 private occupied dwellings in Cooksville/Dixie were owned, and 42.3% were rented (compared to 52.5% and 47.5%, respectively in 1996).
- Home ownership in Cooksville/Dixie increased by 14.8%, between 1996 and 2001, while home rentals decreased by 7.0% in the same period.

Table 4.12
Structural Types of Dwellings: Cooksville/Dixie, 2001

STRUCTURAL TYPE OF DWELLING	#	%
Single-detached houses	16,255	29.6
Semi-detached houses	5,075	9.3
Row houses	4,725	8.6
Apartments in detached duplexes	270	0.5
Apartments in buildings that have 5 or more storeys	26,640	48.6
Apartments in buildings that have fewer than 5 storeys	1,620	3.0
Movable dwelling	255	0.5
Other single-attached houses	5	0.0
Total Number of Occupied Private Dwellings	54,885	100.0

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 2001.

Highlights:

- Cooksville/Dixie had 54,855 occupied private dwellings in 2001 with the majority (48.6%) being apartments in buildings with five or more storeys.
- In 2001, single-detached houses accounted for 29.6%, and semi-detached houses accounted for 9.3% of the dwellings in Cooksville/Dixie.

C. SOCIO-ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS:

Table 4.13
Population Aged 20 Years and Over by Highest Level of Schooling:
Cooksville/Dixie, 2001

HIGHEST LEVEL OF SCHOOLING	#	%
Less than Grade 9	10,960	9.3
Grades 9 to 13	33,225	28.2
Without high school graduation certificate	17,140	14.5
With high school graduation certificate	16,090	13.6
Trades certificate or diploma	10,370	8.8
College	26,405	22.4
Without certificate or diploma	7,905	6.7
With certificate or diploma	18,515	15.7
University	36,945	31.3
Without degree	10,695	9.1
Without certificate or diploma	6,670	5.7
With certificate or diploma	4,035	3.4
With Bachelor's degree or higher	26,235	22.3
Total Population 20 Years and Over by Highest Level of Schooling	117,910	100.0

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 2001.

Highlights:

- In 2001, 9.3% of the Cooksville/Dixie population had achieved only a grade nine level of education or less.
- 28.2% of the Cooksville/Dixie population reported completion of high school as their highest level of education..
- 8.8% of the Cooksville/Dixie population reported their highest level of education to be certification in the skilled trades.
- 22.4% of the Cooksville/Dixie population reported their highest level of education at the college level; the comparative figure for Peel in 2001 was 24.5%.
- 31.3% of the population reported their highest level of education at the university level.
- 22.3% of the Cooksville/Dixie population (aged 20 years and above) reported having a Bachelor's degree or higher.

Table 4.14
Population Aged 15 Years and Over by Labour Force Activity:
Cooksville/Dixie, 1996 & 2001

LABOUR FORCE ACTIVITY	1996		2001		Rate of change 1996 – 2001	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Population 15+ Years	123,200	100.0	128,360	100.0	5,160	4.2
Not in Labour Force	37,835	30.7	39,300	30.6	1,465	3.9
In Labour Force *	85,365	69.3	89,055	69.4	3,690	4.3
Employed *	77,220	62.7	83,850	65.3	6,630	8.6
Unemployed **	8,145	9.5	5,190	5.8	-2,955	-36.3
Population 15-24 Years	21,400	100.0	21,410	100.0	10	0.0
Not in Labour Force	8,655	40.4	7,840	36.6	-815	-9.4
In Labour Force	12,745	59.6	13,570	63.4	825	6.5
Employed	10,700	50.0	12,150	56.7	1,450	13.6
Unemployed	2,045	16.0	1,415	10.4	-630	-30.8
Women with Children at Home	28,605	100.0	30,185	100.0	1,580	5.5
Not in Labour Force	8,615	30.1	9,185	30.4	570	6.6
In Labour Force	19,990	69.9	21,000	69.6	1,010	5.1
Employed	17,365	86.9	19,540	93.0	2,175	12.5
Unemployed	2,630	13.2	1,465	7.0	-1,165	-44.3

* Labour Force and Employed rates are expressed as a percentage of the total population aged 15 years and over.

** Unemployment rates are expressed as a percentage of the Labour Force population.

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- Overall, unemployment declined significantly between 1996 and 2001 in Cooksville/Dixie.
- In 2001, the labour force in Cooksville/Dixie consisted of 89,055 persons over age 15, an increase of 4.3% over the 85,365 persons in the labour force in 1996.
- The labour force participation rate for Cooksville/Dixie in 2001 was 69.4% compared to 69.3% in 1996.
- In 2001, there were 83,850 people employed in Cooksville/Dixie, an increase of 8.6% from the 77,220 employed people in 1996.
- Cooksville/Dixie's unemployment rate in 2001 for people aged 15 and over was 5.8%, down from the 1996 rate of 9.5%.

Table 4.15
Family Income: Cooksville/Dixie, 1995 & 2000

	1995		2000		Rate of change 1995 – 2000	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
# of Families with Income	41,840	100.0	44,300	100.0	2,460	5.9
Income less than \$20,000	6,595	15.8	4,235	9.6	-2,360	-35.8
Income \$20,000 - \$49,999	14,465	34.6	13,795	31.1	-670	-4.6
Income \$50,000+	20,780	49.7	26,270	49.3	5,490	26.4
Average Family Income \$	57,517		69,267		11,750	20.4

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- The average family income in Cooksville/Dixie was \$69,267 in 2000, an increase of 20.4% from the average family income of \$57,517 in 1995.
- Overall in Cooksville/Dixie, families with higher incomes are growing at a faster rate than families with lower incomes.
- The highest rate of growth occurred among families that earned \$50,000 and over. This group increased by 26.4% between 1995 and 2000, from 20,780 to 26,270.
- In 2000, 59.3% of families in Cooksville/Dixie earned more than \$50,000 per year, compared to 49.7% in 1995.
- The remaining family income groups decreased: the number of families that earned less than \$20,000 decreased by 35.8%, and the number of families that earned \$20,000 to \$49,999 decreased by 4.6%.

Table 4.16
Low Income Individuals and Families: Cooksville/Dixie, 1995 & 2000

	1995		2000		Rate of change 1995 – 2000	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Population in Private Households	152,705	100.0	157,200	100.0	4,495	2.9
Low Income	32,245	21.1	25,970	16.5	-6,275	-19.5
Other	120,460	78.9	131,230	83.5	10,770	8.9
Incidence of low income	21.1%		16.5%			
Total Economic Families	40,960	100.0	42,340	100.0	1,380	3.4
Low Income	8,035	19.6	6,135	14.5	-1,900	-23.6
Other	32,930	80.4	36,195	85.5	3,265	9.9
Incidence of low income	19.6%		14.5%			
Total Unattached Individuals 15 Years and Over	15,080	100.0	15,465	100.0	385	2.6
Low Income	4,980	33.0	4,755	30.7	-225	-4.5
Other	10,100	67.0	10,700	69.2	600	5.9
Incidence of low income	33.0%		30.7%			

Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 1996; 2001.

Highlights:

- The number of individuals in private households living on low incomes decreased by 19.5% between 1995 and 2000.
- The number of families living on low incomes decreased by 23.6% between 1995 and 2000.
- Overall, the incidence of low income among individuals and families in Cooksville/Dixie declined between 1995 and 2000.
- In 2000, there were approximately 25,970 persons in private households living on low incomes. The 25,970 low-income persons represented approximately 16.5% of the total population in 2000, compared to 21.1% in 1995.
- In 2000, there were 6,135 low-income families in Cooksville/Dixie. The 6,135 families comprised approximately 14.5% of the total number of families in Cooksville/Dixie, compared to 19.6% in 1995.
- In 2000, there were 4,755 unattached individuals living on low incomes in Cooksville/Dixie compared to 4,980 in 1995. They represented 30.7% of all unattached individuals in Cooksville/Dixie in 2000.
- There was a higher incidence of low-income among unattached individuals than among families in 2000: 30.7% versus 14.5%, respectively.