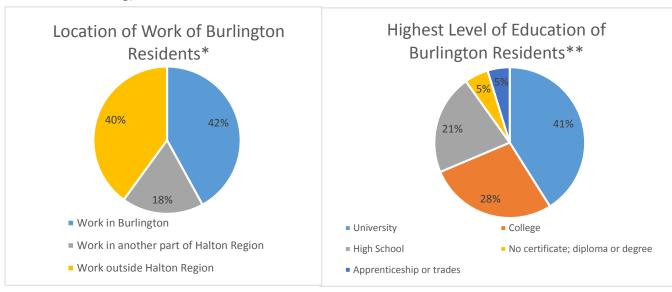


# 2016 Census Update: Education, Labour, Journey to Work, Language of Work, Mobility and Migration

## Highlights

- The population of Burlington is well-educated relative to Ontario. Out of the 95,995 adults aged 25-64, 70,495 (73%) have post-secondary education, which is above the Ontario average of 65%.
- Burlington has an unemployment rate of 5.6%, which is below the provincial average of 7.5%.
- The Top 3 Industries that the Burlington Labour Force (residents) work in are: Retail trade (12.2%), Health Care and Social Assistance (10.5%) and Manufacturing (9.9%).
- Of the employed population, 42% work in Burlington, 18% work in other parts of Halton Region, 40% work outside of Halton Region, and 0% work outside of Ontario.
- 86% of Burlington residents get to work by car. This is a decrease from 87% in 2006 and 89% in 1996. These numbers are higher than the Ontario average of 78% in 2016.
- 35% of Burlington's population have moved over the last five years. Of this 35%, 17% moved inside of Burlington, 15% moved intraprovincial to Ontario, 1% moved interprovincial, and 3% were external to Canada (numbers sum to more than 35% due to rounding).



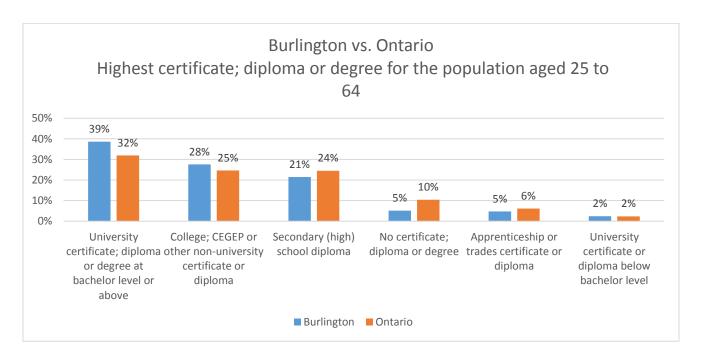
<sup>\*</sup>There is only a marginal change in the location of work of Burlington residents since 2006.

<sup>\*\*</sup>In 2016, 73% of Burlington residents had post-secondary education. This is an increase of 5% from 68% in 2006.

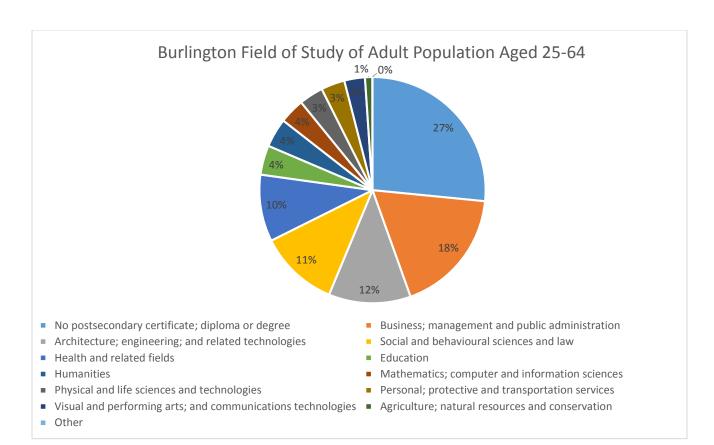
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## Education

- The population of Burlington is well-educated relative to Ontario. Out of the 95,995 adults aged 25-64, 70,495 (73%) have post-secondary education, which is above the Ontario average of 65%. In 2006, 68% of Burlington residents had post-secondary education.
- 39% of Burlington adults have a university degree or equivalent at a bachelor level or above as their highest level of education, which is an increase of 9% from 30% in 2006.
   This is also above the provincial average of 32% in 2016, which saw an increase of 6% from 26% in 2006.
- 8% of the Burlington's adult population have a master's degree and 1% have an earned doctorate degree.
- 18% of Burlington's population is educated in Business, management and public administration, which is above the provincial average of 14%.
- Of the 70,495 Adults aged 25-64 in Burlington with post-secondary education, 58,550 (83%) studied inside Canada and 11,950 (17%) studied outside Canada. This is different than Ontario where 79% studied inside Canada and 21% studied outside Canada.



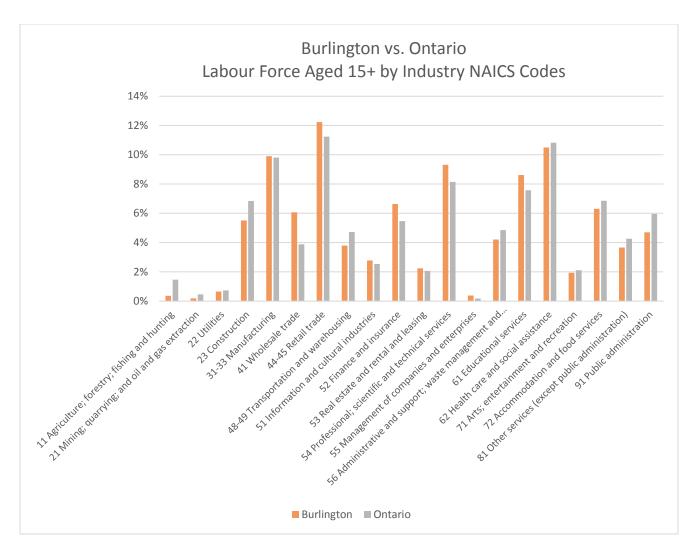
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#### Labour

- Burlington has 149,495 people aged 15 or over. Of this, 101,650 are in the labour force and 95,975 are employed.
- Burlington has a labour force participation rate of 68% (72.7% for males and 63.7% for females). This is above the Ontario average of 64.7% (69.1% for males and 60.6% for females).
- Burlington has an unemployment rate of 5.6%, which is below the provincial average of 7.5%.
- Out of the 105,420 people aged 15 or over that worked in Burlington, 55% worked full time and for the full year and 45% worked either part time or part of the year. This is above the Ontario average of 52% working full time for the full year and 48% working part time or for part of the year.
- Burlington residents worked an average of 43.6 weeks in 2016; Ontario residents averaged 42.9 weeks.
- 89% of Burlington workers are employees; 11% are self-employed.
- The Top 3 Industries that the Burlington Labour Force (residents) work in are: Retail trade (12.2%), Health Care and Social Assistance (10.5%) and Manufacturing (9.9%).
- 9% of Burlington's population aged 15+ work from home, which is an increase of 1% since 2006. This number is also above the Ontario average of 7% in 2016.

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#### Journey to Work

- Burlington's employed labour force aged 15 years and over in private households with a
  usual place of work in Burlington is 78,645, of this 42% work in Burlington, 18% work in
  other parts of Halton Region, 40% work outside of Halton Region, and 0% work outside
  of Ontario.
- The main mode of commuting in Burlington for the employed labour force aged 15 years and over in private households with a usual place of work or no fixed workplace address is by car with 86%, which is a decrease from 87% in 2006 and 89% in 1996. These numbers are higher than the Ontario average of 78% in 2016.
- 33% of Burlington's employed labour force aged 15 years and over have an average commute time of 15 to 29 minutes, this is followed by 26% with less than 15 minutes and 18% with 30 to 44 minutes. Burlington has fewer employees doing a 30+ minute commutes than Halton Region and Ontario, but slightly more than Hamilton.
- In Burlington, 29% of employees leave for work between 7 a.m. and 7:59 a.m., followed by 24% between 8 a.m. and 8:59 a.m. and 16% between 6 a.m. and 6:59 a.m.

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Table 1: Location of Work for employed labour force aged 15+

Location of Work	2016	2006
Work in Burlington	42%	44%
Work in another part of Halton Region	18%	16%
Work outside Halton Region	40%	39%
Work in a different province	0%	0%

Table 2: Main Mode of Commuting of employed labour force aged 15+

Main Mode of Commuting	Burlington	Burlington	Ontario	Ontario
	2016	2006	2016	2006
Car; truck; van - as a driver	80%	80%	72%	71%
Car; truck; van - as a passenger	6%	7%	6%	8%
Public transit	9%	8%	15%	13%
Walked	3%	4%	5%	7%
All Other Methods	2%	1%	2%	1%

Table 3: Commuting duration for the employed labour force aged 15+

Geography	Less than	15 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+
	15 minutes	minutes	minutes	minutes	minutes
Canada	28%	33%	20%	9%	9%
Ontario	24%	32%	21%	10%	12%
Hamilton (CMA)	23%	37%	19%	9%	12%
Halton (Census	22%	28%	21%	12%	16%
division)					
Burlington (City)	26%	33%	18%	9%	14%

# Language of Work

• 99.2% of the Burlington's population speak English at work. French and Non-Official Languages each make up 0.4%. This is different than Ontario where 97.2% speak English at work, 1.3% speak French, and 1.6% speak Non-Official Languages.

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## Mobility and Migration

- In Burlington, 89% of the population remained in the same place of residence and 11% of the population have moved over the last year. Of this 11%, 5% moved internal to Burlington, 5% moved intraprovincial to Ontario, 0% moved interprovincial, and 1% were external to Canada.
- In Burlington, 65% of the population remained in the same place of residence and 35% of the population have moved over the last five years. Of this 35%, 17% moved internal to Burlington, 15% moved intraprovincial to Ontario, 1% moved interprovincial, and 3% were external to Canada. Numbers sum to more than 35% due to rounding.

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