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1996 Census Profile

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Rathwood

History

The Rathwood District was predominantly agricultural until the establishment of the village of Dixie in the mid 1800's. The village, centred on the intersection of Dixie Road and Burnhamthorpe Road East, served as a service centre to the surrounding farms and orchards. As other more prosperous centres grew, Dixie declined and it's focus became more localized.

The area was originally planned for agricultural, residential, park and

open space and commercial uses in the Official Plan for the Township of Toronto Planning Area approved in 1953.

From the 1950's through the 1970's residential and retail commercial expansion and parks development completed most of the community.

Today, the focal point in the district continues to be centred on Dixie Road and Burnhamthorpe Road East which includes places of religious assembly, a district

shopping centre, high density residential housing, office uses and nearby library.

Table 1 - 1996 Total Population

	Total Population	Male	Female
Rathwood	32,730	16,025	16,735
Mississauga	544,380	268,205	276,180
Rathwood as a % of Mississauga	6.0%	6.0%	6.1%

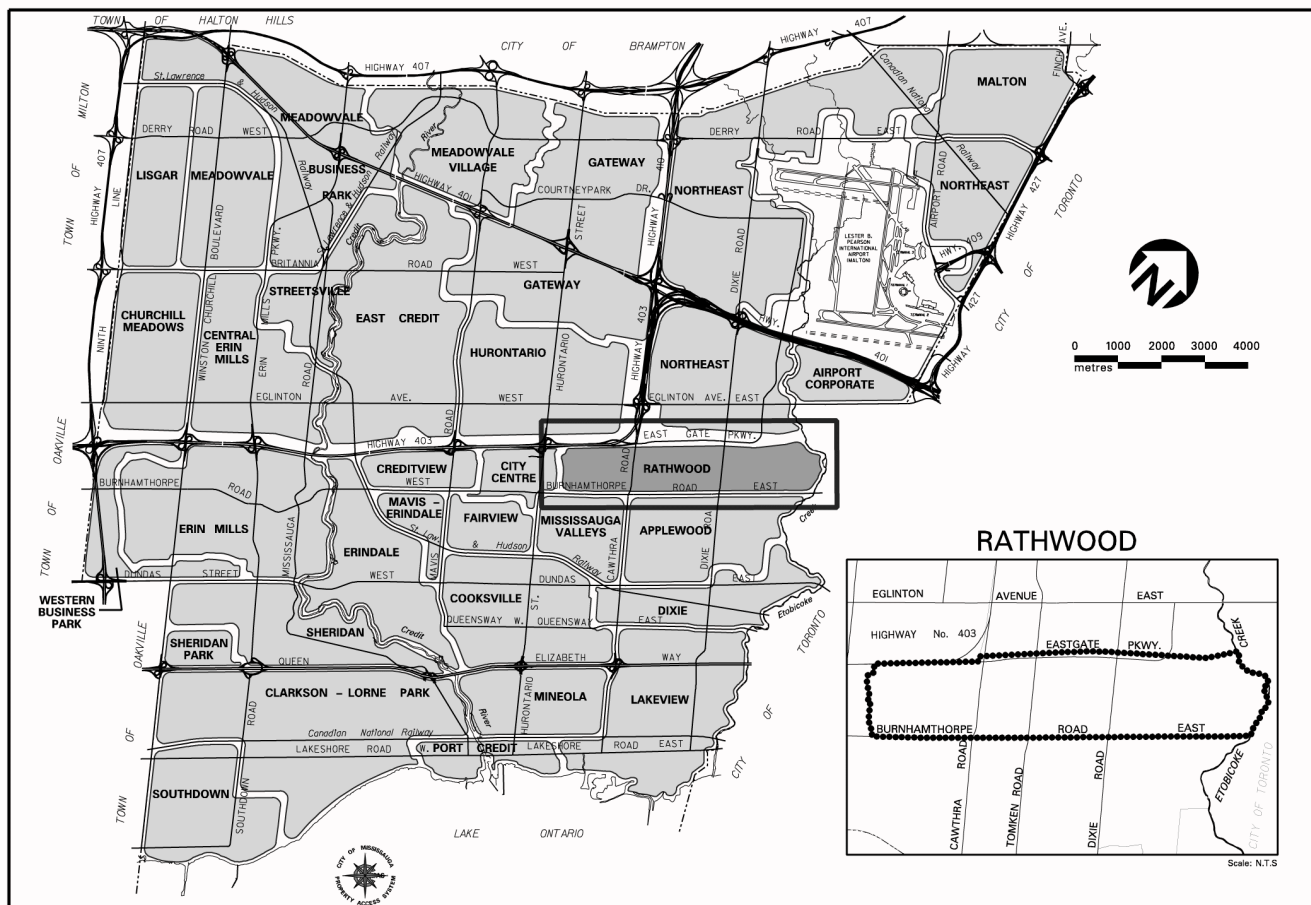


Figure 1 - Population Pyramid



Table 2 - Age Groups

Age Groups	Rathwood		Mississauga		Rathwood as a % of Mississauga
	#	%	#	%	
0-4	1,990	6.1	42,580	7.8	4.7
5-9	2,155	6.6	40,025	7.4	5.4
10-14	2,590	7.9	38,820	7.1	6.7
15-19	2,630	8.0	37,910	7.0	6.9
20-24	2,485	7.6	37,295	6.9	6.7
25-29	2,405	7.3	43,535	8.0	5.5
30-34	2,535	7.7	53,155	9.8	4.8
35-39	2,685	8.2	50,905	9.4	5.3
40-44	2,830	8.6	44,895	8.2	6.3
45-49	2,880	8.8	41,495	7.6	6.9
50-54	2,210	6.8	30,295	5.6	7.3
55-59	1,635	5.0	23,480	4.3	7.0
60-64	1,135	3.5	18,540	3.4	6.1
65-69	860	2.6	14,975	2.8	5.7
70-74	720	2.2	11,725	2.2	6.1
75-79	450	1.4	7,195	1.3	6.3
80-84	300	0.9	4,480	0.8	6.7
85+	260	0.8	3,075	0.6	8.5
TOTAL	32,730	100	544,380	100	6.0

Numbers may not add due to rounding.

Table 3 - Population by Ethnic Origin (Single Responses)

Ethnic Origin refers to the ethnic or cultural group(s) to which an individual's ancestors belonged and the ancestral roots or origins of the population. It is not the same as place of birth, citizenship or nationality. People who responded to more than one category were counted as multiple responses.

Ethnic Origin	Rathwood			Mississauga		Rathwood as a % of Mississauga
	Rank	#	%	#	%	
Italian	1	4,130	12.7	32,990	6.1	12.5
Chinese	2	2,260	7.0	28,325	5.2	8.0
Polish	3	1,985	6.1	23,755	4.4	8.4
Portuguese	4	1,850	5.7	22,355	4.1	8.3
East Indian	5	1,805	5.6	40,000	7.4	4.5
Canadian	6	1,485	4.6	39,010	7.2	3.8
English	7	1,085	3.3	31,600	5.8	3.4
Croatian	8	920	2.8	7,420	1.4	12.4
Filipino	9	915	2.8	15,685	2.9	5.8
Jamaican	10	755	2.3	14,080	2.6	5.4
Ukrainian	11	715	2.2	6,330	1.2	11.3
Maltese	12	445	1.4	2,475	0.5	18.0
Greek	13	420	1.3	4,435	0.8	9.5
Scottish	14	375	1.2	10,605	2.0	3.5
Korean	15	345	1.1	2,665	0.5	12.9
Irish	16	330	1.0	8,745	1.6	3.8
Slovenian	17	285	0.9	1,865	0.3	15.3
German	18	255	0.8	6,655	1.2	3.8
French	19	245	0.8	4,805	0.9	5.1
Spanish	20	235	0.7	3,490	0.6	6.7
Other Single Responses		4,370	13.5	74,595	13.8	5.9
Multiple Responses		7,225	22.3	160,565	29.6	4.5
Total Responses		32,465	100	542,450	100	6.0

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Table 4 - Place of Birth for Immigrants

Place of Birth	Rathwood			Mississauga		Rathwood as a % of Mississauga
	Rank	#	%	#	%	
Italy	1	1,790	11.4	13,780	5.9	13.0
Poland	2	1,605	10.2	19,570	8.3	8.2
Portugal	3	1,085	6.9	13,280	5.7	8.2
Philippines	4	890	5.7	14,310	6.1	6.2
India	5	865	5.5	23,860	10.2	3.6
United Kingdom	6	815	5.2	19,980	8.5	4.1
Jamaica	7	595	3.8	11,855	5.0	5.0
Croatia	8	580	3.7	4,300	1.8	13.5
Hong Kong	9	525	3.3	10,270	4.4	5.1
China, People's Republic of	10	415	2.6	6,345	2.7	6.5
All Other Places of Birth		6,520	41.6	97,310	41.4	6.7
Total Immigrants		15,685	100	234,860	100	6.7

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Table 5 - Immigrants Arriving Between 1991 and 1996

Place of Birth	Rathwood			Mississauga		Rathwood as a % of Mississauga
	Rank	#	%	#	%	
Sri Lanka	1	320	10.8	3,235	5.7	9.9
Philippines	2	280	9.4	4,495	7.9	6.2
Poland	3	270	9.1	5,815	10.2	4.6
Taiwan	4	265	8.9	1,015	1.8	26.1
Hong Kong	5	180	6.1	4,680	8.2	3.8
India	6	140	4.7	8,585	15.0	1.6
Pakistan	7	135	4.6	2,485	4.4	5.4
Jamaica	8	120	4.0	1,855	3.2	6.5
China, People's Republic of	9	100	3.4	2,420	4.2	4.1
Guyana	10	80	2.7	1,415	2.5	5.7
Iraq	11	80	2.7	585	1.0	13.7
All Other Places of Birth		995	33.6	20,540	36.0	4.8
Total Immigrants		2,965	100	57,125	100	5.2

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Table 6 - Visible Minority Population

Visible Minority is defined in the Employment Equity Act as “persons other than Aboriginal peoples, who are non-Caucasian in race or non-white in colour.”

Visible Minority Group	Rathwood		Mississauga		Rathwood as a % of Mississauga
	#	%	#	%	
Black	1,640	5.0	33,805	6.2	4.9
South Asian	2,825	8.7	61,520	11.3	4.6
Chinese	2,265	7.0	29,435	5.4	7.7
Korean	330	1.0	2,695	0.5	12.2
Japanese	35	0.1	2,115	0.4	1.7
Southeast Asian	285	0.9	7,505	1.4	3.8
Filipino	1,120	3.4	18,425	3.4	6.1
Arab/West Asian	780	2.4	10,050	1.9	7.8
Latin American	375	1.2	7,715	1.4	4.9
Visible minority, n.i.e. ¹	280	0.9	6,790	1.3	4.1
Multiple visible minority	255	0.8	3,865	0.7	6.6
Total Visible Minority	10,220	31.5	183,925	33.9	5.6
Non-visible Minority	22,230	68.4	358,530	66.1	6.2
Total Population	32,485	100	542,450	100	6.0

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¹ n.i.e. - not identified elsewhere

Figure 2 - Education Levels

(Total population 15 years and over by highest level of schooling)

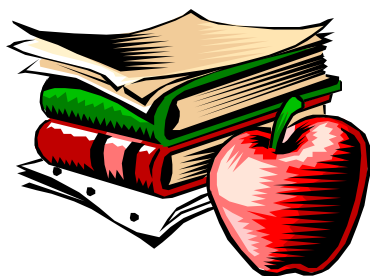
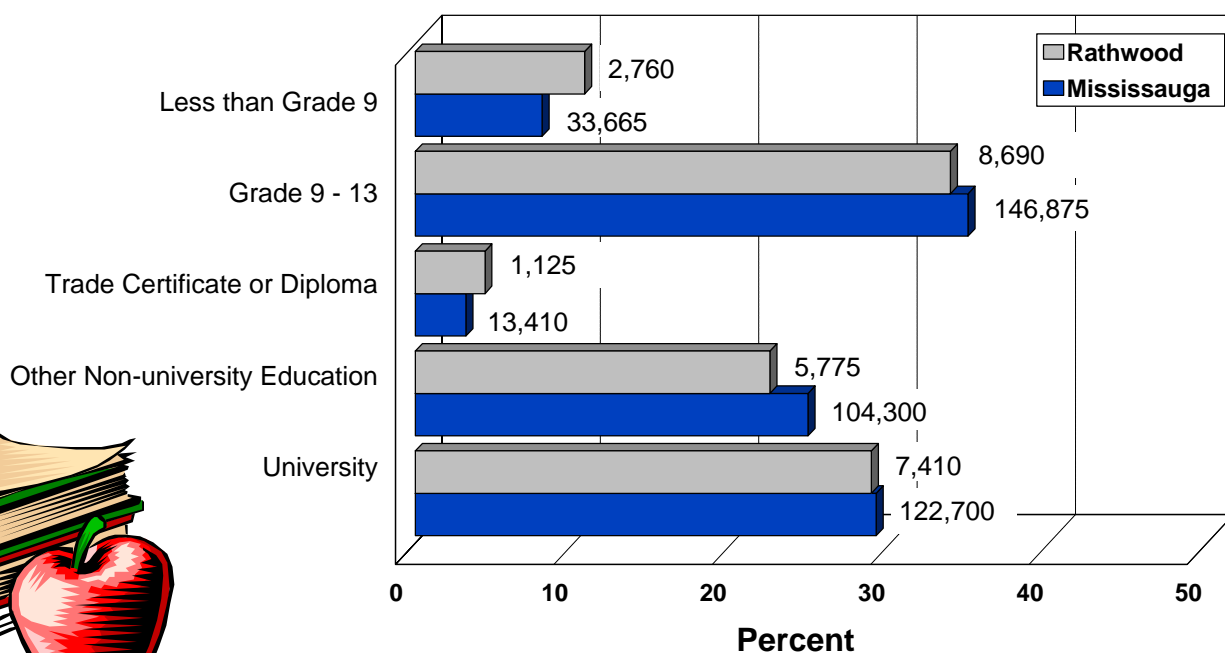


Table 7 - Total Labour Force by Industry Division

All Industries	Rathwood		Mississauga		Rathwood as a % of Mississauga
	#	%	#	%	
Manufacturing Industries	3,490	19.7	55,850	19.1	6.2
Retail Trade Industries	2,395	13.5	35,400	12.1	6.8
Business Service Industries	1,575	8.9	28,585	9.8	5.5
Wholesale Trade Industries	1,285	7.2	25,335	8.7	5.1
Health and Social Service Industries	1,295	7.3	20,700	7.1	6.3
Other Service Industries	1,250	7.0	20,035	6.8	6.2
Finance and Insurance Industries	960	5.4	18,415	6.3	5.2
Accommodation, Food and Beverage Service Industries	1,060	6.0	15,860	5.4	6.7
Transportation and Storage Industries	1,020	5.7	15,555	5.3	6.6
Educational Service Industries	775	4.4	14,405	4.9	5.4
Construction Industries	840	4.7	12,805	4.4	6.6
Communication and Other Utility Industries	750	4.2	12,055	4.1	6.2
Government Service Industries	560	3.2	9,605	3.3	5.8
Real Estate Operator and Insurance Agent Industries	310	1.7	6,825	2.3	4.5
Agricultural and Related Service Industries	30	0.2	975	0.3	3.1
Mining (including milling), Quarrying and Oil Well Industries	20	0.1	360	0.1	5.6
Logging and Forestry Industries	0	0.0	50	0.0	0.0
Fishing and Trapping Industries	0	0.0	10	0.0	0.0
TOTAL	17,745	100	292,850	100	6.1

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Table 8 - Total Labour Force by Occupation

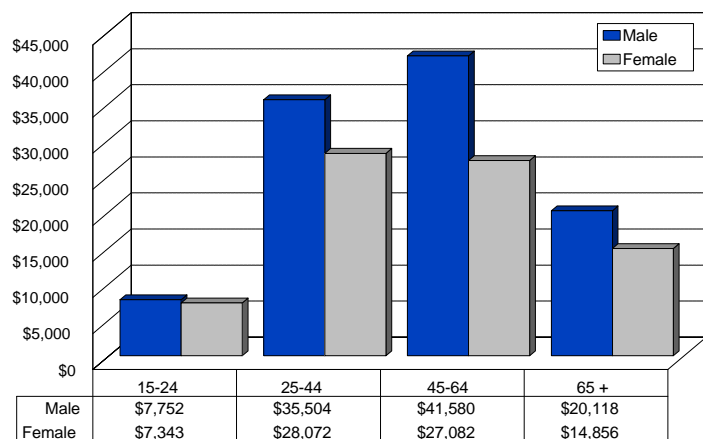
Category	Rathwood		Mississauga		Rathwood as a % of Mississauga
	#	%	#	%	
Business, Finance and Administrative Occupations	4,335	24.4	73,235	25.0	5.9
Sales and Service Occupations	4,395	24.8	69,720	23.8	6.3
Trades, Transport and Equipment Operators and Related Occupations	2,220	12.5	37,165	12.7	6.0
Management Occupations	2,055	11.6	34,100	11.6	6.0
Occupations Unique to Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	1,660	9.4	26,770	9.1	6.2
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related Occupations	1,005	5.7	18,290	6.2	5.5
Social Sciences, Education, Government Services and Religious Occupations	875	4.9	14,790	5.1	5.9
Health Occupations	740	4.2	10,840	3.7	6.8
Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport Organizations	370	2.1	6,085	2.1	6.1
Occupations Unique to Primary Industries	65	0.4	1,860	0.6	3.5
TOTAL	17,740	100	292,850	100	6.1

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Figure 3 - Average Total Income by Age & Sex, Rathwood

(1995 Income)


Average Total Income

Refers to the average total money received from the following sources during calendar year 1995 by persons 15 years of age and over: wages and salaries; net farm income; net non-farm income from unincorporated business and/or professional practice; federal Child Tax benefits; Old Age Security pension and Guaranteed Income Supplement; benefits from Canada or Quebec Pension Plan; benefits from Unemployment Insurance; other income from government sources; dividends, interest on bonds, deposits and savings certificates, and other investment income; retirement pensions; superannuation and annuities, including those from RRSPs and RRIFs; other money income.

Table 9 - Average Total Income (Age 15 Years and Over)

	Rathwood	Mississauga
Male	\$32,456	\$35,779
Female	\$23,129	\$22,799

Census Family

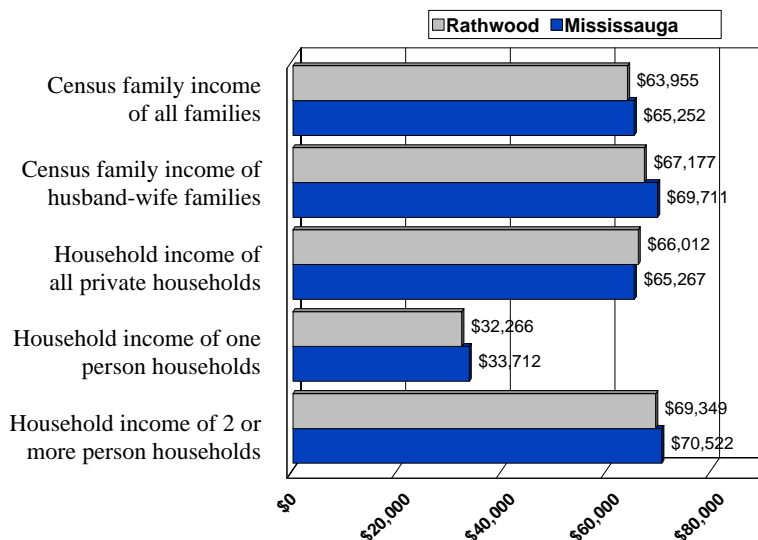
Refers to a now-married couple (with or without never-married sons and/or daughters of either or both spouses), a couple living common-law (with or without never married sons and/or daughters of either or both partners) or a lone parent of any marital status, with at least one never-married son or daughter living in the same dwelling.

Household

Refers to a person or a group of persons (other than foreign residents), who occupy the same dwelling and do not have a usual place of residence elsewhere in Canada. It may consist of a family group (census family) with or without other non-family persons, of two or more families sharing a dwelling, of a group of unrelated person, or of one person living alone.

Figure 4 - Average Family & Household Income

(1995 Income)



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