

# Our residents

## Bolton's population



**302,383**



**73,832**  
aged 0-17



**176,783**  
aged 18-64



**51,768**  
aged 65+



**14,930** stay at home  
to look after family/home.



**3,453** births in 2021



**2,132** children with  
special educational needs



**63.9%** of pupils  
achieving a good level of  
development at EYFS  
(aged 0-5yrs)



**0.14%** children  
and young people were  
permanently excluded



**322** of our **544**  
Looked After Children are in  
in-house foster placements



**15%** of Looked  
After Children adopted



**190** Care leavers



**4,331** of adults  
are accessing long-  
term support



**1,469** residents  
have a different sex from  
the one registered at birth



**2** year lower life  
expectancy than  
England average



**26%** live in an  
area that is among the  
10% most deprived  
nationally



**65%** of 40-74 year  
olds receive an NHS  
Healthcheck



**18%** (16+)  
have a disability



**25,980**  
unpaid carers



**31.24%**  
ethnic minority



**7,345**  
Armed forces veterans



**5,695**  
LGBT+ community



Within Bolton, life  
expectancy varies by  
14.9 years (male) and  
9.9 years (female)



Children and young  
people make up  
**19%** of all  
offenders in Bolton



**93%** of babies visited  
by public health nurses  
within 14 days of birth



**89.7%** of adults  
with a learning disability  
live in their own home or  
with their family