

APPENDIX 7 SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CONTEXT

Data captured below from the Office of National Statistics describes the social and economic constraints of the Northumberland Park ward.

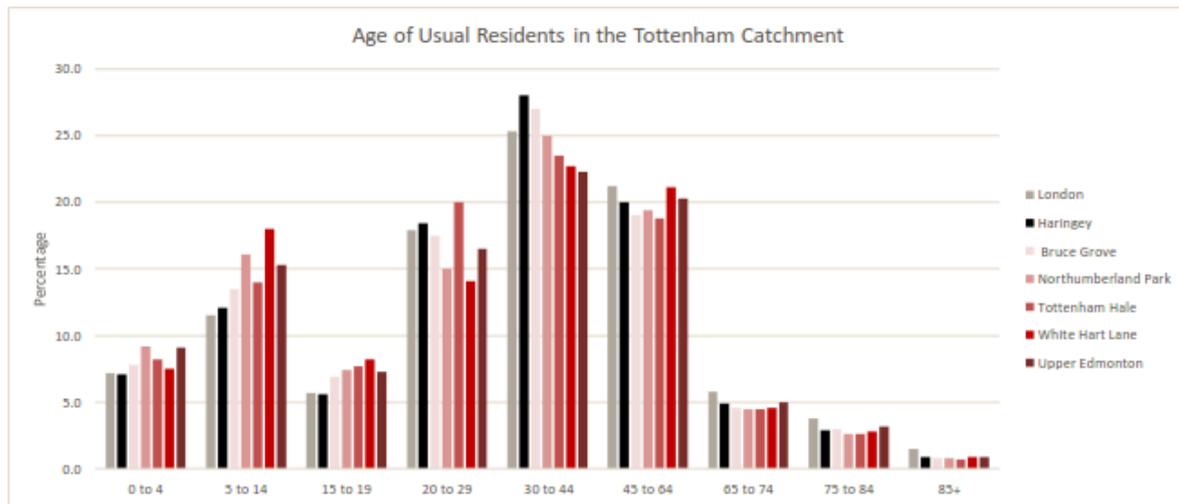


Figure 1 The existing Northumberland Park population is very young with a high proportion of children and young people in its usual resident base relative to the borough (16.1% and 12.1% respectively).

The population has a higher proportion of residents who identify as 'Black/African/Caribbean/Black British' than the borough average (40% vs 19%), and a lower proportion that identify as 'White' (39% vs 60%). A higher proportion of residents were born outside of both the United Kingdom and the EU compared to the rest of Haringey or London.

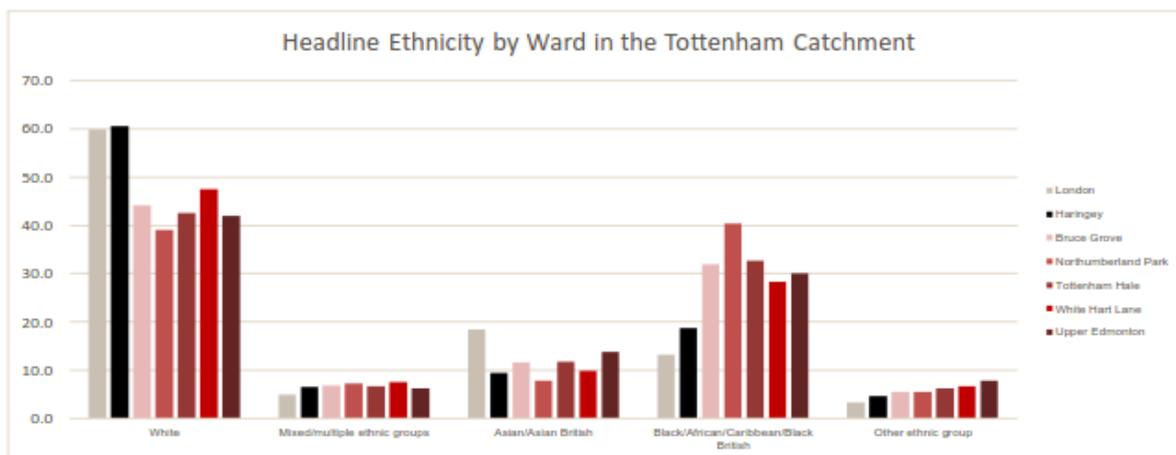


Figure 2 The existing Northumberland Park population contains a higher proportion of Black/African/Caribbean/Black British than the borough average

There is a high incidence of single parent families with dependent children when compared with the rest of Haringey (19% vs 10%), and the incidence of children living in poverty before and after housing costs is high at 31.75%.

Education standards are low relative to Haringey and London, with 29% of residents having no qualifications. The employment profile demonstrates a high level of semi-skilled or elementary occupations (21.7 per cent).



Northumberland Park is amongst the most deprived wards nationally on multiple indicators including service, income and employment deprivation, crime and barriers to housing, all of which are at the highest level nationally. There are more than twice the number of households experiencing three or four dimensions of deprivation than the average for London.

Deprivation in terms of living environment and education and skills training are within the worst quartile and at the highest rate in the borough.

Please see the Social and Economic Business Plan for more detail information on the social and economic context.