The City of Johannesburg at a glance

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The Persons under the age of **20 years** who have completed **grade 12** increased by **7.9%** from **1.63 million** in 2011 to **1.77 million** in 2016

HOUSEHOLD'S ACCESS TO BASIC SERVICES

Service	2011	2016	% increase
Access to piped water	98.6%	96.1%	-2.5%
Connection to electricity	90.8%	90.4%	-0.4%
Flush Chemical toilet *	90.5%	91.2%	0.7%
Households living in informal dwellings	17.4%	18.0%	0.6%
Households living in formal dwelling	81.4%	81.3%	-0.1%
Refuse Collection	95.3%	95.3%**	none

8.8%

The proportion of the **youth** (15 to 34 years) **as a percentage of the City's total population** has declined by **8.8%** from **42.0%** in 2011 to **33.2%** in 2016

- South Africa's population has increased from **51.77 million** in 2011 to **55.65 million** in 2016.
- The population of the City of Johannesburg has increased by 11.6% from **4.43 million** in 2011 to **4.94 million** in 2016**.**
- The youth (15 to 34 years) accounts for a third (33%) of the total population of the City**.**
- Both the female and male population accounted for 50% each of the City's total population.
- The City of Johannesburg is the most populous City followed by Ekurhuleni (3.37million) and the City of Tshwane (3.27 million).
- The Gauteng province continues to have the largest population of 13.39 million.

4 949 347

According to Statistics South Africa's 2016 Community Survey results, there are **4 949 347** people living in the City of Johannesburg.

This City's population represents of **8.9%** of South Africa's total population.

The City receives approximately **3027** migrants each month.

* Improvement in sanitation refers to those households with access to flushed and chemical toilets
** The refuse collection figure is for 2015 and not 2016

The City had a total of **1.43 million** households in 2011 and currently has a total **of 1.85 million** households. The number of households in the City have increased by **29.2%**

The household size has declined from **3.1** in 2011 to **2.7** in 2016.

Life Expectancy is at **61.7 years** for men and **64.3 years** for women

The Human Development Index is **0.71**