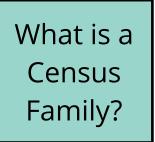
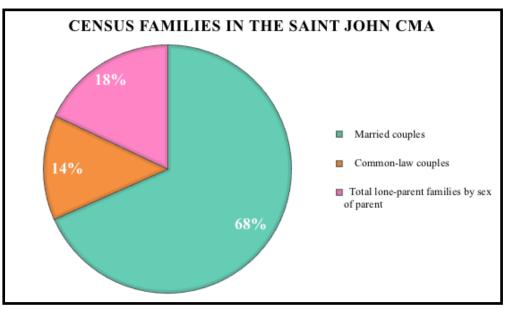


Family Characteristics: Saint John CMA



- Married couple with or without children
- Common-law couple with or without children
- Lone-parent with at least 1 child
- Grandchildren living with grandparents

*Children may be children by birth, marriage, common-law union or adoption



Source: 2016 Census Community Profiles, Saint John Census Metropolitan Area (CMA), Statistics Canada, 2016

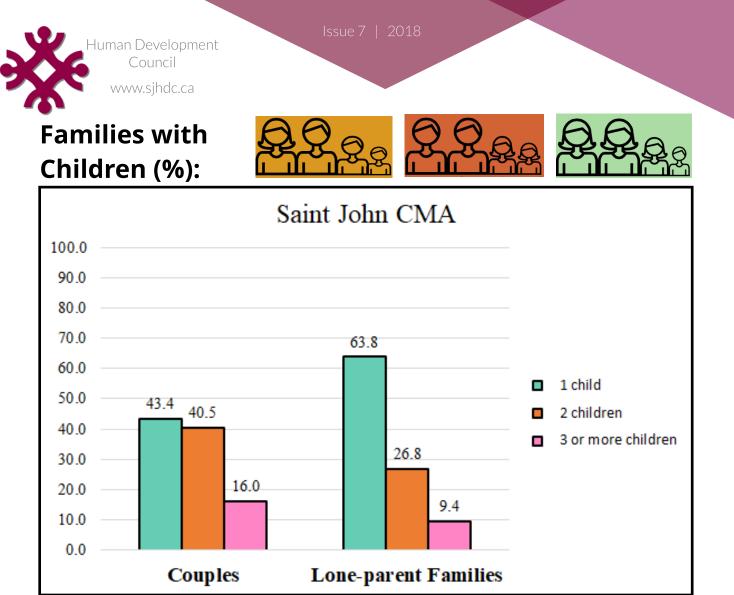
Average family size in the CMA is 2.8; Average family size in Canada is 2.4 15.8% of Couples with children in the CMA are Stepfamilies 12.3% of couples with children in Canada are Stepfamilies*

14.0% of adults in the CMA live alone; 13.9% of adults in Canada live alone**

*Source: Statistics Canada, 2016 Census of Population, Statistics Canada Catalogue no. 98-400-X2016028. **Source: Statistics Canada, 2016 Census of Population, Statistics Canada Catalogue no. 98-400-X2016024

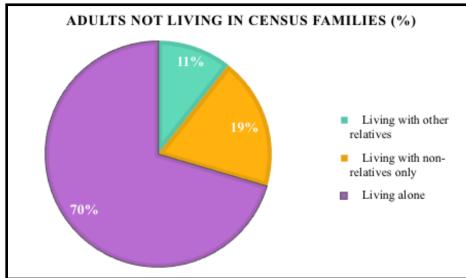
Couples without children vs. couples with children (%):

	Canada	NB	Saint John (CMA)	Saint John (City)	Rothesay	Quispamsis	Hampton	Grand Bay - Westfield
Couples without children	48.9%	56.6%	53.0%	55.5%	50.0%	44.4%	53.4%	52.0%
Couples with children	51.1%	43.4%	47.0%	44.5%	49.8%	55.5%	46.5%	48.0%



Source: 2016 Census Community Profiles, Saint John Census Metropolitan Area (CMA), Statistics Canada, 2016

What about those "not in census families"?



According to Statistics Canada people living with other relatives, people living with non-relatives and people living alone are not classified as a census family. In the Saint John CMA **20.4%** of adults over 15 do not live in a census family.

Source: Statistics Canada - 2016 Census. Catalogue Number 98-400-X2016028.

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