
STATES OF JERSEY



BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND CIVIL PARTNERSHIPS IN 2014: STATEMENT

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REPORT

The Minister for Home Affairs presents the following statistics for the year 2014 –

1. Statement as to the number of births and deaths, marriages and civil partnerships registered in the 12 parishes of the Island during 2014.

PARISH	BIRTHS	DEATHS	MARRIAGES	CIVIL PARTNERSHIPS
GROUVILLE	1	12	17	0
ST. BRELADE	2	40	106	2
ST. CLEMENT	0	14	10	0
ST. HELIER	1,013	494	244	7
ST. JOHN	1	2	4	0
ST. LAWRENCE	2	9	15	1
ST. MARTIN	0	13	38	0
ST. MARY	1	3	12	0
ST. OUEN	2	1	14	2
ST. PETER	2	64	21	0
ST. SAVIOUR	4	26	29	1
TRINITY	3	4	13	0
TOTALS	1,031	682	523	13

Notes:

- (i) When the various re-registrations¹ are deducted from the official birth registrations shown above, the number of children born in the Island in 2014 was 989.
- (ii) There were 3 stillbirths in the Island in 2014.
- (iii) The number of marriages performed in the Office of the Superintendent Registrar in 2014 was 180. This was 2 more than in the previous year. A further 186 civil marriages were celebrated in Approved Premises, 13 more than in the previous year. The most popular months for marriages were August (99), September (72) and July (71).
- (iv) During the year, 94 couples came to the Island to be married. This is 25 less than in the previous year. The most popular months for visitors were July (25) and August (16).

¹ Births can be re-registered under two of the Articles of the [Marriage and Civil Status \(Jersey\) Law 2001](#) (under Article 56, when adding the natural father's name for the birth of a child whose parents were not married to each other at the time the birth was registered; or under Article 57, when a child is legitimated by the subsequent marriage of his or her parents and a submission is made by the parents to the Superintendent Registrar for re-registration of the birth, or where the legitimation of a person is established by judgment of the Royal Court).

- (v) The number of deaths registered in 2014 was 682, 37 less than in the previous year.
- (vi) In 2014, there were 13 civil partnership ceremonies (14 fewer than in the previous year), which included 3 couples who came to the Island for their ceremony.

2. Table covering the period 1995 to 2014

YEAR	BIRTHS		DEATHS	MARRIAGES	CIVIL PARTNERSHIPS
	A	B			
1995	1,214	1,121	889	553	
1996	1,167	1,109	842	544	
1997	1,195	1,100	800	805	
1998	1,200	1,127	781	824	
1999	1,175	1,065	801	841	
2000	1,093	976	784	796	
2001	1,061	973	784	664	
2002	1,023	930	841	641	
2003	1,088	1,005	760	632	
2004	1,056	971	748	616	
2005	1,053	969	752	635	
2006	1,043	950	759	607	
2007	1,104	1,030	707	586	
2008	1,134	1,048	743	592	
2009	1,169	1,010	758	541	
2010	1,194	1,066	797	546	
2011	1,176	1,102	716	515	<u>From April 2012</u>
2012	1,214	1,123	762	540	17
2013	1,091	1,017	719	484	27
2014	1,031	989	682	522	13

Notes:

- (i) The figures for births shown above are, in column A, the number of births registered in each year, which includes the re-registration of births under the various Articles of the Law which provide for it and; in column B, the number of children actually born in each year.
- (ii) The table includes Civil Partnerships from April 2012 onwards.

Superintendent Registrar
27th August 2015