## Resident Workforce by Industry & Occupation What does resident workforce by industry and occupation tell us?

This data helps identify local workforce skills and the potential for skills development to not only provide new job opportunities for residents but also identify opportunities for the expansion of local businesses and the relocation of new businesses.

## What does Blayney's resident workforce by industry tell us?

Those sectors currently employing the most Blayney's residents according to Census 2011 data are Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing followed by Health Care and Social Assistance and Mining. The industries highlighted in Table 3.0 below show increases in the numbers of resident workers within

those industries between 2006 and 2011 as follows:

Mining	+119
Administrative and Support Services	+40
Education and Training	+37
Health Care and Social Assistance	+35
Other Services	+27

Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing employed most Blayney resident workers

Table 3.0 Blayney Resident Employment by Industry, 2006 – 2011

Industry sector of employment	2006 Number	2011 Number	2011 % of total	# Change 2006 to 2011
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	448	395	12.7	-53
Mining	164	283	9.1	+119
Manufacturing	276	268	8.6	-8
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	31	49	1.6	+18
Construction	191	203	6.5	+12
Retail Trade	234	238	7.7	+4
Wholesale trade	93	109	3.5	+16
Accommodation and Food Services	142	122	3.9	-20