

Statement as to the number of births, marriages and deaths registered in the twelve Parishes of the Island during 2009

The Minister for Home Affairs has the honour to present the following statistics for the year 2009:

1. Statement as to the number of births deaths and marriages registered in the twelve parishes of the Island during the year 2009.

PARISH	BIRTHS	DEATHS	MARRIAGES
GROUVILLE	0	17	10
ST. BRELADE	1	49	121
ST. CLEMENT	2	17	18
ST. HELIER	1162	549	245
ST. JOHN	0	3	7
ST. LAWRENCE	2	20	17
ST. MARTIN	0	15	41
ST. MARY	0	3	8
ST. OUEN	0	5	10
ST. PETER	1	39	24
ST. SAVIOUR	1	38	28
TRINITY	0	4	12
TOTALS	1169	758	541

Notes:

- (i) When the various re-registrations are deducted from the official birth registrations shown above, the actual number of children born in the Island in 2009 was 1010. Owing to a clerical error, the number of live births reported for 2008 was 973 and should correctly have been 1048 (18 more than the previous year).
- (ii) There were no stillbirths in the Island in 2009.
- (iii) The number of marriages performed in the Office of the Superintendent Registrar in 2009 was 183. This was 41 less than in the previous year. A further 174 civil marriages were celebrated in Approved Premises, 6 more than in the previous year. The most popular months for marriages were August (90), and July and September (70 and 78).
- (iv) During the year 142 couples came to the Island to be married. This is 13 less than in the previous year. The most popular months for visitors were August (26) followed by July (20) and September (19).
- (v) The number of deaths registered in 2009 is 16 more than in the previous year.

2. Table covering the period 1990 to 2009:-

YEAR	BIRTHS		DEATHS	MARRIAGES
	A births registered	B children born		
1990	1,171	1,112	863	62
1991	1,135	1,057	886	647
1992	1,202	1,137	825	641
1993	1,127	1,057	947	536
1994	1,210	1,147	841	539
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	1134	1048	743	592
2009	1169	1010	758	541

Note: 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.

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