

HOW DO WE STUDY POPULATION?

The population is the number of people who live in a place.

Changes in population

- **Population increases**
 - **Birth rate:** Number of babies born in a place.
 - **Immigration:** Number of people who come to live in a place.
- **Population decreases**
 - **Death rate:** Number of people who die in a place.
 - **Emigration:** Number of people who leave one place to go live in another place.

CALCULATING POPULATION GROWTH

- **Natural Growth** = Birth rate - Death rate
- **Net Migration** = Immigration - Emigration
- **Real Growth** = Natural Growth + Net migration

WHAT IS SPAIN'S POPULATION LIKE?

Population in Spain grows slowly because natural growth is negative and net migration is positive.

Spain's population is ageing, some of the reasons are high life expectancy and low birth rate.