

Top 10 Surnames

Top 10 most
common surnames
in London compared
with five U.S. cities

London	New York	Atlanta	Chicago	Denver	S. Francisco
Smith	Smith	Smith	Johnson	Smith	Smith
Jones	Brown	Johnson	Smith	Johnson	Johnson
Brown	Johnson	Jones	Williams	Miller	Lee
Clark	Cohen	Williams	Brown	Anderson	Williams
Taylor	Williams	Brown	Anderson	Brown	Brown
Davies	Miller	Davis	Jones	Williams	Anderson
Williams	Davis	Jackson	Miller	Jones	Wong
Johnson	Jones	Wilson	Davis	Davis	Jones
Harris	Green	Harris	Jackson	Wilson	Davis
Green	Lee	Moore	Harris	Moore	Miller

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Top 21 most
common surnames
in London
(based on search of
London telephone
directories in the
1960's)

1	Smith	8	Johnson	15	Thompson
2	Jones	9	Harris	16	Evans
3	Brown	10	Green	17	King
4	Clark	11	White	18	Phillips
5	Taylor	12	Wilson	19	Miller
6	Davies	13	Lewis	20	Edwards
7	Williams	14	Martin	21	Wright

Source: C.M. Matthews – English Surnames (Appendix 8)