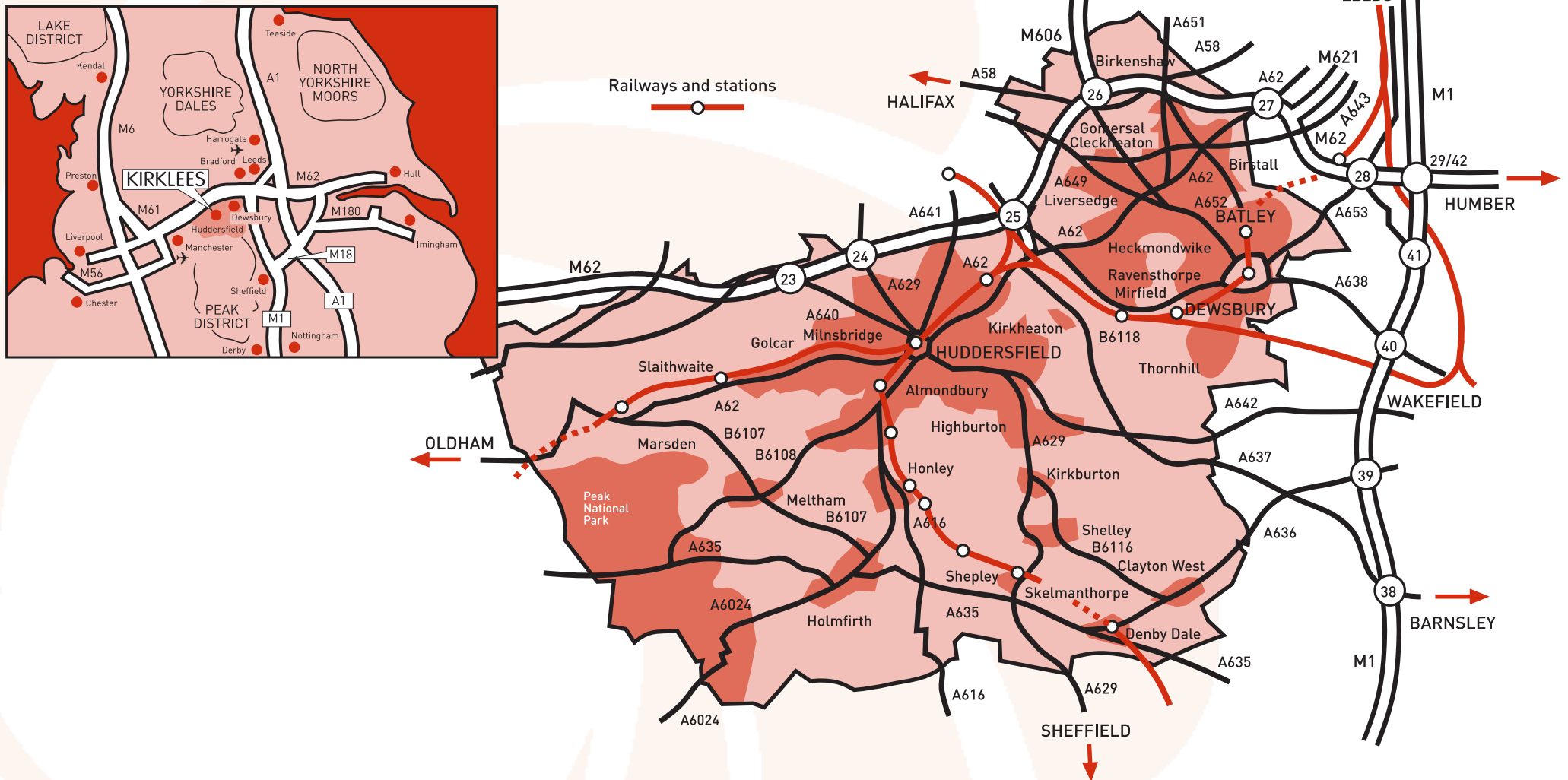


The Kirklees District

The large map shows Kirklees in detail, while the inset shows the district in context.



Rail Services

Huddersfield Services (Transpennine Express)

Destination	Frequency (trains per hour)
Leeds	Daytime 4 trains, evenings 2/3 trains, Sundays 2/3 trains, limited all night service.
Manchester	Daytime 4 trains, evenings 2/3 trains, Sundays 2/3 trains, limited all night service.
Manchester Airport	Daytime 2 trains, evenings/Sundays approx. 1 train, limited all night service.
York	Daytime 3 trains, evenings approx 2 trains, Sundays 2 trains, limited all night service.
Liverpool	Daytime/evenings 1 train, Sundays 1 train.
Hull	Daytime 1 train (last through service 19:16), Sundays 1 train every 2 hours until 19:32.
Middlesbrough	Daytime 1 train, (last through service 19:27), Sundays 7 through trains.
Newcastle	Daytime/evenings/Sundays 1 or 2 trains every 2 hours.
Scarborough	Daytime/evenings/Sundays 1 or 2 trains every 2 hours.

Local Services (Operated by Northern Rail)

Huddersfield to Bradford, Brighouse and Halifax	Daytime/evenings 1 train, Sundays 1 train every 2 hours.
Huddersfield to Leeds	Daytime/evenings 1 train. Sundays 1 train every 2 hours.
Huddersfield to Manchester/ Liverpool	Daytime/evenings 1 train. Extra services peak. Two trains per day extend to Liverpool. Sundays 1 train every 2 hours.
Huddersfield to Mirfield and Wakefield	Daytime/evenings 1 train. No Sunday Service.
Huddersfield to Sheffield/ Barnsley	Daytime/evenings 1 train, Sundays 1 train every 2 hours.
Batley, Dewsbury & Mirfield to Brighouse & Hebden Bridge	Daytime/early evenings 1 train

Source: West Yorkshire PTE (services shown above run from 8 September to 13 December 2008).

Bus services

Most bus services in Kirklees are provided by companies which are subsidiaries of bus giants Arriva, Stagecoach and First Bus.

A number of other smaller companies also operate within the area.

Total Monday-Saturday daytime route length in Kirklees is 383 miles with a daytime mean frequency of 3.1 buses each way per hour per route mile. Monday-Saturday evenings route length is 265.3 miles, with a mean frequency of 1.7 buses per hour each way.

Fares (August 2008)

Practically all bus and train companies operating in Kirklees and West Yorkshire accept Metrocard season tickets and Metro day rovers. Metrocards and Metro day rovers are administered by West Yorkshire Passenger Transport Executive and are available from post offices, railway stations and Metro travel centres. A number of types of Metrocard are available ranging from bus only (cheapest), to bus and all 5 rail zones (most expensive).

Example Metrocard Prices:

	Countywide bus	Rail zones 1 to 5 and countywide bus		Countywide bus	Rail zones 1 to 5 and countywide bus
Weekly	£19.50	£30.00	Quarterly	£211.00	£324.00
Monthly	£72.00	£111.00	Annual	£731.00	£1,125.00

Four types of day rovers are available which allow unlimited travel after 09:30 Monday - Fridays, and all day Saturday/Sunday/Bank Holidays.

Family day rover: £8.50 (valid on buses and trains, up to 2 adults and 3 children/concessions can travel on one ticket. May also be used by 2 adults travelling without children/concessionary passengers).

Train and bus day rover: one adult £6.00. Train day rover: adult £5.00, concessions/children £2.50. Bus day rover: adult £5.00.

Some bus companies run their own pre-paid season ticket schemes, e.g. First Calderdale and Huddersfield, which offer substantial discounts for regular travellers. Companies also offer local area day tickets which vary in price according to the time of day travelled. Holmfirth and Meltham passengers can buy through rail and bus combined tickets on Connection bus services.

Travel Information

For all bus and Metro Train enquiries phone 0113 245 7676 (open 07:00 to 22:00). For national rail and fares information phone 08457 484950 (24 hour service) or website www.wymetro.com.

Political profile

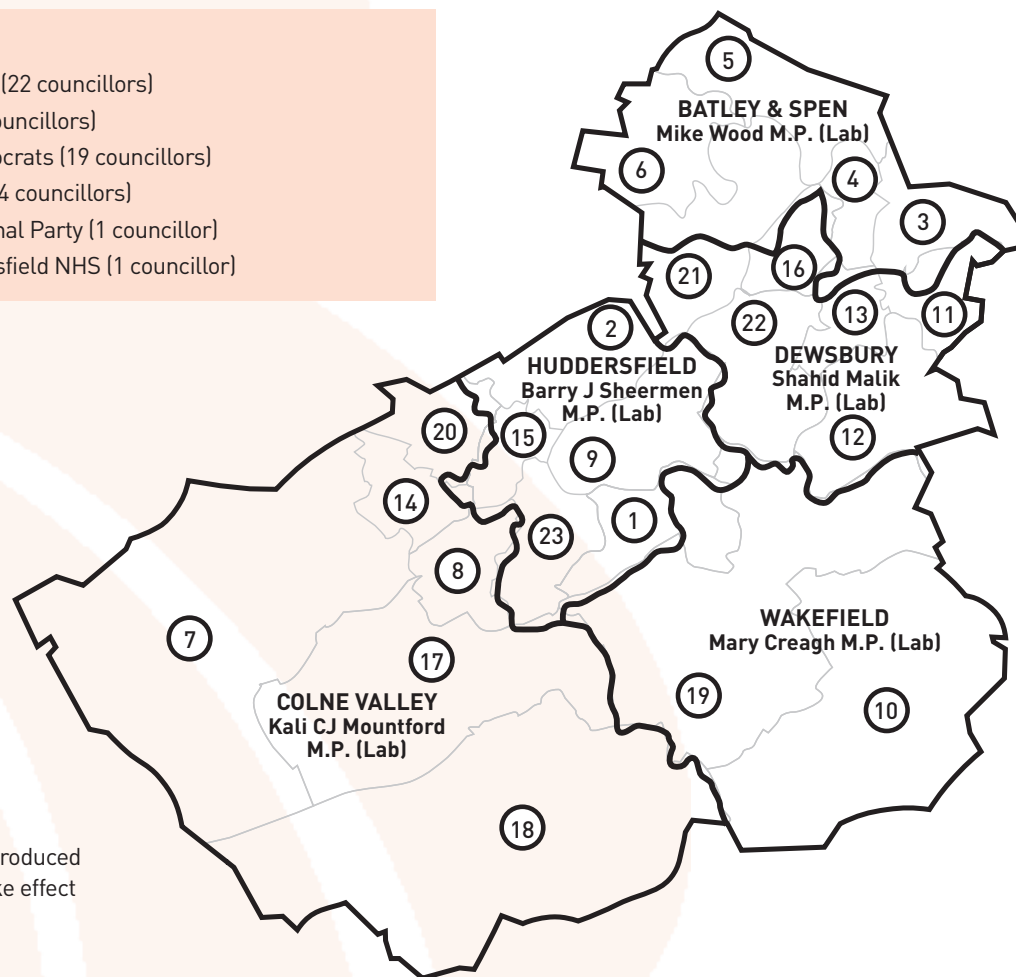
The initials in brackets after each ward indicate the political parties of the three Councillors in order of future election dates i.e. 2010, 2011, 2012.

Councillors:

- 1 Almondbury (LD LD LD)
- 2 Ashbrow (L L L)
- 3 Batley East (L L L)
- 4 Batley West (L L L)
- 5 Birstall & Birkenshaw (C C C)
- 6 Cleckheaton (LD LD LD)
- 7 Colne Valley (LD LD LD)
- 8 Crosland Moor & Netherton (S L L)
- 9 Dalton (L LD LD)
- 10 Denby Dale (C C C)
- 11 Dewsbury East (L L L)
- 12 Dewsbury South (L C C)
- 13 Dewsbury West (L LD LD)
- 14 Golcar (LD LD LD)
- 15 Greenhead (L L L)
- 16 Heckmondwike (BN L L)
- 17 Holme Valley North (C LD C)
- 18 Holme Valley South (C C C)
- 19 Kirkburton (C G C)
- 20 Lindley (C LD LD)
- 21 Liversedge & Gomersal (C C C)
- 22 Mirfield (C C C)
- 23 Newsome (G G G)

Key:

- C Conservative (22 councillors)
- L Labour (22 councillors)
- LD Liberal Democrats (19 councillors)
- G Green Party (4 councillors)
- BN British National Party (1 councillor)
- S Save Huddersfield NHS (1 councillor)

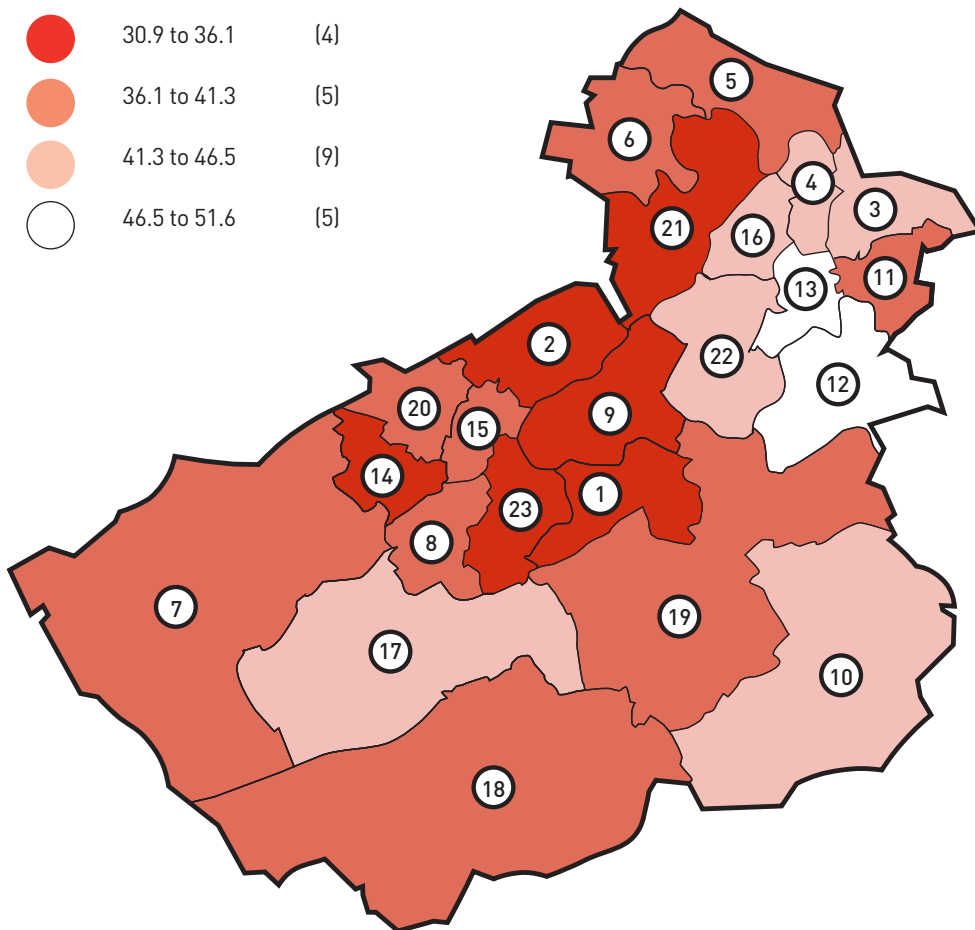
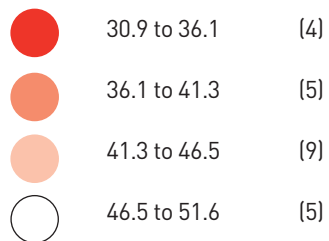


The current Parliamentary Constituencies do not 'nest' within the new electoral wards introduced in June 2004. However, the Parliamentary Constituencies have been reviewed and will take effect at the next General Election.

Further information may be obtained from Members Services (01484 221801).

This map shows the percentage of electors who cast a vote in the Council Election, May 2008. Turnout across Kirklees averaged 40.57%.

% Electors who cast a vote



Ward names

Ward names		% Turnout	Ward names		% Turnout
1	Almondbury	35.89	13	Dewsbury West	48.23
2	Ashbrow	35.86	14	Golcar	36.97
3	Batley East	45.80	15	Greenhead	40.98
4	Batley West	41.88	16	Heckmondwike	43.38
5	Birstall & Birkenshaw	37.87	17	Holme Valley North	44.62
6	Cleckheaton	40.68	18	Holme Valley South	40.63
7	Colne Valley	38.20	19	Kirkburton	40.30
8	Crosland Moor & Netherton	41.40	20	Lindley	41.28
9	Dalton	33.85	21	Liversedge & Gomersal	36.87
10	Denby Dale	44.45	22	Mirfield	41.74
11	Dewsbury East	40.43	23	Newsome	32.58
12	Dewsbury South	50.50			

European Parliamentary Region

Yorkshire and the Humber (6 M.E.Ps elected June 2004).

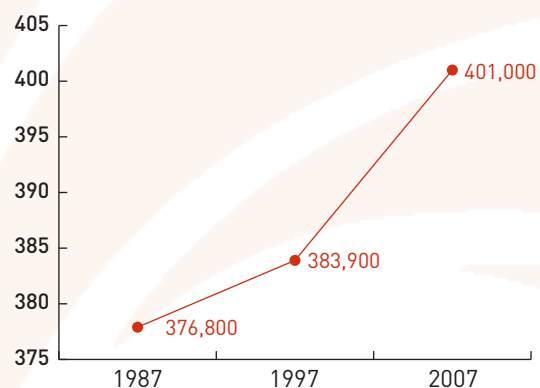
Edward McMillan-Scott M.E.P (Con). Timothy Kirkhope M.E.P (Con), Linda McAvan M.E.P (Lab), Richard Corbett M.E.P (Lab), Diana Paulette Wallis M.E.P (Lib Dem), Godfrey Bloom M.E.P (UK Independence Party).

The next Parliamentary elections take place on 4 June 2009.

Population and households

Kirklees has the eighth largest population of the 376 Local Authority Districts in the England and Wales – the largest of districts not based on a major city.

Kirklees population 1987 - 2007



Source: ONS Registrar General's Mid Year Estimates.

Kirklees population 2007

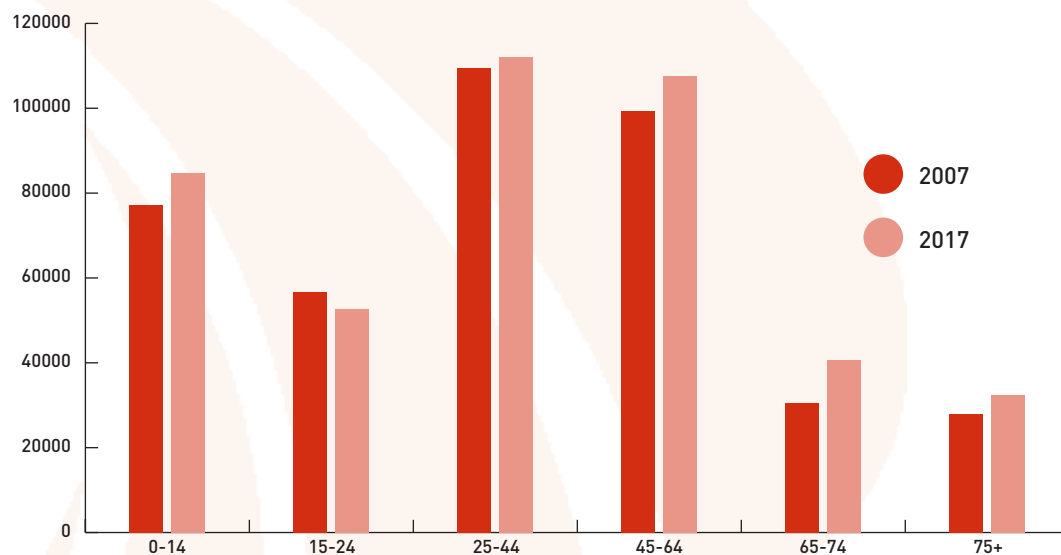
Age Group	Total		Male		Female	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
0-4	26,500	7	13,500	7	13,000	6
5-15	56,000	14	28,500	14	27,400	13
16-24	51,400	13	26,800	14	24,600	12
25-44	109,400	27	53,500	27	55,900	27
45-64	99,400	25	49,400	25	49,900	24
65-84	50,700	13	22,700	12	28,000	14
85+	7,700	2	2,300	1	5,400	3
TOTAL	401,000	100	196,800	100	204,200	100

Source: ONS, Registrar General's Mid Year Estimate 2007.

Kirklees projected population 2007 - 2017

Age Group	2007		2012		2017		Change from 2007
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
0 - 14	77,100	19	80,200	19	84,800	20	10
15 - 24	56,700	14	55,700	13	52,700	12	-7
25 - 44	109,400	27	110,000	27	112,100	26	2
45 - 64	99,400	25	103,900	25	107,600	25	8
65 - 74	30,500	8	35,400	9	40,600	9	33
75+	27,900	7	29,600	7	32,400	8	16
All Ages	401,000	100	414,700	100	430,100	100	7

Source: ONS revised 2006-based Subnational population projections, Registrar General's Mid Year Estimate 2007.

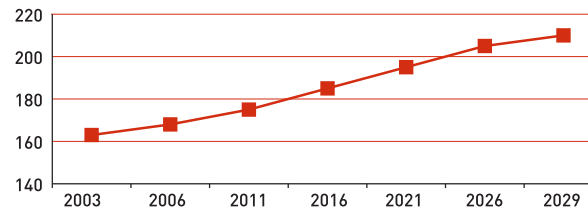


Source: ONS 2006 - based subnational population projections, Registrar General's Mid Year Estimate 2007.

Household Projections (000's)

	Kirklees	% increase from 2004	England	% increase from 2004
2004	163		21,602	
2006	167	2	21,519	3
2011	176	7	22,646	8
2016	186	11	23,837	13
2021	196	16	24,973	19
2026	204	20	25,975	23
2029	208	28	26,497	26

Source: 2004 based household projections, Department for Communities and Local Government (DCLG).



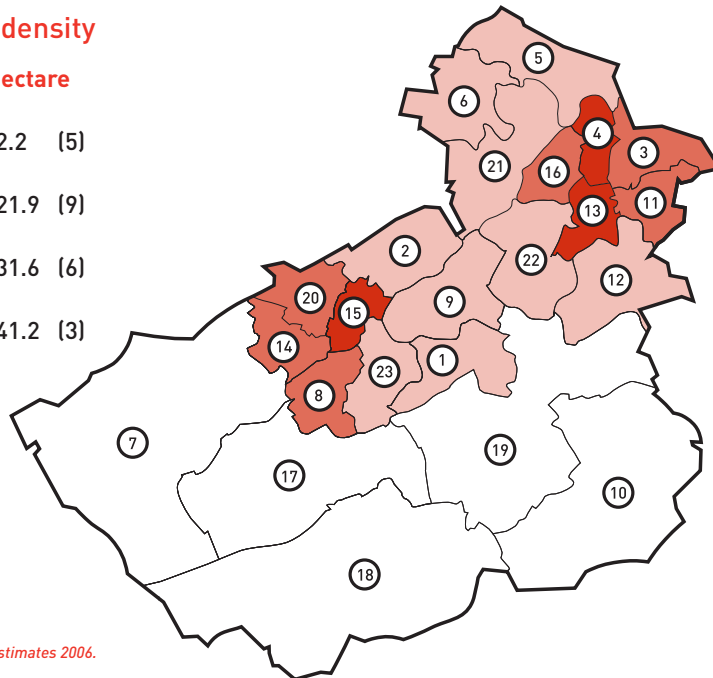
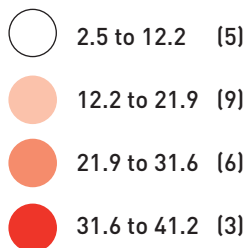
Household size

	No. of persons	No. of households	Kirklees %	England & Wales %
1	48,121		30.3	29.9
2	52,606		33.1	34.0
3	24,635		15.5	15.5
4	20,992		13.2	13.3
5	7,318		4.6	4.9
6	3,673		2.3	1.4
7	932		0.6	0.3
8 or more	739		0.5	0.2
Total	159,031		100.0	100.0

Source: ONS Census 2001.

Population density

Persons per hectare



Source: ONS LSOA Mid-Year Estimates 2006.

Ward names

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| 10 Denby Dale | |
| 11 Dewsbury East | |
| 12 Dewsbury South | |
| 13 Dewsbury West | |
| 14 Golcar | |

Major Towns and Settlements

Batley	44,990
Cleckheaton and Scholes (excludes Gomersal)	13,400
Dewsbury	56,030
Heckmondwike	11,470
Holmfirth (excludes Honley and Brockholes)	18,070
Huddersfield	124,380
Liversedge	16,860
Meltham	8,600
Mirfield	18,750

Source: LSOA Mid Year Estimates 2006.

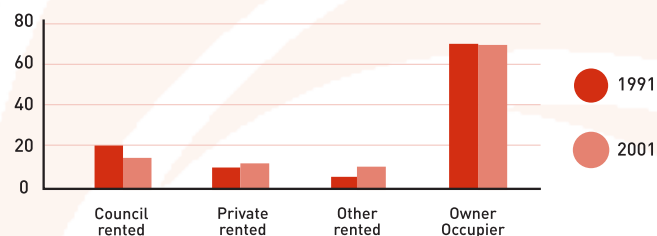
Housing, planning and regeneration

Housing tenure in Kirklees, 1991 and 2001

2001	No.	Kirklees %	E & W %
*Council rented	22,971	14.4	13.2
Private rented	12,874	8.1	8.7
Owner occupied	111,791	70.2	68.2
Other rented	11,395	7.2	9.8
Total households	159,031	100.0	100.0

Source: ONS Census of Population 1991 / 2001.

*Note: Kirklees Housing Services provide a more accurate figure of council rented accommodation recording 27,089 occupied as of April 2001, with a total of housing stock of 28,269.



Housing type

	No	Kirklees %	E & W %
Detached	33,041	19.8	22.8
Semi - detached	55,661	33.4	31.6
Terraced	58,930	35.4	26.0
Flat, maisonette or apartment	18,645	11.2	19.2
Caravan or other mobile or temporary structure	193	0.1	0.4
Total household spaces	166,470	100.0	100.0

Source: ONS Census 2001.

Average house prices April-June 2008

Type of property	South Kirklees (HD postcodes)	North Kirklees (WF and BD Postcodes in Kirklees)	KIRKLEES	Yorkshire and Humber	England and Wales
Detached	£289,558	£239,628	£273,394	£271,823	£337,995
Semi - detached	£150,705	£145,112	£147,985	£149,995	£196,292
Terraced	£115,454	£116,553	£115,911	£122,144	£174,937
Flat/maisonette	£129,673	£98,937	£120,068	£128,124	£203,286
Total	£161,012	£142,383	£153,342	£159,777	£218,972

Source: HM Land Registry.

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Sales of council houses

2002/03	775
2003/04	992
2004/05	682
2005/06	389
2006/07	281
2007/08	216

There have been 12,381 council houses sold since 1979.

Source: Strategic Housing Finance.

Planning Applications

	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08
Application received	4,049	4,413	5,099	5,309	5,320	5,406	4,991
Applications decided within 8 weeks							
Householder	73%	61%	76%	80%	89%	89%	94%
Other	49%	40%	50%	55%	70%	86%	75%

Source: Planning Services

Rents 2007

Average local authority rents

Kirklees	£53.17
England	£61.30

Average registered social landlord rents*

Kirklees	£64.94
England	£66.58

Source: DCLG live tables.

*Registered social landlords include housing corporations and housing associations

EU Funding

Between 2007 and 2013, Kirklees organisations will be eligible for funding under the new ERDF Competitiveness Fund, which replaces Objective 2 funding; and the ESF Employment Programme, which replaces the former Objective 3 programme. Both strongly echo the aims of the Lisbon Agenda with their focus on sustainable growth and jobs.

From a total **Competitiveness Fund** award for Y+H Region of €583.581,000, South Yorkshire has been awarded €270M and the rest of the region will share €312.54m. All parts of the region are eligible. These funds are focussed on the promotion of innovation, R&D, entrepreneurship and business growth, with an emphasis on the knowledge economy. The Programme will be managed through Yorkshire Forward.

The **ESF Employment Programme** in Y&H is being delivered through a Framework developed by the Regional Skills Partnership, which will support and inform delivery to add value to regional employment and skills priorities. Over 7 years, the Programme will provide around £122m for South Yorkshire and £146m for the rest of the region.

This will be matched with public funding, mainly through co-financing by the LSC and Jobcentre Plus. Activities within the programme will be centred on extending employment opportunities for those currently inactive and developing a skilled and adaptable workforce.

Contact: Heather Waddington European Activity Manager, Economic Development Service: Tel: 01484 221679

Dewsbury West Neighbourhood Management Pathfinder (2002 -2009)

Neighbourhood Management is a way of helping significantly deprived communities to improve their community, by working with service providers to enhance local services where problems have been identified locally. Between 2002 and 2005, Pathfinder

funding and other public and private sector contributions amounted to £3.37m. Over the three years to 2008, a further £1.7m will have been invested in the programme.

Contact: Roger O'Doherty, Pathfinder; Tel: 01924 325212

Sure Start 1998-2011

This is a Government initiative with earmarked funding for work with parents and parents-to-be, particularly those who are disadvantaged. Funding was initially to 2008, but Government provided a further £39.9m for Kirklees for the period from 2008 to 2011. Currently, there are 30 Children's Centres across the District.

Contact: Wendy Bennett, Sure Start Development Manager: Tel: 01484 225041

Neighbourhood Renewal (2008-2010)

From April 2008, Neighbourhood Renewal funding (NRF) came to an end and was replaced by the Working Neighbourhoods Fund (WNF).

However, Kirklees was not successful in securing WNF monies because its level of deprivation (based partly on the Index of Deprivation 2007), although high, was not as extensive as in some other parts of the country. Instead, the District has been awarded two years' transitional funding of £4.1m. from 2008 to 2010 in lieu of WNF - £2.93m in year 1 and just under £1.2m in year 2.

This played a leading role in the 2008/09 Council budget process, enabling a number of NRF activities to be continued for a further 2 years, with a commitment to mainstreaming after that point.

Contact: Julie Fothergill Kirklees Partnership Manager: Tel: 01484 221418

West Yorkshire Investment Plan (2004-2009)

As part of Yorkshire Forward's Single Pot funding, each of the four sub regional partnership in Yorkshire has produced an investment plan with clear economic priorities and has commissioned projects to address them. West Yorkshire has been allocated £192m in uncommitted funding to 2009. As part of the Skills theme, £1.4m from YF, along with LSC and EU co-financing, has been put into a Skills Action Plan (May 2006-December 2007).

Contact: James Devitt, Economic Development Service; Tel: 01484 221672

Renaissance Market Town Programme (2006-2009)

An integrated programme of activity bringing renaissance to the two Colne Valley communities of Marsden and Slaithwaite. Development activity began in 2003 as part of the Renaissance Market Towns programme. The first phase of funding of a three-year, £8m funding package began in April 2006. Yorkshire Forward, Kirklees Council and the NHS are the main public sector funders.

Contact: Maggie Mellor, Economic Development Service; Tel: 01484 221673

Environment

Kirklees is the third largest Metropolitan District in area - it covers 157 square miles or 40,860 hectares. 4,574 hectares or 11.2% of the district is in the Peak District National Park.

The extremes of altitude in Kirklees range from 33m (108 ft) at Thornhill Lees to 582m (1903 ft) at Black Hill.

Source: Kirklees Environment Unit.

Recycling 2007/2008

Facility	No.	Tonnes recycled
Kerbside glass collections	94,000	2,038
Green bins	163,423	15,601
Glass	129	18,279
Paper	23	3,911
Textiles	25	975
Shoes	13	26
Office paper	382 offices	279
Car batteries	5	80
Oil	5	37
Books	7	16
Plastics	5	75
Cardboard	5	1,047
Wood	5	4,216
Mixed cans	11	75

Source: Kirklees Environmental Waste. (Contact Recycling Helpline 01484 223115).

Other Services

In 2007/08 17,496 fridges were sent for safe removal of CFCs and subsequent recycling.

4,538 home composters have been distributed through Kirklees Environmental Waste promotion over the last year.

Environmental monitoring

Environmental Services carry out monitoring on:

	No. of locations	Frequency
Sulphur dioxide	3	continuous
Nitrogen dioxide	71	continuous
Particulates	7	continuous
Background radiation	4	monthly

Swimming pool water at 41 pools.

Full chemical and biological tests on private water supplies, i.e. those derived from boreholes, springs and wells, is carried out on a regular basis.

Source: Kirklees Scientific Services (Contact Andrew Simnett 01484 226477).

Urban air quality - continuous monitoring

Sulphur dioxide	} Huddersfield Town Centre & Holmfirth + 2 mobile units
Oxides of nitrogen	} Huddersfield + 7 mobile units + 63 NO ₂ tube sites
Carbon monoxide	} 1 mobile unit
Ozone	} 2 mobile units
Particulates (PM10)	} 7 mobile units

Road casualties 2006 and 2007

	2006	Rate per 1000 population	2007	Rate per 1000 population
Kirklees - fatalities	17	0.04	9	0.04
- injuries	1,922	5.13	1,915	4.78
Great Britain - fatalities	3,172	0.05	2,943	0.05
- injuries	255,232	4.34	244,837	4.13

Source: Kirklees Highways Service.

Land use statistics 2005

Type of Land Use	Kirkles hectares ² No.	%
Total Area of All Land Types*	40,506.8	100.0
Area of Domestic Buildings	1,083.0	2.7
Area of Non Domestic Buildings	674.0	1.7
Area of Road, Path, Rail	2,119.8	5.2
Area of Gardens	3,680.6	9.1
Area of Greenspace	31,357.8	77.4
Area of Water	477.5	1.2
Area of Other Land Users	1,114.1	2.8

Source: ODPM - Generalised Land Use Database.

*Note: Statistics are calculated from whole land parcels which do not correspond exactly to the Kirkles administrative boundary. Hence the figure shown here is different from the Kirkles council area of 40860 hectares.

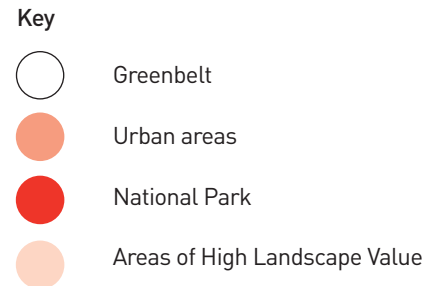
Agricultural land use and employment 2007

Category of Land	Hectares
Temporary grass area	2,513
Permanent grass area	12,043
Woodland	418
Rough grazing	2,746
Crops and fallow	1,780
Other land area	148
Farmed areas	19,853

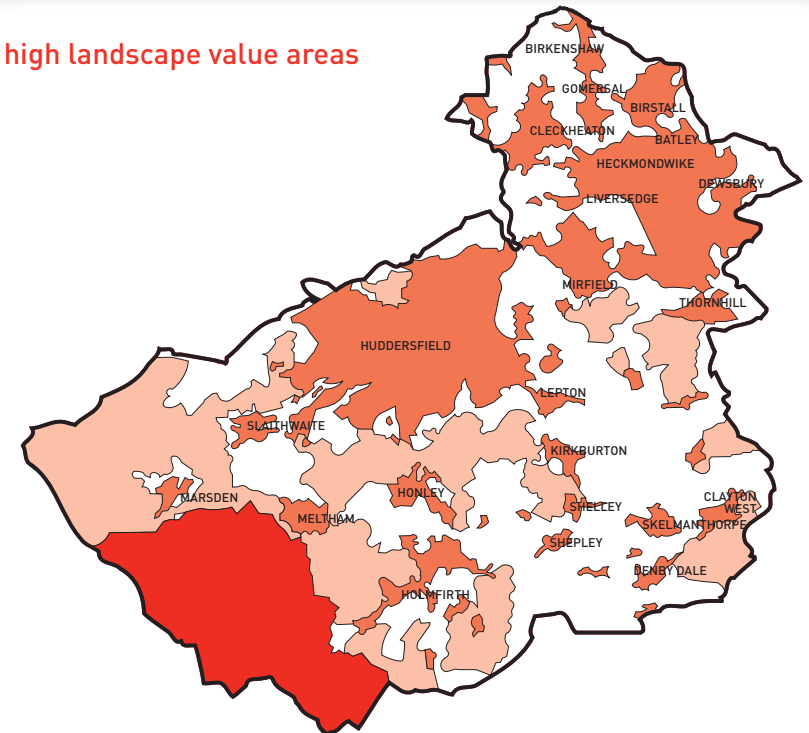
Workers	Number
Farmers full-time	367
Farmers part-time	821
Managers	34
Employees full-time	117
Employees part-time	128
Casual labour	42
Total labour (excluding casual)	1,509

Source: DEFRA Annual Agriculture and Horticulture Survey.

National Park, greenbelt, urban and high landscape value areas



Source: Kirkles Planning Services.



Weather (Huddersfield Town Centre)

Minimum dry bulb air temperature	-3.5 Celsius	17/12/2007
Maximum dry bulb air temperature	27.6 Celsius	05/08/2007
Mean daily temperature	10.7 Celsius	
Strongest gust	40.2 knots	18/01/2007
Total 12 monthly rainfall	987mm	
Rainiest month	June 2007 (214mm of rain)	
Driest month	April 2007 (2mm of rain)	
No. of days without rain	171	
Sunniest day	12.8 hours	01/05/2007
No. of days with less than 1 hour of sunshine	93	

Source: Environmental Services. Information relates to the period January 2006 to December 2007.

The local economy

Employees 2006

Great Britain

Industry	Male	%	Female	%	Total	%
Primary production	205,727	1.6	78,249	0.6	284,020	1.1
Manufacturing	2,137,831	16.2	725,587	5.5	2,863,418	10.9
Construction	1,062,707	8.0	194,529	1.5	1,257,235	4.8
Distribution, hotels and restaurants	2,967,557	22.4	3,224,801	24.6	6,192,360	23.5
Transport and communications	1,146,000	8.7	403,663	3.1	1,549,663	5.9
Banking, finance and insurance, etc	3,016,115	22.8	2,574,749	19.7	5,590,858	21.2
Public admin., education & health	1,950,310	14.7	5,140,534	39.3	7,090,844	26.9
Other services	669,133	5.1	722,352	5.5	1,391,486	5.3
TOTAL	13,155,380	100.0	13,064,464	100.0	26,219,884	100.0

Kirklees

Industry	Male	%	Female	%	Total	%
Primary production	385	0.5	181	0.2	566	0.4
Manufacturing	23,533	29.9	9,727	12.7	33,260	21.5
Construction	5,982	7.6	1,240	1.6	7,222	4.7
Distribution, hotels and restaurants	17,896	22.8	18,939	24.8	36,835	23.8
Transport and communications	5,355	6.8	1,236	1.6	6,591	4.3
Banking, finance and insurance, etc	12,350	15.7	10,210	13.4	22,560	14.6
Public admin., education & health	9,605	12.2	31,153	40.8	40,758	26.3
Other services	3,140	4.0	3,610	4.7	6,750	4.4
TOTAL	78,246	100.0	76,296	100.0	154,542	100.0

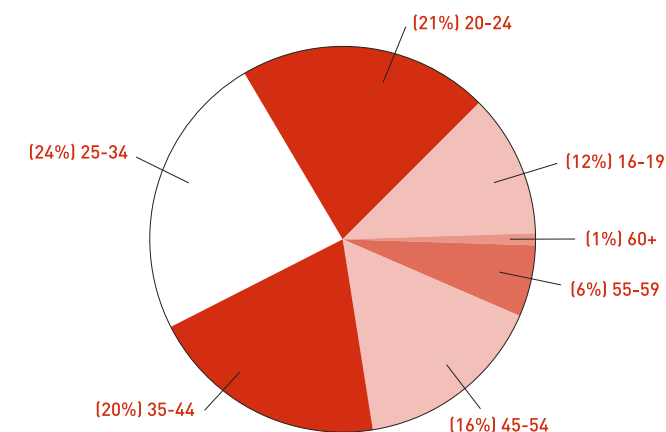
Source: ONS Annual Business Inquiry December 2006. People in self employment not counted in the above figures.

Average median gross weekly earnings and hours worked April 2007 (residents of Kirklees)

	All Workers		Full Time Workers		Part Time Workers	
	Kirklees	GB	Kirklees	GB	Kirklees	GB
Weekly pay - excluding overtime	£328.60	£358.40	£422.00	£434.10	£129.70	£138.10
Hourly pay - excluding overtime	£9.59	£10.20	£11.08	£11.40	£7.09	£7.28
Hours worked - total	37.0	37.0	37.5	37.5	18.5	19.0
Hours worked - basic	37.0	36.9	37.5	37.5	17.9	18.4
Hours worked - overtime	4.0	4.0	n/a	4.3	n/a	2.9

Source: Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings 2007/ONS.

Age structure of the unemployed June 2008



Source: ONS (claimant count). Percentage shown is % of all people unemployed.

Structure of employment 2006

	No.	Kirklees	Great Britain
		%	%
Full-time males	66,241	43	43
Part-time males	12,384	8	8
Total males	78,623	51	50
Full-time females	35,265	23	26
Part-time females	41,081	27	23
Total females	76,345	49	50

All percentages are given as a % of total employees in employment.

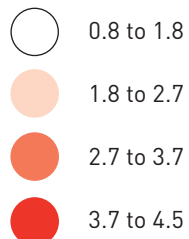
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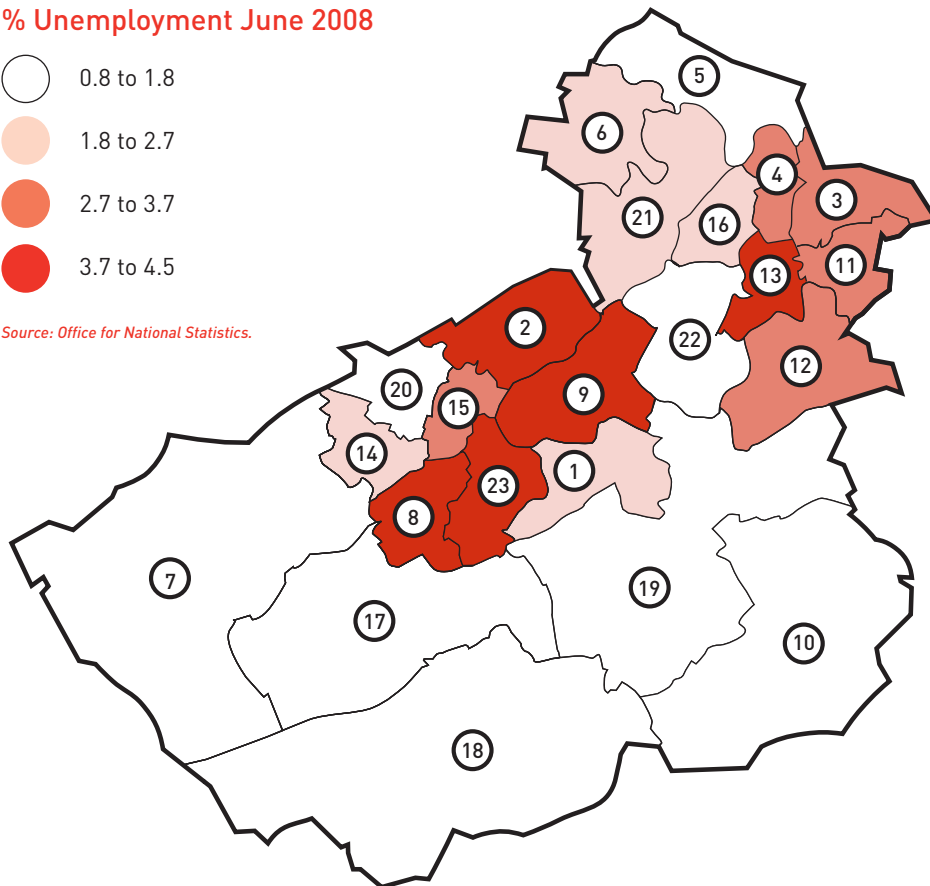
Unemployment profile (claimant count)

No official unemployment rates are available for wards. The rates shown here are calculated by Kirklees Economic Development Service. They are calculated on the same basis as rates for larger areas and show the number of people claiming Jobseekers' Allowance as a percentage of the working age resident population of each ward. A breakdown of economic activity/unemployment by ethnic group from the 2001 Census can be found on Factsheet 11 (Minority Ethnic Groups).

% Unemployment June 2008



Source: Office for National Statistics.



Ward names

1 Almondbury	8 Crosland Moor & Netherton	16 Heckmondwike
2 Ashbrow	9 Dalton	17 Holme Valley North
3 Batley East	10 Denby Dale	18 Holme Valley South
4 Batley West	11 Dewsbury East	19 Kirkburton
5 Birstall & Birkenshaw	12 Dewsbury South	20 Lindley
6 Cleckheaton	13 Dewsbury West	21 Liversedge & Gomersal
7 Colne Valley	14 Golcar	22 Mirfield
	15 Greenhead	23 Newsome

Unemployment rates

Claimant count

	Kirklees	Yorks & Humbs	Great Britain
June 2006	2.5%	2.8%	2.5%
June 2007	2.5%	2.6%	2.3%
June 2008	2.5%	2.5%	2.2%

For further information contact the Economic Development Service, Graham Lindsay 01484 221548 and Muz Mumtaz 01484 221656.

Source: Office for National Statistics.

Annual Population Survey: Kirklees

The Annual Population Survey uses a different measure of unemployment based on an International Labour Organisation definition which is broader than the claimant definition, and is counted using different methodology.

October 2006 - September 2007

	Number	%
Economic activity rate: all of working age	196,400	79.8
IL0 unemployment rate: all of working age	9,600	4.9
Employed	161,200	65.5
Self employed	24,500	9.9

Source: Office for National Statistics, Annual Population Survey.

Social profile

Lone parents with dependent children (August 2005)

	No.	%	GB
In work ¹	7,765	56.2	52.2
Out of work ¹	6,050	43.8	47.8
Total lone parent families ²	13,815	26.9	27.6

Source: HM Revenues and Customs.

Note: ¹ Percentage all lone parent families ² Percentage all families

Gross household income 2008

The mean gross household income in Kirklees including Income Support and other welfare benefits paid directly to the claimant is £32,300. Great Britain is £34,400. Kirkburton has the highest income at £40,700 and Batley East the lowest at £26,800.

Source: CACI Paycheck Model 2007

Number of pupils receiving free school meals and clothing grants January 2008

	Free Meals Only		FM & Clothing	
	No.	%	No.	%
Primary schools	3	0.0	5,848	19.2
Middle schools	0	0.0	183	7.1
Secondary schools	229	1.0	3,606	15.2
Special schools	27	3.3	256	31.4
Total	259	0.4	9,893	17.2

Source: Education Service – Education Access.

Working Tax Credit (WTC)/Child Tax Credit (CTC) families, out of work families, August 2005

	Kirklees		GB
	No.	%	%
Receiving both CTC and WTC	13,785	26.8	20.4
Receiving CTC above family element	5,020	9.8	9.2
Receiving CTC family element and below	14,290	27.8	29.1
Out of work families	9,285	18.0	19.3
Total families with children in receipt of child benefit	51,455	100	100

Note: Out of work families and families receiving both CTC and WTC represent the lowest income families. Percentage is % of all families with children in receipt of child benefit. Source: HM Revenues and Customs.

Amenities

	Kirklees		England & Wales
	No.	%	%
Households without central heating	37,207	23.4	8.4
Households without sole use of bath/shower and toilet	668	0.4	0.5
Total households	159,031	100.0	100.0

Source: ONS Census 2001.

Homelessness 2007/08

588 people were accepted as homeless and in priority need. Of these 273 had children or had no other children and were pregnant.

Source: Kirklees Housing Service.

Car ownership

	Kirklees		England & Wales
	No.	%	%
Households without a car	47,059	29.6	26.8
with 1 car	69,144	43.5	43.8
with 2 cars	35,142	22.1	23.5
with 3 or more cars	7,686	4.8	5.9
Total households	159,031	100.00	100.00

Source: ONS Census 2001.

People receiving home care November 2007

2,799 – November 2007

Source: Kirklees Service Review Unit Social Services.

Properties claiming Council Tax Benefit February 2008

36,083 properties
(21.4% of all taxable properties)

Source: Kirklees Revenues and Benefits Service.

Claimants in receipt of Housing Benefit June 2008

Council tenants	15,828 (67% of all council tenants)
Private tenants	6,618
Housing Association	3,311

Source: Kirklees Revenues and Benefits Service.

Provision of unpaid care*

	Kirklees		England & Wales
	No.	%	%
Total people providing unpaid care	39,994	100.0	100.0
Providing 1-19 hours a week	27,501	68.8	68.1
Providing 20-49 hours a week	4,462	11.2	11.0
Providing 50 or more hours a week	8,031	20.1	20.9

Source: ONS Census 2001.

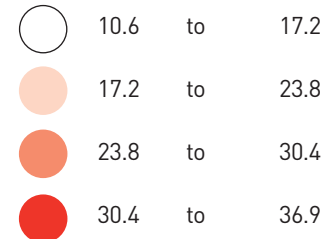
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Ward names

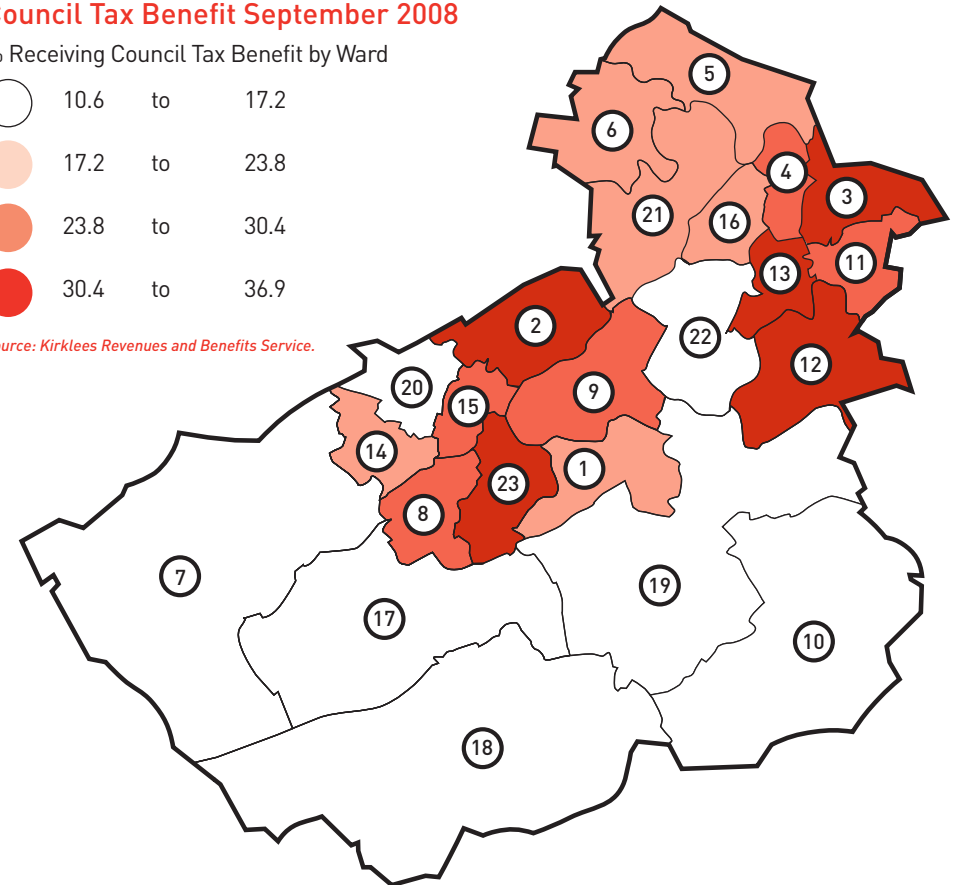
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8 Crosland Moor & Netherton	16 Heckmondwike	
	17 Holme Valley North	

Council Tax Benefit September 2008

% Receiving Council Tax Benefit by Ward



Source: Kirklees Revenues and Benefits Service.



This map shows the percentage of liable properties in each ward who were receiving Council Tax Benefit in September 2008.

Education and leisure

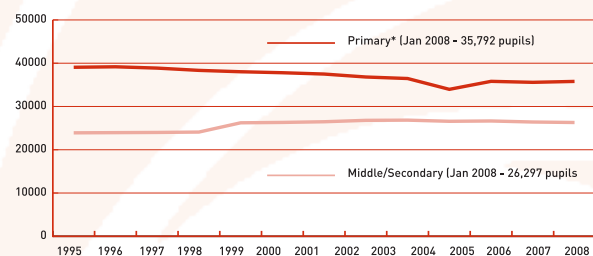
Schools and teachers June 2008

	Nursery/Primary	Middle	Secondary	Special	Pupil Referral Units	Total
Number of schools	154	7	22	6	2	194
Number of teachers (Full time equivalent)	1,737.46	135.65	1,540.48	102.33	26.22	3,542.14

Source: Personnel and Payroll Admin Unit, CHYPS.

Note: Secondary Schools include the 3 Foundation Schools (Heckmondwike Grammar, Castle Hall and Mirfield Free Grammar). Teachers numbers for the Foundation Schools are as at 11/01/08. Grylls Community Middle School and Learning Centre closed from end of August 2008 (included in these figures).

Number of pupils in schools 1996 - 2008



Source: Information Unit, Resources & Support, CHYPS. * Includes Nursery Units.

Youth centres 2008

No. of Youth Centres	38
Senior Youth Clubs (13-19)	29
Junior Youth Clubs (8-12)	9

Source: Young People's Service, CHYPS.

Catering in schools 2007/08

Catering days	183
Main meals served in schools (pupil numbers only)	
Primary & Middle	3,022,762
Secondary	Cash Cafeteria
Special	73,542
Total	*3,096,304
Per day	16,920

*Includes Public Private Partnership, (PPP) Schools.

Source: Contract Management & Support, CHYPS

GCSE Examination Results 2007 (excluding special schools)

Percentage of pupils Achieving 5+ A*-C grades

Ethnicity	Boys	Girls	All
Asian/Asian British - Bangladeshi	25.0	66.7	42.9
Asian/Asian British - Indian	64.6	70.1	67.2
Asian/Asian British - Any Asian Background	76.5	50.0	65.5
Asian/Asian British - Pakistani	41.1	53.1	46.4
Black/Black British - African	57.1	66.7	61.5
Black/Black British - Caribbean	44.0	71.4	58.5
Black/Black British - Any Other Background	11.1	72.7	45.0
Chinese	100.0	75.0	90.9
Asian and Black	0.0	50.0	25.0
Other Mixed Background	14.3	62.5	31.8
Mixed - White and Asian	60.0	71.4	65.5
Mixed - White and Black African	0.0	28.6	28.6
Mixed - White and Black Caribbean	36.1	42.6	39.1
Information Not Obtained	12.5	33.3	18.2
Any Other Ethnic Group	50.0	66.7	60.0
Refused	85.7	60.0	68.2
White - British	54.6	61.0	57.8
White - Irish	57.1	66.7	60.0
White - Traveller of Irish Heritage	0.0	0.0	0.0
White - Any Other Background	48.4	63.3	55.7
Roma/Roma Gypsy	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total	52.6	60.3	56.3

Source: National Consortium for Examination Results.

Further Education, Including Adult And Continuing Education 2007/08

Number of establishments	10
Name of establishment	No. of students
Dewsbury College	3,005
Huddersfield Technical College	9,137
Huddersfield New College	1,916
Greenhead College (Huddersfield)	1,796
Sixth Forms in Kirklees LEA schools	1,637

Note: Huddersfield Technical College and Dewsbury College merged to Kirklees College on 1 August 2008

Source: Post 16 and Adult Learning, ChYPS. School Census, Information Unit, ChYPS.

Student Awards 2007/08

Higher Education Students	7,943
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Source: Student Support, ChYPS.

The University of Huddersfield

Number of students, June 2008	
Full-time	10,251
Part-time	10,719
Sandwich	4,142
Total	25,112

Source: The University of Huddersfield.

Swimming pool use

Number of swims	2006/07	2007/08
Almondbury Sports Centre	1,632	1,632
Batley Baths & Recreation Centre	37,711	37,395
Batley Sports & Tennis Centre	66,257	67,683
Colne Valley Leisure Centre	84,867	93,539
Dewsbury Sports Centre *	168,305	148,856
Holmfirth Pool	89,541	64,435
Huddersfield Sports Centre	147,341	146,137
Scissett Baths	67,456	67,546
Spenborough Pool	163,233	133,113
The Stadium Leisure Complex	104,700	103,157
Total	931,043	863,493

Sports centre use

Dry facilities usage	2006/7	2007/08
Almondbury Sports Centre	9,990	11,977
Batley Baths & Recreation Centre	69,608	63,555
Batley Sports & Tennis Centre	151,279	157,150
Colne Valley High School	-	12,326
Colne Valley Leisure Centre	50,708	53,248
Dewsbury Sports Centre	228,143	290,336
Holmfirth Pool	1,654	5,513
Holmfirth Sports Centre	66,248	40,869
Huddersfield Sports Centre	329,721	382,320
Peak Physique – Spenborough	105,975	158,403
Royds Hall Sports Centre	28,412	28,627
Scissett Baths	50,287	62,105
Spenborough Pool	32,268	35,024
The Stadium Leisure Complex	74,762	54,798
Whitcliffe Mount Sports Centre	101,485	117,001
Total	1,300,540	1,473,252

Other recreational facilities

Kirklees Council provides 33 parks and 285 playground sites. Of the 142 playing fields / pitches 108 are for football, 23 for rugby, and 11 cricket. Other Council facilities include 25 bowling greens, Bradley Park Golf Course and driving range, 1 pitch and putt course, 3 putting greens, 36 tennis courts, 2 all-weather surface sites, 5 picnic areas, a festival site, a country park and several nature reserves and countryside management schemes. There are also 1,883 Council owned allotment plots.

Public & town halls

Number of bookings	2006/07	2007/08
Batley Town Hall	621	455
Cleckheaton Town Hall	871	741
Dewsbury Town Hall	1,397	1,305
Huddersfield Town Hall	3,263	2,183
Other venues inc. libraries	2,212	3,337
Total	8,364	8,021

Grants

No. of public performances in the 4 town halls	411	319
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Libraries and information centres

	2006/07	2007/08
No. of visitors	2,108,930	2,116,497
No. of enquiries	428,220	534,300
No. of requests	16,954	21,037
Total book stock (31March)	529,675	541,530
Total book issues	1,894,146	1,869,338
Total non-book issues	138,146	137,424

Excludes school libraries

Arts and creative economy

Box office tickets sold	2006/07	2007/08
Orchestral Season Concerts	5,740	4,674
Dewsbury Lunchtime Concerts	1,539	1,696
Huddersfield Organ Concerts	3,564	1,525
Others	150,453	103,933
Total tickets sold	161,296	111,828

Grants

No. of main programme organisations receiving grant aid #	14	16
Total grant given	£378,815	£377,095
No. of Arts in Neighbourhood Organisations receiving grant aid	37	42
Total grant given	£42,094	£24,145
Total No. of organisations	51	58
Total amount of grant given	£420,909	£401,240

Museums and galleries

Number of visitors	2006/07	2007/08
Bagshaw Museum *	40,190	21,134
Castle Hill	7,065	5,048
Dewsbury Museum	35,193	38,645
Oakwell Hall	22,038	21,077
Oakwell Hall Countryside Information Centre *	7,030	-
Oakwell Visitor Centre	82,332	101,616
Red House Museum	24,953	25,527
Tolson Museum	32,585	30,232
Community History Outreach	13,843	38,036
Art Galleries – Visitor **	29,511	24,686
Total	294,740	306,001
Number of class visits	1,172	910
Number of school pupils *	18,797	14,960
Number of events	423	588

*Close for refurbishment * **includes outreach*

Main Programme changed to Creative Partners 07/08 figure includes 3 transitional grants of £2,000 each

Health

The Kirklees district is served by one Primary Care Trust. This was established on 1 October 2006 following the merger of the Huddersfield Central, North Kirklees and South Huddersfield

PCTs. The district is also served by two acute NHS hospital trusts: Calderdale & Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust and The Mid Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust (which includes

Dewsbury), and one mental health NHS Trust - South West Yorkshire.

Births, infant mortality and teenage conceptions

	Births 2005 Kirklees	England and Wales	Births 2006 Kirklees	England and Wales
Live births	5,309	645,835	5,531	669,601
Percentage of live births under 2500 grams	8.3	7.6	8.8	7.6

	2000 - 2004		2004 - 2006	
Infant mortality rate - five/three year average (deaths under one year per 1,000 live births)	7.7	5.3	7.1	5.0

Source: ONS VSI.

Teenage conceptions (aged under 18)	2004		2005	
Rate per 1000 females aged 15 to 17	43.6	41.8	43.4	41.4

Source: Office for National Statistics.

Main causes of death in Kirklees 2005 and 2006

Main causes of death (including neo-natal deaths) for people under 75 years ('preventable deaths') as a percentage of all deaths for this age group.

	2005 (registrations)		2006 (registrations)	
	Males %	Females %	Males %	Females %
Coronary heart disease	18.5	9.0	18.8	8.9
Strokes	4.7	6.8	6.0	5.1
Cancer	34.1	43.6	32.0	46.7
Respiratory (pneumonia, asthma, emphysema, chronic lung disease)	9.2	11.4	9.8	10.7
External injury (accidents and suicides)	9.2	3.3	8.9	3.6
Deaths under 75 as a percentage of all deaths	44.4	27.0	47.2	27.2

Source: ONS Death Tapes.

How does this compare with the rest of England and Wales?

This table shows the 'Standard Mortality Ratio' for the main causes of death between 2004 and 2006. The average for England and Wales is 100 - a score higher than 100 is worse than average and a score lower than 100 is better than average.

All causes	108	Cervical cancer	122
Colorectal cancer	91	Coronary heart disease	114
Lung cancer	113	Accidents	72
Strokes	121	Prostate cancer	97
Suicide	152	All cancers	103
Breast cancer	96		

Source: National Centre for Health Outcomes Development (NCHOD).

Life expectancy (years) at birth 2004 - 2006*

	Males	Females
United Kingdom	77.0	81.3
Kirklees	76.2	80.5
Highest (Kensington and Chelsea District Council)	83.1	87.2
Lowest (Glasgow City Council)	70.5	77.0

Ward life expectancy rates (males and females) range from 81.5 years in Kirkburton to 75.6 for Dewsbury West.

Source: ONS, Calderdale and Kirklees Health Informatics Service.

*National Health Inequalities Target - by 2010 to reduce inequalities in health outcomes by 10% as measured by infant mortality and life expectancy at birth.

Joint Strategic Needs Assessment

The Directors of Adult Social Services, Public Health and Children and Young People's Services in every local authority and Primary Care Trust (PCT) have a statutory duty from April 2008 to work together to develop a Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) for their district.

Joint - the Council and PCT have to produce it together and this work needs to be led by the Directors of Adult Social Services, Public Health and Children and Young People's Services.

Strategic - it provides an opportunity to look to the future - over the next 5, 10, 15 and even 20 years - so that we can start planning now for likely changes in needs.

Needs - its focus is on the issues affecting the health and well being of children, young people and adults in the district and how these might change over time, rather than what the Council or PCT are currently doing to address these needs.

Assessment - having drawn together a wide range of information from a variety of sources, both local and national this has to be analysed and assessed to identify the key issues for the Kirklees population.

The JSNA should form the basis for planning service development and is seen as a key building block of the commissioning process.

Copies of the current JSNA summary and full document are available from:
<http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/community/statistics/jsna/jsna.shtml>

The JSNA is not a single, one-off exercise, but is an ongoing piece of work which will add to our commissioning "intelligence".

As we develop our JSNA, we will be including more information about:

- the local market and workforce;
- the views of local people and existing customers;
- current and predicted use of services;
- locality level information and trends.

Work will continue to:

- further develop coherent, consistent and appropriate data sets;
- develop the capacity across all partners to generate, analyse and present information; and
- ensure that relevant planning systems make use of information from the JSNA.

Useful addresses

Kirklees Council
 Health Policy Unit
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NHS Kirklees
 St Luke's House
 Blackmoorfoot Road
 Huddersfield
 HD1 5RH
 Tel: (01484) 466000
www.kirklees.nhs.uk

Beckside Court
 Bradford Road
 Batley
 WF17 5PW
 Tel: (01924) 351600
www.kirklees-pct.nhs.uk

**Calderdale & Huddersfield
 Foundation NHS Trust**
 Royal Infirmary
 Acre Street
 Huddersfield
 HD3 3EA
 Tel: (01484) 342000
www.cht.nhs.uk

**The Mid Yorkshire Hospitals
 NHS Trust**
 Pinderfield Hospital
 Aberford Road
 Wakefield
 WF1 4DG
 Tel: (01924) 213850
www.midyorks.nhs.uk

**South West Yorkshire Mental
 Health NHS Trust**
 Trust Headquarters
 Ouchthorpe Lane
 Fieldhead
 Wakefield
 WF1 3SP
 Tel: (01924) 327000
www.southwestyorkshire.nhs.uk

Accidents at work 2007/2008 (Reported to Local Authority)

Severity of injury	No. of injuries to employees	No. of injuries to members of the public
Fatal	0	3
Major injury	52	46
3 day injuries	200	not reportable

Source: Kirklees Environmental Services (Better Health at Work Section).

Details of local NHS Services, including doctors, dentists, A&E etc can be found at www.nhs.uk

Older people

Population 2007

	Total		Males		Females	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
65-74	30,500	52	14,500	58	16,000	48
75-84	20,200	35	8,200	33	12,000	36
85 and over	7,700	13	2,300	9	5,400	16
Total aged 65 and over	58,400	100	25,000	100	33,400	100

Source: ONS Mid Year Estimate 2007. Rows and/or columns may not sum due to rounding.

2006-based population projections

	Mid-2007	Mid-2012	% Change from Mid-2007	Mid-2022	% Change from Mid-2007
Total					
Ages 65 - 74	30,500	35,400	16	40,700	33
Ages 75+	27,900	29,600	6	38,800	39
Ages 65 and over	58,400	65,000	11	79,500	36
All Ages	401,000	414,700	3	445,800	11
Males					
Ages 65 - 74	14,500	17,000	17	19,800	37
Ages 75+	10,500	11,700	11	17,000	62
Ages 65 and over	25,000	28,700	15	36,800	47
All Ages	196,800	204,600	4	221,600	13
Females					
Ages 65 - 74	16,000	18,400	15	20,900	31
Ages 75+	17,400	17,700	2	21,900	26
Ages 65 and over	33,400	36,100	8	42,800	28
All Ages	204,200	210,100	3	224,200	10

The number of people aged 65 and over in Kirklees is expected to increase by 22,500 (36%) between 2007 and 2022. The number of men aged 65 and over is expected to increase at a faster rate than women with 47% more men in 2022 compared to 28% more women. The overall population increase over the period is expected to be 44,800 (11%), with all age groups (apart from 15 to 24), experiencing some growth. In 2005, women in Great Britain who were aged 65 could expect to live to the age of 85, while men could expect to live to the age of 82.

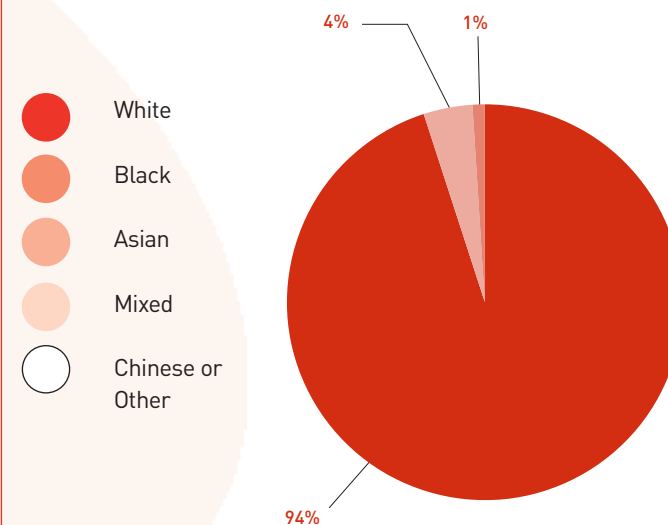
Source: ONS revised 2004 based population projections, Registrar General's Mid Year Estimate 2006.

Population 2006 aged 60/65* and over by ethnic group

	Kirklees		England
	No.	%	%
White	64,600	94	96
Mixed	100	0	0
Asian or Asian British	2,700	4	2
Black or Black British	900	1	1
Chinese or Other	100	0	0

Source: ONS Mid-Year Estimates 2006.

*Females aged 60 and over, males 65 and over.



Car or van availability (2001 census people aged 65 and over)

	Kirklees		England & Wales	
	No.	%	No.	%
No car or van in household	25,024	44.0		37.5
One car or van in household	23,746	41.8		45.2
Two or more cars or vans in household	5,397	9.5		12.8
Living in a Communal Establishment	2,677	4.7		4.5
Total aged 65 and over	56,844	100.0		100.0

Car availability decreases with age, only 18% of people aged 85 and over have a car or van available in the household.

Family type (2001 census people aged 65 and over)

	Kirklees		England & Wales	
	No.	%	No.	%
Lone parent family	2,190	3.9		4.4
Married couple family	28,315	49.8		50.6
Cohabiting couple family	827	1.5		1.6
Not living in a family but with others in the household	2,008	3.5		4.6
Living alone	20,827	36.6		34.3
Living in a Communal Establishment	2,677	4.7		4.5

By the age of 85 the majority of people (54%) are living alone, and a further 21% are living in a communal establishment. More men aged 85 and over are likely to be in a 'couple' family (37%) than women (7%).

General-health, limiting long-term illness (2001 census people aged 65 and over)

	Kirklees		England & Wales	
	No.	%	No.	%
Good Health	17,406	30.6		34.8
Fairly Good Health	23,984	42.2		41.5
Not Good Health	15,454	27.2		23.7
Has a limiting long-term illness	30,921	54.4		51.5
Does not have a limiting long-term illness	25,923	45.6		48.5

Health declines with age and only 18% of people aged 85 and over said that their health was good. 80% of people aged 85 and over feel that they have a limiting long-term illness.

Provision of unpaid care (2001 census people aged 65 and over)

	Kirklees		England & Wales	
	No.	%	No.	%
1 to 19 hours	3,325	5.8		6.0
20 to 49 hours	712	1.3		1.2
50 or more hours	2,418	4.3		4.1
Does not provide care	50,389	88.6		88.6

The amount of unpaid care provided decreases with age; 8% of people aged 75 and over provide unpaid care (3% people aged 85 and over). A slightly higher proportion of people aged 65 (11.4%) and over provide unpaid care compared to those aged under 65 (10.1%).

Attendance Allowance February 2008

Attendance Allowance, introduced in December 1971, is a benefit for people aged 65 or over only who need help with personal care because of illness or disability. For example, a person may qualify for Attendance Allowance if they have difficulty with washing, dressing or similar tasks. The benefit is not income related, is not taxable and is not based on National Insurance Contributions. In general, the benefit has two payment levels. Those requiring help both during the day and night are eligible for a higher rate, otherwise recipients are provided with the lower level of benefit. In Kirklees there were 9,310 people claiming the allowance (15.9% of all aged 65 and over, Great Britain 17.9%).

Source: Department for Work and Pensions (DWP).

Pension Credit February 2008

Pension Credit is an entitlement for people aged 60 which guarantees everyone aged 60 and over a minimum income. Pension Credit has two parts: the guarantee credit and the savings credit (only paid to people aged 65 and over). The savings credit provides extra money to people who have income from occupational pensions or savings, giving the recipient a higher income than the guarantee credit. In Kirklees there were 19,130 claimants of Pension Credit of which 4,375 were in couples which accounts for 29.1% of all aged 60 and over (Great Britain 25.7%).

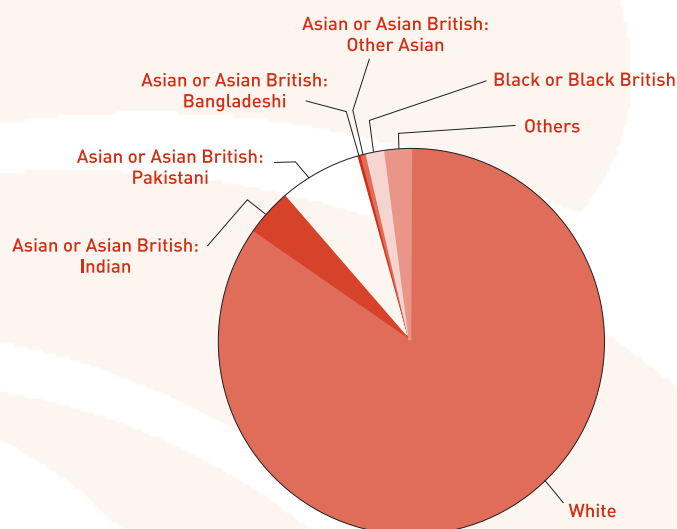
Source: Department for Work and Pensions (DWP).

Minority ethnic groups

Population 2006 by ethnic group

	Kirklees		England	
	No.	%	No.	%
White	335,300	84	89	
Mixed: White and Black Caribbean	3,200	1	1	
Mixed: White and Black African	400	0	0	
Mixed: White and Asian	2,000	1	1	
Mixed: Other Mixed	1,000	0	0	
Asian or Asian British: Indian	16,800	4	2	
Asian or Asian British: Pakistani	27,800	7	2	
Asian or Asian British: Bangladeshi	800	0	1	
Asian or Asian British: Other Asian	2,000	1	1	
Black or Black British: Caribbean	4,200	1	1	
Black or Black British: African	2,000	1	1	
Black or Black British: Other Black	600	0	0	
Chinese or Other Ethnic Group: Chinese	1,100	0	1	
Chinese or Other Ethnic Group: Other Ethnic Group	1,200	0	1	
All Ethnic Groups	398,200	100.0	100.0	

Source: ONS Mid-Year Estimates 2006.



Ethnic origin of School Pupils January 2008

	No.	%
White - British	43,063	68.6
White - Irish	154	0.2
White - Traveller of Irish Heritage	13	0.0
White - Any Other Background	653	1.0
Roma/Roma Gypsy	14	0.0
Mixed - White and Black Caribbean	1,547	2.5
Mixed - White and Asian	720	1.1
Mixed - White and Black African	123	0.2
Mixed - Asian and Black	54	0.1
Other Mixed Background	473	0.8
Asian/Asian British - Indian	3,828	6.1
Asian/Asian British - Pakistani	9,812	15.6
Asian/Asian British - Bangladeshi	98	0.2
Asian/Asian British - Any Asian Background	384	0.6
Black/Black British - Caribbean	589	0.9
Black/Black British - African	346	0.6
Black/Black British - Any Other Background	125	0.2
Chinese	114	0.2
Any Other Ethnic Group	345	0.5
Refused & Information Not yet Obtained	329	0.5
TOTAL	62,784	100.0

Source: School Census, Information Unit, ChYPS

Highest level of educational qualification achieved 2001 - people aged 16 to 74

	No.	All		White		Asian or Asian British		Black/Other	
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Total aged 16 -74	277,616	277,616	100.0	242,186	100.0	28,272	100.0	7,158	100.0
No qualifications	91,276	32.9	75,086	31.0	13,843	49.0	2,347	32.8	
Level 1	46,282	16.7	41,376	17.1	3,688	13.0	1,218	17.0	
Level 2	49,501	17.8	44,402	18.3	3,896	13.8	1,203	16.8	
Level 3	20,769	7.5	18,113	7.5	2,139	7.6	517	7.2	
Level 4/5	46,963	16.9	42,105	17.4	3,473	12.3	1,385	19.3	
Other qualifications/level unknown	22,825	8.2	21,104	8.7	1,233	4.4	488	6.8	

No qualifications: No academic, vocational or professional qualifications. Level 1: 1+ 'O' levels/CSE/GCSE (any grade); NVQ level 1; Foundation GNVQ. Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels; 5+ CSEs (grade 1); 5+ GCSEs (grade A-C); School Certificate; 1+ A levels/AS levels; NVQ level 2; Intermediate GNVQ or equivalents. Level 3: 2+ A levels; 4+ AS levels; Higher School Certificate; NVQ level 3; Advanced GNVQ or equivalents. Level 4/5: First Degree; Higher Degree; NVQ level 4-5; HNC; HND; Qualified Teacher Status; Qualified Medical Doctor; Qualified Dentist; Qualified Nurse; Midwife; Health Visitor; or equivalents. Other qualifications/level unknown: Other qualifications (e.g. City and Guilds; RSA/OCR; BTEC/Edexcel); Other professional Qualifications. Source: ONS Census 2001.

General health and limiting long-term illness

	All		White		Asian or Asian British		Black/Other	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
All people	388,567	100.0	332,659	100.0	44,105	100.0	11,803	100.0
With limited long-term illness	69,916	18.0	61,924	18.6	6,429	14.6	1,563	13.2
Good and fairly good health	350,625	90.2	299,612	90.1	40,165	91.1	10,848	91.9
Not good health	37,955	9.8	33,048	9.9	3,943	8.9	964	8.2

General health refers to health over the twelve months prior to census day (29 April 2001) Source: ONS Census 2001.

Economic activity - people aged 16-74

	All		White		Asian or Asian British		Black/Other	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Aged 16-74 years	277,576	100.0	242,184	100.0	28,255	100.0	7,137	100.0
Economically active	184,515	66.5	166,564	68.5	13,342	47.2	4,609	64.6
Employee - Part Time	35,028	12.6	31,808	13.1	2,428	8.6	792	11.1
Employee - Full Time	111,505	40.2	103,095	42.6	5,800	20.5	2,610	36.6
Self Employed - Part Time	4,739	1.7	4,132	1.7	542	1.9	65	0.9
Self Employed - Full Time	16,215	5.8	14,033	5.8	1,920	6.8	262	3.7
Unemployed	9,317	3.4	7,223	3.0	1,580	5.6	514	7.2
Full Time Student	7,711	2.8	6,273	2.6	1,072	3.8	366	5.1
Economically Inactive	93,061	33.5	75,620	31.2	14,913	52.8	2,528	35.4
Retired	36,327	13.1	34,575	14.3	1,187	4.2	565	7.9
Student	13,654	4.9	9,612	4.0	3,340	11.8	702	9.8
Looking after home/family	18,120	6.5	12,190	5.0	5,497	19.5	433	6.1
Permanently sick or disabled	15,594	5.6	13,258	5.5	1,938	6.9	398	5.6
Other	9,366	3.4	5,985	2.5	2,951	10.4	430	6.0

Source: ONS Census 2001.

Religion

	All		White		Asian or Asian British		Black/Other	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
All people	388,567	100.0	332,659	100.0	44,105	100.0	11,803	100.0
Christian	261,128	67.2	254,120	76.4	280	0.6	6,728	57.0
Buddhist	400	0.1	235	0.1	14	0.0	151	1.3
Hindu	1,219	0.3	24	0.0	1,166	2.6	29	0.2
Jewish	170	0.0	145	0.0	16	0.0	9	0.1
Muslim	39,311	10.1	964	0.3	37,302	84.6	1,045	8.9
Sikh	2,726	0.7	40	0.0	2,667	6.0	19	0.2
Any other religion	767	0.2	700	0.2	25	0.1	42	0.4
No religion	54,445	14.0	51,847	15.6	194	0.4	2,404	20.4
Religion not stated	28,394	7.3	24,586	7.4	2,437	5.5	1,371	11.6

Source: ONS Census 2001.

Total annual household income*

	All		White		Asian		Mixed/Black/ Other	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Below £10,000	71,400	24	59,800	23	10,500	39	2,300	33
£10,001-£20,000	77,700	26	66,800	26	9,100	34	2,600	37
£20,000-£30,000	53,000	18	48,200	18	3,200	12	1,100	16
£30,001-£40,000	37,900	13	34,700	13	2,200	8	400	5
Above £40,000	54,500	18	51,200	20	1,600	6	600	8
Total	294,400	100	260,800	100	26,700	100	6,900	100

Source: CLIK Survey 2005.

*Note: In 2001 there were an estimated 294,400 people aged 18 and over living in Kirklees, and this figure has been used to produce 'grossed up' estimates of numbers of people shown on this Factsheet. These estimates are only a rough guide to the number of people in the total population aged 18 and over who may fall within a particular category.

Disability

Limiting long term illness

A limiting long-term illness is any long-term illness, health problem or disability which limits his/her daily activities or the work he/she can do (includes problems due to old age). There are 69,910 people in Kirklees with a long term limiting illness - 18.0% of the population. This is slightly less than in other West Yorkshire districts.

The number of households in Kirklees with at least one person with a limiting long term illness is 54,736, 34.4% of all households.

Source: ONS Census 2001.

	% of population
England & Wales	18.2
West Yorkshire	18.8
Kirklees	18.0
Bradford	18.5
Calderdale	18.4
Leeds	18.0
Wakefield	22.4

Blind or Partially Sighted people March 2006

Kirklees Social Services maintains a register of blind and partially sighted people (diagnosed by a consultant). Figures from this register are passed to the Department of Health, and Kirklees statistics are given in the table to the right. In England there were 152,455 registered blind (0.3% of the total population) and 155,200 registered partially sighted (0.3%).

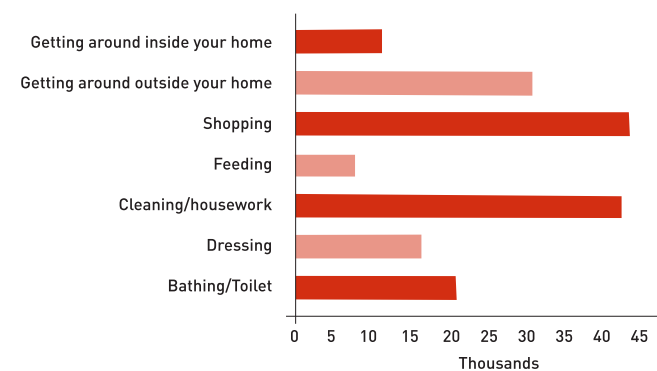
Ages	0-17		18-64		65+		Total	
	No	%	No	%	No	%	No	%
Registered Blind	30	0.0	260	0.1	895	1.5	1,185	0.3
Registered Partially Sighted	100	0.1	175	0.1	845	1.5	1,125	0.3

Source: Registered Blind and Partially Sighted Year ending 31 March 2006 (Department of Health).

Help/support with daily tasks

	Estimated No. of people aged 18 and over in Kirklees	%
Bathing/Toilet	18,400	6
Dressing	14,600	5
Cleaning/housework	38,100	13
Feeding	7,200	2
Shopping	40,300	13
Getting around outside your home	27,500	9
Getting around inside your home	11,500	4

Source: CLIK Survey 2005. Residents aged 18 and over were asked the question: 'Do you need help/support with any of the following daily tasks?'. In 2001 there were an estimated 294,400 people aged 18 and over living in Kirklees, and this figure has been used to produce 'grossed up' estimates of numbers of people shown on this Factsheet. These estimates are only a rough guide to the number of people in the total population aged 18 and over who may fall within a particular category.



Disabled people and economic activity

48,702 adults aged 16 to 74 have a limiting long term illness in Kirklees. Of these, 11,242 (23%) are in employment, 1,373 (2.8%) unemployed, 14,946 (30.7%) permanently sick, 14,410 (29.6%) retired, 1,257 (2.6%) students and 5,474 (11.2%) other economically inactive.

Source: ONS Census 2001.

People who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing March 2007

Kirklees Social Services maintains a register of deaf and hard of hearing people. Figures from this register are passed to the Department of Health, and Kirklees statistics are given in the table to the right. In England there were 54,500 registered deaf (0.1% of the total population) and 164,600 hard of hearing (0.3%).

Ages	0-17		18-64		65+		Total	
	No	%	No	%	No	%	No	%
Registered Deaf	100	0.1	165	0.1	35	0.1	300	0.1
Registered Hard of Hearing	115	0.2	185	0.1	910	1.6	1,215	0.3

Source: Registered Deaf and Hard of Hearing: Year ending 31 March 2007 (Department of Health)

Disability Living Allowance February 2008

Disability Living Allowance (DLA) is a tax-free benefit for adults and children with a disability or illness who need help with getting around or help with personal care or help with both of these. Normally help must have been needed for at least 3 months and must be likely to be needed for at least a further 6 months. People cannot claim Disability Living Allowance on or after their 65th birthday, even if the need for help started before then, however if they are claimants on their 65th birthday, they can continue to receive the benefit. (People aged 65 or over who need help with personal care may be able to get Attendance Allowance.). In Kirklees, 5.4% of all people (around 1 in 20) claim DLA; this increases to 13.6% for ages 60 to 69 (1 in 7).

Payment is for two components. The Care component (for people who need to be looked after) has three weekly rates: Highest rate £67.00, Middle rate £44.85, Lowest rate £17.75. The Mobility component (for people who need help to get around) has two weekly rates: Higher rate £46.75 Lower rate £17.75

	Kirklees		GB		Kirklees		GB
	No.	%	%		No.	%	%
Total	21,715	5.4	5.0	Mobility Award			
Under 16	2,065	2.5	2.7	Lower Rate	5,665	26.1	28.5
16-24	1,275	2.5	2.4	Higher Rate	13,315	61.3	58.3
25-49	5,575	4.1	3.7	Nil Rate	2,735	12.6	13.2
50-59	4,305	8.7	7.8	Care Award			
60-69	5,245	13.6	12.1	Lower Rate	6,550	30.2	27.4
70 and over	3,245	7.7	6.0	Middle Rate	6,660	30.7	33.7
				Higher Rate	4,645	21.4	24.1
Duration				Nil Rate	3,860	17.8	14.8
Less than 12 months	1,330	6.1	6.8				
1 year and up to 2 years	1,410	6.5	6.6				
2 years and up to 5 years	3,620	16.7	17.3				
5 years and over	15,355	70.7	69.3				

Note: rates are based on total number of claimants apart from age of claimant which is based on the total population of that age group.

Number of Blue Badges on issue at 31 March 2007

Blue badges enable people with mobility difficulties to park in places where parking is otherwise restricted.

Number granted in the automatic categories to recipients of Mobility Allowance, the higher rate of the mobility component of the Disability Living Allowance, Government issued cars or grants towards own cars, and War Pensioners Mobility Supplement, or to registered blind people.	9,613
Number granted in the discretionary category to people with a permanent and substantial disability who are unable or virtually unable to walk.	7,967
Total badges on issue to individuals	17,580
Number of badges on issue to institutions	101

Source: Service Review Unit Social Services.

Children with Special Needs

In 2007, 5,124 children finished their compulsory schooling in Kirklees. Out of these, 207 had been identified as having been educated in Special Schools/Pupil Referral Units (PRUS), and other alternative provision establishments.

	% Pupils educated in Special schools/ PRUS/alternative provision	% All pupils
Remaining in full time education	42.5	75.5
Employed with training	1.9	6.6
Employed no training	6.8	3.5
Training (non employed)	16.0	6.7
Other personal development	2.4	0.4
Seeking employment or training	17.9	5.0
Not available for employment	4.4	1.0
Other	2.4	0.2
Unknown	5.8	0.9

Source: Calderdale and Kirklees Careers Ltd.

In March 2008 the numbers of children with statements of special educational needs issued by Kirklees Council were:

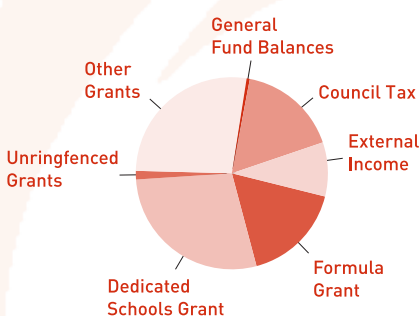
	All with special needs	% Asian origin
In mainstream schools	931	21.0
In schools with a special support unit	192	42.1
In special schools	662	24.3

Source: SEN Adm, ChYPS.

Local authority resources

In 2008/09 the Council's approved revenue budget is £307,754 million.

This £307,754m comes from:	£k
Formula Grant	146,134
Unringfenced Grants	12,459
Collection Fund Balances	0
General Fund Balances	4,647
Council Tax	144,514
	307,754
Other sources of income are:	
Dedicated Schools Grant	241,992
Other Government Grants	232,963
External Income	78,393
Total	861,102



Council Tax

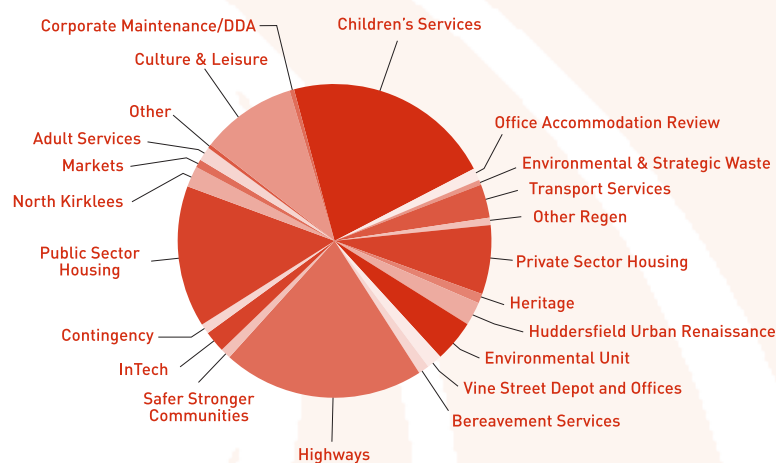
The headline Band D tax figure is £1,328 which equates to an average payment of £1,089 for a two adult household.

This represents a 3.2% increase, which includes an increase of 3.0% for Kirklees, 3.9% for the Fire Authority and 4.7% for the Police Authority.

Where does the money go to?

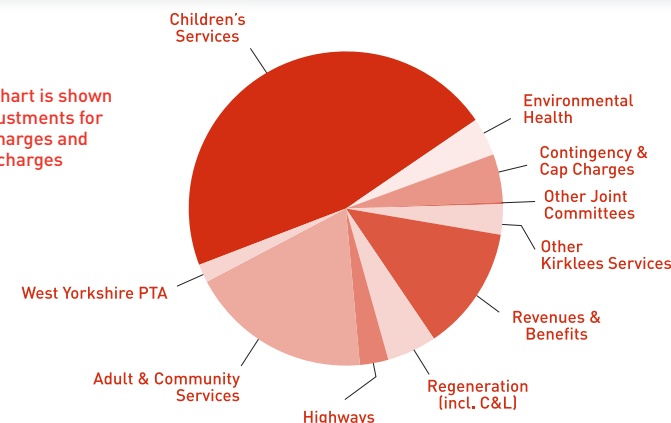
	£k
Gross Revenue Budget	
Children's Services	398,712
Adult & Community Services	161,148
Highways	25,268
Environmental Health	33,877
Regeneration (inc. Culture & Leisure)	44,002
Revenues & Benefits	110,626
Other Kirklees Services	26,901
West Yorkshire PTA	16,191
Other Joint Committees	1,931
Contingency and Capital Charges	42,446
	861,102

Planned Capital Investment



For any further information, please contact Mo Biggins, Accountancy Tel: (01484) 221149.

The pie chart is shown after adjustments for capital charges and internal charges



Planned Capital Investment

	£k
Children's Services	30,985
Highways	29,863
Public Sector Housing	21,000
Culture & Leisure	14,196
Private Sector Housing	10,225
Environmental Unit	6,200
Transport Services	4,970
Huddersfield Urban Renaissance	3,481
InTech	3,183
North Kirklees	3,104
Vine Street Depot & Offices	2,275
Adult Services	2,100
Office Accommodation Review	1,813
Bereavement Services	1,600
Safer Stronger Communities	1,550
Heritage	1,419
Markets	1,205
Other Regen	1,098
Environmental & Strategic Waste	741
Corporate Maintenance / DDA	665
Other	555
Contingency	1,500
TOTAL	143,728

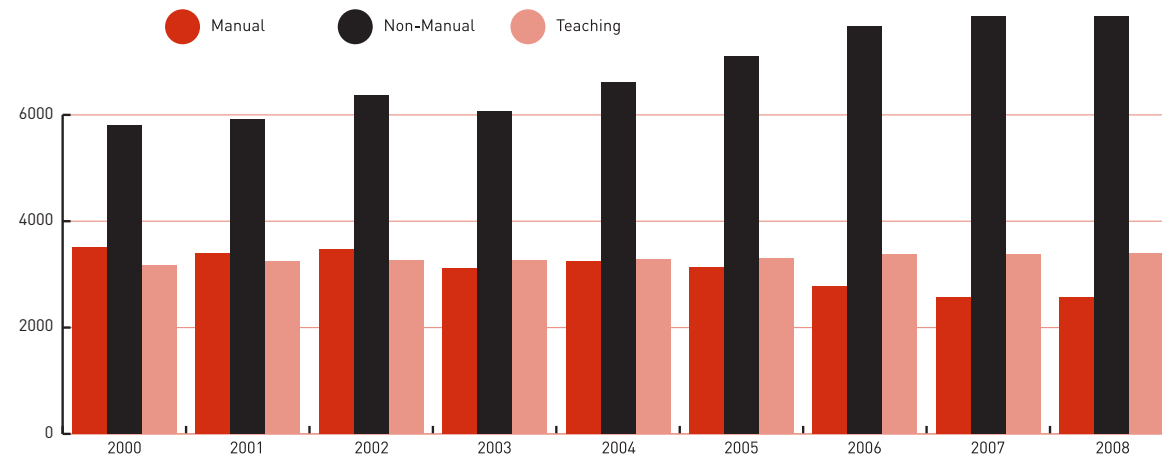
Number of staff employed July 2008

	Full Time	Part Time	Total	Full Time Equivalent (FTE)
Non-manual	5,715	5,758	11,069	8,043
Manual	1,428	2,808	4,024	2,481
Teachers	2,873	847	3,746	3,384
Total	10,016	9,413	18,839	13,908

NB: Includes substantive and temporary staff only (excludes casuals).

Staff changes

FTE analysis – 2000 to 2008



Source: Kirklees Human Resource Strategy Unit unless stated otherwise.

Estate Lettings - July 2008

Building Lettings

Up to 3 years	96
3 - 21 years	341
21 years and over	35

Land Management

2000 year leases	73
999 year leases	2,275
61 - 150 year leases	1,110
21 - 60 year leases	364
Farm tenancies	22
Garage plots	835
Advertising hoardings	9
Garden tenancies	1,250
Business lettings (less than 3 years)	53
Business lettings (3 - 20 years)	76
Caravan sites	17
Rights of way	165
Car parking spaces	116
Privilege agreements	98
Wayleaves	230
Grazing licenses	96

Source: Kirklees Estates Service.