

Statistical profile of Datchet ward

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1) Population of Datchet (Figures 2011-2015)

Compared with the averages for other parishes throughout the Royal Borough of Windsor & Maidenhead (W&M), there are more children in Datchet and fewer people over retirement age, with a slightly higher number of working age people.

The proportion of people from Black and Minority Ethnic groups in Datchet is higher than the average for W&M. In 2011, 81% of Datchet's population was born in the UK, and the majority of those born elsewhere had been resident in the UK for ten years or more.

The fertility rate is the ratio of live births in an area to the population of that area, expressed per 1000 population per year. Windsor & Maidenhead's fertility rate is close to the UK average but in Datchet it is higher.

In the last decade, Datchet's population has risen by less than W&M's average rise. Total population in 2015 = 4921 (males 2444, females 2477).

	Number in Datchet	% of Datchet population	W&M average
Children, age 0 to 15	1024	20.8%	18.8%
Working Age, 16 to 64	3086	62.7%	61.8%
Older people, 65+	811	16.5%	18.2%
Black & minority ethnic	1428	29%	22.5%
Fertility rate (births 2015)	60	74%	63.4%
Population rise 2001-2014	+265	5.7%	10.6%

SOURCE: RBWM JOINT STRATEGIC NEEDS ASSESSMENT, DATCHET WARD PROFILE, NOVEMBER 2016, BERKSHIRE PUBLIC HEALTH SHARED TEAM

2) Housing (Figures 2011)

In 2011 the total number of dwellings in Datchet was 2127, and of these the most common house type (32%) was detached.

The most common council tax band in Datchet was band C (23.2% of total). In W&M it was band D (25.6% of total). In Datchet there were 19 dwellings in the highest band (H) and 48 in the lowest (A).

In Datchet the average household size was 2.4 people which is larger than in W&M. The average number of rooms was 5.6, and the average number of bedrooms 2.8, both figures fewer than the average in W&M.

In Datchet 3.4% of dwellings have no central heating, higher than the average in W&M.

4.5% of housing in Datchet is classified as needing one or more bedrooms more than it has, in order to be adequately sized for the number of people living there. This figure is higher than the average in W&M.

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Types of dwelling

The total number of occupied dwellings in Datchet in the 2011 census was 2032.

Type of accommodation	Number in Datchet	% (approx)
Whole house detached	652	32%
Whole house semi-detached	583	29%
Whole house terraced	381	19%
Flat, maisonette, apartment, purpose-built	317	16%
Part of converted or shared house, incl. bedsit	75	4%
Flats or apartments in commercial buildings	15	0.7%
Caravans, other mobile or temporary dwellings	7	0.3%
Households sharing a dwelling	2	0.1%

SOURCE: ONS 2011

3) Tenure (Figures 2011)

The total number of households in this survey was 2032. This is lower than the number of dwellings given above as housing because the censuses record empty dwellings as well as those which are occupied.

Tenure	Number in Datchet	% of Datchet population	W&M average
Owned outright or with a mortgage	1387	68.2%	68.0%
Shared ownership (part owned, part rented)	10	0.5%	0.6%
Social renting from council, RBWM	48	2.4%	1.2%
Social renting, Housing Associations, includes sheltered housing	240	11.8%	12.1%
Private renting	325	16.0%	2.3%
Living rent free (eg at workplace, or in accommodation belonging to relative or friend)	22	1.1%	1.9%

In 2011 there were four Communal Establishments, classified as 'Medical & Care Homes' in Datchet, two providing nursing care and two as 'other'. Together they housed 33 people.

SOURCE: ONS 2011

4) Risk of Poverty (Figures 2014)

The risk of child poverty in W&M is monitored through the 23 wards, the least deprived being listed as 23. In 2014, Datchet Ward was ranked at number 3, having 16.2% of children at risk of poverty compared with the average W&M figure of 9%. (The percentage has fallen by -0.8% since 2006.) These figures measure the percentage of children in households receiving Child Tax Credits and with incomes 60% or less of the national median figure plus some other indicators. For 2014/15, the median household disposable income was £25,700. According to the Office of National Statistics, the provisional estimate for 2015/16 is £26,400.

There are 225 households in Datchet which do not own a car or van (11.1%), a lower percentage than the average in W&M.

5) Employment (Figures 2014)

	% in Datchet	Comparison with W&M average
Age 16-74 in employment	70.7%*	Higher than W&M average
Age 16-74 unemployed	3.6%*	Higher than W&M average
Claiming benefits (all types)	7.8% (265 people)	W&M average 5.6%

*Not all people of working age identify themselves as either employed or unemployed

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6) Qualification Levels (Figures 2011)

Of the 3928 people in Datchet aged 16 or over, in 2011 41% were educated to degree level or above, while 14% had no qualifications.

Qualifications	Number of people with those qualifications	% (approx.)
No qualifications	565	14%
Level 1, up to 4 GCSEs	444	11%
Level 2, 5+ GCSEs	571	15%
Apprentices	86	2%
Level 3, 2 A-levels	426	11%
Level 4, degree or above	1,604	41%
Other, vocational, foreign	232	6%

SOURCE: ONS 2011

7) Health and Lifestyle (Figures 2006-2015)

The full Ward Profile from W&M warns that in many cases the figures are so small at ward level that any differences may be meaningless, but by applying standard statistical models the estimates given may be reliable.

In Datchet the deaths from all causes are either as expected or lower than expected, compared with national figures, as is the number of those diagnosed with cancer. The number of emergency hospital admissions is also as expected or lower than expected.

Estimated figures for 2006 to 2008, modelled on similar populations, suggest that 19.2% of adults in Datchet were obese, 22% binge drink, and 31% ate healthily.

Estimated figures for 2010-2014 suggest 8.8% of babies born to mothers living in Datchet are of low birth weight; this is higher than W&M's average of 7.1% but the difference is unlikely to be statistically significant.

Childhood obesity

Figures are given for 2010/11 using body mass indexes.

Age	Percentage of obese children in Datchet	Percentage of obese children in W&M
Reception children (age 4-5)	7.5%	5.9%
Year six children (age 11)	18.2%	14.8%

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8) Crime and Community Safety

Figures for 2013-2014 recorded 267 crimes in Datchet, equal to 53.9 crimes per 1000 people; this was lower than W&M's average figure.

The crime most commonly recorded was anti-social behaviour (ASB) at a rate of 18.4 per 1000 people.

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