

DETAILED 2011 CENSUS PROFILE WIDEWELL NEIGHBOURHOOD



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I. BACKGROUND

The census provides detailed information on housing and population which allows central and local government, health organisations, and many other agencies to target their resources more effectively and to plan housing, education, health, and transport services for the future.

The latest census took place on Sunday 27 March 2011, a decade after the previous census.

There were 56 questions on the 2011 Census questionnaire: 14 about the household in general and the accommodation, and 42 for each member of the household. For those living in Wales there was an extra question about the Welsh language. Questions about household members were based on topics including work, health, national identity, ethnic background, education, language, religion, and marital status.

These census profiles are based (with permission) on a 2012 template produced by Bristol City Council's Strategic Planning Team. They provide key census statistics for various Plymouth geographies.

2. USES OF THE CENSUS AND CENSUS PROFILES

It is anticipated that these profiles will be of use to anyone with an interest in the area, both professionals and the general public alike, and how it compares to Plymouth as a whole or to England. Profiles by children's centre will be particularly useful to the managers of each centre, providing a census overview of the population they serve.

They can be used in conjunction with the 'Area Profiles', also produced by the Office of the Director of Public Health, which detail key health and social care indicators. Together these give wide-ranging information about the characteristics of geographical populations across the city and the wider determinants of health affecting them.

The profiles might be useful to decision-makers in Plymouth City Council. The information they contain can be used as a basis for setting local policies, including those concerned with education, health, housing and development, and transportation, and for commissioning services in each area according to the needs of its population. Children's Services, Planning Services and the Housing and Homes Department are just a few of the teams in Plymouth City Council that could potentially use the information. In addition, elected Councillors would be able to use this tool as part of a broader suite of information relating to the local communities they serve.

The census is an important resource for research on trends in the composition of the population and the distribution of people within it. In addition it is a source of data for the analysis and assessment of the changes occurring in the population over time, and for the construction of forecasts regarding the direction of future trends.

3. FURTHER INFORMATION

Profiles are available at neighbourhood, ward, locality, children's centre catchment area, and children's centre cluster group geographies.

Summary profiles are also available for the same geographies.

For any further information, or if you require profiles for one or more of the 161 Lower Super Output Areas (LSOAs) that make up the city of Plymouth, please contact Sarah Macleod (sarah.macleod@plymouth.gcsx.gov.uk).

2011 Census profile

Area name: **Widewell**

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Area type: **Neighbourhood**

Population	Widewell		Plymouth		England
	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Population					
Total usually resident population [1]	3,484	100.0	256,384	100.0	100.0
Total males	1,665	47.8	126,684	49.4	49.2
Total females	1,819	52.2	129,700	50.6	50.8
Age 0-4 years	253	7.3	15,336	6.0	6.3
Age 5-9 years	233	6.7	12,947	5.0	5.6
Age 10-15 years	262	7.5	16,599	6.5	7.0
Age 16-24 years	309	8.9	39,193	15.3	11.9
Age 25-44 years	949	27.2	67,550	26.3	27.5
Age 45-64 years	898	25.8	63,044	24.6	25.4
Age 65-74 years	323	9.3	21,999	8.6	8.6
Age 75 years and over	257	7.4	19,716	7.7	7.7
Median age of the population	41.0		38.0		
Population density (people per hectare)	33.4		32.1		
People living in households	3,473	99.7	251,100	97.9	98.2
People living in communal establishments [2]	11	0.3	5,284	2.1	1.8
Full-time students aged 18 and over (at term-time address) [3]	98	2.8	19,376	7.6	4.4

Identity	Widewell		Plymouth		England
	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Ethnic Group					
White total	3,367	96.6	246,509	96.1	85.4
White: English/Welsh/Scottish/ Northern Irish/British	3,309	95.0	238,263	92.9	79.8
White: Irish	15	0.4	1,105	0.4	1.0
White: Gypsy or Irish Traveller	5	0.1	153	0.1	0.1
White: other White	38	1.1	6,988	2.7	4.6
Black and Minority Ethnic (BME) total	117	3.4	9,875	3.9	14.6
Mixed: White and Black Caribbean	5	0.1	904	0.4	0.8
Mixed: White and Black African	3	0.1	523	0.2	0.3
Mixed: White and Asian	18	0.5	1,028	0.4	0.6
Mixed: other mixed	13	0.4	832	0.3	0.5
Asian/Asian British: Indian	18	0.5	875	0.3	2.6
Asian/Asian British: Pakistani	-	0.0	202	0.1	2.1
Asian/Asian British: Bangladeshi	-	0.0	359	0.1	0.8
Asian/Asian British: Chinese	3	0.1	1,251	0.5	0.7
Asian/Asian British: other Asian	20	0.6	1,219	0.5	1.5
Black/Black British: African	10	0.3	1,106	0.4	1.8
Black/Black British: Caribbean	1	0.0	343	0.1	1.1
Black/Black British: other Black	5	0.1	229	0.1	0.5
Other ethnic group: Arab	5	0.1	399	0.2	0.4
Other ethnic group: other	16	0.5	605	0.2	0.6
Country of birth					
United Kingdom	3,285	94.3	238,177	92.9	86.2
Republic of Ireland	12	0.3	987	0.4	0.7
Other EU member countries (in March 2001)	35	1.0	3,446	1.3	1.7
Other EU Accession countries (April 2001-March 2011)	23	0.7	4,324	1.7	2.0
Other countries	129	3.7	9,450	3.7	9.4
Religion					
Christian	2,336	67.0	148,917	58.1	59.4
Buddhist	13	0.4	881	0.3	0.5
Hindu	15	0.4	567	0.2	1.5
Jewish	2	0.1	168	0.1	0.5
Muslim	12	0.3	2,078	0.8	5.0
Sikh	-	0.0	89	0.0	0.8
Other religions	10	0.3	1,198	0.5	0.4
No religion	895	25.7	84,295	32.9	24.7
Religion not stated	201	5.8	18,191	7.1	7.2
Language					
Total people aged 3 years and over	3,330	100.0	247,025	100.0	100.0
Main language is English	3,260	97.9	238,255	96.4	92.0
Main language is NOT English	70	2.1	8,770	3.6	8.0
Main language is sign language	-	0.0	86	0.0	0.0
Migration					
Born in UK	3,285	94.3	238,177	92.9	86.2
Resident in UK: less than 2 years	23	0.7	2,628	1.0	1.8
Resident in UK: 2 years or more but less than 5 years	18	0.5	3,470	1.4	2.2
Resident in UK: 5 years or more but less than 10 years	36	1.0	3,870	1.5	2.9
Resident in UK: 10 years or more	122	3.5	8,239	3.2	7.0

Health and Care	Widewell		Plymouth		England
Limiting long-term illness [4]	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Residents whose day-to-day activities are limited a lot	286	8.2	25,548	10.0	8.3
Residents whose day-to-day activities are limited a little	328	9.4	26,644	10.4	9.3
Residents aged 16 to 64 whose day-to-day activities are limited a lot	133	3.8	12,116	4.7	3.6
Residents aged 16 to 64 whose day-to-day activities are limited a little	162	4.6	14,197	5.5	4.6
General health	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Residents with very good health	1,786	51.3	117,976	46.0	47.2
Residents with good health	1,115	32.0	85,956	33.5	34.2
Residents with fair health	412	11.8	35,756	13.9	13.1
Residents with bad health	134	3.8	13,012	5.1	4.2
Residents with very bad health	37	1.1	3,684	1.4	1.2
Hours of unpaid care [5]	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Total number of carers	380	100.0	27,247	100.0	100.0
1-19 hours a week	226	59.5	15,624	57.3	63.6
20-49 hours a week	62	16.3	4,057	14.9	13.3
50 or more hours a week	92	24.2	7,566	27.8	23.1

Economic activity	Widewell		Plymouth		England
Economic activity	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Total people aged 16-74 years	2,479	100.0	191,786	100.0	100.0
Total economically active aged 16-74 years [6]	1,781	71.8	127,742	66.6	69.9
Economically active: employed full-time	419	23.5	28,356	22.2	19.6
Economically active: employed part-time	1,038	58.3	69,234	54.2	55.2
Economically active: self-employed	172	9.7	13,116	10.3	14.0
Economically active: unemployed	72	4.0	8,136	6.4	6.3
Economically active: full-time student	80	4.5	8,900	7.0	4.9
Total economically inactive aged 16-74 years [7]	698	28.2	64,044	33.4	30.1
Economically inactive: retired	397	56.9	27,019	42.2	45.5
Economically inactive: student (including full-time)	75	10.7	16,060	25.1	19.3
Economically inactive: looking after home or family	117	16.8	7,482	11.7	14.5
Economically inactive: long-term sick or disabled	81	11.6	10,042	15.7	13.5
Economically inactive: other	28	4.0	3,441	5.4	7.3
Unemployment	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Total unemployed aged 16-74 years	72	100.0	8,136	100.0	100.0
Unemployed: aged 16-24 years	23	31.9	2,678	32.9	27.7
Unemployed: aged 50-74 years	15	20.8	1,379	16.9	18.5
Unemployed: who have never worked	51	70.8	6,178	75.9	88.8
Unemployed: who are long-term unemployed	22	30.6	3,009	37.0	39.3
Qualifications of those aged 16 years and over [8]	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Total people aged 16 years and over	2,736	100.0	211,502	100.0	100.0
No qualifications	505	18.5	47,073	22.3	22.5
Highest level of qualification: Level 1	342	12.5	28,541	13.5	13.3
Highest level of qualification: Level 2	505	18.5	35,452	16.8	15.2
Highest level of qualification: Level 3	423	15.5	35,009	16.6	12.4
Highest level of qualification: Level 4 and above	683	25.0	45,379	21.5	27.4
Highest level of qualification: apprenticeships	169	6.2	11,004	5.2	3.6
Other qualifications	109	4.0	9,044	4.3	5.7

People in employment	Widewell		Plymouth		England
Hours worked	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Total number of people aged 16-74 years in employment	1,694	100.0	117,466	100.0	100.0
Part time: 15 or less	137	8.1	12,119	10.3	9.6
Part time: 16 to 30	396	23.4	25,747	21.9	19.4
Full time: 31 to 48	945	55.8	66,730	56.8	57.6
Full time: 49 or more	216	12.8	12,870	11.0	13.3
Travel to work	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Total number of people aged 16-74 years in employment	1,694	100.0	117,466	100.0	100.0
People who work mainly at or from home	40	2.4	3,604	3.1	5.4
Underground; metro; light rail; tram	2	0.1	71	0.1	4.1
Train	4	0.2	676	0.6	5.3
Bus; minibus; coach	163	9.6	13,168	11.2	7.5
Motorcycle; scooter; moped	34	2.0	2,287	1.9	0.8
Driving a car or van	1,115	65.8	68,077	58.0	57.0
Passenger in a car or van	73	4.3	7,245	6.2	5.0
Taxi or minicab	11	0.6	813	0.7	0.5
Bicycle	61	3.6	3,094	2.6	3.0
On foot	169	10.0	17,306	14.7	10.7
Other methods of travel to work	22	1.3	1,125	1.0	0.6
Industry	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Total number of people aged 16-74 years in employment	1,694	100.0	117,466	100.0	100.0
A Agriculture; forestry and fishing	1	0.1	222	0.2	0.8
B Mining and quarrying	3	0.2	188	0.2	0.2
C Manufacturing	197	11.6	11,493	9.8	8.8

D Electricity; gas, steam and air conditioning supply	10	0.6	877	0.7	0.6
E Water supply;sewerage,waste management & remediation activities	3	0.2	642	0.5	0.7
F Construction	102	6.0	8,733	7.4	7.7
G Wholesale + retail trade; repair of motor vehicles + motorcycles	255	15.1	18,796	16.0	15.9
H Transport and storage	79	4.7	6,354	5.4	5.0
I Accommodation and food service activities	84	5.0	7,066	6.0	5.6
J Information and communication	24	1.4	2,756	2.3	4.1
K Financial and insurance activities	27	1.6	2,342	2.0	4.4
L Real estate activities	20	1.2	1,604	1.4	1.5
M Professional, scientific, and technical activities	54	3.2	4,561	3.9	6.7
N Administrative and support service activities	53	3.1	4,947	4.2	4.9
O Public administration and defence	300	17.7	12,772	10.9	5.9
P Education	160	9.4	11,951	10.2	9.9
Q Human health and social work	256	15.1	16,819	14.3	12.4
R/S/T/U	66	3.9	5,343	4.5	5.0
National Statistics Socio-Economic Classification (NS-SEC)	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Total number of people aged 16-74 years	2,479	100.0	191,786	100.0	100.0
1. Higher managerial and professional occupations	235	9.5	13,270	6.9	10.4
2. Lower managerial and professional occupations	572	23.1	34,784	18.1	20.9
3. Intermediate occupations	400	16.1	25,553	13.3	12.8
4. Small employers and own account workers	184	7.4	14,418	7.5	9.4
5. Lower supervisory and technical occupations	225	9.1	14,892	7.8	6.9
6. Semi-routine occupations	402	16.2	30,614	16.0	14.0
7. Routine occupations	236	9.5	24,491	12.8	11.0
8. Never worked and long term unemployed	73	2.9	9,187	4.8	5.6
Full-time students	152	6.1	24,577	12.8	9.0
Not classifiable for other reasons	-	0.0	-	0.0	0.0

Housing and accommodation		Widewell		Plymouth		England
	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %	
Household spaces and occupancy						
Total number of dwellings [9]	1,411	100.0	113,069	100.0	100.0	
Dwellings: unshared	1,411	100.0	112,883	99.8	99.9	
Dwellings: shared	-	0.0	186	0.2	0.1	
Total number of household spaces [9]	1,411	100.0	113,528	100.0	100.0	
Household spaces: occupied (at least one usual resident)	1,358	96.2	109,307	96.3	95.7	
Household spaces: unoccupied (no usual residents)	53	3.8	4,221	3.7	4.3	
Total household spaces which are:	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %	
Detached	424	30.0	12,220	10.8	22.3	
Semi-detached	451	32.0	33,245	29.5	30.8	
Terraced (including end terrace)	475	33.7	37,987	33.7	24.6	
Purpose-built block of flats	56	4.0	19,272	17.1	16.8	
Part of a converted or shared house (including bed-sits)	2	0.1	9,553	8.5	4.3	
In a commercial building	2	0.1	950	0.8	1.1	
A caravan or other mobile or temporary structure	1	0.1	301	0.3	0.4	
Tenure	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %	
All occupied household spaces [10]	1,358	100.0	109,307	100.0	100.0	
Owned: owned outright	493	36.3	29,763	27.2	30.6	
Owned: owned with a mortgage or loan	494	36.4	34,394	31.5	32.8	
Owned: shared ownership (part owned and part rented)	24	1.8	841	0.8	0.8	
Social rented: Local authority [11]	54	4.0	9,403	8.6	9.4	
Social rented: other	61	4.5	11,692	10.7	8.3	
Private rented	217	16.0	22,026	20.2	16.8	
Living rent free	15	1.1	1,188	1.1	1.3	
Household size	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %	
Average household size (persons)	2.6		2.3			
Average number of rooms per household	5.9		5.1			
Average number of bedrooms per household	3.1		2.6			
Occupancy rating (rooms) of -1 or less [12]	28	2.1	9,426	8.6	8.7	
Occupancy rating (bedrooms) of -1 or less [12]	29	2.1	4,408	4.0	4.8	
Central heating	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %	
None	21	1.5	5,336	4.9	2.7	
Gas	1,250	92.0	89,844	82.2	78.8	
Electric (including storage heaters)	35	2.6	9,170	8.4	8.3	
Oil	3	0.2	176	0.2	3.8	
Solid fuel (wood, coal)	1	0.1	200	0.2	0.7	
Other types	5	0.4	1,197	1.1	1.6	
Two or more types of central heating	43	3.2	3,384	3.1	4.1	

Household characteristics		Widewell		Plymouth		England
	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %	
Household composition						
All occupied household spaces [10]	1,358	100.0	109,307	100.0	100	
One person household	241	17.7	34,317	31.4	30.2	
Married couple household: with dependent children	326	24.0	15,089	13.8	16.4	
Married couple household: no dependent children	506	37.3	28,752	26.3	26.8	
Same-sex civil partnership couple household: with dependent children	-	0.0	14	0.0	0.0	
Same-sex civil partnership couple household: no dependent children	-	0.0	128	0.1	0.1	

Cohabiting couple household: with dependent children	43	3.2	5,282	4.8	4.3
Cohabiting couple household: no dependent children	87	6.4	8,248	7.5	6.8
Lone parent household: with dependent children	88	6.5	8,496	7.8	7.9
Lone parent household: no dependent children	46	3.4	4,047	3.7	3.8
Multi-person household: all full-time students	-	0.0	1,733	1.6	0.5
Multi-person household: other	21	1.5	3,201	2.9	3.0
Dependent children [13]	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
Households with dependent children	465	34.2	29,510	27.0	29.1
Households with dependent children: aged 0-4 years	209	15.4	12,210	11.2	11.8
No adults in employment with dependent children	34	2.5	4,747	4.3	4.2
No adults in employment without dependent children	378	27.8	34,595	31.6	29.1
Car/van availability	Area value	Area %	City value	City %	National %
No cars or vans in household	155	11.4	30,438	27.85	25.8
One car or van in household	618	45.5	49,904	45.65	42.2
Two or more cars or vans in household	585	43.1	28,965	26.50	32.0
Total number of cars or vans in area	1,921		115,466		

Footnotes:

"-" corresponds to a value of zero

[1] A usual resident of the UK is anyone who, on census date, was in the UK and had stayed or intended to stay in the UK for a period of 12 months or more, or had a permanent UK address and was living outside the UK and intended to be outside the UK for less than 12 months.

[2] A communal establishment is an establishment providing residential accommodation. 'Managed' in this context means full-time or part-time accommodation supervision.

[3] Students in full-time education studying away from their family home are treated as usually resident at their term-time address.

[4] A long-term health problem or disability that limits a person's day-to-day activities, and has lasted, or is expected to last, at least 12 months. This includes problems that are related to old age.

[5] A person is a provider of unpaid care if they look after or give help or support to family members, friends, neighbours, or others because of long-term physical or mental ill-health or disability, or problems related to old age.

[6] A person aged 16 to 74 is described as economically active if, in the week before the census, they were: (i) in employment, as an employee or self-employed; (ii) not in employment but were seeking work and ready to start work within two weeks, or; (iii) not in employment, but waiting to start a job already obtained and available.

[7] A person aged 16 to 74 is described as economically inactive if, in the week before the census, they were not in employment but did not meet the criteria to be classified as 'unemployed'. This includes a person looking for work but not available to start work within two weeks, as well as anyone not looking for work, or unable to work.

[8] Level 1 qualifications: 1-4 O levels/CSEs/GSCEs (any grades), NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ.

Level 2 qualifications: 5+ O Level (passes)/CSEs (grade 1)/GCSEs (grades A*-C), School Certificate, I A Level/ 2-3 AS Levels/VCEs, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ, City and Guilds Craft, BTEC First/General Diploma, RSA Diploma apprenticeship.

Level 3 qualifications: 2+ A Levels/VCEs, 4+ AS Levels, Higher School Certificate, Progression/Advanced Diploma, NVQ Level 3, Advanced GNVQ, City and Guilds Advanced Craft, ONC, OND BTEC National, RSA Advanced Diploma.

Level 4+ qualifications: Degree, Higher Degree, NVQ Level 4-5, HNC, HND, RSA Higher Diploma, BTEC Higher Level, Foundation degree, Professional qualifications (e.g. teaching, nursing)

Other qualifications: Vocational/work-related qualifications, Foreign qualifications.

[9] A dwelling is a unit of accommodation in which all rooms - including kitchen, bathroom, and toilet - are behind a door that only that household can use. A dwelling may comprise one or more household spaces (the accommodation used or available for use by an individual household).

[10] A household is defined as one person living alone, or a group of people (not necessarily related) living at the same address who share cooking facilities and share a living room or dining area.

[11] The Census asked respondents to identify who their landlord is and the results reflect the responses. In the past decade many local authorities have transferred the management of their housing stock to other social landlords. Individuals responding to the Census will report their understanding of their landlord and this may not reflect the actual management in all cases.

[12] Occupancy rating provides a measure of whether a household's accommodation is overcrowded or under-occupied. There are two measures of occupancy rating, one based on the number of rooms in a household's accommodation, and one based on the number of bedrooms. The ages of the household members and their relationships to each other are used to derive the number of rooms/bedrooms they require. An occupancy rating of -1 implies that a household has one fewer room/bedroom than required, whereas +1 implies that they have one more room/bedroom than required.

[13] A dependent child is a person aged 0-15 years in a household or aged 16-18 in full-time education and living in a family with his/her parent(s).

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