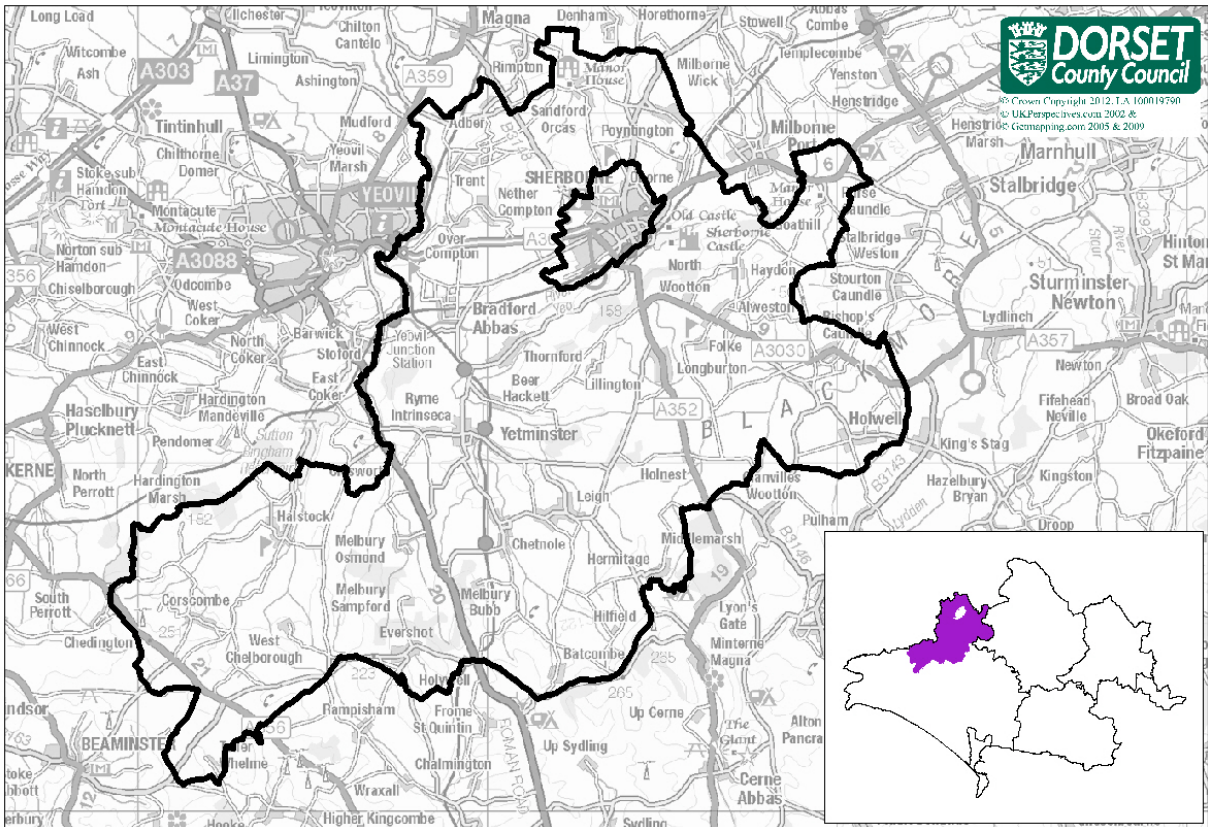


Electoral Division Profile 2013



Sherborne Rural Electoral Division

Total Population: **9,340** (2011 Mid Year Estimate, DCC) Number of Electors: **7,852** (Dec 2012, WDDC)

- Sherborne Rural Electoral Division is composed of the following parishes: Trent, Sandford Orcas, Osborne, Poyntington, Goathill, Purse Caundle, Haydon, Caundle Marsh, Bishop's Caundle, Holwell, Folke, North Wootton, Castleton, Over Compton, Nether Compton, Longburton, Leweston, Lillington, Holnest, Leigh, Chetnole, Stockwood, Yetminster, Ryme Intrinsicca, Beer Hackett, Thornford, Clifton Maybank, Bradford Abbas, Hermitage, Hilfield, Batcombe, Melbury Bubb, Melbury Sampford, Evershot, Melbury Osmond, East Chelborough, West Chelborough, Corsecombe and Halstock.
- Within the division there is no library (the nearest is in Sherborne) and 6 schools (all primary).

Population

2011 Mid-Year Population Estimates, ONS & DCC	Sherborne Rural Electoral Division	West Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
All	9,340	99,260	412,910
% aged 0-15 years	15.1%	15.8%	16.3%
% aged 16-64 years	57.5%	57.7%	58.5%
% aged 65-84 years	24.1%	22.3%	21.3%
% aged 85+ years	3.3%	4.2%	3.9%

- Sherborne Rural division has a total population of 9,340.
- The age profile in the division is slightly older than the County average, 27.4% are aged 65+ years. The proportion of people aged 85+ is slightly below average (3.3% compared to 3.9%).

Ethnicity/Country of Birth

<i>Census, 2011</i>	Sherborne Rural Electoral Division	West Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
% white British	96.5	95.7	95.5
% Black and minority ethnic groups (BME)	3.5	4.3	4.5
% England	90.9	91.3	91.0
% born rest of UK	3.3	3.1	3.4
% Rep of IRE	0.3	0.4	0.4
% EU (member countries in 2001)	1.3	1.2	1.3
% EU (Accession countries April 2001 to March 2011)	0.5	0.5	0.7
% born elsewhere	3.6	3.4	3.1

- 96.5% of the division's population are white British, just above then County average (95.5%).

Households

<i>Census 2011</i>	Sherborne Rural Electoral Division	West Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
all household spaces	4,340	49,340	195,060
% household spaces with no usual residents	7.5	11.2	8.2
all household spaces with residents	4,010	44,390	180,210
% owner occupied	73.3	70.3	72.7
% rented (public)	8.6	13.9	12.4
% rented (private) & others	18.1	15.8	14.9
% no cars	6.8	15.7	15.5
% 2 or more cars	54.8	39.4	41.0
% of households 65+ (couples or lone, with/without dependents)	31.8	31.4	30.6
% married couples with/without dependents	41.9	34.3	35.1
% cohabiting couples with/without dependents	7.0	8.2	8.4
% lone parents with/dependents	5.0	7.0	7.6
% all others	14.4	18.9	18.4
average household size	2.3	2.2	2.3

- Sherborne Rural division has a high proportion of privately rented properties, 18.1% compared with 14.9% across Dorset.
- Car ownership in the area is very high, just 6.8% of households do not have a car and almost 55% of households have at least 2 cars.

Health and Care

<i>Census, 2011</i>	Sherborne Rural Electoral Division	West Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
% long term illness/disability	17.9	20.3	20.1
% health very good/good	82.6	80.3	80.5
% health very bad/bad	3.7	5.0	5.0
% provides unpaid care	13.3	12.0	11.9
% all usual residents in communal establishments	1.7	2.7	2.3

- Overall the health of those who live in Sherborne Rural division is better than the County average, less than 18% of the population have a long term illness or disability compared with over 20% across Dorset.
- Almost 83% of the population described their general health as good/very good; in Dorset the figure was lower at 80.5%.
- 13.3% of residents are providing unpaid care, above the County average (11.9%).

Employment and Qualifications

<i>Census, 2011</i>	Sherborne Rural Electoral Division	West Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
all usual residents aged 16 to 74	6,750	70,360	293,440
all usual residents aged 16 to 74 economically active	4,530	47,570	199,940
% part-time	20.8	23.0	23.1
% full-time	45.0	48.6	51.0
% self-employed	28.4	21.5	18.4
% unemployed	2.7	3.4	4.0
all usual residents aged 16 to 74 economically inactive	2,210	22,790	93,500
% retired	67.1	65.4	63.6
% student	10.9	10.4	10.0
% looking after home/family	11.9	10.6	11.3
% sick/disabled	5.7	9.1	9.7
% other	4.4	4.5	5.4
all usual residents aged 16 and over	7,930	83,540	345,600
% of all usual residents aged 16 and over no qualifications	17.3	20.1	21.3
% of all usual residents aged 16 and over with higher level qualifications	34.1	30.8	27.0
all usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	4,400	45,710	190,900
% high skill occupation	41.8	40.8	40.0
% intermediate skill occupation	43.3	43.1	43.4
% low skill occupation	14.8	16.1	16.6

- Of those who are economically active, 45% are employed full-time and 20.8% are in part-time employment. Sherborne Rural division has a high proportion who are self-employed; over 28% of the economically active population compared with a county average of 18.4%.
- Unemployment is low as compared to the County average, 2.7% of those economically active in Sherborne Rural, 4% across Dorset.
- Just over 17% of aged 16+ in the division have no qualifications, lower than the County average (21.3%), whilst 34% have a higher level qualification, higher than average (27%).
- Of those in employment just 14.8% are in low skill occupations, across Dorset the average is 16.6%.

Index of Deprivation 2010, CLG

Lower Super Output Area	IMD Rank
Bradford Abbas	26,205
Cam Vale	18,077
Halstock	17,286
Queen Thorne	19,257
Yetminster	21,505

- IMD Stands for the Index of Multiple Deprivation
- All Lower Super Output Areas in England are ranked from 1 for the most deprived to 32,482 for the least deprived
- None of the areas in Sherborne Rural are within the top 40% most deprived in England

MOSAIC socio-economic classifications, 2012

Rank	Sherborne Rural ED Top 5 Mosaic Public Sector Types	Sherborne Rural	Dorset CC %
1	Remote communities with poor access to public and commercial services	22.9	3.5
2	Retirees electing to settle in environmentally attractive localities	22.8	4.3
3	Villagers with few well paid alternatives to agricultural employment	10.8	2.9
4	Higher income older champions of village communities	9.49	4.5
5	Self employed trades people living in smaller communities	5.89	6.1

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Average House Prices

Postcode district	Detached	Sales	Semi-Det	Sales	Terraced	Sales	Flat/Mais	Sales	Overall Average	Total
Sherborne Rural ED DT9	£318,055	20	£251,710	14	£193,240	28	£0	0	£246,706	62
Dorset DT2	£362,189	37	£235,243	15	£211,887	36	£192,125	4	£275,283	92
England & Wales	£343,117	689	£233,079	304	£196,327	413	£162,160	220	£260,776	1,626
	£324,602	43,260	£201,427	47,961	£196,327	50,491	£243,379	30,131	£238,293	171,843

Source: HM Land Registry, based on sales Oct–Dec 2012

Citizens' Panel Questions—March 2011

Questions —Sherborne Rural ED	Yes	No	Net Agreement
Do you feel that you can influence decisions made by Dorset County Council?	32%	38%	-5%
Do you feel informed about Dorset County Council?	62%	19%	43%
Do you agree that Dorset County Council offer value for money?	38%	24%	14%

Council Tax—2012/13

	Lowest *	Highest **	Notes
Band D	£1,533.48	£1,579.83	*Caundle Marsh, Clifton Maybank, Haydon, Melbury Bubb, Melbury Sampford, North Wootton. **Chetnole & Stockwood Group

Earnings — median weekly earnings of full time employees

	Workplace based	Residence based
DCC Dorset	£458.50	£480.00
Christchurch	£477.40	£486.20
East Dorset	£458.50	£518.10
North Dorset	£379.90	£479.80
Purbeck	£484.60	£439.50
West Dorset	£452.70	£506.30
Weymouth & Portland	£437.50	£449.10

Source: Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings 2012, ONS

Crime Rates

Area	Rate of total crime per 1,000 population
Sherborne Rural ED	28.8
DCC Dorset	45.7
South West Region	61.2
England & Wales	72.0

Sources: Dorset County Council, Dorset Police & ONS. For further detail contact 01305 224984

Unemployment

Source: Claimant Count, Jan-Dec 2012, ONS

Area	Male		Female		Total		% of claimants long term unemployed
	number	rate	number	rate	number	rate	
Sherborne Rural ED	32	1.3	24	0.9	56	1.1	10.4
DCC Dorset	2,605	2.2	1,341	1.1	3,946	1.6	12.1
Great Britain	1,011,913	5.1	514,638	2.6	1,526,551	3.8	25.0

Employment

Business Register and Employment Survey 2011, ONS

Area	Employees in employment	% employed in the service sector
Sherborne Rural ED	2,300	73%
DCC Dorset	148,700	81%
Great Britain	26,561,700	85%

Note: Excludes self-employed & agricultural employment

Firms

Source: MINT Database, Jan 2013

	Number of firms	% employing 1-10 people (micro firms)
Sherborne Rural ED	550	97%