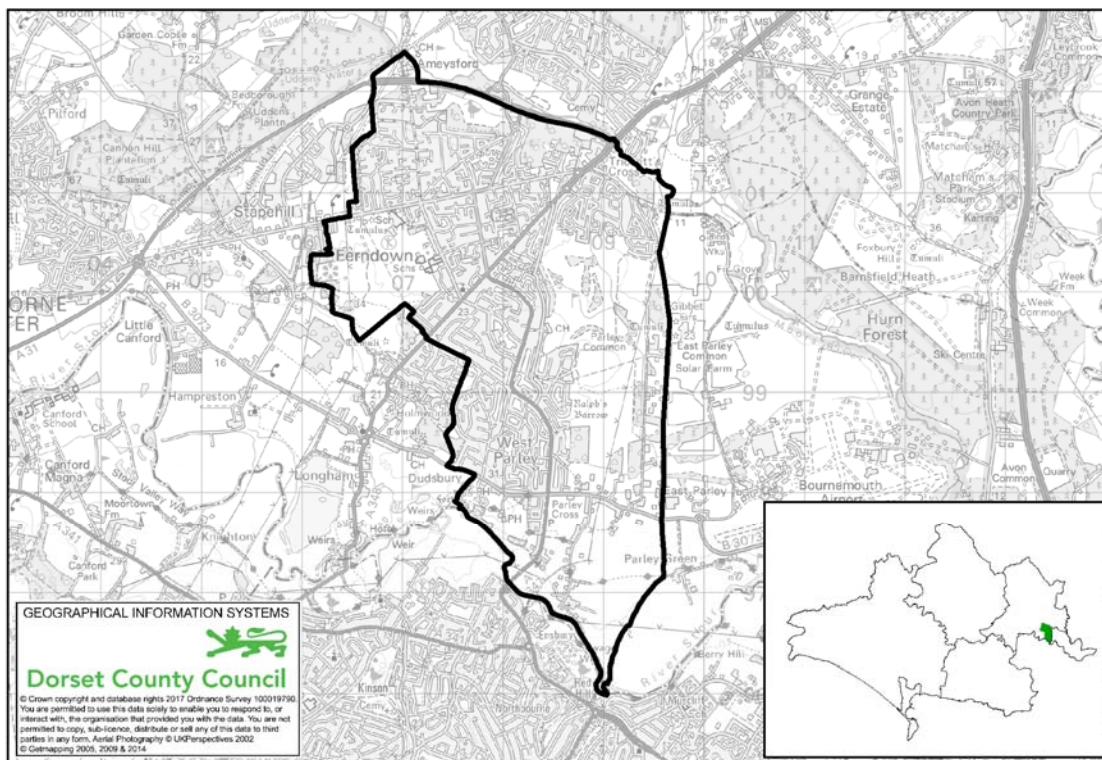


Electoral Division Profile 2017



Ferndown Electoral Division

Total Population: **17,300** (2015 Mid Year Estimate, DCC) Number of Electors: **14,214** (March 2017, EDDC)

- Ferndown Electoral Division is composed of the following parishes: Ferndown Town and West Parley.
- Within the division there is 1 library. There are also 4 schools (2 primary, 1 middle and 1 secondary).

Population

2015 Mid-Year Population Estimates, ONS & DCC	Ferndown Electoral Division	East Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
All	17,300	88,700	420,600
% aged 0-15 years	12.0	15.2	16.0
% aged 16-64 years	48.8	54.1	56.1
% aged 65-84 years	31.8	25.9	23.8
% aged 85+ years	7.4	4.8	4.1

- Ferndown division has a total population of 17,300, **represented by 2 elected members**.
- The age profile within the division is much older than the County average. Almost 40% of the division's population are aged 65+ years, compared with a County figure of 28%. There is a particularly high proportion of those aged over 85 years in Ferndown division: 7.4%, compared to 4.1% for Dorset.

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Ethnicity/Country of Birth / Language spoken

Census, 2011	Ferndown Electoral Division	East Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
% White British	95.5	96.2	95.5
% Black and minority ethnic groups (BME)	4.5	3.8	4.5
% England	91.0	91.8	91.0
% born rest of UK	3.6	3.3	3.4
% Rep of IRE	0.6	0.4	0.4
% EU (member countries in 2001)	1.2	1.2	1.3
% EU (Accession countries April 2001 to March 2011)	0.5	0.4	0.7
% born elsewhere	3.2	2.9	3.1
Main language spoken not English	0.5	0.4	0.7

Households

Address Base, DCC	Ferndown Electoral Division	East Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
Number of residential properties	8,413	40,493	205,315

Health and Care

Census, 2011	Ferndown Electoral Division	East Dorset	Dorset (DCC)
% long term illness / disability	25.1	19.7	20.1
% health very good/ good	76.2	81.1	80.5
% health very bad/ bad	6.1	4.6	5.0
% provides unpaid care	13.8	12.5	11.9
% all usual residents in communal establishments	1.2	1.1	2.3

- Overall, the health of those living in Ferndown division is worse than the County average, possibly a reflection of the older age profile in the area.
- A quarter of the population have a long term illness or disability, more than the County average of a fifth.
- 13.8% provide some form of unpaid care to a relative or friend, higher than for Dorset (12%).

Unemployment Source: Claimant Count, Jan 2017, ONS

Area	Male rate	Female rate	Total rate	% of claimants long term unemployed
Ferndown ED	1.3	0.4	0.8	26.0
DCC Dorset	1.1	0.7	0.9	16.5
Great Britain	2.4	1.4	1.9	30.9

Index of Deprivation 2015, DCLG.

Lower Super Output Area	IMD Rank
Ferndown The Warren	22,034
Ferndown Pinewood	29,513
Ferndown St Marys	20,002
Ferndown Tricketts Cross East	8,381
Ferndown Tricketts Cross	10,645
Ferndown Coppice & Clayford	22,904
Ferndown Leeson	26,197
Ferndown Golf Links North	30,686
Parley Cross	26,212
Ferndown Glenmoor	31,375
Parley	31,933

- IMD Stands for the Index of Multiple Deprivation.
- All Lower Super Output Areas in England are ranked from 1 for the most deprived to 32,844 for the least deprived.
- Ferndown Tricketts Cross East and Ferndown Tricketts Cross are the most deprived areas within the division. These areas fall within the top 30% and top 40% (respectively) most deprived areas nationally.