Electoral Division Profile 2017



Portland Harbour Electoral Division

Total Population: 9,200 (2015 Mid Year Estimate, DCC) Number of Electors: 6,916 (March, 2017 WPBC)

- Portland Harbour Electoral Division is composed of Underhill ward and Wyke Regis ward.
- Within the division there are 1 library and 4 schools (2 primary, 1 secondary and Isle of Portland Aldridge Community Academy).

Population					
2015 Mid-Year Population Estimates, ONS & DCC	Portland Harbour Electoral Division	Weymouth & Portland	Dorset (DCC)		
All	9,200	65,170	420,590		
% aged 0-15 years	18.7	16.5	16.0		
% aged 16-64 years	60.0	59.4	56.1		
% aged 65-84 years	18.5	20.9	23.8		
% aged 85+ years	2.8	3.3	4.1		

- Portland Harbour division has a total population of 9,200.
- The division has a younger population than the county average with 18.7% aged 0-15 compared to 16.0% across Dorset and 60.0% are aged 16-64 compared to (56.1%) for Dorset.

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Ethnicity/Country of Birth / Language spoken

Census, 2011	Portland Harbour Electoral Division	Weymouth & Portland	Dorset (DCC)
% white British	94.3	94.9	95.5
% Black and minority ethnic groups (BME)	5.7	5.1	4.5
% England	90.1	90.7	91.0
% born rest of UK	3.9	4.0	3.4
% Rep of IRE	0.3	0.4	0.4
% EU (member countries in 2001)	1.2	1.2	1.3
% EU (Accession countries April 2001 to March 2011)	0.8	1.0	0.7
% born elsewhere	3.5	2.7	3.1
Main language spoken not English	0.5	1.0	0.7

Households			
Address Base, DCC	Portland Harbour Electoral Division	Weymouth & Portland	Dorset (DCC)
Number of residential properties	4,651	32,812	205,315

Health and Care

Census, 2011	Portland Harbour Electoral Division	Weymouth & Portland	Dorset (DCC)
% long term illness / disability	20.9	21.6	20.1
% health very good/ good	79.7	79.0	80.5
% health very bad/ bad	5.5	5.9	5.0
% provides unpaid care	11.7	11.6	11.9
% all usual residents in communal establishments	5.8	2.8	2.3

• Overall the health of those living in Portland Harbour division is slightly worse than the Dorset average.

• 5.5% described their health as bad or very bad, just over the Dorset average (5.0%).

Unemployment source: Claimant Count, Jan 2017, ONS					
Area	Male rate	Female rate	Total rate	% of claimants long term unemployed	
Portland Harbour ED	2.2	1.8	2.0	21.0	
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	• IMD	Stands for the Ir	ndex of Multiple Deprivation.	
Wyke Regis All Saints	23,933		 ranked from 1 for the most deprived to 32,844 for the least deprived. Fortuneswell North and South are the most deprived areas within this division. Fortuneswell North falls in the top 5% most de- 		
Wyke Regis Castle Hill	19,364				
Wyke Regis Ferry Bridge	15,715				
Wyke Square	14,815				
Fortuneswell South	5,548				
Fortuneswell North	1,564	prive	ed areas national	ly and the most deprived	