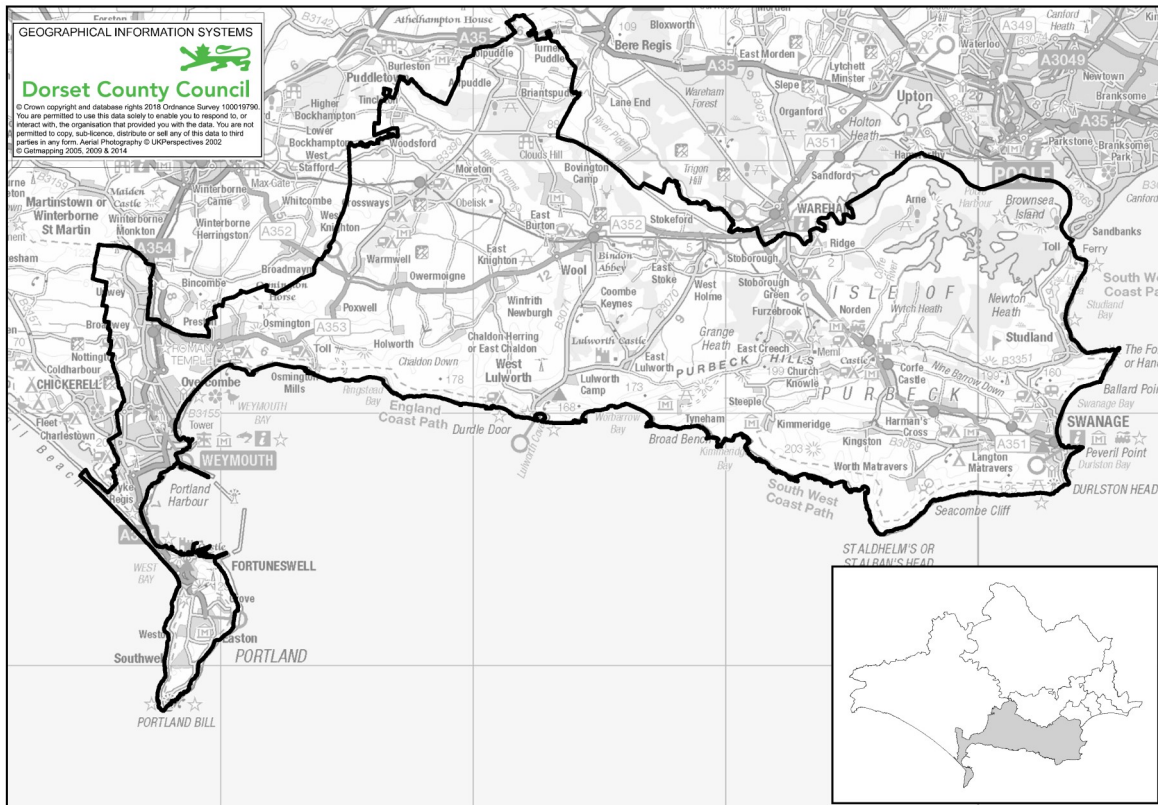


Parliamentary Constituency Areas 2018

South Dorset Parliamentary Constituency Area



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Total Population: **93,450** (2017 Mid Year Estimate, Office for National Statistics)

- Within the Parliamentary Constituency Area there are 8 libraries and 32 schools (1 free school, 26 primary, 2 secondary, 2 special, 1 Pupil Referral Unit).

Population

2017 Mid-Year Population Estimates, ONS	South Dorset	South West	England & Wales
All	93,450	5,559,320	58,744,600
% aged 0-15 years	16%	18%	19%
% aged 16-64 years	58%	61%	63%
% aged 65-84 years	22%	19%	16%
% aged 85+ years	4%	3%	2%

- South Dorset Parliamentary Constituency Area has a total population of 93,450.
- The area has a smaller working age population than the regional and national average with 58% aged 16-64 compared to 61% across the South West. The proportion of population aged 65+ is larger at 26% compared to a regional figure of 22% and national figure of 18%.

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Ethnicity/Country of Birth / Language spoken

Census, 2011	South Dorset	South West	England & Wales
% white British	95.2	91.8	80.5
% Black and minority ethnic groups (BME)	4.9	8.2	19.4
% England	90.6	88.6	80.0
% rest of UK	3.9	3.8	6.6
% Rep of IRE	0.4	0.5	0.7
% EU (member countries in 2001)	1.4	1.4	1.6
% EU (Accession countries April 2001 to March 2011)	0.9	1.4	2.0
% elsewhere	2.8	4.3	9.0
Main language spoken not English	0.9	2.0	4.3

Households

Address Base, DCC	South Dorset	Number of Households within top 20% most deprived areas nationally	% Experian Classification	South Dorset	South West	UK
			Affluent Households	27.4	33.3	31.1
			Comfortably Off Households	38.7	35.4	28.7
Number of residential properties	47,022	8,539	Lower Income Households	33.9	31.2	40.2

Health and Care

Census, 2011	South Dorset	South West	England & Wales
% long term illness / disability	21.2	18.5	17.9
% health very good/ good	79.5	81.5	81.2
% health very bad/ bad	5.6	5.1	5.6
% provides unpaid care	11.9	10.8	10.3
% all usual residents in communal establishments	2.7	2.1	1.7

- Overall the health of those living in the South Dorset Parliamentary Constituency Area is slightly worse compared to the South West and national averages.
- 21.2% of the population in this area have a long term illness/disability, higher than the regional and national averages. This could well reflect the older population and more areas of deprivation in the constituency.

Unemployment Source: Claimant count, August 2018, ONS. Jobseeker's Allowance, August 2018, ONS.

Area	% Male	% Female	% Total	% of claimants long term unemployed
South Dorset	2.3	1.5	1.9	53.9
South West	1.9	1.3	1.6	39.6
England & Wales	2.6	1.7	2.2	39.5

Deprivation 2015, DCLG

	Index of Multiple Deprivation	Income Deprivation	Employment Deprivation	Health Deprivation	Education Deprivation	Crime Deprivation	Barriers to Housing & Services Deprivation	Living Environment Deprivation
Population within the top 20% most deprived areas nationally for:	16.5%	12.2%	15.8%	19.7%	17.6%	8.6%	23.9%	22.4%