

KIDWELLY WARD: ELECTORAL DIVISION PROFILE

Policy Research and Information Section, Carmarthenshire County Council, May 2012

Councillors (Electoral Vote 2012): Keith Davies (Labour). Turnout = 48.77%

Electorate (October 2011): 2692

Population: 3,555 (mid -2010 Estimate)

Welsh Assembly and UK Parliamentary Constituency: Llanelli

Council owned Facilities: Mynyddygarreg C.P. School, Ysgol Y Castell C.P. School, Ysgol Gwenllian C.P. School, Kidwelly Industrial Museum, Kidwelly Town Hall, Mynyddygarreg Luncheon Club.



Location: Approximately 15km from Carmarthen Town

- ⇒ Area: 12.51km²
- ⇒ Population Density: 284 people per km²
- ⇒ Population Change: 2001-2010: +255 (+7.2%)
- ⇒ Major Employers: Carmarthenshire County Council (schools and leisure)

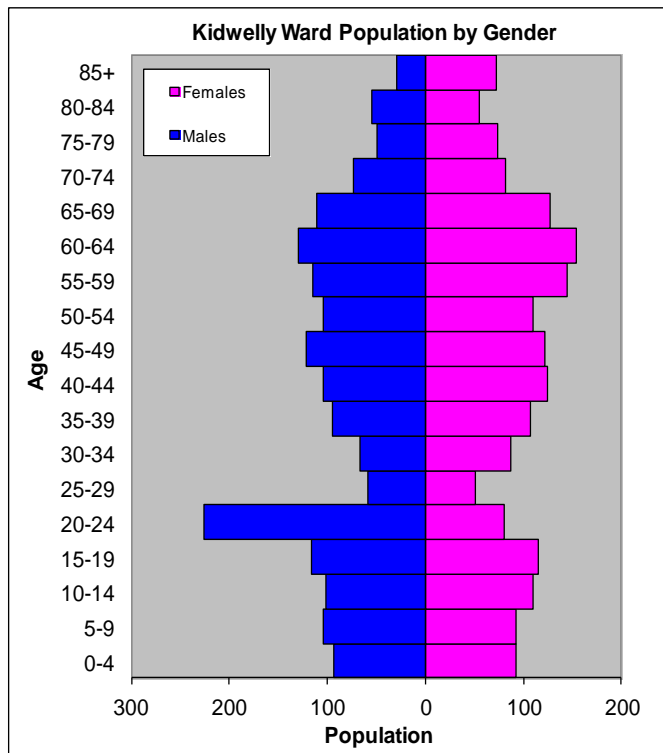
POPULATION STATISTICS

2010 Small Area Population Estimates

Age Structure	Kidwelly Population	Kidwelly %	Carmarthenshire %
Aged: 0-4	186	5.2	5.4
May-14	408	11.5	11.2
15-24	539	15.2	11.8
25-44	694	19.5	22.3
45-64	1000	28.1	28.3
65-74	394	11.1	11.2
75+	334	9.4	11.5
Total	3,555	100	100

Births & Deaths	Kidwelly	Carmarthenshire
Birth (2010)	34	1,963
Births Rate	9.6	10.9
Deaths (2010)	47	2077
Death Rate	13.2	11.5

Source: Vital Statistics 2010, ONS.
Note: birth/death rates expressed per '000



Source: aggregated lower Super Output Area (LSOA) Small Area Population Estimates, 2010, Office for National Statistics (ONS)

- ⇒ 18th highest ward population in Carmarthenshire, and 19th highest population density.
- ⇒ Highest proportion of people aged over 45, proportion aged 75+ lower than the Carmarthenshire average.
- ⇒ Higher proportion of people with no qualifications
- ⇒ High proportion of Welsh Speakers

2001 Census Data

Population: Key Facts	Kidwelly	Kidwelly %	Carmarthenshire
People: born in Wales	2595	78.9	80.07
born outside UK	60	1.82	1.93
in non-white ethnic groups	28	0.84	0.94
with limiting long-term illness	943	28.67	26.27
with no qualifications (aged 16-74)	957	40.81	34.04
with higher level qualifications (aged 16-74)	280	11.94	17.24
able to speak Welsh	1614	50.7	50.07

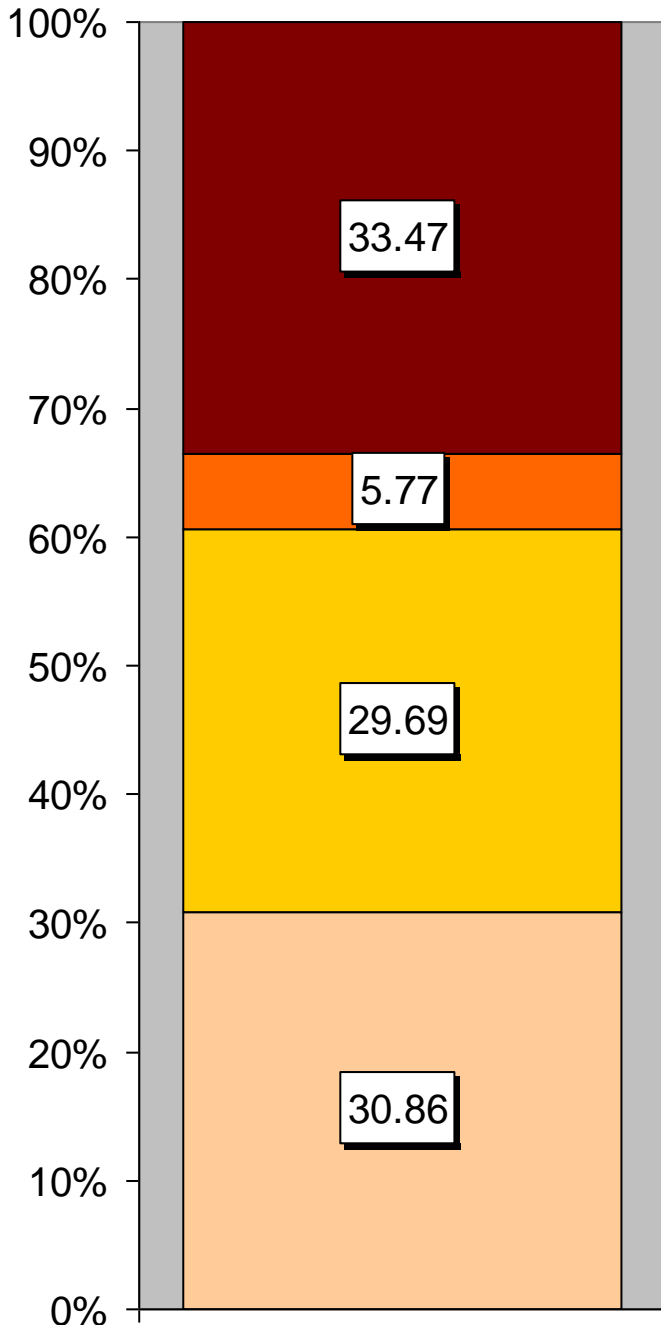
Household Composition	Kidwelly	Kidwelly %	Carmarthenshire
Total Households/ (Average Household Size)	1378	(2.36)	(2.33)
Household Type: one person: pensioner	253	18.36	17.15
one person: other	162	11.76	12.81
one family: all pensioners	116	8.42	10.38
one family: married couple	498	36.13	37.35
one family: cohabiting couple	83	6.03	6.26
one family: lone parent	151	10.96	10.29
one family: other	115	8.34	5.79

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

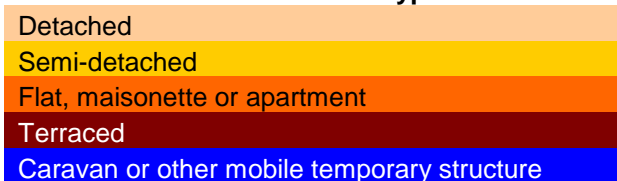
HOUSING

The area's housing consists mainly of terraced housing, it is closed followed however by detached and semi-detached accommodation. These three groups together almost make all of the accommodation in Kidwelly. The ward consists of 200 local authority owned properties and 73 Housing Association properties.

Household Accommodation Types



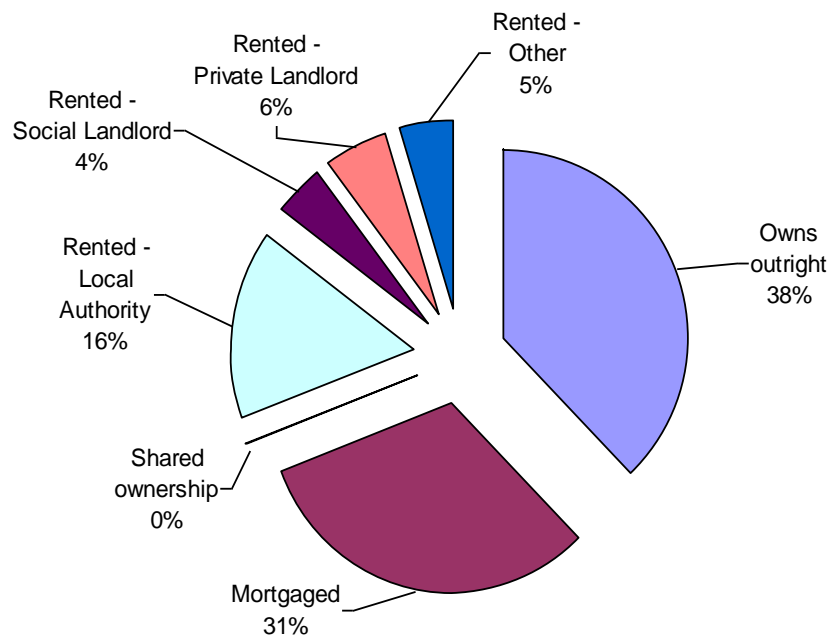
Household Accommodation Types



Household Tenure

Owns outright	38%
Mortgaged	31%
Shared Ownership	0%
Rented from Local Authority	16%
Rented from Registered Social Landlord	4%
Rented from Private Landlord	6%
Rented from other	5%

Household Tenure



SOCIO-ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

- ⇒ The estimated median household income for Kidwelly, based on CACI's 2011 'PayCheck' data, is £22,818 which is the 18th lowest (of 58 wards) in Carmarthenshire and 21.7% below the Carmarthenshire mean of £29,156.
- ⇒ The social profile information indicates a higher than average level of people on state benefit, unemployed or low grade workers (grade E) and a higher than average semi-skilled and unskilled manual workers (grade D).

Social Profile	Kidwelly	%	Carmarthenshire %
<i>All people aged 16-74 in households</i>	2603	100	100
AB: Higher and intermediate managerial/professional	314	12.06	16.42
C1: Supervisory, clerical, junior managerial/professional	654	25.12	28.5
C2: Skilled manual workers	623	23.93	18.81
D: Semi-skilled and unskilled manual workers	503	19.32	17.88
E: On state benefit, unemployed, lowest grade workers	509	19.55	18.38

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

ECONOMY AND LABOUR MARKET

Benefit Claimants	Kidwelly	Rate %	Carmarthenshire Working Population %
Unemployment Benefit (JSA): March 2012	71	3.3	3.4
Incapacity Benefits (ESA/IB/SDA) August 2011	290	13.3	10.6
Income Support: August 2011	115	5.3	4.8
Disability Living Allowance: August 2011	355	16.3	14.6
Pension Credit: August 2011	245	11.2	9.1
State Pension Claimants: August 2011	820	37.6	38.8

Source: Jobcentre Plus administrative system Dept. for Work & Pensions

Economic Status (people aged 16-74)	Kidwelly	Kidwelly %	Carmarthenshire %
Economically Active	1,344	57.32	58.6
Employees: Part-time	307	13.09	10.75
Employees: Full-time	760	32.41	32.67
Self-employed	158	6.74	10.02
Unemployed	79	3.37	3.37
Full-time Student	40	1.71	1.78
Economically Inactive	1001	42.68	41.4
Retired	340	14.5	16.12
Student	81	3.45	4.51
Looking after home/family	179	7.63	6.23
Permanently sick/disabled	317	13.52	11.07
Other	84	3.58	3.47

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

WELSH INDEX OF MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION (WIMD)

WIMD 2011 based on fine-grained geography of lower Super Output Areas (LSOAs). The WIMD 2011 is compiled from eight domains, Income, Employment, Health, Education, Housing, Access to Services, Physical Environment and Community Safety and is published at Lower Super Output Area of which there are 112 in Carmarthenshire.

Under WIMD, where Rank 1 is the most deprived, **Kidwelly 1** ranks as the 20th most deprived area out of 112 LSOAs in Carmarthenshire and is ranked 531 in Wales from 1896 LSOAs. **Kidwelly 2** ranks 59th in Carmarthenshire and is ranked 928 from 1896 LSOAs in Wales.

The highest level of deprivation attributed to **Kidwelly 1** is the Education domain, being ranked 10th in Carmarthenshire and 381 in Wales for this domain. In **Kidwelly 2** the Employment domain is the most prominent ranking 46th in Carmarthenshire and 708th in Wales.

Kidwelly 1 – Kidwelly Castle

Kidwelly 2 – Kidwelly Quay, Mynyddygarreg

LSOA	Overall Index		Domains: Income		Employment		Health		Education		Housing		Access to Services		Physical Environment		Community Safety	
	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales	Rank	Wales
Kidwelly 1	20	531	23	592	20	400	21	426	10	381	34	799	89	1132	88	1307	34	1097
Kidwelly 2	59	928	51	938	46	708	54	830	74	1184	68	1143	49	368	86	1304	68	1516

Source: Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation 2011 (released August 2011), Welsh Assembly Government.

Note: LSOAs ranked 1-112 (Carmarthenshire), 1-1896 (Wales).

CRIME

Kidwelly	Offence Group										Annual Total
	Violence against the Person	Sexual Offences	Robbery	Burglary	Auto crime	General Theft	Fraud and Forgery	Criminal Damage	Drug Offences	Other	
Fiscal Year (1st April to 31st March)											
2008/2009	33	4	0	7	18	15	5	39	12	1	134
2009/2010	32	5	0	10	10	17	2	30	19	1	126
2010/2011	17	7	0	4	16	24	0	38	16	3	125

Source: Dyfed Powys Police, Headquarters, Llangunnor.

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