

Insight

Information



Falkirk Council

Ward 3
Denny and Banknock

February 2007

Basic Facts

Area (hectares)	5,438
Population (2005)	17,993
Population Density (persons per hectare)	3.3
Electorate (2007)	13,787
Housing Stock (2005)	7,701
Households (2005)	7,547
Average Household Size	2.38
Unemployment (Dec 2006)	2.4%

Population

Population by Age Group 2005

Age Group	Males	Females	Total	%	Falkirk %
0-4	504	428	932	5.2%	5.6%
5-9	573	476	1,049	5.8%	5.8%
10-14	745	702	1,446	8.0%	7.6%
15-19	501	440	941	5.2%	4.9%
20-24	531	581	1,112	6.2%	5.7%
25-29	508	497	1,004	5.6%	5.8%
30-34	544	642	1,186	6.6%	7.1%
35-39	710	764	1,474	8.2%	8.1%
40-44	646	697	1,343	7.5%	8.1%
45-49	628	643	1,272	7.1%	7.1%
50-54	603	681	1,283	7.1%	6.4%
55-59	645	652	1,297	7.2%	6.8%
60-64	501	555	1,055	5.9%	5.4%
65-69	395	414	809	4.5%	4.8%
70-74	298	368	666	3.7%	4.0%
75-79	219	295	514	2.9%	3.1%
80-84	134	234	369	2.1%	2.2%
85-89	44	118	163	0.9%	1.0%
90+	26	52	78	0.4%	0.5%
Total	8,755	9,239	17,993	100%	100%

Note: Figures may not add to totals shown due to rounding

Benefits Claimants

Benefits Claimants May 2006

Benefit	No. Claimants	Per 1,000 population	Falkirk per 1,000 population
State Pension	3,006	167.1	180.3
Pension Credit	1,041	57.8	52.7
Disability Living Allowance	1,172	65.1	62.6
Incapacity Benefit & Severe Disablement Allowance	1,064	59.1	60.6
Income Support	677	37.6	37.6
Job Seekers Allowance	283	15.8	17.4

Unemployment December 2006

	No.	%	Falkirk %
Males	217	3.7%	3.7%
Females	61	1.1%	1.3%
Total	278	2.4%	2.5%

Household Income & Prosperity

Household Income 2006

Income Band	No. Households in Band	% Households in Band	Falkirk %
£0-10,000	905	11.5%	12.0%
£10,001-20,000	1,943	24.7%	25.4%
£20,001-30,000	1,814	23.1%	22.8%
£30,001-40,000	1,242	15.8%	15.3%
£40,001+	1,967	25.0%	24.5%

Acorn Household Classifications 2006

Acorn	Description	%	Falkirk %
A	Affluent families	12.3%	10.9%
B	Older prosperity	9.8%	10.4%
C	Settled families	6.0%	7.1%
D	Rural areas	2.9%	2.1%
E	City lifestyle	0.0%	2.0%
F	Young workers	2.6%	6.1%
G	Traditionally comfortable	22.5%	22.3%
H	Developing families	27.2%	22.1%
I	Poor old age	13.7%	13.1%
J	Struggling singles	2.8%	3.4%
K	Unclassified	0.0%	0.5%

House Prices

House Prices 2003-2006							
	Denny & Banknock				Falkirk		
	New Builds	All Sales		New Builds	All Sales		
2003	£106,325		£72,055	£116,140		£79,205	
		+18.4%		+35.8%			+27.2%
2004	£125,870		£97,825	£142,620		£100,760	
		+20.1%		+12.5%			+9.2%
2005	£151,210		£110,070	£157,810		£110,045	
		+22.9%		+6.4%			+5.4%
2006*	£185,850		£117,130	£174,795		£116,010	

*First six months only

Student Numbers

Student Numbers 2004/05			
	No.	No. per 1,000 population	Falkirk per 1,000 population
Further Education – full-time	240	13.3	12.7
Further Education – total	530	29.5	38.4
Higher Education – full-time	470	26.1	24.9
Higher Education – total	607	33.7	33.7
Total Full-Time Students	710	39.5	37.5
Total Students	1137	63.2	63.3

Sources

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