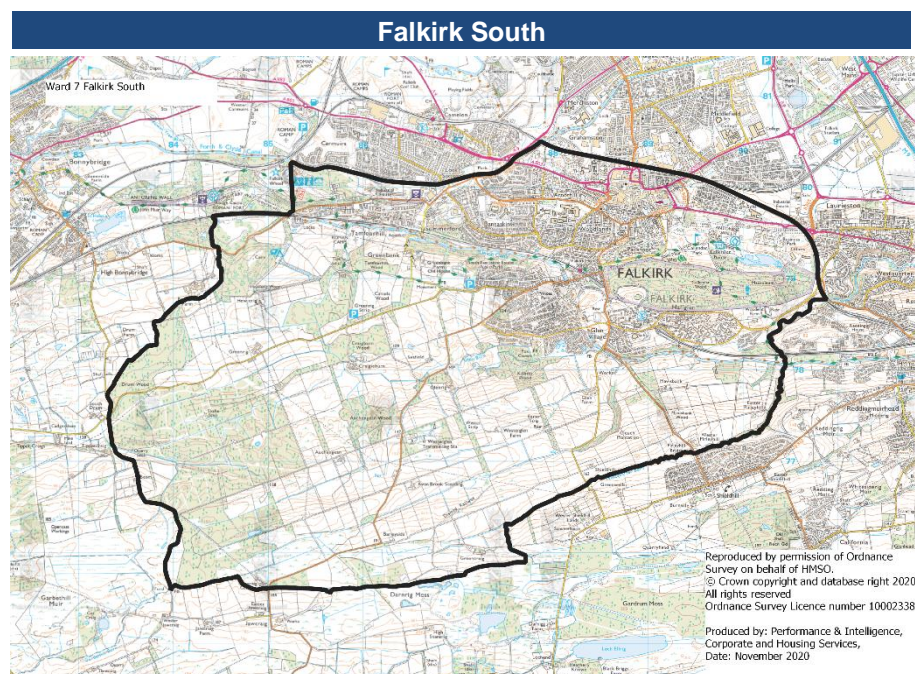


Ward 7 - Falkirk South



Falkirk South

Insight

This insight presents key findings for Ward 7 - Falkirk South

Basic facts

	Ward	Falkirk
Area (hectares)	3,027	31,493
Total population (2019)	16,633	168,890
Population density	5.5	5.4
Number of houses* (2019)	8,610	75,226
Number of households (2017)	8,610	75,379
Average household size	1.9	2.2
Vacancy rate (2019)	2.6%	2.4%
Electorate (2019)	13,254	123,478
Unemployment rate (Oct 20)	4.5%	8.2%

* total dwellings

Population by age group 2019

	Number	Ward	Falkirk
		%	%
0-4	659	4.0%	4.9%
5-11	1,170	7.0%	8.9%
12-15	719	4.3%	4.9%
16-24	1,456	8.8%	9.7%
25-44	3,767	22.7%	24.4%
45-59	3,668	22.1%	23.5%
60-64	1,162	7.0%	6.3%
65-74	2,164	13.0%	9.9%
75-84	1,354	8.1%	5.6%
85+	513	3.1%	2.0%
Total	16,633	100.0%	100.0%

	No	%
Male	8,152	49.0%
Female	8,481	51.0%

Estimated Population Projection

	No.	% change from 2018-19
2018-19	16,701	
2022-23	16,558	-1%
2026-27	16,356	-2%
2029-30	16,186	-3%

Dwellings by council tax band 2019

Band	Ward	Falkirk	Falkirk
	No	%	%
A	2,801	32.5%	29.5%
B	2,327	27.0%	25.8%
C	602	7.0%	9.2%
D	760	8.8%	12.0%
E	934	10.8%	11.9%
F	658	7.6%	7.6%
G and H	528	6.1%	4.0%
Total	8,610	100.0%	100.0%

Dwellings 2019

	Ward	Ward	Falkirk
	No	%	%
Occupied	8,374	97.3%	97.5%
Vacant	227	2.6%	2.4%
Second Homes	8	0.1%	0.1%
Occupied dwellings exempt from paying council tax	110	1.3%	1.2%
Single Adult c tax discount (percentage of occupied)	3,777	45.1%	39.0%
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Dwellings by type 2017

	Ward	Ward	Falkirk
	No	%	%
Flat	3,476	42.2%	29.9%
Terraced	1,982	24.1%	23.7%
Semi detached	1,306	15.9%	22.8%
Detached and unknown	1,469	17.8%	23.5%
Total	8,234		

Benefits

Housing Benefit Claimants	Ward	Falkirk	Falkirk C.
HB with no Children	909	88.9%	83.2%
HB with 1 Child	62	6.1%	8.0%
HB with 2 Children	27	2.6%	4.7%
BH with 3+ Children*	24	2.3%	4.0%
*may be higher due suppressed data	<u>1,022</u>		

Unemployment October 2020

	Ward	Falkirk
Working age population (16-64)	%	%
Males	6.1%	9.7%
Females	7.8%	6.5%
Total	4.5%	8.2%

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Youth unemployment (18-24)			
	Ward	Falkirk	
	%	%	
Male	8.7%	9.7%	
Female	5.8%	6.5%	
Total	6.9%	8.2%	

Benefits	No.	Per 1,000 population	
Employment Support Allowance	570	56.70	58.73
Income Support	66	6.56	7.05
Disability Living Allowance	509	30.60	29.53
Carers Allowance	190	11.42	15.23
Child Maintenance Allowance	133	8.00	8.98
Pension Credit	543	134.70	129.79

Universal Credit	No.	%	Falkirk
Single, no child dependant	647	61.8%	57.7%
Single, with child dependant(s)	237	22.7%	22.6%
Couple, no child dependant	76	7.2%	6.8%
Couple, with child dependant(s)	87	8.3%	11.4%
Total	<u>1,047</u>		

Income	Ward	Falkirk
Average Household Weekly Income	£596.18	£691.47

Low Income Families (2016)	Ward	Falkirk
Number of Children Living in low Income Families (0-19)	468	5,405
Percentage of Children living in low income Families (0-19)	15.6%	17.2%
Number of Child Benefit Families	2,991	31,475

Employment 2019			
	Ward	Falkirk	
	%	%	
Primary	0.2%	1.4%	
Manufacturing	0.6%	12.9%	
Construction	2.0%	8.1%	
Wholesale, Retail and Motor trade	15.7%	14.2%	
Transport, Storage and Communication	2.5%	7.7%	
Accommodation and Food	8.2%	5.7%	
Financial and Property	4.6%	1.8%	
Professional, Scientific and Admin	12.3%	11.3%	
Public Services	49.4%	32.9%	
Other	4.6%	4.0%	

Deprivation			
Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation 2020			
		Falkirk	
Datazones in most deprived 20%	6	35	
% of Falkirk Share		17.1%	
Datazone in each domain			
Income	5	23	
Employment	4	25	
Health	2	18	
Education	5	34	
Housing	0	2	
Access	9	20	
Crime	8	32	

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