

FELINFOEL WARD: ELECTORAL DIVISION PROFILE

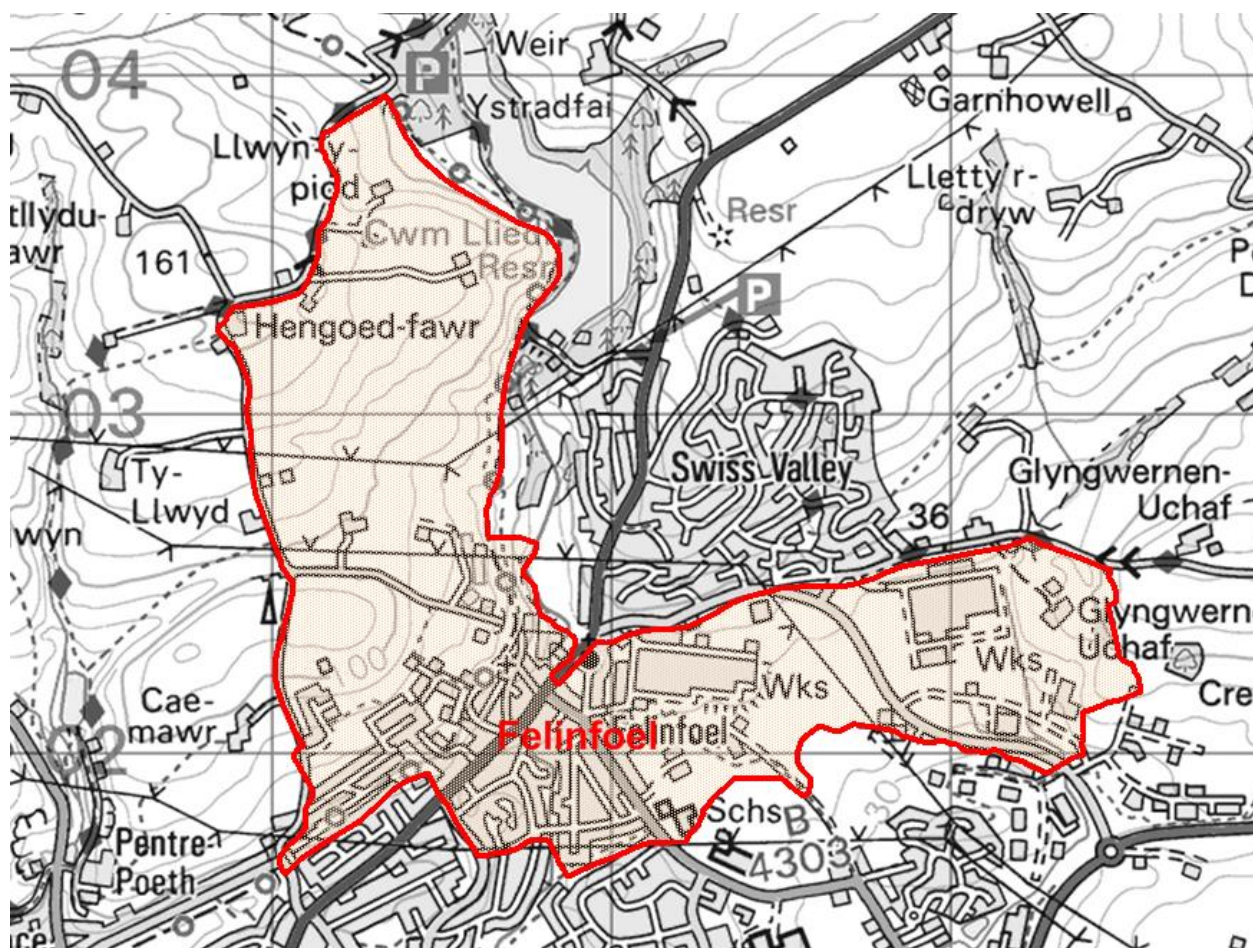
Policy Research and Information Section, Carmarthenshire County Council, June 2020

Councillors (Electoral Vote 2017): Bill Thomas (Labour). Turnout = 39.81%

Electorate (February 2020): 1,330

Population: 2,099 (2018 Mid Year Population Estimates, ONS)

Welsh Assembly and UK Parliamentary Constituency: Llanelli



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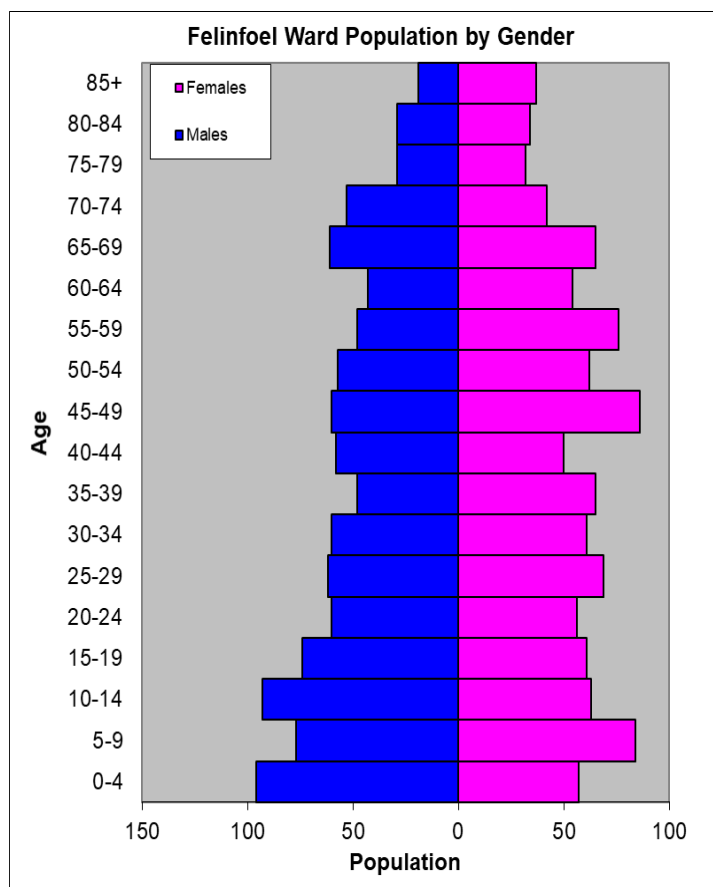
Location: Approximately 32km from Carmarthen Town

- ⇒ Area: 2.38
- ⇒ Population Density: 882 people per km²
- ⇒ Population Change: 2011-2018: +45 (+2.2%)

POPULATION STATISTICS 2018 Mid Year Population Estimates

Age Structure	Felinfoel Population	Felinfoel %	Carmarthenshire %
Aged: 0-4	143	6.8	5.1
5-14	324	15.4	11.5
15-24	269	12.8	10.3
25-44	467	22.2	21.6
45-64	494	23.5	28.1
65-74	218	10.4	12.9
75+	184	8.8	10.5
Total	2,099	100	100

Source: aggregated lower Super Output Area (LSOA) Small Area Population Estimates, 2018, Office for National Statistics (ONS)



- ⇒ The 8th lowest ward population in Carmarthenshire, and 10th highest population density.
- ⇒ Highest proportion of people aged under 45, proportion aged 65-74 is lower than the Carmarthenshire average.
- ⇒ Higher proportion of people with no qualifications and slightly higher number of people with limiting long-term illness
- ⇒ Lower proportion of Welsh Speakers than the Carmarthenshire average.

2011 Census Data

Population: Key Facts	Felinfoel	Felinfoel %	Carmarthenshire
People: born in Wales	1747	85.1	76.0
born outside UK	111	5.3	4.1
in non-white ethnic groups	65	3.0	1.9
with limiting long-term illness	550	26.7	25.4
with no qualifications (aged 16-74)	558	35.1	26.8
with higher level qualifications (aged 16-74)	231	14.5	23.9
able to speak Welsh	551	28.1	43.9

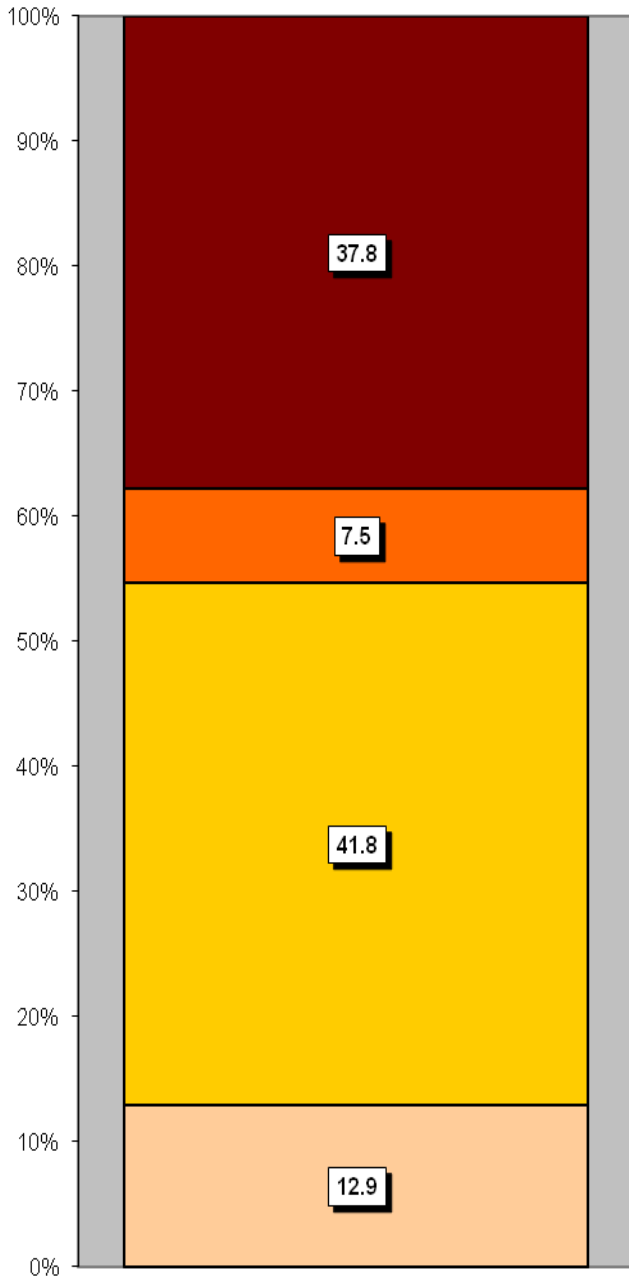
Household Composition	Felinfoel	Felinfoel %	Carmarthenshire
Total Households/ (Average Household Size)	827	(2.4)	(2.3)
Household Type: one person: pensioner	106	12.8	14.8
one person: other	127	15.4	15.4
one family: all pensioners	54	6.5	9.8
one family: married couple	270	32.6	34.1
one family: cohabiting couple	81	9.8	8.7
one family: lone parent	140	16.9	11.3
one family: other	49	5.9	5.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

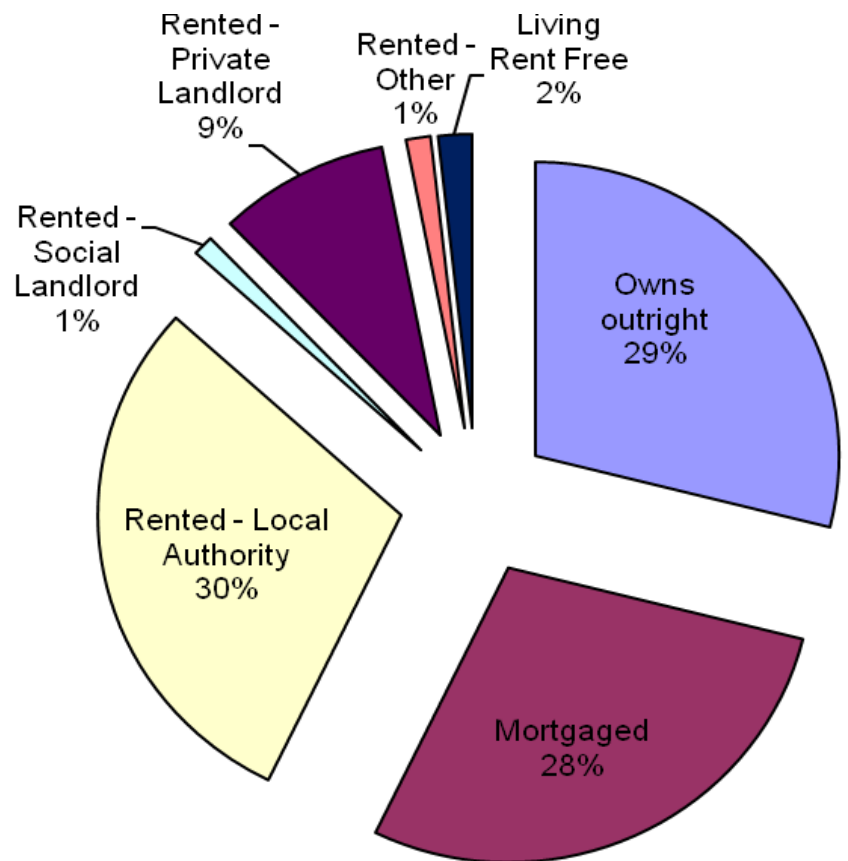
HOUSING

The area's housing consists mostly of semi-detached and terraced houses. There is a higher proportion of detached houses in comparison to the number of flat/maisonette or apartments. The ward consists of 244 local authority owned properties and 9 Housing Association properties.

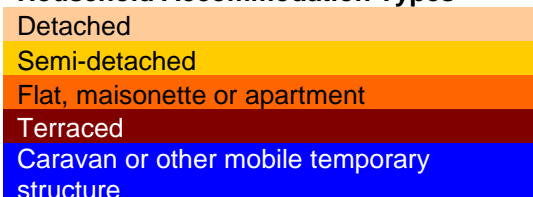
Household Accommodation Types



Household Tenure	%
Owns outright	28.9
Mortgaged	28.3
Rented - Local Authority	29.5
Rented - Social Landlord	1.1
Rented - Private Landlord	9.1
Rented - Other	1.3
Living Rent Free	1.8



Household Accommodation Types



SOCIO-ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

- ⇒ The estimated median household income for Felinfoel, based on CACI's 2019 'PayCheck' data, is £21,078 which is the 2nd lowest (of 58 wards) in Carmarthenshire and 28.8% below the Carmarthenshire median of £27,148.
- ⇒ The social profile information indicates a higher than average level of people in semi-routine/routine occupations (Levels 6-7) and a higher than average that have never worked or been long term unemployed (Level 8).

Social Profile	Felinfoel	%	Carmarthenshire %
<i>All people aged 16-74 in households</i>	1423	100	100
1: Higher Managerial & Professional Admin. Occupations	104	7.4	13.8
2: Lower Managerial & Professional Admin. Occupations	227	16.0	19.9
3: Intermediate Occupations	126	8.9	11.6
4: Small Employers & Own Account Workers	91	6.4	12.6
5: Lower Supervisory & Technical Occupations	122	8.6	7.6
6: Semi-routine Occupations	321	22.6	16.7
7: Routine Occupations	259	18.2	13.0
8: Never Worked & Long Term Unemployed	118	8.3	4.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

ECONOMY AND LABOUR MARKET

Economic Status (people aged 16-74)	Felinfoel	Felinfoel %	Carmarthenshire %
Economically Active	867	61.0	64.9
Employees: Part-time	227	16.0	13.9
Employees: Full-time	462	32.5	33.7
Self-employed	76	5.3	11.0
Unemployed	64	4.5	3.7
Full-time Student	38	2.7	2.5
Economically Inactive	556	39.0	35.1
Retired	215	15.1	18.1
Student	70	4.9	4.5
Looking after home/family	87	6.1	3.8
Permanently sick/disabled	147	10.3	6.8
Other	37	2.6	1.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

Benefit Claimants (June 2020)	Felinfoel	Rate %	Carmarthenshire Working Population %
Claimant Count unemployment (JSA)	12	1.0	0.8
Universal Credit (total claimants)	182	15.2	11.3
Incapacity Benefits (ESA and IB/SDA)	149	12.4	0.2
Disability-related benefits (PIP, DLA and AA)	314	26.2	21.5
Pension Credit (PC)	103	26.8	5.5

Source: Department for Work & Pensions and ONS.

Note: Claimant Count unemployment includes Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) claimants plus Universal Credit (UC) claimants who are required to seek work. ESA = Employment Support Allowance; IB/SDA = Incapacity Benefit / Severe Disablement Allowance; PIP = Personal Independence Payment; DLA = Disability Living Allowance; AA = Attendance Allowance. Estimated rates shown as % of population aged 16-64, except disability benefits (all people) and PC (aged 65+). Universal Credit is replacing six means-tested benefits and tax credits (known as legacy benefits): Income-based JSA; Income-related ESA; Income Support; Working Tax Credit; Child Tax Credit; Housing Benefit. Further statistical information on UC and other benefits is available.

WELSH INDEX OF MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION (WIMD)

WIMD 2019 based on fine-grained geography of lower Super Output Areas (LSOAs). The WIMD 2019 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, **Felinfoel** ranks 11 out of 112 LSOAs in Carmarthenshire and is ranked 360 in Wales from 1909 LSOAs.

The highest level of deprivation attributed to **Felinfoel** is the Income domain, being ranked 11th in Carmarthenshire and 282 in Wales for this domain.

LSOA	Overall Index		Income		Employment		Health		Education		Access to Services		Community Safety		Physical Environment		Housing	
	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank
Felinfoel	360	11	282	11	421	20	413	12	370	14	480	49	812	31	507	32	651	43

Source: Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation 2019 Welsh Assembly Government.

Note: LSOAs ranked 1-112 (Carmarthenshire), 1-1909 (Wales).

CRIME

Fiscal Year (1st April to 31st March)	Offence Group												Annual Total
	Arson & Criminal Damage	Burglary Dwelling	Burglary Non Dwelling	Drug Offences	Miscellaneous Crime Against Society	Possession of Weapons	Public Order Offences	Robbery	Sexual Offences	Theft	Vehicle Offences	Violence Against the Person	
2019/2020	28	2	4	4	7	1	18	0	6	19	8	75	172

Source: Dyfed Powys Police, Headquarters, Llangunnor.

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