

CYNWYL ELFED WARD: ELECTORAL DIVISION PROFILE

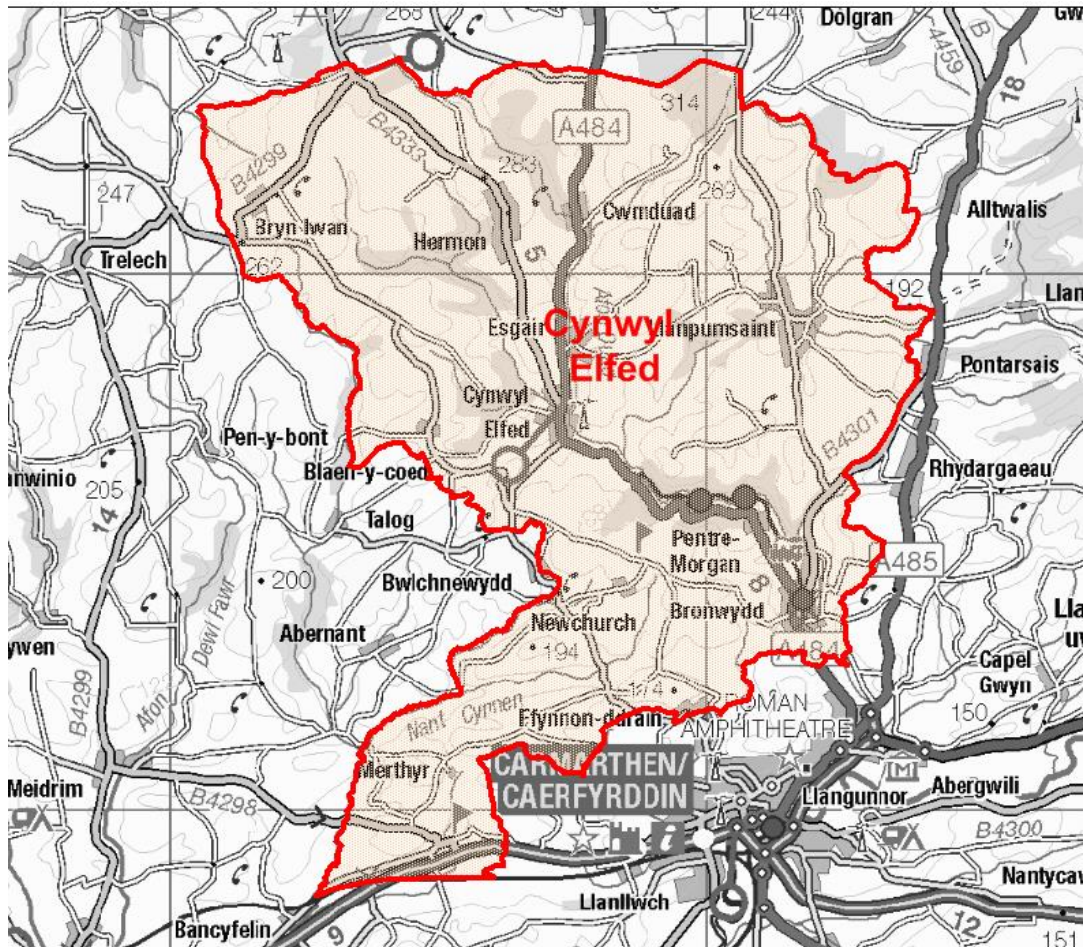
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Councillors (Electoral Vote 2017): Henry Irfon Jones (Independent). Turnout = 56.52%,

Electorate (April 2021): 2,499

Population: 2,977 (2019 Mid Year Population Estimates, ONS)

Welsh Assembly and UK Parliamentary Constituency: Carmarthenshire West & Pembrokeshire



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Location: Approximately 12km from Carmarthen Town

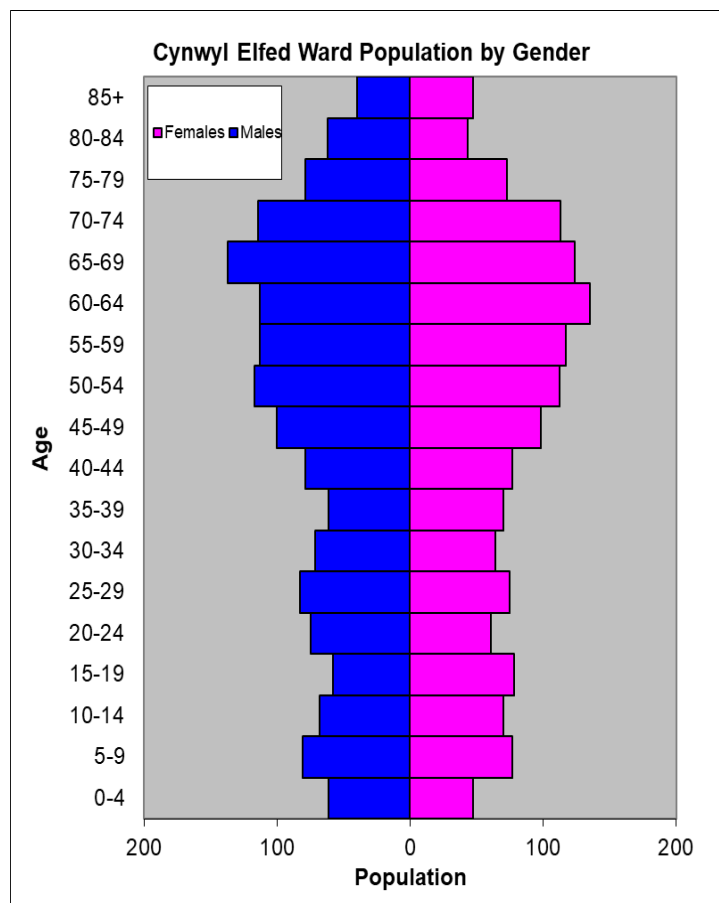
- ⇒ Area: 119.10km²
- ⇒ Population Density: 25 people per km²
- ⇒ Population Change: 2011-2019: -41 (-1.4%)

POPULATION STATISTICS

2019 Mid Year Population Estimates

Age Structure	Cynwyl Elfed Population	Cynwyl Elfed %	Carmarthenshire %
Aged: 0-4	111	3.7	5.0
5-14	299	10.0	11.5
15-24	267	9.0	10.2
25-44	560	18.8	21.6
45-64	924	31.0	28.0
65-74	448	15.0	11.9
75+	368	12.4	11.9
Total	2,977	100	100

Source: aggregated lower Super Output Area (LSOA) Small Area Population Estimates, 2019, Office for National Statistics (ONS)



- ⇒ 26th highest ward population in Carmarthenshire, and 9th lowest population density.
- ⇒ Highest proportion of people aged over 45, proportion aged 65-74 is over 3% higher than the Carmarthenshire average.
- ⇒ Higher proportion of people with higher level qualifications
- ⇒ Higher proportion of Welsh Speakers than the Carmarthenshire average.

2011 Census Data

Population: Key Facts	Cynwyl Elfed	Cynwyl Elfed %	Carmarthenshire
People: born in Wales	1991	66.0	76.0
born outside UK	74	2.5	4.1
in non-white ethnic groups	37.0	1.3	1.9
with limiting long-term illness	652	21.6	25.4
with no qualifications (aged 16-74)	604	23.8	26.8
with higher level qualifications (aged 16-74)	735	28.9	23.9
able to speak Welsh	1597	54.3	43.9

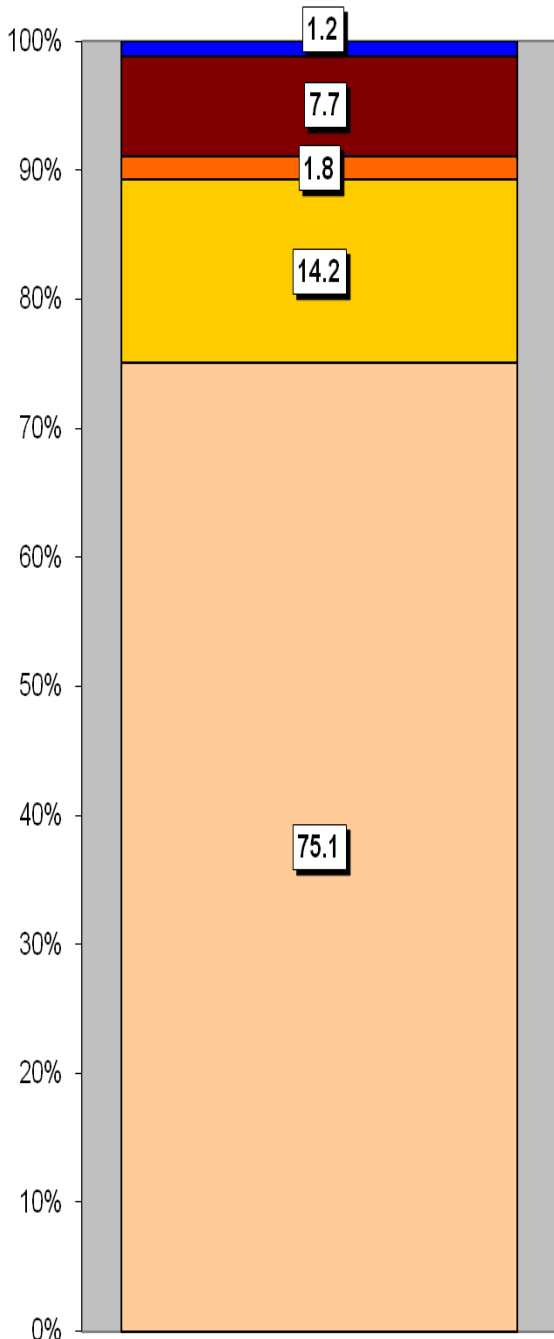
Household Composition	Cynwyl Elfed	Cynwyl Elfed %	Carmarthenshire
Total Households/ (Average Household Size)	1215	(2.5)	(2.3)
Household Type: one person: pensioner	159	13.1	14.8
one person: other	135	11.1	15.4
one family: all pensioners	165	13.6	9.8
one family: married couple	503	41.4	34.1
one family: cohabiting couple	94	7.7	8.7
one family: lone parent	71	5.9	11.3
one family: other	88	7.2	5.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

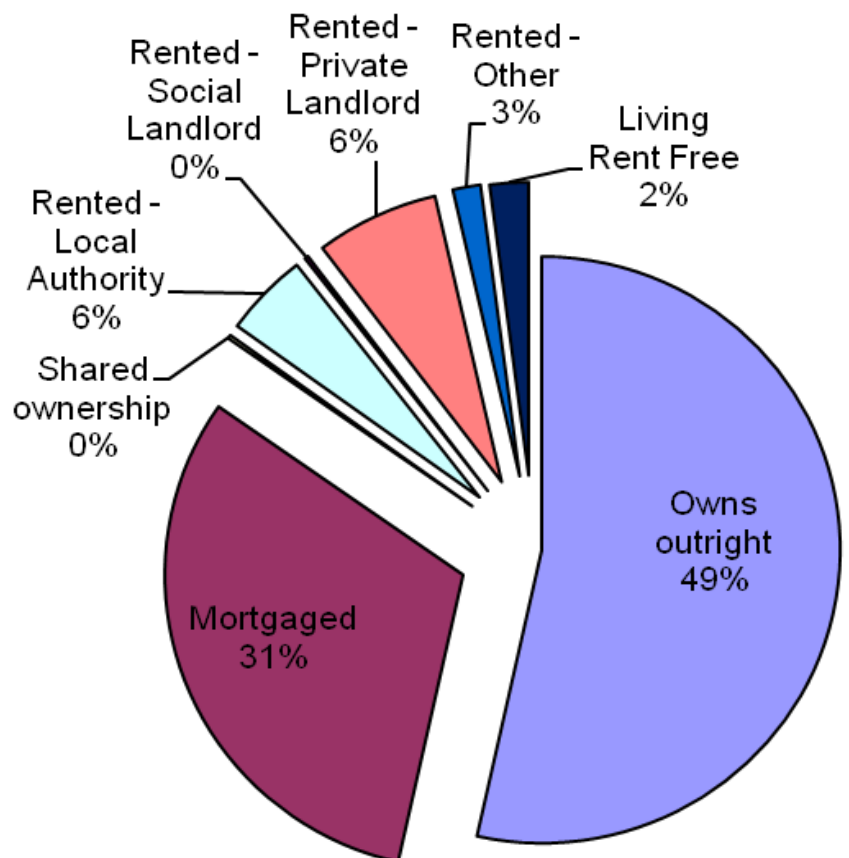
HOUSING

The area's housing consists majority of detached housing, which makes up almost three quarters of the housing stock. The second largest proportion is the semi-detached accommodation which makes up 14% of the housing. The ward consists of 56 local authority owned properties and 3 Housing Association properties.

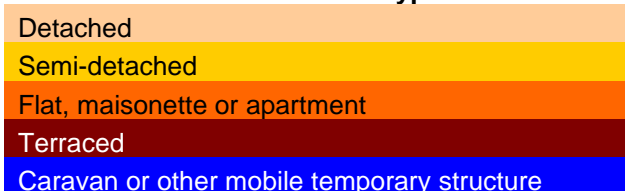
Household Accommodation Types



Household Tenure	%
Owns outright	53.5
Mortgaged	31.2
Shared ownership	0.2
Rented - Local Authority	4.6
Rented - Social Landlord	0.2
Rented - Private Landlord	6.7
Rented - Other	1.5
Living Rent Free	2.1



Household Accommodation Types



SOCIO-ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

- ⇒ The estimated median household income for Cynwyl Elfed, based on CACI's 2020 'PayCheck' data, is £32,576 which is the 9th highest (of 58 wards) in Carmarthenshire and 13.5% above the Carmarthenshire median of £28,186.
- ⇒ The social profile information indicates a higher than average level of people in higher/lower managerial and professional administrative occupations (Levels 1-2) and a large number of small employers and own account workers (Level 4).

Social Profile	Cynwyl Elfed	%	Carmarthenshire %
<i>All people aged 16-74 in households</i>	2264	100	100
1: Higher Managerial & Professional Admin. Occupations	378	16.6	13.8
2: Lower Managerial & Professional Admin. Occupations	523	23.1	19.9
3: Intermediate Occupations	270	11.9	11.6
4: Small Employers & Own Account Workers	537	23.7	12.6
5: Lower Supervisory & Technical Occupations	132	5.8	7.6
6: Semi-routine Occupations	279	12.3	16.7
7: Routine Occupations	163	7.2	13.0
8: Never Worked & Long Term Unemployed	48	2.1	4.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

ECONOMY AND LABOUR MARKET

Economic Status (people aged 16-74)	Cynwyl Elfed	Cynwyl Elfed %	Carmarthenshire %
Economically Active	1562	69.0	64.9
Employees: Part-time	303	13.4	13.9
Employees: Full-time	719	31.8	33.7
Self-employed	458	20.2	11.0
Unemployed	39	1.7	3.7
Full-time Student	43	1.9	2.5
Economically Inactive	702	31.0	35.1
Retired	442	19.5	18.1
Student	87	3.8	4.5
Looking after home/family	54	2.4	3.8
Permanently sick/disabled	79	3.5	6.8
Other	40	1.8	1.9

Source: 2011 Census, ONS

Benefit Claimants	Cynwyl Elfed	Rate %	Carmarthenshire Working Population %
Claimant Count unemployment (JSA) – March 2021	7	0.4	0.6
Universal Credit (total claimants) – February 2021	100	5.8	11.3
Incapacity Benefits (ESA and IB/SDA) – August 2020	70	4.1	7.9
Disability-related benefits (PIP, DLA and AA) – August 2020	264	15.3	22.3
Pension Credit (PC) – August 2020	70	8.6	13.0

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, **Cynwyl Elfed 1** ranks 60 out of 112 LSOAs in Carmarthenshire and is ranked 943 in Wales from 1909 LSOAs. **Cynwyl Elfed 2** emerges ranks 104 in Carmarthenshire and 1440 from 1909 in Wales.

The highest level of deprivation attributed to **Cynwyl Elfed 1** is the Access to Services domain, being ranked 4th in Carmarthenshire and 23 in Wales. In **Cynwyl Elfed 2** Access to Services is also the most prominent domain, ranking 15th in Carmarthenshire and 108 in Wales.

Cynwyl Elfed 1 – Llanpumsaint Cynwyl Elfed 2 – Bronwydd

LSOA	Overall Index		Income		Employment		Health		Education		Access to Services		Community Safety		Physical Environment		Housing	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Cynwyl Elfed 1	943	60	1399	98	1577	107	1504	95	1271	87	23	4	1871	109	1665	107	77	6
Cynwyl Elfed 2	1440	104	1585	108	1557	106	1676	107	1700	110	108	15	1904	112	1187	72	1070	77

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

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

CRIME

Cynwyl Elfed	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					
Fiscal Year (1st April to 31st March)																	
2020/2021	9	1	0	0	5	1	9	0	6	6	0	22	59				

Source: Dyfed Powys Police, Headquarters, Llangunnor.

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