Welsh Language in Carmarthenshire

Total Welsh Speakers

Source: Census 2021

72,838 (39.9%)

2nd highest number in Wales 4th highest % position in Wales

(Census 2011 - 78,048 - 43.9%)



15,004

Population aged 3 -15 that can speak Welsh (55.1%)

39,595

Population aged 16-64 that can speak Welsh (36.0%)

18,243

Population aged 65 and over that can speak Welsh (40.1%)

No skills in Welsh **85,287** (46.7%)

(Census 2011 - 74,355 - 41.9%)

Can speak and read but cannot write Welsh 5,031 (2.8%)

(Census 2011 - 7,436 - 4.2%)

Can understand spoken Welsh only **19,995** (10.9%)

(Census 2011 - 20,716 - 11.7%)

Can speak but cannot read or write Welsh 10,578 (5.8%)

(Census 2011- 11,919 - 6.7%)

Can speak, read and write Welsh **56,493** (30.9%)

(Census 2011 - 58,321 - 32.8%)