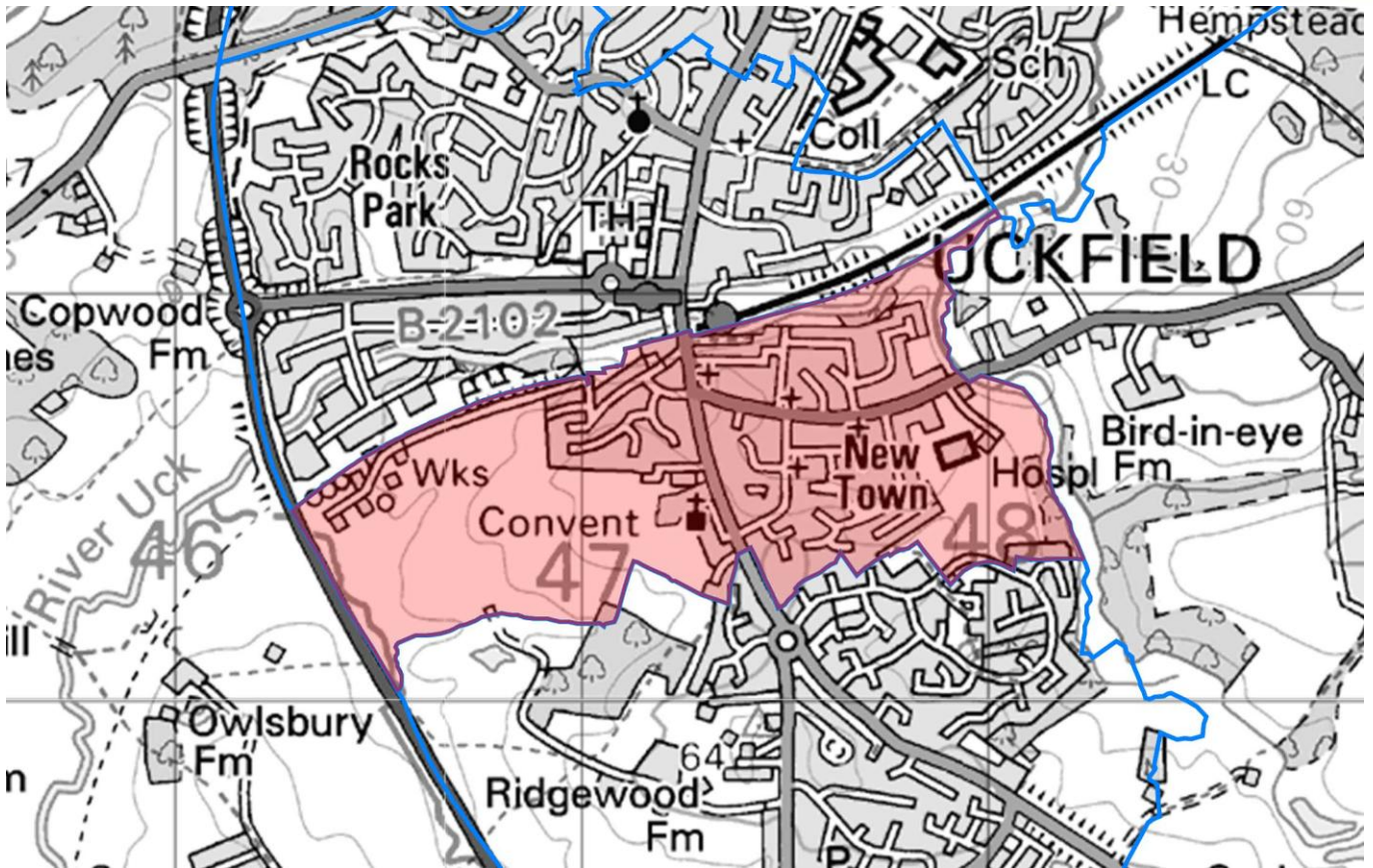


Uckfield New Town Ward profile

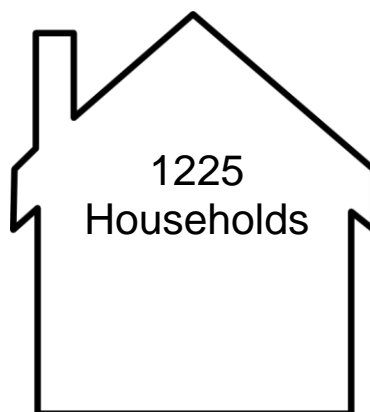
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Uckfield New Town has an area of 104.03 hectares which represents 0.12% of the total local authority area of Wealden.



Population of 2776



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Uckfield New Town has a resident population of 2,776 which represents 1.86% of the Wealden local authority resident population.

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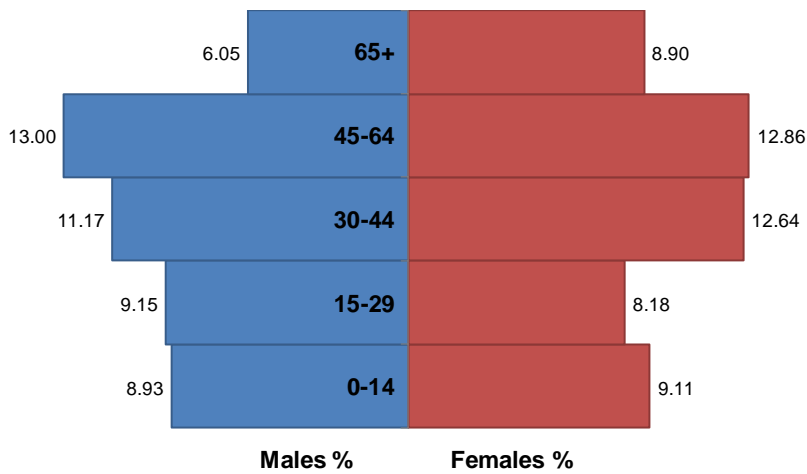


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Who lives in Uckfield New Town?

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Population by Age and Gender

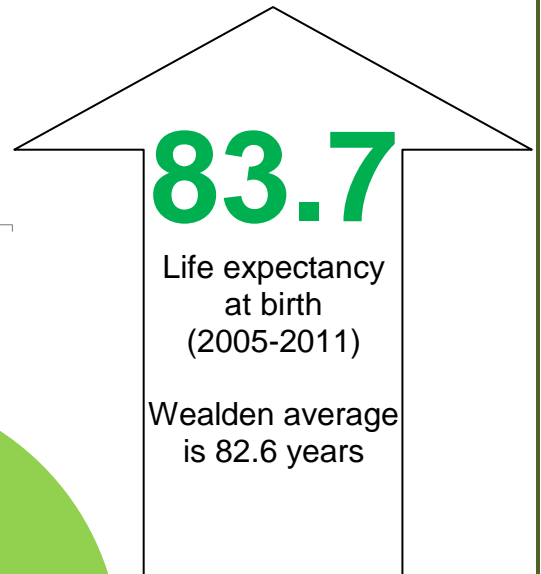
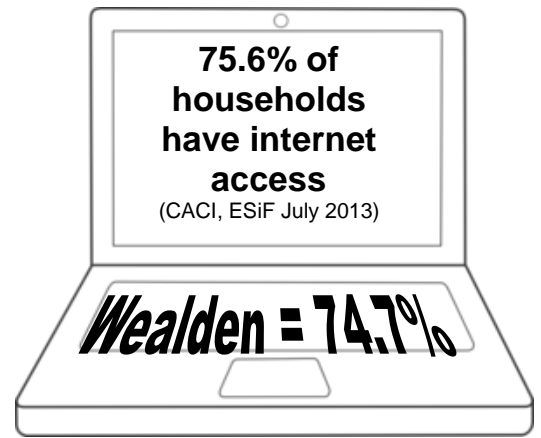
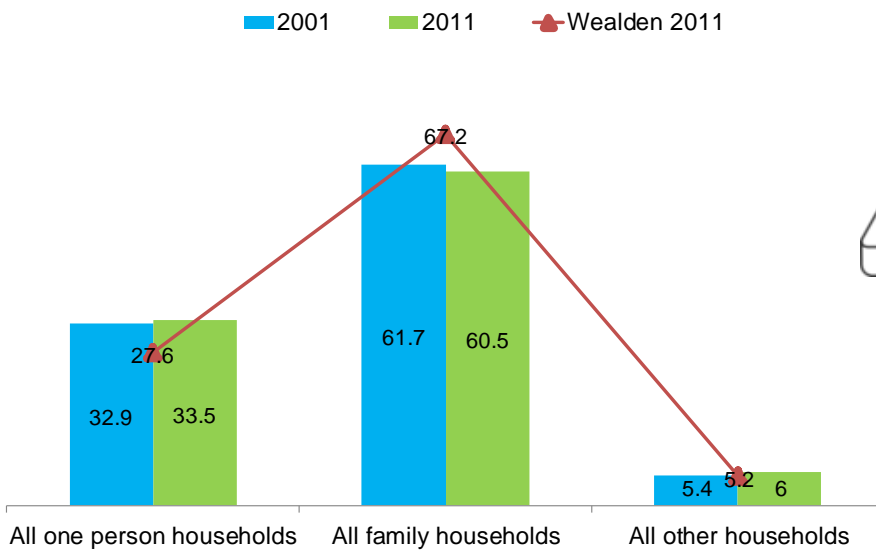


The largest age band is Age 45 to 64.

The average* age of the population is 39. This is younger than the average* of 44 for the whole of Wealden.

*Mean

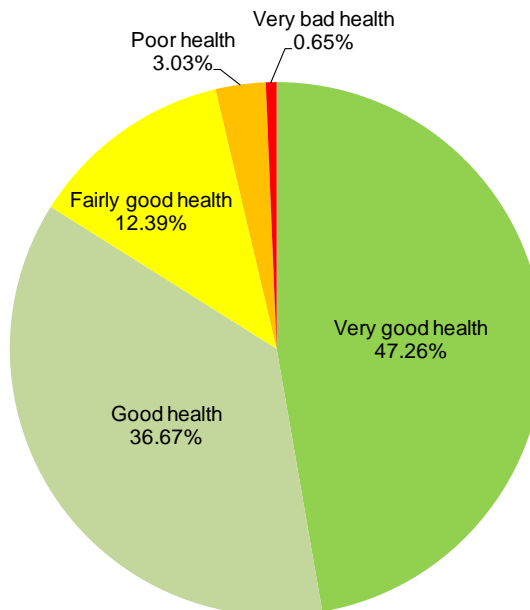
Household Composition in 2001 and 2011 (%)



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Disability Living Allowance Claimants

(Work and Pensions Longitudinal Study, Feb 2013)



Uckfield New Town's ranking for the number of residents self assessed as in **very bad health** is 28 (out of 35) within Wealden.



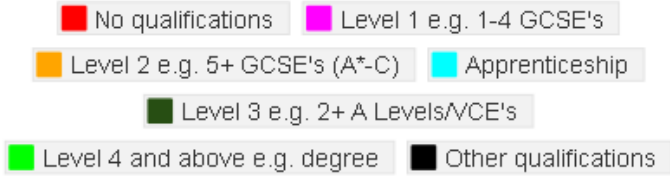
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Education and the Economy in Uckfield New Town

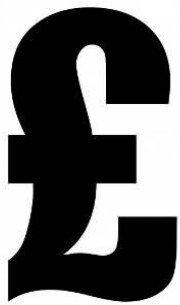
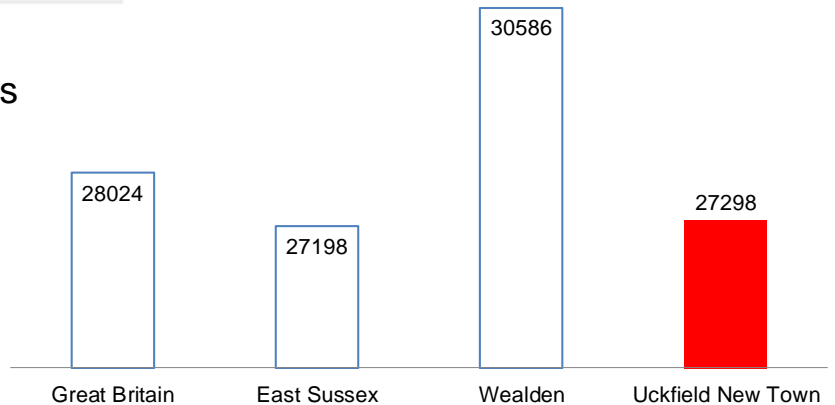
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The highest level of educational qualification achieved by the biggest group of Uckfield New Town residents (24.4%) is Level 4 qualifications and above.

This is lower compared with the 28.9% of residents aged 16 and over in Wealden with Level 4 qualifications and above.

Median household income (£)



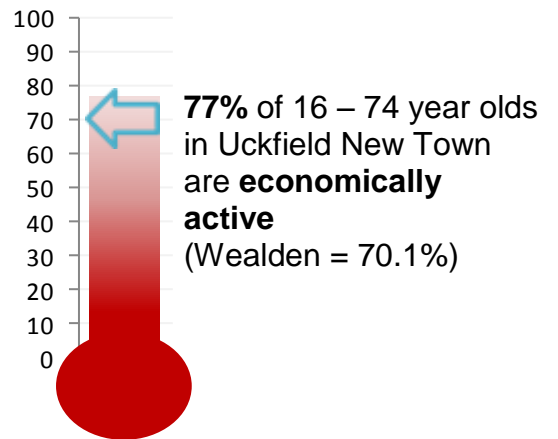
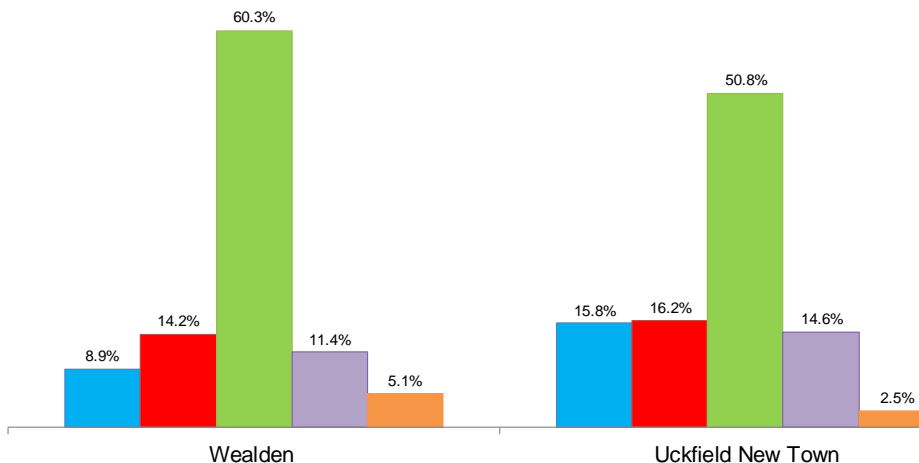
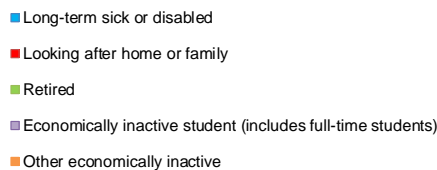
27.3% of households in Uckfield New Town are living in **poverty***

*earning below 60% of GB median income.

Economic Activity

15 of the lone parent households in Uckfield New Town are not in employment.

Economically Inactive



Compared to Wealden, Uckfield New Town has a

1. Smaller % of Retired.
2. Higher % of Long-term sick or disabled, Looking after home or family and Economically inactive students.



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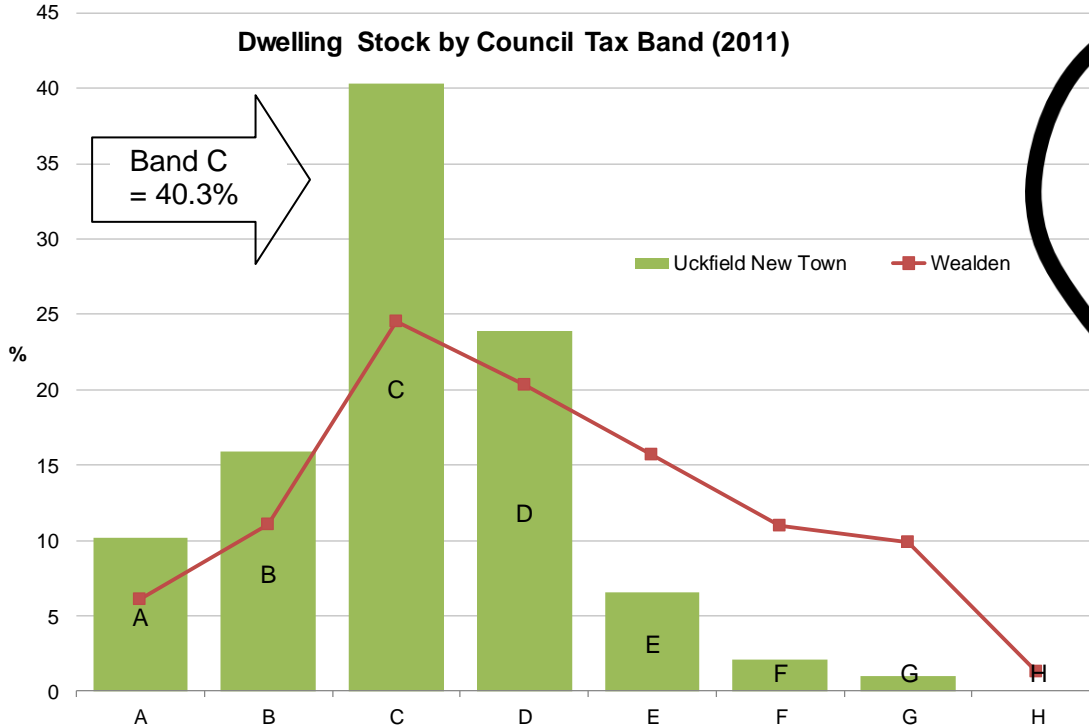


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Housing and Development in Uckfield New Town

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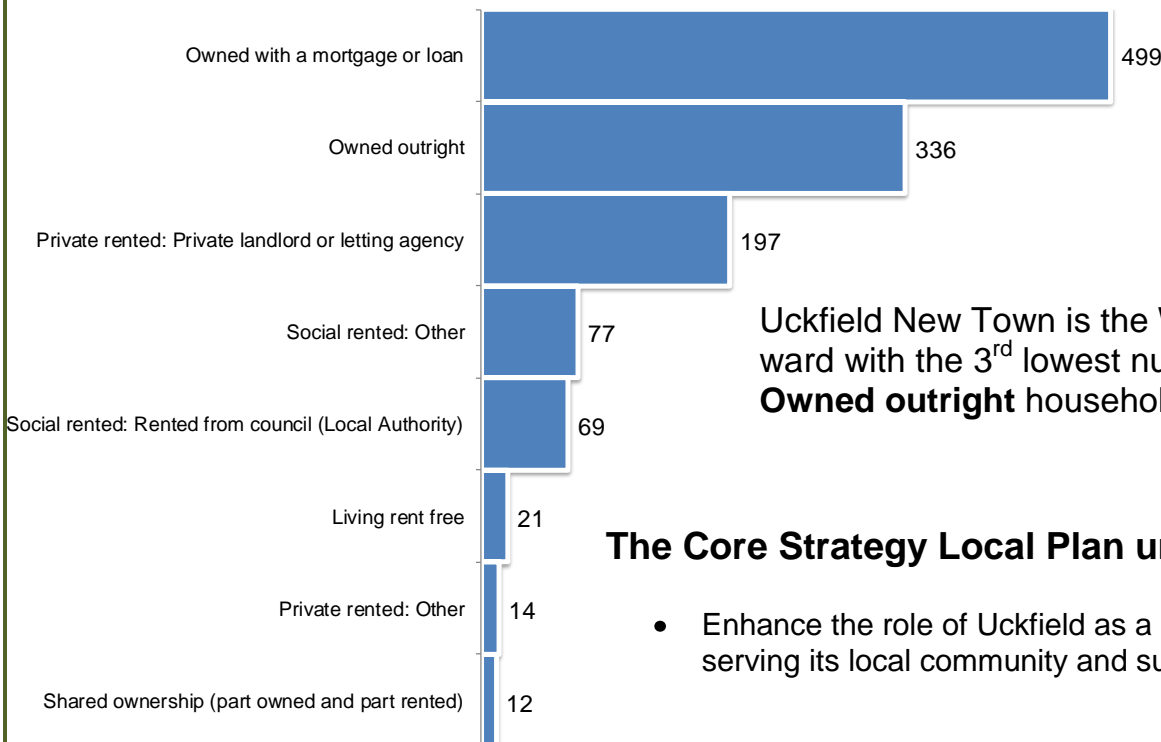
Dwelling Stock by Council Tax Band (2011)



89 households (7.5%) are living in Fuel Poverty

(LIHC definition, ESiF, 2011)

Household Tenure



Uckfield New Town is the Wealden ward with the 3rd lowest number of **Owned outright** households.

The Core Strategy Local Plan until 2027;

- Enhance the role of Uckfield as a District Centre serving its local community and surrounding area.
- Identifies Land at West Uckfield (SD1) for around 1000 homes, 12,650 sq. metres net employment floorspace and education provision.

1.3 Vehicles per Household
16.6% have no vehicle



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