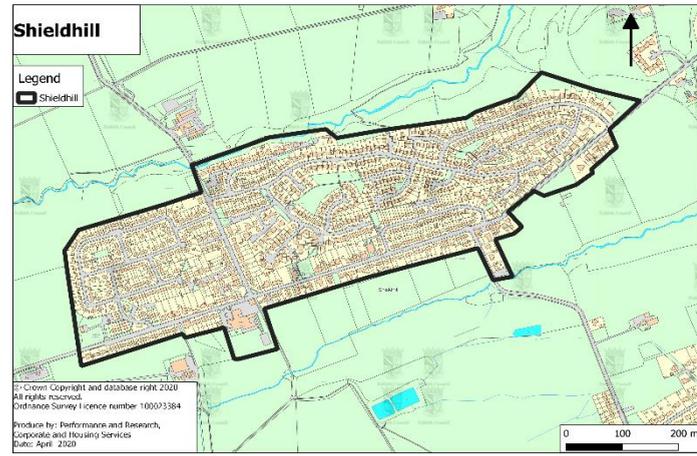


Shieldhill

Profile

Map



Shieldhill has an estimated population of 2,374 and has decreased by 6.0% in the last 10 years. 68.0% of people are of working age and 16.4% of people are aged 65 and over. Shieldhill is estimated to have 1,009 households. The vacancy rate (1.2%) of dwellings is lower than the Falkirk rate of 2.3%. 0.3% of households are exempt from paying Council Tax and 28.8% have a single adult Council Tax discount.

There are no areas within the most 20% deprived Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation in 2020.

Examining the different types of benefits, there are a lower number of Carers per 1,000 population in Shieldhill (17.39) compared to the Falkirk rate of 17.67 per 1,000 population. Those claiming Disability Living Allowance is higher (26.15 per 1000) than the Falkirk rate of 9.45 per 1,000.

Unemployment figures are lower in Shieldhill with 3.8% unemployed compared to the Falkirk rate of 8.2%. Female unemployment is lower (1.5%) than the Male rate (2.4%).

Demography

Area (hectares)	55
Total Population (2019)	2,374
Population density (persons/ha)	43.17
Number of houses (2019)	1,023
Number of households (2019)	1,009
Average household size (persons)	2.35
Vacancy rate	1.2%
Unemployment rate	3.8%
No Qualifications	23.0%

Population

	No.	%
Mid-year population 2009	2,527	
Mid-year population 2019	2,374	-6.0%
Population 2019		
Males	1,158	48.9%
Females	1,217	51.1%

	Shieldhill	Falkirk	
0-4	118	5.0%	4.9%
5-11	166	7.0%	8.9%
12-15	86	3.6%	4.9%
16-24	271	11.4%	9.7%
25-44	583	24.5%	24.4%
45-59	609	25.6%	23.5%
60-64	151	6.4%	6.3%
65-74	235	9.9%	9.9%
75-84	127	5.3%	5.6%
85+	29	1.2%	2.0%
Total	2,374	100.0%	100.0%

Deprivation

	Shieldhill	Falkirk
Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation 2020		
Datazones in most deprived 20%	0	35
% of Falkirk Share		0.0%
Datazone in each domain		
Income	0	23
Employment	0	25
Health	0	18
Education	0	34
Housing	3	2
Access	2	20
Crime	0	32

Historical SIMD Rankings*

Datazone	2020	2016	2012

Shieldhill does not have any datazones that fall within the SIMD 2020 20% most deprived areas in Scotland.

Shieldhill

Dwellings by Council Tax band 2019			
	Shieldhill		Falkirk
	No.	%	%
Band A	276	27.0%	29.9%
Band B	134	13.1%	26.1%
Band C	94	9.2%	9.2%
Band D	173	16.9%	12.0%
Band E-H	347	33.9%	22.9%
Total	<u>1,023</u>		100.0%

Dwellings by type 2019			
	Shieldhill		Falkirk
	No.	%	%
Flat	87	8.6%	29.9%
Terraced	186	18.3%	23.7%
Semi Detached	359	35.3%	22.8%
Detached and unknown	385	37.9%	23.5%
Total	<u>1,017</u>		99.9%

Dwellings 2019			
	Shieldhill		Falkirk
	No.	%	%
Occupied	1,009	98.7%	97.5%
Vacant	12	1.1%	2.4%
Second Homes	2	0.2%	0.1%
Occupied dwellings Exempt from paying council tax	3	0.3%	1.2%
Single Adult council tax discount (percentage of occupied)	295	28.8%	39.0%

Housing			
	Shieldhill	Falkirk	
No central heating		0.5%	1.2%
Overcrowding		1.6%	6.2%

Benefits			
	Shieldhill		Falkirk
	No.	%	%
Working age population (16-64)			1,614
Unemployment (16-64)			
Male	38	4.8%	2.2%
Female	24	2.8%	2.9%
Total	<u>62</u>	3.8%	8.2%
Aged 16-24	9.5	3.5%	8.7%

Benefits	No.	Per 1,000 population	
Employment Support Allowance	70	43.3	58.73
Income Support	5	3.1	7.05
Disability Living Allowance	62	26.2	29.53
Carers Allowance	41	17.4	15.23
Child Maintenance Allowance	18	7.7	8.98
Pension Credit	34	86.3	129.79
Universal Credit			
Single, no child dependant	63	55.0%	57.7%
Single, with child dependant(s)	20	17.7%	22.6%
Couple, no child dependant	19.1	16.7%	6.8%
Couple, with child dependant(s)	12.2	10.6%	11.4%
Total	<u>115</u>		

Income	Shieldhill	Falkirk C.
Average Household Weekly Income	£688.00	£691.47

Low Income Families (2016)	Shieldhill	Falkirk
Number of Children Living in low Income Families (0-19)	56.5	5,405
Percentage of Children living in low income Families (0-19)	11.6%	17.2%
Number of Child Benefit Families	487	31,475

Housing Benefit Claimants	No.	% of total Falkirk C	
HB with no Children	56	78.8%	83.2%
HB with 1 Child	5	7.6%	8.0%
HB with 2 Children	0	0.0%	4.7%
BH with 3+ Children*	0	0.0%	4.0%
*may be higher due suppressed c	71		

Notes

*historical SIMD

2012 SIMD datazones ranked 1-976 are within the 15% most deprived and 2016 the datazones ranked 1-1,046 are within the most 15% deprived

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