

CUCKOO OAK WARD PROFILE 2013

OVERVIEW

Cuckoo Oak ward is situated in the south east of the Borough and covers the housing estate of Sutton Hill and the industrial estate of Halesfield.

The 2011 Census found a total ward population of 5,404 with 8.6% of these residents from a BME background, lower than the Borough figure of 10.6%.

Deprivation levels in Cuckoo Oak are high with three of the four areas ranked in the top 20% most deprived nationally.

The proportion of households claiming housing or Council Tax benefits is higher than Borough wide (43.5% compared to 29.1%). Some 43.1% of children in the ward are eligible for free school meals, twice the Borough figure of 21.3%.

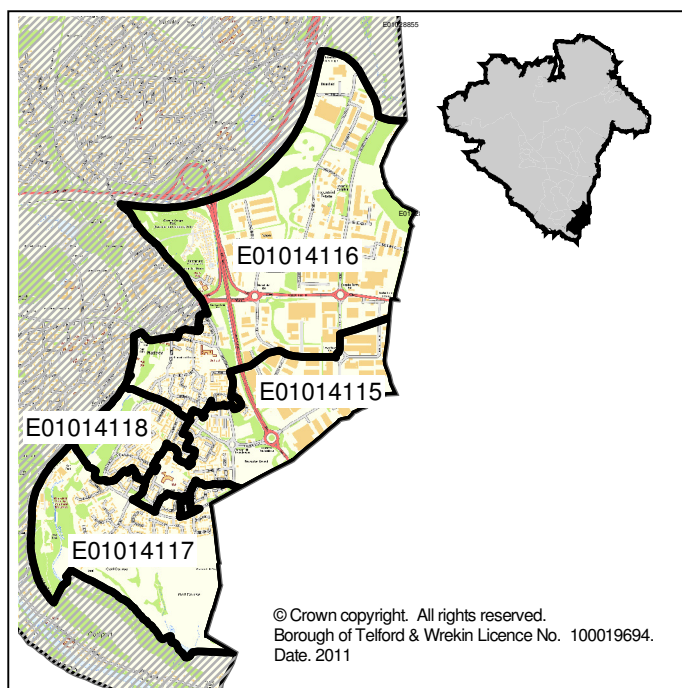
Almost half (46.9%) of all children under 20 in Cuckoo Oak are living in poverty (24.8% Borough wide) with some 18.3% of households living in fuel poverty (16.7% Borough wide).

The rates of people claiming job seekers allowance within the ward are amongst the highest in the Borough with a total claimant rate of 6.5% (3.6% Borough wide).

Educational attainment within Cuckoo Oak is lower than Borough wide for Key Stages 1 to 4. Less than half (46.3%) of ward pupils achieved 5 GCSEs A*-C including English and Maths, 55.0% Borough wide.

Rates of crime and antisocial behaviour in the ward are higher than Borough wide in all categories apart from other acquisitive crime, and are second highest in the Borough for burglaries and criminal damage.

Resident satisfaction with their local area (69%) and Telford and Wrekin as a place to live (58%) is lower than Borough wide (77% and 76% respectively) and amongst the lowest scores in the Borough.



DEPRIVATION

The table below shows the levels of deprivation within the ward. Each ward is broken down into smaller areas called SOAs (see the map above) and each area is given a national deprivation rank using the following scale:

Scale	Most deprived nationally.....				least deprived nationally				
	10% most deprived	10-20% most deprived	20-30% most deprived	30-40% most deprived	40-50% most deprived	40-50% least deprived	30-40% least deprived	20-30% least deprived	10-20% least deprived	10% least deprived

SOA reference	Overall Deprivation rank	Income	Employment	Health deprivation & disability	Education, skills & training	Barriers to housing & services	Crime & disorder	Living environment	Income deprivation affecting children	Income deprivation affecting older people
E01014115 East	10-20% most deprived	10-20% most deprived	10-20% most deprived	10-20% most deprived	10% most deprived	20-30% least deprived	30-40% most deprived	10-20% least deprived	10% most deprived	20-30% most deprived
E01014116 North	10% most deprived	10% most deprived	10% most deprived	10% most deprived	10% most deprived	20-30% least deprived	20-30% most deprived	10-20% least deprived	10% most deprived	30-40% most deprived
E01014117 South	40-50% least deprived	40-50% least deprived	40-50% least deprived	40-50% most deprived	30-40% most deprived	40-50% most deprived	40-50% most deprived	10% least deprived	40-50% most deprived	20-30% least deprived
E01014118 West	10% most deprived	10% most deprived	10% most deprived	10-20% most deprived	10% most deprived	40-50% most deprived	10% most deprived	10-20% least deprived	10% most deprived	10-20% most deprived

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HOUSING & COUNCIL TAX BENEFIT CLAIMANTS

	Households claiming Housing/Council Tax Benefits as at 10/10/12			Children eligible for free school meals as at Jan 2012
	With dependent children under 20	Without dependent children under 20	All Households claiming Housing/Council Tax Benefits	
Cuckoo Oak (number)	424	639	1063	192
Cuckoo Oak (%)	17.4%	26.2%	43.5%	43.1%
Borough (number)	7,216	13,206	20,422	3,785
Borough (%)	10.3%	18.8%	29.1%	21.3%
Rank (out of 33)	4	4	3	2

POVERTY

	No of children under 20 'in poverty' as at 31.08.10	Fuel Poverty households as at 2010
Cuckoo Oak (number)	665	420
Cuckoo Oak (%)	46.9%	18.3%
Borough (number)	9,745	11,279
Borough (%)	24.8%	16.7%
Rank (out of 33)	2	15

JOB SEEKERS ALLOWANCE AND NEETS

	Young people not in education, employment or training (NEETs) Aged 16-18	People claiming Job Seekers Allowance as at October 2012			
		Total JSA Claimant rate for 18-64	Total Youth JSA Claimant rate	Male youth JSA Claimant rate	Female youth JSA Claimant rate
Cuckoo Oak (number)	24	285*	75*	50*	30*
Cuckoo Oak (%)	4.9% (of total NEETs)	6.5%	12.5%	8.3%	5.0%
Borough (number)	493	4,470	1,445	940	510
Borough (%)	n/a	3.6%	8.9%	5.8%	3.1%
Rank (out of 33)	8	3	5	5	1

* Numbers have been rounded to the nearest 5

Low numbers have been suppressed

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

	Early Years Foundation Stage Pupils achieving a good level of development	Key Stage 1 Pupils achieving Level 2 or more in English & Maths	Key Stage 2 Pupils achieving level 4 or more in English & Maths	Key Stage 4 Pupils achieving 5 GCSE A*-C including English & Maths
Cuckoo Oak (%)	59.5%	74.2%	78.1%	46.3%
Borough (%)	55.1%	81.2%	79.3%	55.0%
Rank (out of 33)	13	28	21	25

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CRIME AND ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

	Cuckoo Oak (per 1000 pop)	Rank (out of 33)	Borough (per 1000 pop)
Total Crime	73.9	6	61.0
Burglaries	13.6	2	8.7
Other Acquisitive Crime	#	10	16.6
Criminal Damage	11.0	2	6.0
Vehicle Crimes	12.0	9	10.4
Violent Crime	17.0	8	13.4
Other Crime	6.9	9	5.8
Total Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB)	73.3	9	64.0
ASB - Malicious communication	14.4	8	12.1
Other Anti-Social Behaviour	58.9	10	51.9

Numbers below the borough averages have been suppressed

HOUSING

Tenure

		Cuckoo Oak		Borough
		2011		2011
		Households	%	%
Owned	Owns outright	645	28.6%	27.2%
	Owns with a mortgage or loan	628	27.8%	36.5%
Shared ownership		8	0.4%	0.4%
Social rented	Rented from Council (Local Authority)	237	10.5%	8.1%
	Other social rented	267	11.8%	11.6%
Private rented	Private landlord or letting agency	410	18.2%	13.6%
	Employer of a household member	0	0.0%	0.2%
	Relative or friend of household member	17	0.8%	0.9%
	Other	9	0.4%	0.2%
Lives rent free		36	1.6%	1.2%
<i>All households</i>		<i>2,257</i>	<i>100.0%</i>	<i>100.0%</i>

Dwelling Type

		Cuckoo Oak		Borough
		2011		2011
		Households	%	%
House or bungalow	Detached	411	18.2%	30.8%
	Semi-detached	650	28.8%	36.7%
	Terrace (including end terrace)	837	37.1%	22.2%
Flat, maisonette or apartment	Purpose built	236	10.5%	8.6%
	Part of a converted or shared house (includes bed-sits)	17	0.8%	0.8%
	In a commercial building	12	0.5%	0.5%
Caravan or other mobile or temporary structure		94	4.2%	0.4%
In a shared dwelling		0	0.0%	0.0%
<i>All households</i>		<i>2,257</i>	<i>100.0%</i>	<i>100.0%</i>

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VIEWS ON THE BOROUGH AND WARD AS A PLACE TO LIVE

	Cuckoo Oak		Borough
	%	Rank (out of 33)	%
Satisfied with Telford & Wrekin as a Place to Live	69%	29	77%
Satisfied with their local area	58%	31	76%
Feel the Council was making the area a better place to live	48%	18	49%
Satisfied with the way Telford & Wrekin run things	62%	16	61%
Agree that their area is a place where people from different backgrounds get on well together	68%	27	75%

POPULATION

Age Structure

	Cuckoo Oak 2011		Borough 2011
	People	%	%
0-4	436	8.1%	6.8%
5-9	318	5.9%	6.0%
10-15	413	7.6%	7.7%
16-24	627	11.6%	12.1%
25-44	1,333	24.7%	27.1%
45-64	1,350	25.0%	25.8%
65-84	849	15.7%	12.8%
85+	78	1.4%	1.6%
<i>All usual residents</i>	<i>5,404</i>	<i>100.0%</i>	<i>100.0%</i>

Ethnic background

	Cuckoo Oak 2011		Borough 2011
	People	%	%
White British	4,940	91.4%	89.5%
Other White	175	3.2%	3.2%
Mixed/multiple	108	2.0%	1.8%
Asian/Asian British	132	2.4%	4.2%
Black/African/Caribbean /Black British	38	0.7%	1.1%
Other ethnic group	11	0.2%	0.3%
All BME	464	8.6%	10.6%
<i>All usual residents</i>	<i>5,404</i>	<i>100.0%</i>	<i>100.0%</i>

Religion

	Cuckoo Oak 2011		Borough 2011
	People	%	%
Buddhist	9	0.2%	0.2%
Christian	3,056	56.6%	61.7%
Hindu	2	0.0%	0.5%
Jewish	0	0.0%	0.0%
Muslim	72	1.3%	1.8%
Sikh	44	0.8%	1.3%
Other religion	24	0.4%	0.4%
No religion	1,856	34.3%	27.4%
Religion not stated	341	6.3%	6.6%
Total with religion	3,207	59.3%	66.1%
<i>All usual residents</i>	<i>5,404</i>	<i>100.0%</i>	<i>100.0%</i>

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