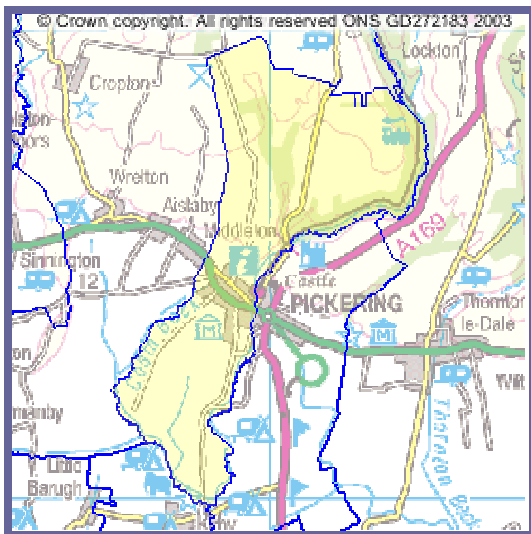


Ryedale District Council Ward Profile

Pickering West



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Introduction

Ryedale is a predominantly rural area covering some 575 square miles (148,900 hectares) in North Yorkshire. Geographically, the largest district in North Yorkshire, Ryedale comprises a rich agricultural area, as well as including part of the North York Moors National Park. The district population 50,872 (2001 Census) is centred mainly in the twin towns of Malton and Norton, where the administration centre has been established, and the market towns of Pickering, Kirkbymoorside and Helmsley.

The resident population of Ryedale, as measured in the 2001 Census, was 50,872, of which 49 per cent were male and 51 per cent were female.

Population

	Ryedale	England and Wales
Under 16	18.6%	20.2%
16 to 19	4.3%	4.9%
20 to 29	8.3%	12.6%
30 to 59	42.1%	41.5%
60 to 74	17.1%	13.3%
75 and over	9.6%	7.6%
Average age	42.5 years	38.6 years

Source: 2001 Census, Office for National Statistics

Ryedale is divided into twenty wards, made up from 115 parishes, and a profile is available for each ward.

Amotherby	Helmsley	Norton West	Sherburn
Ampleforth	Hovingham	Pickering East	Sheriff Hutton
Cropton	Kirkbymoorside	Pickering West	Sinnington
Dales	Malton	Rillington	Thornton Dale
Derwent	Norton East	Ryedale South West	Wolds

Please note that the information published in this document is from various sources and taken at different points in time and therefore may show some inconsistencies. Some of the Census Statistics have been randomly adjusted to avoid the release of confidential data and may not sum due to rounding.

General Description

Pickering West Ward

This ward covers the western part of the town of Pickering.

The castle was probably begun around 1180, principally as a hunting lodge for the King and his retinue. The earthwork across the valley may be an earlier motte. The Church of St Peter and St Paul is considered by Pevsner to be both complex and over restored. It contains one of the most complete series of wall paintings in English churches, giving a vivid idea of what ecclesiastical interiors were really like. They were restored in 1880 but date from the mid-15th Century.

The settlement of Pickering is an Old English (OE) derived place name traceable to the Domesday Book (DB):

Pickering Possibly settlement of the family or followers of a man called Picer (OE) (Picheringa 1086 DB)

Pickering West Ward comprises the following parish:

Pickering West

Demographic Profile

Resident Population and Age

The resident population of Pickering West, as measured in the 2001 Census, was 3,511 of which 47 per cent were male and 53 per cent were female. The resident population of Ryedale was 50,872, of which 49 per cent were male and 51 per cent were female.

Resident population

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
Under 16	17.8%	18.6%	20.2%
16 to 19	4.4%	4.3%	4.9%
20 to 29	9.1%	8.3%	12.6%
30 to 59	39.2%	42.1%	41.5%
60 to 74	17.9%	17.1%	13.3%
75 and over	11.6%	9.6%	7.6%
Average age	43.5 years	42.5 years	38.6 years

Source: 2001 Census, Office for National Statistics

Population figures by gender

Male Residents	1655	47.1%
Female Residents	1856	52.9%

Source: Census 2001

Marital Status - Resident population aged 16 and over

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
Single (never married)	22.7%	22.8%	30.1%
Married or re-married	56.9%	59.0%	50.9%
Separated	1.6%	2.0%	2.4%
Divorced	8.0%	7.1%	8.2%
Widowed	10.8%	9.1%	8.4%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Ethnic Group - Resident population

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England
White	99.5%	99.4%	90.9%
Mixed	0.4%	0.3%	1.3%
Asian or Asian British	0.1%	0.1%	4.6%
Indian	0.0%	0.0%	2.1%
Pakistani	0.1%	0.0%	1.4%
Bangladeshi	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%
Other Asian	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
Black or Black British	0.0%	0.1%	2.1%
Caribbean	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%
African	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%
Other Black	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%
Chinese or Other Ethnic Group	0.0%	0.2%	0.9%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Religion - Resident population

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
Christian	79.8%	82.3%	71.8%
Buddhist	0.3%	0.1%	0.3%
Hindu	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%
Jewish	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
Muslim	0.1%	0.1%	3.0%
Sikh	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%
Other religions	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%
No religion	13.5%	10.7%	14.8%
Religion not stated	6.2%	6.6%	7.7%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Students and Qualifications - Students and schoolchildren aged 16 to 74

	Pickering	Ryedale	England and Wales
Total number of full-time students and schoolchildren aged 16 to 74	105	1,630	2,648,992
Percentage of total resident population	3.0%	3.2%	5.1%
Total number aged 16 to 17	61	1,033	1,014,284
Total number aged 18 to 74	44	597	1,634,708

Note: Students and schoolchildren were counted at their term-time address.

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Resident population aged 16 to 74

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
Had no qualifications	33.9%	30.5%	29.1%
Qualified to degree level or higher	14.6%	19.3%	19.8%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Economic Profile

Employment

Employee Jobs

2005	Ryedale (employee jobs)	Ryedale (%)	Yorkshire and The Humber (%)	Great Britain (%)
Total employee jobs	27,300	-	-	-
Full-time	19,700	71.9	66.1	67.9
Part-time	7,700	28.1	33.9	32.1
Employee jobs by industry				
Manufacturing	5,100	18.8	13.8	11.1
Construction	1,500	5.5	5.1	4.6
Services	19,400	70.9	79.9	82.9
Distribution, hotels & restaurants	5,000	18.4	24.0	24.1
Transport & communications	5,300	19.3	6.0	6.0
Finance, IT, other business activities	2,700	10.0	17.1	20.7
Public admin, education & health	4,700	17.4	28.2	26.9
Other services	1,600	5.7	4.7	5.2
Tourism-related†	3,400	12.4	7.8	8.1

Source: ONS annual business inquiry employee analysis

- Data unavailable

† Tourism consists of industries that are also part of the services industry

Notes: % is a proportion of total employee jobs

Employee jobs excludes self-employed, government-supported trainees and HM Forces

Economic Activity

Economic Activity - Resident population aged 16 to 74

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
Employed	60.3%	64.8%	60.6%
Unemployed	2.7%	2.1%	3.4%
Economically active full-time students	1.9%	1.6%	2.6%
Retired	19.4%	17.3%	13.6%
Economically inactive students	2.4%	3.0%	4.7%
Looking after home/family	5.8%	5.8%	6.5%
Permanently sick or disabled	4.5%	3.5%	5.5%
Other economically inactive	2.8%	2.0%	3.1%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Economic Activity – Male/Female

	Male		Female	
	Number	%	Number	%
Full Time Employees	560	46.7	283	22.1
Part Time Employees	47	3.9	331	25.9
Self Employed	191	15.9	82	6.4
Unemployed/On Govt scheme	40	3.3	28	2.2
Full Time Students	25	2.1	23	1.8
Economically Active	863	72.0	747	58.4
Population Aged 16 - 74	1199		1279	

Source: Census 2001

Within Pickering West, 24 per cent of those unemployed were aged 50 and over, 9 per cent had never worked and 40 per cent were long term unemployed.

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Economically Inactive

Out of a total of 336 economically inactive males – 61.6% (207) are retired, this compares with 532 economically inactive females – 51.7% (275) of which are retired.

Source: Census 2001

Economic Inactivity – Male/Female

	Male		Female	
	Number	%	Number	%
Retired	207	17.3	275	21.5
Students	27	2.3	32	2.5
Looking after home/family	11	0.9	134	10.5
Permanently sick/disabled	64	5.3	48	3.8
Other Inactive	27	2.3	43	3.4
Economically Inactive	336	28.0	532	41.6
Population Aged 16 – 74	1199		1279	

Source: Census 2001

Employment Opportunities

The main employers in Pickering are McKechnie Car Components, Safeways, Chapmans (Car Trade), HPE Printers and Wilf Ward Family Trust.

Employment Types

	Pickering West Ward Male	Pickering West Ward Female	Ryedale (M&F)	North Yorkshire (M&F)	England & Wales (M&F)
Agric./Hunting/Forest	8.5%	1.8%	9.6%	5.2%	1.5%
Fishing	0.4%	0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%
Mining & Quarrying	1.2%	0%	0.4%	0.7%	0.3%
Manufacturing	25.5%	12.1%	16.2%	12.7%	15.0%
Electric, Gas & Water Supply	0.4%	0.0%	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%
Construction	13.7%	2.2%	6.9%	6.7%	6.8%
Wholesale & Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles	17.6%	19.5%	16.5%	16.4%	16.8%
Hotels & Catering	2.7%	10.2%	6.4%	6.6%	4.8%
Transport Storage & Communications	6.9%	3.2%	4.7%	4.7%	7.0%
Financial Intermediation	1.2%	2.2%	1.9%	3.2%	4.7%
Real Estate; Renting & Business Activities	8.0%	7.0%	9.1%	10.2%	13.0%
Public Administration & Defence	4.6%	3.3%	4.1%	8.5%	5.7%
Education	2.4%	11.4%	7.4%	7.8%	7.8%
Health & Social Work	1.9%	19.1%	9.3%	11.3%	10.8%
Other	5.0%	7.8%	6.7%	5.1%	5.2%

Source: Census 2001

Average Earnings

The average annual gross full time earnings in Ryedale are:

Male £20,530 (£394.8 per week)

Female £15,480 (£297.7 per week) Source: [nomisweb.co.uk/Earnings report 2006](http://nomisweb.co.uk/Earnings_report_2006)

Hours Worked

The majority (53.4%) of working males in this ward has a working week of between 38 and 48 hours compared with the majority (34.3%) of females working between 16 and 30 hours per week.

Hours Worked	As a percentage of workforce	
	Male	Female
Part Time 1 – 5	0.6%	3.5%
Part Time 6 - 15	3.4%	16.4%
Part Time 16 - 30	7.1%	34.3%
Full Time 31 - 37	9.4%	14.8%
Full Time 38 - 48	53.4%	24.4%
Full Time 49 or more	26.2%	6.7%

Source: Census 2001

VAT Registered Businesses

The percentage figures represent the percentage of stock (at end of year).
2005

	Ryedale (numbers)	Ryedale (%)	Yorkshire and The Humber (%)	Great Britain (%)
Registrations	205	6.6	9.5	9.7
Deregistrations	180	5.8	8.1	8.3
Stock (at end of year)	3,100	-	-	-

Source: DTI Small Business Service - vat registrations/deregistrations by industry

Social Profile

Of the 3285 properties that are situated within the wards of Pickering East and Pickering West, the following table details the number of properties in each Council Tax Band.

	Band A	Band B	Band C	Band D	Band E	Band F	Band G	Band H	Total
Pickering	318	753	1082	586	381	134	30	1	3285
Ward %	10%	23%	33%	18%	12%	4%	1%	0%	100%
Ryedale	2174	5694	5380	3937	3102	1885	1118	101	23391
Ryedale %	9%	24%	23%	17%	13%	8%	5%	0%	100%

Source: Ryedale DC, Council Tax Database, April 2007

Housing & Households

In Pickering West there were 1,523 households in 2001. 98.8 per cent of the resident population lived in households. The remainder of the population lived in communal establishments. The number of households in Ryedale was 21,451.

Number of households

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
One person households	28.8%	27.0%	30.0%
Pensioners living alone	19.6%	16.0%	14.4%
Other All Pensioner households	14.0%	13.2%	9.4%
Contained dependent children	26.0%	25.7%	29.5%
Lone parent households with dependent children	5.6%	3.9%	6.5%
Owner occupied	72.5%	69.2%	68.9%
Rented from Council	1.1%	0.8%	13.2%
Rented from Housing Association or Registered Social Landlord	15.8%	11.7%	6.0%
Private rented or lived rent free	10.6%	18.2%	11.9%
Without central heating	12.5%	10.1%	8.5%
Without sole use of bath, shower or toilet	0.2%	0.3%	0.5%
Have no car or van	23.0%	17.2%	26.8%
Have 2 or more cars or vans	28.4%	36.2%	29.4%
Average household size (number)	2.3	2.3	2.4
Average number of rooms per household	5.4	5.9	5.3

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Ryedale House Prices

Detached	£304,297	Change in last quarter	-3.2%
Semi-detached	£191,233	Change in last year	4.5%
Terraced	£158,660	Sales	251
Flat	£127,772		
Average	£223, 485		

Source: BBC News 9 May 2007-Land Registry of England and Wales

Housing Type

41.1% of the housing stock in Pickering West Ward is comprised of detached dwellings, 23.8% are semi-detached dwellings, 27.6% are terraced and flats 7.0%. The numbers are detailed below:

	Number	Ward %	Ryedale %	England %
Detached dwellings	644	41.1	41.1	22.5
Semi-Detached dwellings	373	23.8	32.2	31.6
Terraced dwellings	433	27.6	19.2	25.8
Flat - Purpose built	90	5.7	4.2	14.0
Flat – part conversion/shared house	11	0.7	1.5	4.5
Flat – in commercial building	10	0.6	1.4	1.1
Caravan or other mobile /temp structure	8	0.5	0.4	0.4

Source: Census 2001

Vacant Dwellings

	Total number of dwellings on Council Tax Valuation List	Number of dwellings vacant for up to 12 months - major repair works (CTAX Exempt Code A)	Number of dwellings vacant for up to six months (Codes B & C)	Number of other vacant dwellings (Codes D E F G H I J K L & Q)	Number of dwellings in receipt of 50% discount	Total number of second Homes
Amotherby	792	2	8	1	14	20
Ampleforth	709	0	10	6	20	32
Cropton	695	0	6	6	16	38
Dales	758	2	6	4	23	123
Derwent	1495	2	19	5	31	22
Helmsley	1531	0	18	9	36	78
Hovingham	792	0	9	3	11	28
Kirkbymoorside	1631	3	11	11	37	44
Malton	2349	3	33	11	32	8
Norton East	1495	0	9	5	5	2
Norton West	1478	6	9	8	22	5
Pickering East	1607	2	10	12	24	46
Pickering West	1593	2	14	9	13	27
Rillington	791	0	11	3	10	5
Ryedale South West	683	0	6	1	14	7
Sherburn	811	0	4	8	12	15
Sheriff Hutton	737	1	11	3	11	8
Sinnington	770	2	10	7	24	49
Thornton Dale	1569	1	12	11	42	84
Wolds	678	0	5	5	11	8
Ryedale	22964	26	221	128	408	649

Source: Ryedale D C, Council Tax Database as at 31.03.03

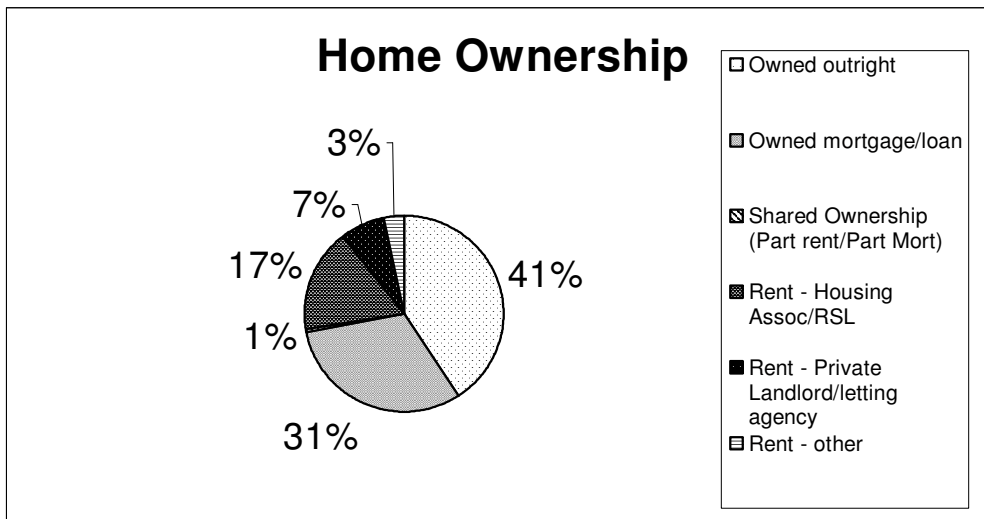
Second Homes/Holiday Cottages

Ward	Number	% of Total Properties
Amotherby	16	2.1
Ampleforth	30	4.4
Cropton	46	6.5
Dales	112	14.2
Derwent	25	1.7
Helmsley	89	5.9
Hovingham	19	2.4
Kirkbymoorside	53	3.3
Malton	9	0.4
Norton East	5	0.3
Norton West	4	0.3
Pickering East	48	3.0
Pickering West	17	1.1
Rillington	5	0.6
Ryedale South West	21	3.0
Sherburn	4	0.5
Sheriff Hutton	7	1.0
Sinnington	36	4.6
Thornton Dale	122	7.7
Wolds	4	0.6
Ryedale Total	672	3.0

Source: Census 2001

Home Ownership

Out of a total of 1523 households over half (1096) are owned outright or with a mortgage/loan, 258 rent from a Housing Association, 161 rent privately.



Source: Census 2001

Comparison of Home Ownership

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England
Owned – outright	41.0%	37.8%	29.2%
Owned – mortgage/loan	31.0%	31.0%	38.9%
Shared Ownership (Part rent/part mortg)	0.5%	0.4%	0.6%
Rented - Council	-	-	13.2%
Rented – Housing Assoc/RSL	16.9%	12.6%	6.05%
Rented – Private landlord/letting agency	7.3%	12.2%	8.8%
Rented – Other	3.3%	6.0%	3.2%

Source: Census 2001

Household Amenities

12.5% of households in Pickering West Ward have no central heating. Three households do not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet.

The average household size in this ward is 2.28. The average number of rooms per household is 5.42 rooms.

Source: Census 2001

Homelessness

Applications dealt with by Ryedale District Council

Ward	Number of applications 2005/06	Number accepted 2005/06
Amotherby	5	1
Ampleforth	0	0
Cropton	0	0
Dales	1	1
Derwent	4	2
Helmsley	2	2
Hovingham	1	0
Kirkbymoorside	7	3
Malton	25	8
Norton East and West	36	19
Pickering East and West	25	11
Rillington	4	0
Ryedale South West	0	0
Sherburn	5	1
Sheriff Hutton	1	1
Sinnington	4	3
Thornton Dale	3	0
Wolds	5	3
Other: e.g. No fixed abode or out of area	16	5
Total	144	60

Source: Housing Services, Ryedale District Council, April 2007

Safety

Area Statistics - Levels of crime in Ryedale Notifiable offences recorded by the police April 2005 to March 2006

	Violence against the person	Sexual offences	Robbery	Burglary from a dwelling	Theft of a motor vehicle	Theft from a motor vehicle
Total number of offences recorded, Ryedale	417	31	0	89	108	208
Rate per 1,000 population, Ryedale	8.1	0.6	0.0	1.7	2.1	4.0
Rate per 1,000 population, England and Wales	19.7	1.6	1.8	5.7	4.0	4.9

Source: Home Office Crime Statistics, April 2007

Poverty

Benefit Claims

In August 2006, there were 2,300 Housing Benefit claimants in Ryedale, which is 10.8% of all households in the Ryedale area and 3,100 Council Tax Benefit claimants, which is 14.9% of all households.

Source: Department for Work and Pensions

Working-age benefits

The Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) is payable to people under pensionable age who are available for, and actively seeking, work.

Total JSA claimants (March 2007)

	Pickering West (numbers)	Pickering West (%)	Ryedale (%)	Great Britain (%)
All people	23	1.2	1.2	2.6
Males	15	1.5	1.5	3.6
Females	8	0.8	0.9	1.4

Source: claimant count with rates and proportions

Note: The percentage figures show the number of JSA claimants as a proportion of resident working-age people.

JSA claimants by age and duration (March 2007)

	Pickering West (numbers)	Pickering West (%)	Ryedale (%)	Great Britain (%)
by age of claimant				
Aged 18-24	5	21.7	22.6	30.3
Aged 25-49	10	47.8	48.9	52.3
Aged 50 and over	5	26.1	27.4	16.1
by duration of claim				
Up to 6 months	15	69.6	70.7	66.5
Over 6 up to 12 months	5	26.1	16.4	17.1
Over 12 months	0	4.3	12.9	16.3

Source: claimant count - age and duration

Note: The % figures represent the number of JSA claimants in a particular category as a percentage of all JSA claimants.

DWP benefit claimants (May 2006)

	Pickering West (numbers)	Pickering West (%)	Ryedale (%)	Great Britain (%)
Total claimants	220	11.2	8.6	14.7
Job seekers	25	1.3	1.2	2.6
Incapacity benefits	110	5.6	4.3	7.4
Lone parents	35	1.8	0.9	2.1
Carers	20	1.0	0.9	1.0
Others on income related benefits	5	0.3	0.3	0.4
Disabled	20	1.0	0.7	0.9
Bereaved	5	0.3	0.4	0.3

Source: benefit claimants - working age clients for small areas

Note: The percentage figures show the number of benefit claimants as a proportion of resident working-age people.

Indices of Deprivation

The Indices of Deprivation 2004 were published by the Department for Communities & Local Government (DCLG) in May 2004, and revised in June 2004. They measure deprivation at a small area level of Lower Layer Super Output Areas (SOAs). SOAs are a new geography designed for the collection and publication of small area statistics and fit within current Ryedale ward boundaries. The ID 2004 updates the ID 2000 in two key ways, more up-to-date data has been used and new measures have been incorporated as new and improved data sources have become available, therefore ID 2000 and ID 2004 are not comparable.

Index of Multiple Deprivation

The IMD 2004 provides an overall score of deprivation, combining 7 distinct categories of deprivation, known as domains. These domains cover:

Low income	Lack of work	Poor health	Lack of education
Poor housing and access to services	Crime		Poor living environment

There are also two supplementary indices:
Child poverty Older people in poverty

The Indices are available on the DCLG website www.communities.gov.uk by following the links to Research and Statistics/Publications/Creating better communities research and statistics/Indices of Deprivation. Maps of SOAs are available on the Office for National Statistics website www.statistics.gov.uk under Neighbourhood.

DCLG reference numbers for each SOA and its Ward

36UFGF	Amotherby	E01027774	36UFGN	Kirkbymoorside	E01027784	36UFGT	Pickering West	E01027794
36UFGG	Ampleforth	E01027775	36UFGP	Malton	E01027785	36UFGT	Pickering West	E01027795
36UFGH	Cropton	E01027776	36UFGP	Malton	E01027786	36UFGU	Rillington	E01027796
36UFGJ	Dales	E01027777	36UFGP	Malton	E01027787	36UFGW	Ryedale South West	E01027797
36UFGK	Derwent	E01027778	36UFGQ	Norton East	E01027788	36UFGX	Sherburn	E01027798
36UFGK	Derwent	E01027779	36UFGQ	Norton East	E01027789	36UFGY	Sheriff Hutton	E01027799
36UFGI	Helmsley	E01027780	36UFGR	Norton West	E01027790	36UFGZ	Sinnington	E01027800
36UFGI	Helmsley	E01027781	36UFGR	Norton West	E01027791	36UFHA	Thornton Dale	E01027801
36UFGM	Hovingham	E01027782	36UFGS	Pickering East	E01027792	36UFHA	Thornton Dale	E01027802
36UFGN	Kirkbymoorside	E01027783	36UFGS	Pickering East	E01027793	36UFHB	Wolds	E01027803

Source: DCLG

Leisure & Cultural Facilities in Pickering

Cinema	Pickering Castle
Fitness Club & Gyms	Golf Course
North Yorkshire Moors Railway	Ryedale Cricket Club
Northern Ryedale Leisure Centre	Swimming pool
Sports ground and Premises	Recreation ground
Kirk Theatre	

Community Services & Facilities

Local Facilities in Pickering

Settlement	Village Hall/ Meeting Room	Post Office	Shop	Banks	Public House	Hotel/ Guest House	Petrol Station
Pickering	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

Source: Valuation Office 31.12.03

Post Office – Pickering

Pickering Post Office
 Morlands Newsagents
 7, Market Place
 Pickering
 Tel: 01751 472256

Business Rate Properties

	Current Rateable Value	No. of Properties
Pickering (total both Wards)	£4,651,820	391

Source: RDC Business Rate Database 1 April 2007

Pre-School Groups & Childcare

Humpty Dumpty's Day Nursery, Firthlands Road has 22 places.
 Potter Hill Playgroup has 26 places.
 Pickering Pre-School Playgroup, Hall Garth and has 24 places.
 Source: NYCC, Children's Information Service

Registered Childminders

Ward	Number	Ward	Number
Amotherby	2	Norton East & West	9
Ampleforth	1	Pickering East & West	10
Cropton	2	Rillington	2
Dales	0	Ryedale South West	2
Derwent	4	Sherburn	0
Helmsley	2	Sheriff Hutton	0
Hovingham	1	Sinnington	1
Kirkbymoorside	2	Thornton Dale	1
Malton	3	Wolds	1

Source: NYCC, Children's Information Service

Note: Information taken from NYCC website – information may not be complete due to confidentiality

Education

Schools

There are four schools in Pickering East and Pickering West Wards.

Pickering Community Infant & Nursery School

Classification – Community

Estimated Total Number of Pupils	217
Maximum Admission Limit (First Year Pupils)	75
Number of Pupils admitted 2001/2002	13
Number of Pupils admitted 2002/2003	64
Number of Pupils admitted 2003/2004	52

St Joseph's Roman Catholic Primary School

Classification – Voluntary Aided

Estimated Total Number of Pupils	105
Maximum Admission Limit (First Year Pupils)	15
Number of Pupils admitted 2001/2002	14
Number of Pupils admitted 2002/2003	14
Number of Pupils admitted 2003/2004	8

Pickering Community Junior School

Classification – Community

Estimated Total Number of Pupils	290
Maximum Admission Limit (First Year Pupils)	80
Number of Pupils admitted 2001/2002	75
Number of Pupils admitted 2002/2003	69
Number of Pupils admitted 2003/2004	77

Lady Lumley's School – Comprehensive Co-ed Community School

Classification – Community

Estimated Total Number of Pupils	1006
Maximum Admission Limit (First Year Pupils)	162
Number of Pupils admitted 2003/2004	174

Source: NYCC

Youth Provision

Pickering Youth Club: Community Education Centre, Pickering.

Two nights per week – Tues/Wed (term time only), open to 13 to 19 yr olds.

The Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme for 14 to 23yrs – regular weekly sessions based at both Lady Lumley's and Ryedale Schools (times vary through the seasons).

Gateway Club – Isabella Court, Pickering, Wednesday nights 7-9pm, open to people with special needs.

Study Support Group – Lady Lumley's School Com Ed Centre Tuesday/Wednesday 3.30pm to 7pm.

Magic Moments Group – SSLA Community Education Centre Pickering- Thursday nights, 7 to 9pm. Open to young people with special needs aged 11-19yrs.

Warhammer Games Club – Lady Lumley's Com Ed Centre, Member run club – Thursday nights 4pm-7pm, open age range.

Pickering Information Stop Shop – 1 Drill Hall Yard, Pickering. Information Shop for young people (Monday am, Tuesday am, Friday am, Wednesday and Thursday).

Health & Social Care

Health and provision of care

The 2001 Census asked people to describe their health, over the preceding 12 months as 'good', 'fairly good' or 'not good'.

Resident population

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
Good	64.5%	69.4%	68.6%
Fairly good	26.4%	22.8%	22.2%
Not good	9.1%	7.8%	9.2%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

It also asked questions about any limiting long-term illness, health problem or disability which limited people's daily activities or the work they could do.

Resident population

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
With a limiting long-term illness	20.0%	16.8%	18.2%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

For the first time, the 2001 Census asked a question about any voluntary care provided to look after, or give any help or support to family members, friends, neighbours or others because of long term physical or mental ill-health or disability, or problems relating to old age.

Resident population

	Pickering West	Ryedale	England and Wales
Provided unpaid care	9.5%	10.0%	10.0%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

There are two main benefits associated with health that are paid to people needing help with personal care. They are the 'Disability Living Allowance' and the 'Attendance Allowance'.

- The Disability Living Allowance is a benefit paid to people under 65, who are disabled, and need help with personal care, and/or getting around. In August 2006, 1620 in Ryedale received this benefit. *Source: Department for Work and Pensions, May 2007*
- The Attendance Allowance is paid to people over the age of 65, who are so severely disabled, physically or mentally, that they need supervision or a great deal of help with personal care. In August 2006, 1470 people in Ryedale received this benefit. *Source: Department for Work and Pensions, May 2007*

Care/Nursing/Residential Homes

See below, also the Wards of Helmsley, Pickering (both), Malton, Norton (both) and Thornton Dale.

Alba Rose

Arden House

Isabella Court

Whitby Road – NYCC

Keldhead Hall, Middleton Road, Pickering

Recreation Road, Pickering

72a Westgate, Pickering

5 Whitby Road, Pickering

Learning Disability Care Homes

Isabella Court, Pickering and Wintofts Farm, Lendales Lane, Pickering

NHS GP Surgeries in Ryedale

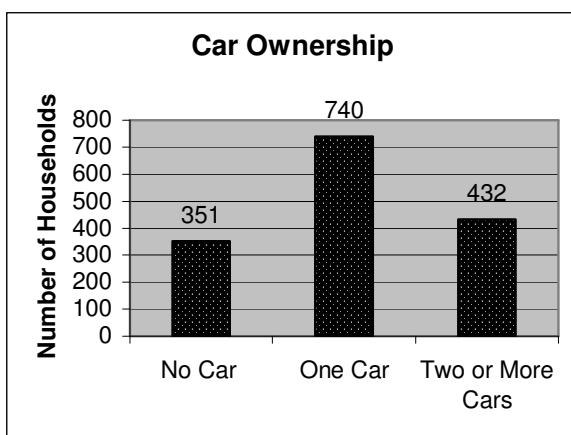
Ampleforth, Helmsley, Hovingham, Kirkbymoorside, Malton, Norton, Pickering, Rillington, Sherburn, Sheriff Hutton, Staxton, Terrington, Thornton Dale and Wetwang.

Dental Surgeries in Ryedale: Helmsley, Kirkbymoorside, Malton and Pickering

Transport

Car Ownership

In Pickering West Ward, 48.6% of households have one car, 28.4% have two or more cars, whilst 23.8% of households have no car at all.



Source: Census 2001

Cars or Vans	Pickering West	Ryedale	England
None	23.1%	17.2%	26.8%
One	48.6%	46.6%	43.7%
Two	22.9%	28.6%	23.6%
Three	4.3%	5.7%	4.5%
Four or more	1.2%	1.9%	1.4%

Source: Census 2001

Travel to Work

	Number	Pickering West %	Ryedale %	England %
Work mainly at or from home	191	16.9	17.9	9.2
Underground; metro; light rail; tram;	0	0.3	0.0	3.2
Train	11	0.9	0.9	4.2
Bus; mini bus or coach	33	1.8	2.2	7.5
Motor Cycle; scooter; moped	15	1.3	0.9	1.1
Driving a car/van	809	62.3	54.4	54.9
Passenger car/van	95	6.6	5.6	6.1
Taxi or minicab	3	0.3	0.2	0.5
Bicycle	72	1.7	4.3	2.8
On foot	304	7.5	12.9	10.0
Other	7	0.4	0.7	0.5

Source: Census 2001

Bus Passes in Ryedale

At the end of January 2004, 6187 persons of pensionable age (60 or over, 2001 Census) had a bus pass, 45.58% of the 13,573 eligible.

Environmental Profile

Ryedale has many areas of natural beauty and buildings considered by the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport to be of special architectural or historic interest.

Conservation

Conservation Areas

There are currently 45 Conservation Areas in Ryedale (12 of which are exclusively within the North York Moors National Park, and 4 are partly within the Park). The conservation areas in Pickering West Ward are in:

Pickering (Keld Head)
Pickering Town Centre (also in Pickering East Ward)

Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSIs)

There are 29 SSSIs within the District, ranging from flower-rich chalk grasslands to lowland woodlands and marshes.

Pickering West Ward has two SSSIs:

- Newbridge Quarry, a site area providing the best ammonite-bearing section
- Haugh and Gundale Slacks – limestone grassland and semi-natural woodland

Source: Ryedale Local Plan

Sites of Importance for Nature Conservation (SINCs)

There is one site in Pickering West Ward:

Keld Head Springs A Wetland area including swamp and marshy pasture. Known to support several nationally-rare insects.

Source Ryedale Local Plan

Regionally Important Geological/Geomorphological Sites (RIGS)

These sites are considered worthy of protection for their educational, research, historical or aesthetic importance. There are 5 RIGS within Ryedale, one in Derwent Ward and four in Wolds Ward.

Source: Ryedale Local Plan

Listed Buildings

In total, there are 261 listed buildings in Pickering West and Pickering East Wards. All listed buildings are judged against a set of national standards. There are three grades of listed buildings based on how important a building is.

Grade I Exceptional historic buildings.

Grade II* Good Quality Buildings in their original condition, normally with an interior of interest.

Grade II The buildings that fall within this category are listed on the basis of external inspection.

Parish	Grade One	Grade 2*	Grade Two	Total Listed Records
Pickering (West and East Wards)		1	260	261

Source: RDC Development Control Unit December 2003

Ancient Monuments

Ryedale has over 300 Scheduled Ancient Monuments, 15 of which are sited in Pickering East and Pickering West Wards.

Parish	No. of sites	
Pickering East and Pickering West Wards	15	Pickering Castle – 11 th century motte and bailey castle and 13 th century shell keep castle. Beacon Hill ringwork siege castle and Royal Observer Corps post. St Nicholas' medieval hospital. Earthwork, 2 barrows, and round barrows.

Source: Ryedale Local Plan

Asset Management

Council owned assets and land in Pickering

Pickering	Asset	Value	Valuation Date
Eastgate	Car Park & Public Conveniences	£421,000	1 Apr 04
Eastgate	Former TIC	£45,000	1 Apr 05
Thornton Road Industrial Estate	Roadway	£5	1 Apr 04
Whitby Road	Amenity Land	£1	1 Apr 04
Ryedale Pool, Mill Lane	Swimming Pool & Car Park	£1,500,000	1 Apr 05
Train Lane	Car Park	£15,000	1 Apr 04
Swainsea Lane	Part Highway	£50	1 Apr 04
The Ropery	Tourist Information Centre	£95,000	1 Apr 05
The Ropery	Area Office	£45,000	1 Apr 05
The Ropery	Business Centre	£180,000	1 Apr 05
The Ropery	Car Park & public conveniences	£405,000	1 Apr 04
Vivis Lane	Car Park	£70,000	1 Apr 04
Westgate Carr Road	Industrial Units	£280,000	1 Apr 04
	Total	£,3,056,056	

Source: RDC Property Services Unit Dec 2007

Development

Planning Applications by Type 2006-2007

	Full Application	Outline Application	Agricultural Notification	Conservation Area Consent	Listed Building Consent	Other	Total
Pickering (Pickering East & Pickering West Wards)	77	3	2	2	20	Advert Application x 6 Cert Lawful existing use or development x 1 Consultation with County Planning x 10 Full Application – major x 4 Non Compliance with Conditions x 3 Continued Non Compliance with Conditions x 1 Major – reserved matters x 1 Reserved Matters x 1 Tree Preservation Order x 3	134

Source: RDC Development Control Unit April 2007

Land Available for Housing Development

The Ryedale Local Plan (2003 update) allocated the 6 sites listed below for housing development, totalling 12 hectares of land. Three of the sites have been developed. The capacity of the remaining sites is likely to range between 103 and 128 units in total. None of the sites is in this Ward. (Source: RDC 2006 Annual Monitoring Report. Forward Planning & Conservation Unit)

Hovingham	Approx 1.1 hectares
Feversham Drive, Kirkbymoorside	Approx 0.9 hectares (developed)
Scarborough Road, Norton	Approx 5.6 hectares (developed)
Whitfield Avenue, Pickering	Approx 1.44 hectares (Pickering East Ward)
Goslipgate, Pickering	Approx 2.7 hectares (developed)
Swinton	Approx 0.3 hectares

Waste & Recycling

Recycling Sites

The recycling sites in this ward is at:

Town/Village	Location	Glass	Paper	Cans	Text-iles	Books	Other
Pickering	Vivis Lane Car Park	•	•	•			

Source: Commercial Services, Ryedale District Council

Landfill Sites

In Ryedale there are Landfill Sites at:

Place	Site	Details
Hutton-le- Hole	Westfield Lodge	Landfill taking other wastes (construction, demolition, dredgings)
Marton	Golden Hill Quarry,	Small-scale site which takes construction, demolition and dredging waste.
East Knapton	Teydale Farm, Knapton Gravel Quarry	Small-scale site which takes special waste.
Staxton	South of A64	Landfill taking non-biodegradable wastes (not construction)
Strensall	Brickyard Farm, Sheriff Hutton Road	Large-scale site which takes construction, demolition and dredging waste.
Thornton-le-Dale	Caulklands Quarry, Outgang Lane	Small-scale site taking household and special waste.

Source: Environment Agency Jan 04

Civic Amenity Sites

There are Civic Amenity Sites at:

Place	Site
Malton	Malton Household Waste Site, Pasture Lane, Malton
Norton	Norton Household Waste Site, Off Eastfield Avenue
Thornton Dale	Caulklands Household Waste Site, Outgang Lane, Thornton-le-Dale
Wombledon	Waste Disposal, Cockerhill Lane, Wombledon

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Pickering Town Council

Ryedale District Election Turnout – 3 May 2007

Ward	Electorate	Turnout
Amotherby	1433	42.78%
Ampleforth		Uncontested
Cropton	1,249	58.61%
Dales	1164	58.51%
Derwent	2676	42.71%
Helmsley	2512	43.59%
Hovingham		Uncontested
Kirkbymoorside	2747	43.87%
Malton	3859	35.55%
Norton East	2671	24.41%
Norton West	2672	27.69%
Pickering East*		Uncontested
Pickering West		Uncontested
Rillington		Uncontested
Ryedale South West	1320	42.58%
Sherburn	1465	39.18%
Sheriff Hutton	1377	54.90%
Sinnington	1399	47.03%
Thornton Dale	2720	46.62%
Wolds	1358	45.14%
Ryedale Electorate	30,622	
Ryedale Average		41.36%

Source: RDC Electoral Services 2007

*Pickering East Ward: A further election will be held on 21 June 2007 for the vacant seat.

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