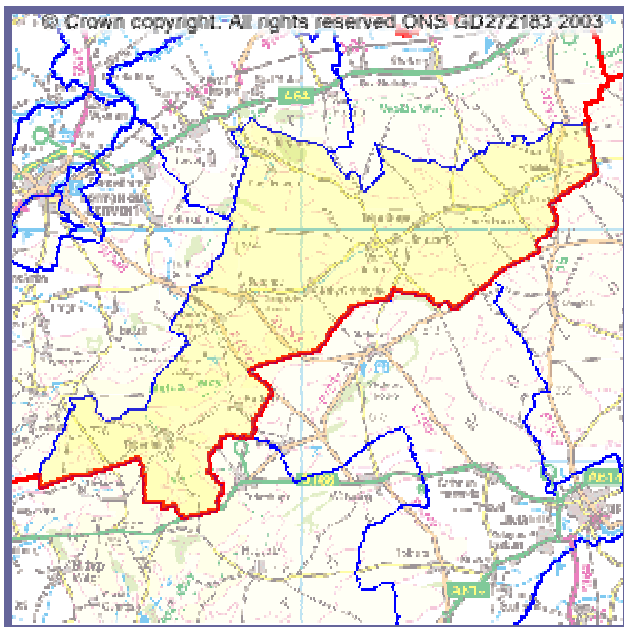


Ryedale District Council Ward Profile

Wolds



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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

Wolds Ward

This ward covers the northern edge of the Yorkshire Wolds. The Wolds are the most northerly extension of the belt of chalk-land that extends up from Salisbury Plain and the Chilterns.

Wharram Percy is a deserted medieval village. Its population peaked around 1300 when the Percy family were manorial lords, hence the name. The village was deserted when early-Tudor grazing of sheep for wool production became more profitable than the labour intensive growing of crops in strip fields.

Wintringham is the estate village of the Cholmleys of Place Newton. St Peter's Church in the village is considered to be one of the most rewarding churches in the East Riding with an exceptional collection of furnishings. Place Newton is early 18th century with later additions built for the Strickland family who took the surname Cholmley in the 19th century.

Many of the churches in the ward have been built or restored in the late 19th Century by Sir Tatton Sykes II, owner of Sledmere House. St Andrew's Church, Weaverthorpe, is mainly Norman in character dating from the early part of the 12th Century.

The settlements that make up the ward show a typical mixture of Old English (OE) and Old Scandinavian (OScand) derived place names, many of them traceable to the Domesday Book (DB):

Butterwick	Dairy farm where butter is made (OE) (<i>Butruid</i> 1086 DB)
Duggleby	Farmstead or village of a man called Dubgall or Dubgilla (OIrish/OScand) (<i>Difgelibi</i> 1086 DB)
Foxholes	The fox's earth (OE) (Fox(o)hole 1086 DB)
Helperthorpe	Outlying farmstead or hamlet of a woman called Hjalp (OScand) (<i>Elpetorp</i> 1086 DB)
Kirby Grindalythe	Village with a church on a slope of the valley frequented by cranes (OE/OScand) (<i>Kirby in Crendalith</i> 1367)
Lutton	Estate of a man called Luda (OE) (<i>Ludton</i> 1086 DB)
Thixendale	Valley of a man called Sigsteinn (OScand) (<i>Sixtendale</i> 1086 DB)
Weaverthorpe	Outlying farmstead or hamlet of a man called Vithfari (OScand) (<i>Wifretorp</i> 1086 DB)
Wharram-le-Street	Possibly place at the kettles or the cauldron on the street (<i>Warran</i> 1086 DB)
Wintringham	Homestead of the family or followers of a man called Wintra (OE) (<i>Wentrigham</i> 1086 DB)

Wolds Ward comprises the following parishes:

Foxholes	Weaverthorpe
Kirby Grindalythe	Wharram
Luttons	Wintringham
Thixendale	

Demographic Profile

Resident Population and Age

The resident population of Wolds, as measured in the 2001 Census, was 1,598 of which 51 per cent were male and 49 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

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
Under 16	20.9%	18.6%	20.2%
16 to 19	4.9%	4.3%	4.9%
20 to 29	8.9%	8.3%	12.6%
30 to 59	46.1%	42.1%	41.5%
60 to 74	13.3%	17.1%	13.3%
75 and over	6.0%	9.6%	7.6%
Average age	39.2 years	42.5 years	38.6 years

Source: 2001 Census, Office for National Statistics

Population figures by gender

Male Residents	821	51.4%
Female Residents	777	48.6%

Source: Census 2001

Marital Status - Resident population aged 16 and over

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
Single (never married)	24.6%	22.8%	30.1%
Married or re-married	60.4%	59.0%	50.9%
Separated	2.9%	2.0%	2.4%
Divorced	6.1%	7.1%	8.2%
Widowed	5.9%	9.1%	8.4%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Ethnic Group - Resident population

	Wolds	Ryedale	England
White	99.3	99.4%	90.9%
Mixed	0.5	0.3%	1.3%
Asian or Asian British	0.0	0.1%	4.6%
Indian	0.0	0.0%	2.1%
Pakistani	0.0	0.0%	1.4%
Bangladeshi	0.0	0.0%	0.6%
Other Asian	0.0	0.0%	0.5%
Black or Black British	0.2	0.1%	2.1%
Caribbean	0.0	0.0%	1.1%
African	0.2	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

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
Christian	80.2%	82.3%	71.8%
Buddhist	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%
Hindu	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%
Jewish	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
Muslim	0.0%	0.1%	3.0%
Sikh	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%
Other religions	0.4%	0.2%	0.3%
No religion	11.2%	10.7%	14.8%
Religion not stated	7.9%	6.6%	7.7%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Students and Qualifications - Students and schoolchildren aged 16 to 74

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
Total number of full-time students and schoolchildren aged 16 to 74	67	1,630	2,648,992
Percentage of total resident population	4.2%	3.2%	5.1%
Total number aged 16 to 17	38	1,033	1,014,284
Total number aged 18 to 74	29	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

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
Had no qualifications	32.3%	30.5%	29.1%
Qualified to degree level or higher	17.9%	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

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
Employed	63.7%	64.8%	60.6%
Unemployed	2.5%	2.1%	3.4%
Economically active full-time students	2.4%	1.6%	2.6%
Retired	12.5%	17.3%	13.6%
Economically inactive students	3.4%	3.0%	4.7%
Looking after home/family	8.6%	5.8%	6.5%
Permanently sick or disabled	4.0%	3.5%	5.5%
Other economically inactive	2.9%	2.0%	3.1%

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Economic Activity – Male/Female

	Male		Female	
	Number	%	Number	%
Full Time Employees	262	43.7	134	23.5
Part Time Employees	12	2.0	117	20.5
Self Employed	147	24.5	73	12.8
Unemployed/On Govt scheme	20	3.3	9	1.6
Full Time Students	13	2.2	15	2.6
Economically Active	454	75.8	348	61.1
Population Aged 16 - 74	599		570	

Source: Census 2001

Within Wolds, 38 per cent of those unemployed were aged 50 and over, 10 per cent had never worked and 34 per cent were long term unemployed.

Source: 2001 Census, ONS

Economically Inactive

Out of a total of 145 economically inactive males – 47.6% (69) are retired, this compares with 222 economically inactive females - 34.6% (77) of which are retired

Source: Census 2001

Economic Inactivity – Male/Female

	Male		Female	
	Number	%	Number	%
Retired	69	11.5	77	13.5
Students	22	3.7	18	3.2
Looking after home/family	10	1.7	90	15.8
Permanently sick/disabled	26	4.3	21	3.7
Other Inactive	18	3.0	16	2.8
Economically Inactive	145	24.2	222	39.0
Population Aged 16 – 74	599		570	

Source: Census 2001

Employment Opportunities

There are no large employers in this ward.

Employment Types

	Wolds Ward Male	Wolds Ward Female	Ryedale (M&F)	North Yorkshire (M&F)	England & Wales (M&F)
Agric./Hunting/Forest	26.9%	9.5%	9.6%	5.2%	1.5%
Fishing	0%	0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%
Mining & Quarrying	0%	0%	0.4%	0.7%	0.3%
Manufacturing	16.7%	11.2%	16.2%	12.7%	15.0%
Electric, Gas & Water Supply	0.7%	0.0%	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%
Construction	12.1%	3.0%	6.9%	6.7%	6.8%
Wholesale & Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles	12.8%	14.5%	16.5%	16.4%	16.8%
Hotels & Catering	2.1%	7.1%	6.4%	6.6%	4.8%
Transport Storage & Communications	5.1%	3.3%	4.7%	4.7%	7.0%
Financial Intermediation	1.2%	2.1%	1.9%	3.2%	4.7%
Real Estate; Renting & Business Activities	7.4%	8.6%	9.1%	10.2%	13.0%
Public Administration & Defence	3.7%	4.1%	4.1%	8.5%	5.7%
Education	3.9%	11.5%	7.4%	7.8%	7.8%
Health & Social Work	2.6%	15.1%	9.3%	11.3%	10.8%
Other	4.9%	10.1%	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: nomis/earnings report 2006

Hours Worked

The majority (49.4%) of working males in this ward has a working week of between 38 and 48 hours compared with the majority (29.0%) of females working between 38 and 48 hours per week.

Hours Worked	As a percentage of workforce	
	Male	Female
Part Time 1 – 5	0.7%	3.3%
Part Time 6 - 15	2.8%	14.5%
Part Time 16 - 30	3.7%	28.1%
Full Time 31 - 37	5.5%	14.8%
Full Time 38 - 48	49.4%	29.0%
Full Time 49 or more	37.9%	10.4%

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 739 properties that are situated within the ward of Wolds, 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
Wolds	53	238	121	138	97	67	25	0	739
Ward %	7%	32%	16%	19%	13%	9%	3%	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 Wolds there were 611 households in 2001. 99.9 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

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
One person households	18.7%	27.0%	30.0%
Pensioners living alone	9.4%	16.0%	14.4%
Other All Pensioner households	11.0%	13.2%	9.4%
Contained dependent children	32.4%	25.7%	29.5%
Lone parent households with dependent children	4.4%	3.9%	6.5%
Owner occupied	58.3%	69.2%	68.9%
Rented from Council	1.3%	0.8%	13.2%
Rented from Housing Association or Registered Social Landlord	13.8%	11.7%	6.0%
Private rented or lived rent free	26.7%	18.2%	11.9%
Without central heating	12.8%	10.1%	8.5%
Without sole use of bath, shower or toilet	0.5%	0.3%	0.5%
Have no car or van	8.5%	17.2%	26.8%
Have 2 or more cars or vans	48.0%	36.2%	29.4%
Average household size (number)	2.6%	2.3	2.4
Average number of rooms per household	6.3%	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

46.1% of the housing stock in Wolds Ward is comprised of detached dwellings, 42.6% are semi-detached dwellings, 9.9% are terraced and flats 1.3%. The numbers are detailed below:

	Number	Ward %	Ryedale %	England %
Detached dwellings	294	46.1	41.1	22.5
Semi-Detached dwellings	272	42.6	32.2	31.6
Terraced dwellings	63	9.9	19.2	25.8
Flat - Purpose built	3	0.5	4.2	14.0
Flat – part conversion/shared house	5	0.8	1.5	4.5
Flat – in commercial building	0	0.0	1.4	1.1
Caravan or other mobile /temp structure	0	0.0	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

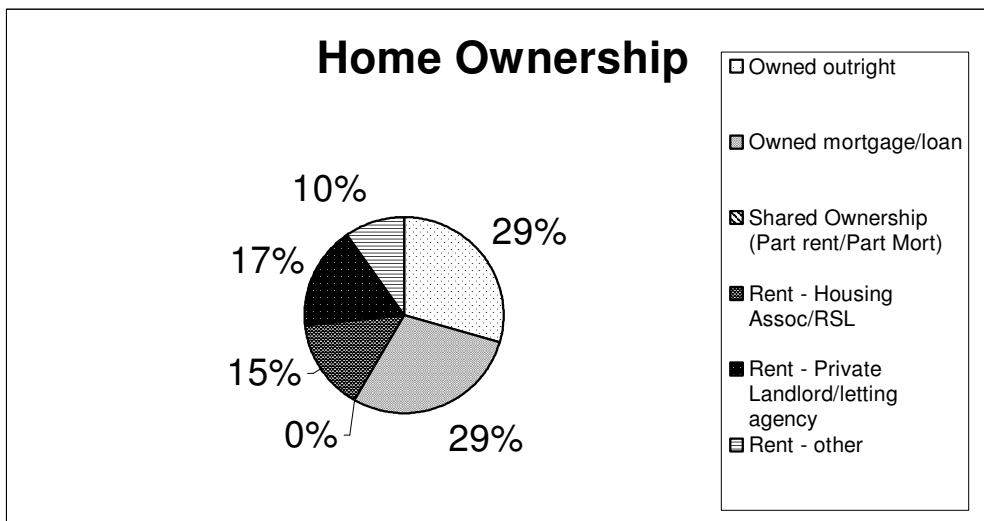
Second Homes/Holiday Cottages

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 638 households over half (356) are owned outright or with a loan/mortgage, 84 rent from a Housing Association, 163 rent privately.



Source: Census 2001

Comparison of Home Ownership

	Wolds	Ryedale	England
Owned – outright	29.5%	37.8%	29.2%
Owned – mortgage/loan	28.8%	31.0%	38.9%
Shared Ownership (Part rent/part mortg)	0.0%	0.4%	0.6%
Rented - Council	1.3%	-	13.2%
Rented – Housing Assoc/RSL	13.8%	12.6%	6.05%
Rented – Private landlord/letting agency	16.9%	12.2%	8.8%
Rented – Other	9.8%	6.0%	3.2%

Source: Census 2001

Household Amenities

12.8% of households in Wolds 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 2.61. The average number of rooms per household is 6.32 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)

	Wolds (numbers)	Wolds (%)	Ryedale (%)	Great Britain (%)
All people	24	2.4	1.2	2.6
Males	18	3.4	1.5	3.6
Females	6	1.3	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)

	Wolds (numbers)	Wolds (%)	Ryedale (%)	Great Britain (%)
by age of claimant				
Aged 18-24	10	33.3	22.6	30.3
Aged 25-49	10	50.0	48.9	52.3
Aged 50 and over	5	16.7	27.4	16.1
by duration of claim				
Up to 6 months	15	62.5	70.7	66.5
Over 6 up to 12 months	5	20.8	16.4	17.1
Over 12 months	5	16.7	12.9	16.3

Source: *claimant count - age and duration*

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

DWP benefit claimants (May 2006)

	Wolds (numbers)	Wolds (%)	Ryedale (%)	Great Britain (%)
Total claimants	115	11.4	8.6	14.7
Job seekers	15	1.5	1.2	2.6
Incapacity benefits	60	6.0	4.3	7.4
Lone parents	10	1.0	0.9	2.1
Carers	15	1.5	0.9	1.0
Others on income related benefits	5	0.5	0.3	0.4
Disabled	5	0.5	0.7	0.9
Bereaved	5	0.5	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

Thixendale Cricket Club
Art Gallery, Thixendale

Community Services & Facilities

Settlement	Village Hall/ Meeting Room	Post Office	Shop	Banks	Public House	Hotel/ Guest House	Petrol Station
Foxholes	•	•					•
Kirby Grindalythe	•	•					
Luttons	•						
Thixendale	•	•			•		•
Weaverthorpe	•	•			•		•
Wharram	•	•				•	
Wintringham	•	•					•

Source: Valuation Office 31.12.03

Post Offices

Foxholes Post Office
Dingle Cottage
2 Scarborough Rd
Foxholes

Kirby Grindalythe Post Office
Field House
Main Street
Kirby Grindalythe

Thixendale Post Office
Filling Station
2 Church View
Thixendale

Weaverthorpe P.O & Stores
Burnside Cottage
Weaverthorpe
Tel: 01944 738342

Wharram Post Office
Wharram

Wintringham Post Office
Almond Cottage
Main Street
Wintringham

Business Rate Properties

Parish	Current Rateable Value	No. of Properties
Foxholes/Butterwick	£55,025	7
Kirbygrindalythe	£50,935	5
Luttons	£74,650	11
Thixendale	£30,575	8
Weaverthorpe	£136,635	10
Wharram	£235	1
Wintringham	£107,310	4
Total	£455,365	46

Source: RDC Business Rate Database 1 April 2007

Pre-School Groups & Childcare

There are no pre-school groups in this ward.

Registered Childminders

Ward	Number	Ward	Number
Amotherby	3	Norton East & West	8
Ampleforth	2	Pickering East & West	14
Cropton	2	Rillington	2
Dales	0	Ryedale South West	2
Derwent	6	Sherburn	1
Helmsley	6	Sheriff Hutton	2
Hovingham	1	Sinnington	3
Kirkbymoorside	4	Thornton Dale	4
Malton	5	Wolds	1

Source: NYCC, Children's Information Service

Education

Schools

There are two schools within this ward:

Luttons Community Primary School

Classification - Community

Estimated Total Number of Pupils	36
Maximum Admission Limit (First Year pupils)	8
Number of Pupils admitted 2001/2002	5
Number of Pupils admitted 2002/2003	3
Number of Pupils admitted 2003/2004	7

Weaverthorpe – CE Primary School

Classification – Voluntary controlled

Estimated Total Number of Pupils	58
Maximum Admission Limit (First Year pupils)	9
Number of Pupils admitted 2001/2002	7
Number of Pupils admitted 2002/2003	12
Number of Pupils admitted 2003/2004	11

Nursery School attached.

Source: NYCC

Youth Provision

Luttons Youth Hall

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

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
Good	70.5%	69.4%	68.6%
Fairly good	21.9%	22.8%	22.2%
Not good	7.6%	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

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
With a limiting long-term illness	16.3%	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

	Wolds	Ryedale	England and Wales
Provided unpaid care	10.3%	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

None in this ward - please see Wards of Helmsley, Pickering (both), Malton, Norton (both) and Thornton Dale.

NHS GP Surgeries in Ryedale

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

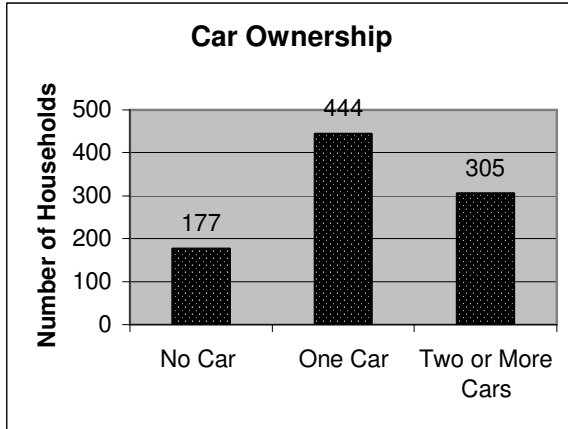
Dental Surgeries in Ryedale

Helmsley, Kirkbymoorside, Malton and Pickering

Transport

Car Ownership

In Wolds Ward, 43.5% of households have one car, 47.9% have two or more cars, whilst 8.5% of households have no car at all.



Source: Census 2001

Cars or Vans	Wolds	Ryedale	England
None	8.5%	17.2%	26.8%
One	43.5%	46.6%	43.7%
Two	34.5%	28.6%	23.6%
Three	9.8%	5.7%	4.5%
Four or more	3.6%	1.9%	1.4%

Source: Census 2001

Travel to Work

	Number	Wolds %	Ryedale %	England %
Work mainly at or from home	176	22.8	17.9	9.2
Underground; metro; light rail; tram;	0	0.0	0.0	3.2
Train	3	0.4	0.9	4.2
Bus; mini bus or coach	11	1.4	2.2	7.5
Motor Cycle; scooter; moped	15	1.9	0.9	1.1
Driving a car/van	436	56.5	54.4	54.9
Passenger car/van	41	5.3	5.6	6.1
Taxi or minicab	3	0.4	0.2	0.5
Bicycle	9	1.2	4.3	2.8
On foot	71	9.2	12.9	10.0
Other	6	0.8	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 area in Wolds Ward is in:

Wintringham

Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSIs)

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

Wolds Ward has nine SSSIs:

- Waterdale – Chalk grassland site on the Yorkshire Wolds
- Vessey Pasture Dale & Back Dale – a chalk grassland site
- Nine Spring Dales, Kirby Grindalythe – chalk grassland
- Stonepit and Nova Slacks - chalk grassland
- Thixendale & Long Dale – The site contains a range of chalk grassland types
- Wintringham Marsh - dry base-rich grassland/ damp grassland marsh.
- Cow Cliff Pasture, Wharram – ley grassland
- Wharram Quarry – a disused quarry managed by the Yorkshire Wildlife Trust
- Ladyhills, Wintringham – chalk grassland

Source: Ryedale Local Plan

Sites of Importance for Nature Conservation (SINCs)

There are 20 sites in Wolds Ward:

Warren and Dencil Slacks, Foxholes/Ganton	Flat and sloping areas of grassland
Butterwick Whins, Foxholes	Chalk grassland including area of archaeological interest (earthworks)
Stone Pit and Nova Slacks, Kirby Grindalythe/Wharram	Areas of Chalk grassland adjoining Stone Pit and Nova Slacks SSSI
St. Andrew's Churchyard, Weaverthorpe	Ancient chalk grassland
Brown Moor Dale, Thixendale	Steep sided valley with Wolds grassland flora. Site also includes Aldro chalk pit
Milham Dale, Thixendale	Semi-improved calcicolous grassland on valley slopes
Fotherdale, Thixendale	Small area of chalk grassland on valley slope near Thixendale village
Thixen Dale, Long Dale & Breckenholme Dale	Chalk grassland on valley slopes, partly adjoining Thixen Dale SSSI
Brubber Dale, Ing Dale & Cawdale Leys, Thixendale	Chalk grassland on route of Wolds Way. Site is also of archaeological interest
West Dale, Horse Dale, and Pefham Dale, Thixendale	Chalk grassland on steep valley sides
Brubber Dale North, Thixendale	Chalk grassland on route of Wolds Way. Site is also of archaeological interest
Water Dale, Long Dale and Honey Dale, Thixendale/Wharram	Chalk grassland on valley slopes
Wharram Percy (Deep Dale)	Cattle-grazed pasture on steep valley sides with chalk grassland wild flowers
Court Dale (Raisthorpe Dale) Wharram	South west facing grassland on steep slope with typical Wolds grassland flora
Fairy Dale and Burdale Quarry, Wharram	Fairy Dale is a large area of species-rich grassland. Burdale Quarry has been colonised by chalk grassland wildlife and is notable for bee orchid and butterflies. (NB the quarry is also a RIGS)
Weaverthorpe Verge	Supports a large stand of wild clary
Wilson's Wold Bank (2km Butterwick)	Scrub, unimproved calcareous grassland and unimproved neutral grassland.
Fridaythorpe Field	Species-rich calcareous and neutral grassland
North Grimston Brow	Limestone bluffs bisected by small, spring-fed streams
Old Dale, nr Butterwick	Mostly grassland, also eroded areas of chalk scree

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 the following four in Wolds Ward.

Foxholes Roadside Pit	A disused quarry revealing chalk of the Burnham formation, primarily of scientific and educational value.
Weaverthorpe East Pit	A disused quarry also with chalk of Burnham, of considerable scientific and educational interest.
Burdale Fairy Stones	Large masses of chalk breccia, the site is of scientific, educational and aesthetic/landscape value
Burdale Quarry	A large disused quarry which is of scientific and educational value

Source: Ryedale Local Plan

Listed Buildings

In total, there are 43 listed buildings in Wolds Ward. 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
Foxholes		1	3	4
Kirby Grindalythe		1	5	6
Luttons		1	10	11
Thixendale		1	6	7
Weaverthorpe	1	0	4	5
Wharram	1	1	2	4
Wintringham	1	0	5	6
Total in Ward	3	5	35	43

Source: English Heritage

Ancient Monuments

Ryedale has over 300 Scheduled Ancient Monuments, 68 of which are sited within this ward:

Parish	No. of sites	
Foxholes	3	Romano-British settlement and 2 settlement sites.
Kirby Grindalythe	6	Duggleby Howe round barrow, interrupted ditch enclosure and ring ditches. Entrenchment, 2 round barrows, shrunken medieval village, medieval settlement earthworks and Thirkelby medieval settlement.
Luttons	6	Round barrow, long barrows, bowl barrows and section of linear earthwork.
Thixendale	34	Medieval settlement, barrows, round barrows and cross dykes. Aldro earthworks –linear boundaries, cross dykes, bowl barrows, and round barrows. Hanging Grimston Barrow Group.
Weaverthorpe	6	Medieval manor site, section of linear earthwork and 6 round barrows
Wharram	6	Wharram Percy deserted medieval village Long barrow incorporating part of a medieval field system. Round barrows, bowl barrows, cross dykes and parts of two linear boundary earthworks.
Wintringham	7	Entrenchment and eight round barrows.

Source: Ryedale Local Plan

Asset Management

Council owned assets and land

Place	Asset	Value	Valuation Date
East Bank (part), Weaverthorpe	Land	£60,000	1 Apr 04
Eastfields, Foxholes	Recreational land	£1	1 Apr 04
Elm View, Thixendale	Septic tank site & drainage	£2,500	1 Apr 04
Hillside Way (part), West Lutton	Area of grass/paddock adjoining housing	£40,000	1 Apr 04
Howe View (Part), Duggleby	Garden land adjoining housing	£80,000	1 Apr 04
	Total	£182,501	

Source: RDC Property Services Unit April 2007

Development

Planning Applications by Type 2006-2007

Parish	Full Application	Outline Application	Agricultural Notification	Conservation Area Consent	Listed Building Consent	Other	Total
Foxholes	5					Non compliance with conditions x 1 Reserved Matters x 1	7
Kirby Grindalythe	3					Consultation with County Planning x 1 Reserved Matters x 1	5
Luttons	7	1				Consultation with County Planning x 1	9
Thixendale	4	1				Major Full App x 1	6
Weaverthorpe	4					Non Compliance with Conditions x 1 Reserved Matters x 1	
Wharram	2						2
Wintringham	7			1		Non compliance with conditions x 1	9
						Total	44

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
Goslipgate, Pickering	Approx 2.7 hectares (developed)
Swinton	Approx 0.3 hectares

Waste & Recycling

The recycling sites in this ward are situated at:

Town/Village	Location	Glass	Paper	Cans	Text-iles	Books	Other
Duggleby	Cupid`s Alley	•	•	•			
Foxholes	Eastfield (Nr Council Garages)	•	•	•			
Kirby Grindalythe	Village Hall	•	•	•			
Luttons (West)	Opposite Luttons Primary School	•	•	•			
Thixendale	YHA Hostel	•	•	•			
Weaverthorpe	Lay-by opposite Village Hall	•	•	•			
Wintringham	Village Pump	•	•	•			

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
Wombleton	Waste Disposal, Cockerhill Lane, Wombleton

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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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