

Population 874

Area (hectares) 880

Population Density (People/hectare) 1.0

Households 358

Dwellings 371

Located in the west of Bedford Borough, Carlton and Chellington has an older age profile than the Borough with a quarter of residents aged over 65. The proportion of non-White British residents (5%) is among the lowest of all parishes.

Pensioners form a third of all households. Almost 6% of households are lone parents with dependent children. The level of home ownership (82%) is high, with 5% of households renting from social landlords and 13% renting privately. Housing is predominantly detached (65%) and semi-detached (27%). Almost 80% of homes are heated by gas.

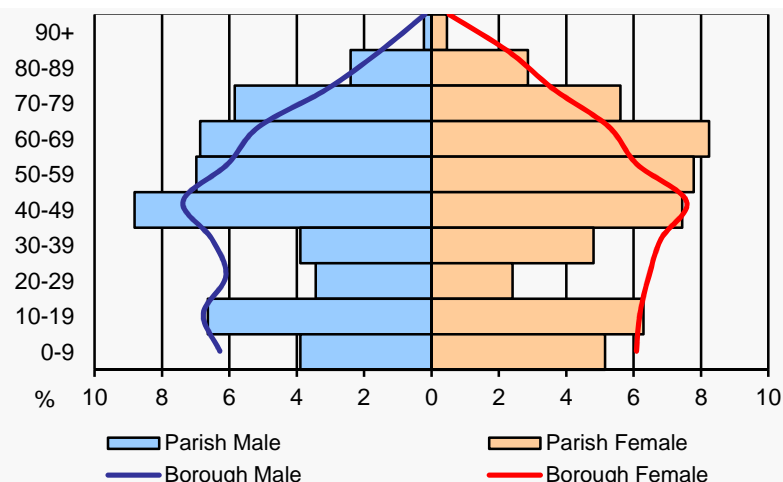
Employment as managers, directors and in professional occupations (44%) is among the highest of all parishes. Self employment (14%) levels are high and 11% are employed in skilled trades.

Residents aged 16+ holding degree-level qualifications (41%) exceeds the average for rural parishes, and a low proportion (13%) have no qualifications.

Only 7% of households do not have a car, 43% have 2 cars, and 13% have 3 or more. Commuting by train (6%) exceeds the Borough average, most people (72%) travel to work by car, 13% work from home, and 8% of those in employment cycle or walk to work, which exceeds the rural average.

Population

Age	Parish		Borough
	No.	%	%
0-4	36	4.1	6.4
5-15	116	13.3	13.7
16-17	25	2.9	2.7
18-29	66	7.6	15.1
30-39	76	8.7	13.3
40-49	142	16.2	14.9
50-64	195	22.3	18.1
65-74	117	13.4	8.1
75-84	72	8.2	5.5
85+	29	3.3	2.2
Total	874	100	100



Ethnicity	Parish		Borough	Parish (%)	
	No.	%	%		
White British	833	95.3	71.5	95.3	
White Other	23	2.6	9.1	2.6	
Mixed/Multiple	8	0.9	3.4	0.9	
Asian/Asian British	4	0.5	11.4	0.5	
Black/Black British	2	0.2	3.9	0.2	
Other	4	0.5	0.7	0.5	

Top 3 Countries of Birth in the Parish (excl. UK)	Parish		Top 3 Main Languages in the Parish (excl. English)	Parish	
	No.	%		No.	%
Germany	4	0.5	French	2	0.2
Ireland	4	0.5	Panjabi	2	0.2
France	3	0.3	Polish	2	0.2

Religion or Belief	Parish		Borough	Parish (%)	
	No.	%	%		
Christian	553	63.3	59.3	63.3	
Other Religion	7	0.8	10.5	0.8	
No Religion	245	28.0	23.6	28.0	
Not Stated	69	7.9	6.6	7.9	

Marital & Civil Partnership Status 16+	Parish		Borough	Parish (%)	
	No.	%	%		
Single	167	23.1	31.9	23.1	
Married	418	57.9	49.2	57.9	
Civil Partnership	1	0.1	0.2	0.1	
Separated/Divorced	84	11.6	12.0	11.6	
Widowed	52	7.2	6.7	7.2	

Housing & Households

Household Composition	Parish		Borough	Household Composition	Parish		Borough
	No.	%	%		No.	%	%
1 Person: Pensioner	50	14.0	11.9	Lone Parent: With DC	21	5.9	7.6
1 Person: Other	30	8.4	16.9	Lone Parent: No DC	13	3.6	3.4
Couple: With DC	75	20.9	20.9	Couple: Both 65+	65	18.2	8.2
Couple: No DC	86	24.0	23.5	Other	18	5.0	7.5
				All Households	358	100	100

DC (Dependent Children) = Aged 0-15 and/or aged 16-18 if in full time education

Accommodation Type	Parish		Borough	Parish (%)
	No.	%	%	
Detached	241	65.0	27.4	65.0
Semi-Detached	102	27.5	32.2	27.5
Terrace	21	5.7	21.9	5.7
Flat	7	1.9	17.6	1.9
Caravan/Mobile	0	0.0	0.9	0.0

Household Tenure	Parish		Borough	Parish (%)
	No.	%	%	
Owned	295	82.4	66.8	82.4
Social Rented	17	4.7	16.1	4.7
Private Rented	46	12.8	17.2	12.8

Central Heating	Parish		Borough	Parish (%)
	No.	%	%	
None	3	0.8	2.0	0.8
Gas	284	79.3	77.2	79.3
Electric	8	2.2	9.5	2.2
Oil	38	10.6	5.1	10.6
Solid Fuel	6	1.7	0.6	1.7
2+ Types/Other	19	5.3	5.6	5.3

Health

General Health	Parish		Borough	Disability & Unpaid Carers	Parish		Borough
	No.	%	%		No.	%	%
Very Good	421	48.2	46.9	Long Term Illness/Disability			
Good	304	34.8	36.0	Limited a Lot*	46	5.3	7.1
Fair	121	13.8	12.6	Limited a Little*	96	11.0	8.9
Bad	20	2.3	3.6	Unpaid Carers			
Very Bad	8	0.9	1.0	1-49 hours per week	90	10.3	8.2
				50+ hours per week	15	1.7	2.0

* = Day-to-day activities

Economic Activity

Economic Activity (16-74)	Parish		Borough	Economic Activity (16-74)	Parish		Borough
	No.	%	%		No.	%	%
Active	389	62.6	71.9	Inactive	232	37.4	28.1
FT Employee	204	32.9	40.4	Retired	138	22.2	12.8
PT Employee	72	11.6	13.9	Student	31	5.0	5.5
Self-Employed	89	14.3	9.5	Looking After Home	21	3.4	4.3
Unemployed	13	2.1	4.4	Sick/Disabled	16	2.6	3.3
Full-Time Student	11	1.8	3.6	Other	26	4.2	2.3

Occupation (16-74)	Parish		Borough
	No.	%	%
Managers, Directors & Senior Officials, Professional Occupations	166	44.3	29.0
Associate Professional & Technical Occupations	51	13.6	12.3
Skilled Trades	43	11.5	11.0
Administrative & Secretarial Occupations	46	12.3	11.2
Caring, Leisure & Other Services, Sales & Customer Service	42	11.2	17.2
Process, Plant & Machine Operatives, Elementary Occupations	27	7.2	19.3

Highest Level Qualification

Highest Level Qualification (16+)	Parish		Borough
	No.	%	%
Level 4+ (Degree)	296	41.0	28.1
Level 3 (A Level)	99	13.7	11.8
Apprenticeship	30	4.2	3.9
Level 1 or 2 (GCSE)	170	23.5	29.0
Other	30	4.2	6.8
No Qualifications	97	13.4	20.4

Car Ownership

Cars/Vans in Household	Parish		Borough
	No.	%	%
No Cars	25	7.0	20.6
1 Car	132	36.9	41.8
2 Cars	153	42.7	28.3
3 Cars	39	10.9	6.8
4+ Cars	9	2.5	2.6
Total Cars in Parish	599	-	-

Travel to Work

Method of Travel to Work (16-74)	Parish		Borough	Parish (%)
	No.	%	%	
Work At/From Home	48	12.8	5.6	12.8
Train	23	6.1	4.9	6.1
Bus/Coach/Taxi	1	0.3	4.7	0.3
Car/Motorcycle	271	72.3	69.8	72.3
Bicycle	3	0.8	3.8	0.8
Foot	28	7.5	10.6	7.5

Sources: ONS 2011 Census Tables: QS601 Economic Activity; QS606 Occupation; QS501 Highest Level of Qualification Gained; QS416 Car or Van Availability; QS701 Method of Travel to Work. ©Crown Copyright 2013.

Notes: This profile is based upon 2011 Census data from the Office for National Statistics. © Crown Copyright 2013. ONS has swapped some records to ensure that no details of any individual or household are revealed. This may affect the accuracy of the data, particularly small numbers.

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