

# Ward Profile: Belah

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# 1. Demographics

## 1.1 Resident Population

Age range	Belah	Carlisle	Cumbria	North West	England
0-14	1,076	17,709	85,656	1,300,298	9,277,814
15-29	1,028	17,536	77,704	1,241,465	9,253,983
30-44	1,324	22,164	105,654	1,486,588	11,127,511
45-59	1,222	19,897	101,097	1,282,607	9,279,693
60-74	903	15,088	76,003	920,920	6,494,671
75+	433	8,345	41,493	497,886	3,705,159
Total	5,986	100,739	487,607	6,729,764	49,138,831

Age range	Belah	Carlisle	Cumbria	North West	England
0-14	18%	18%	18%	19%	19%
15-29	17%	17%	16%	18%	19%
30-44	22%	22%	22%	22%	23%
45-59	20%	20%	21%	19%	19%
60-74	15%	15%	16%	14%	13%
75+	7%	8%	9%	7%	8%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Source: Census 2001

## 1.2 ACORN (A Classification of Residential Neighbourhoods)

Code	ACORN Description	%	Group	%
A	Wealthy Executives	4.1%	Wealthy Achievers	34.7%
B	Affluent greys	6.4%		
C	Flourishing Families	24.2%		
D	Prosperous Professionals	0.0%	Urban Prosperity	0.0%
E	Educated Urbanites	0.0%		
F	Aspiring Singles	0.0%		
G	Starting Out	8.2%	Comfortably Off	39.3%
H	Secure Families	7.3%		
I	Settled Suburbia	19.2%		
J	Prudent Pensioners	4.6%	Moderate Means	1.4%
K	Asian Communities	0.0%		
L	Post-Industrial Families	0.0%		
M	Blue-collar Roots	1.4%	Hard-Pressed	24.7%
N	Struggling Families	24.7%		
O	Burdened Singles	0.0%		
P	High-Rise Hardship	0.0%		
Q	Inner City Adversity	0.0%		

ACORN data supplied by CACI Ltd

## 1.3 Index of Multiple Deprivation Score

IMD Score	National Rank (Out of 7976)	Cumbria Rank (Out of 168)	Carlisle Rank (Out of 22)
12.75	4563	119	17

For the above ranking system Rank 1 is the most deprived.

## 2 Local Knowledge Overview Comparison Report Card

	District	Sub Region	Region	National
<b>Economy</b>				
Industrial structure	D	C	C	C
Business density	A	B	B	B
Skills & qualifications	C	C	B	C
Labour market	C	C	B	C
<b>Society</b>				
Knowledge workers	C	C	C	C
Prosperity	C	B	B	C
Deprivation	B	B	B	C
Inequality	E	E	D	E
Health	C	D	C	D
<b>Crime</b>	A	D	B	B
<b>Environment</b>				
Housing affordability	C	A	A	A
Commercial and Industrial floorspace	A	A	A	A
Sustainable transport	C	C	B	B
Access to services	C	B	D	C

Source: [www.localknowledge.co.uk](http://www.localknowledge.co.uk)

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### Definitions

Report Card Title	Definition
<b>Economy</b>	
Industrial Structure	Proportion of employment in Knowledge-driven sectors
Business density	Businesses per 000 population
Skills & qualifications	Local Future Group skills and qualifications composite, consisting of a weighted average of the working age population qualified to NVQ 1-4
Labour market	Working age population in employment (residence based)
<b>Society</b>	
Knowledge workers	Proportion of Managerial, Professional & Technical occupations ('Knowledge Workers') amongst employed workforce (residence based)
Prosperity	Average total income
Deprivation	Index of Multiple Deprivation: average of SOA scores
Inequality	Inequality (range of IMD ranks)
Health	Average life expectancy
Crime	Total number of offences per 1,000 resident population
<b>Environment</b>	
Housing affordability	Housing affordability index, calculated by dividing average house prices with average earnings
Commercial & industrial floorspace	Share of sub-region floorspace
Sustainable transport	Proportion of person travelling to work on foot or by bicycle
Access services	Local Futures Group access to services composite, created by adding the number of households within 2 Kilometres to key services such as schools, job centres, banks, doctors and supermarkets

# 3 Community Safety

## 3.1 Local Knowledge Report Score for Crime

	District	Sub Region	Region	National
<b>Crime</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>B</b>

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## 3.2 Index of Multiple Deprivation Scores for Crime

National Rank (Out of 7976)	Cumbria Rank (Out of 168)	Carlisle Rank (Out of 22)
5721	66	18

For the above ranking system Rank 1 is the highest level of Crime

## 3.3 Counts of Crimes (Date Range Financial year 05/06)

### Crimes

There were 61.3 crimes per 1000 population for Belah ward, compared with a district average of 123.8 and a Cumbria average of 87.5.

Belah ward was ranked 13th of the 22 wards in the District, and ranked 69th of the 168 wards in the county for Total Crime per 1000 population.

### Counts of Crime

Offence Type	Count	%
Burglary Dwelling	12	3.3%
Burglary Other	28	7.6%
Criminal Damage	144	39.2%
Drugs	1	0.3%
Fraud and Forgery	12	3.3%
Offences Against the Person	53	14.4%
Other	4	1.1%
Robbery	1	0.3%
Sexual Offences	3	0.8%
Theft	75	20.4%
Theft from a Motor Vehicle	23	6.3%
Theft of a Motor Vehicle	11	3.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>367</b>	

Rate per 1000 pop.		
Ward	District	County
2.0	3.4	2.5
4.7	7.8	4.6
24.1	35.8	28.0
0.2	5.2	3.2
2.0	4.4	3.0
8.9	23.1	18.8
0.7	1.3	1.4
0.2	0.4	0.2
12.5	30.9	18.5
3.8	7.1	4.3
1.8	3.7	2.2
<b>61.3</b>	<b>123.8</b>	<b>87.5</b>

Rank	
District	County
13	61
19	62
11	59
18	138
13	72
15	87
13	96
13	42
12	84
16	69
16	63
18	69
<b>13</b>	<b>69</b>

There were 4.8 Burglary Dwellings if taken as a rate per 1000 households compared to the district average of 7.9 (county 5.8).

0.8 of Crimes were coded with a Drugs Interest Marker compared with 5.0 for the district and 4.1 for Cumbria. There were 3 crime(s) coded with a Domestic Violence Interest Marker.

Source: Cumbria Police

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### 3.4 Count of Police Incidents

#### Calls for Service - POLiS Incidents

There were 1665 Calls for Service for Belah ward. 415 were classed as Home Office Disorder Incidents for reporting purposes.

Incident Type	Count	%	Rate per 1000 pop.			Rank	
			Ward	District	County	District	County
Calls for Service	1665	100.0%	278.1	544.1	406.7	14	88
Domestic Disputes	35	2.1%	5.8	12.6	11.1	14	87
Rowdy/Nuisance Behaviour	340	20.4%	56.8	118.5	78.7	14	70
Hate Incidents	1	0.1%	0.2	0.3	0.2	8	41
Home Office Disorder	415	24.9%	69.3	144.1	98.0	15	73

All the incident categories in the table above are based on the new National Recording of Incidents Standard (NSIR). Old data has been reclassified into the new Home Office result codes. The methodology for the categories is based on using the final result code field two in the Cumbria Police POLiS Incidents systems. This is the final code that an Officer will classify the incident with.

Source: Cumbria Police

# 4 Economic Prosperity

## 4.1 Local Knowledge Report Card for Economy

	District	Sub Region	Region	National
<b>Economy</b>				
Industrial structure	D	C	C	C
Business density	A	B	B	B
Skills & qualifications	C	C	B	C
Labour market	C	C	B	C

Source: www.localknowledge.co.uk.

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## 4.2 Index of Multiple Deprivation Scores for Economy

Income Rank National (Out of 7976)	Income Rank Cumbria (Out of 168)	Income Rank Carlisle (Out of 22)	Employment Rank National (Out of 7976)	Employment Rank Cumbria (Out of 168)	Employment Rank Carlisle (Out of 22)
4094	70	12	3488	85	13

For the above ranking system Rank 1 is the poorest employment level and the poorest income level.

## 4.3 Economic Active Residents

Percentages are based on working age population, except unemployed which is based on economically active.

	Belah (numbers)	Belah (%)	Carlisle (%)	GB (%)
<b>All people</b>				
Economically active	2,964	81.2	79.3	76
In employment	2,827	77.5	74.7	71.6
Employees	2,560	70.2	65.6	62.6
Self employed	267	7.3	9.1	9
Unemployed	137	4.6	5.8	5.8
<b>Males</b>				
Economically active	1,595	85.3	83.1	81.4
In employment	1,517	81.2	77.7	76
Employees	1,324	70.8	64.8	63.1
Self employed	193	10.3	12.9	12.9
Unemployed	78	4.9	6.5	6.5
<b>Females</b>				
Economically active	1,369	76.9	75.1	70.3
Employment	1,310	73.6	71.5	66.9
Employees	1,236	69.4	66.4	62.1
Self employed	74	4.2	5	4.8
Unemployed	59	4.3	4.9	4.8

Source: 2001 Census of Population (Table CAS028 - Sex and Age by Economic Activity)

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### 4.4 Economic Inactive Residents

Percentages are based on working age population.

	Belah (numbers)	Belah (%)	Carlisle (%)	GB (%)
<b>All people</b>				
Economically inactive	685	18.8	20.7	24
Retired	127	3.5	2.5	2.2
Student	112	3.1	3.7	5.5
Other	446	12.2	14.6	16.3
<b>Males</b>				
Economically inactive	274	14.7	16.9	18.6
Retired	95	5.1	3.4	3
Student	53	2.8	3.4	5.3
Other	126	6.7	10.1	10.4
<b>Females</b>				
Economically inactive	411	23.1	24.9	29.7
Retired	32	1.8	1.5	1.4
Student	59	3.3	4	5.7
Other	320	18	19.4	22.6

Source: 2001 Census of Population (Table CAS028 - Sex and Age by Economic Activity)

### 4.5 Employment by Occupation

Figures are for working age by Soc 2000 major groups. Percentages are based on all persons in employment.

	Belah (numbers)	Belah (%)	Carlisle (%)	GB (%)
1 Managers and senior officials	419	14.8	12.2	14.9
2 Professional	252	8.9	7.6	11.2
3 Associate professional & technical	355	12.6	11.5	13.9
4 Administrative & secretarial	418	14.8	11.7	13.2
5 Skilled trades	279	9.9	13.5	11.8
6 Personal services	173	6.1	6.8	6.9
7 Sales and customer services	308	10.9	9	7.7
8 Process plant and machine operatives	302	10.7	13.3	8.7
9 Elementary occupations	321	11.4	14.3	11.8

Source: 2001 Census of Population (Table CAS033 - Sex and Occupation by Age)



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### 4.6 Residents Claiming Job Seekers Allowance (JSA) benefits

#### Total JSA claimants

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

	Belah (numbers)	Belah (%)	Carlisle (%)	GB (%)
All people	38	1	2.2	2.6
Males	27	1.4	3.3	3.7
Females	11	0.6	1.1	1.4

Source: claimant count with rates and proportions (June 2006)

#### JSA claimants by age and duration

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

	Belah (numbers)	Belah (%)	Carlisle (%)	GB (%)
<b>by age of claimant</b>				
Aged 18-24	10	31.6	31.2	29.3
Aged 25-49	15	42.1	50.9	52.9
Aged 50 and over	10	23.7	16.1	16.4
<b>by duration of claim</b>				
Up to 6 months	25	60.5	66.7	63.4
Over 6 up to 12 months	10	21.1	19	20.9
Over 12 months	5	18.4	14.3	15.7

Source: claimant count - age and duration (June 2006)

# 5 Infrastructure, Environment and Transport

## 5.1 Local Knowledge Report Card Comparison for Infrastructure, Environment and Transport

	District	Sub Region	Region	National
<b>Environment</b>				
Housing affordability	C	A	A	A
Commercial and Industrial floorspace	A	A	A	A
Sustainable transport	C	C	B	B
Access to services	C	B	D	C

Source: www.localknowledge.co.uk.

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## 5.2 Index of Multiple Deprivation Scores for Accessibility of Services

National Rank (Out of 7976)	Cumbria Rank (Out of 168)	Carlisle Rank (Out of 22)
6525	120	11

For the above ranking system Rank 1 is the least accessible ward for services.

## 5.3 Census 2001 Travel to Work data

	Belah	Carlisle	Cumbria	North West	England and Wales
All people aged 16-74 in employment					
People who work mainly at or from home	8%	10%	12%	8%	9%
People aged 16 - 74 in employment who usually travel to work by: Underground; metro; light rail; Tram	0%	0%	0%	1%	3%
People aged 16 - 74 who usually travel to work by: Train	0%	0%	1%	2%	4%
People aged 16 - 74 who usually travel to work by: Bus; Mini Bus or coach	10%	9%	5%	9%	7%
People aged 16 - 74 who usually travel to work by: Motorcycle; Scooter; moped	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
People aged 16 - 74 who usually travel to work by: Driving a car or van	58%	54%	55%	58%	55%
People aged 16 - 74 who usually travel to work by: Passenger in a car or van	7%	7%	8%	8%	6%
People aged 16 - 74 who travel to work by: Taxi or minicab	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
People aged 16 - 74 who usually travel to work by: Bicycle	4%	3%	3%	2%	3%
People aged 16 - 74 who usually travel to work by: On foot	11%	15%	14%	10%	10%
People aged 16 - 74 who usually travel to work by: Other	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Average distance (km) travelled to fixed place of work	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Public transport users in households With car or van	8%	6%	4%	7%	10%
Public transport users in households Without car or van	2%	3%	2%	4%	4%

Source: Census 2001

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### 5.4 Table to show the General Land Use.

Land Use	Belah	Carlisle Total	Cumbria	North West	England Total
Domestic_Buildings_m2	5%	0%	0%	1%	1%
Gardens_m2	18%	1%	1%	4%	4%
Non_Domestic_Buildings_m2	5%	0%	0%	1%	1%
Road_m2	9%	1%	1%	3%	2%
Rail_m2	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Path_m2	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Greenspace_m2	53%	95%	92%	84%	88%
Water_m2	0%	1%	5%	5%	2%
Other_m2	8%	1%	0%	2%	1%
Unclassified_m2	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
<b>Total_m2</b>	<b>3,704,798</b>	<b>1,040,467,623</b>	<b>7,095,324,774</b>	<b>14,680,742,126</b>	<b>131,926,495,360</b>

Source: ODPM General Land Use Database 2001

Note: Percentages are rounded to no decimal places so 0% may be figures between 0.0% and 0.49%

## 6 Housing

### 6.1 Local Knowledge Report Card Comparison for Housing

	District	Sub Region	Region	National
Housing affordability	C	A	A	A

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### 6.2 Index of Multiple Deprivation Score for Living Environment

National Rank (Out of 7976)	Cumbria Rank (Out of 168)	Carlisle Rank (Out of 22)
4236	126	16

For the above ranking system Rank 1 is the poorest Living Environment.

### 6.3 Household Spaces

Household Spaces*				
Type	Count	%	District %	County %
Detached	1045	40.3	23.2	25.3
Semi-Detached	928	35.8	35.4	31.8
Terraced	487	18.8	29.5	31.4
Flat	133	5.1	11.7	10.9
Caravan	0	0.0	0.3	0.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>2593</b>			

\* Household spaces differs from the number of Households

Source: Census 2001

### 6.4 Household Ownership

Housing Ownership				
Type	Count	%	District %	County %
Owned out right	840	33.4	30.4	34.9
Buying	1237	49.2	39.8	36.9
Social Housing Rented	272	10.9	18.3	16.0
Privately Rented	101	4.0	7.1	7.8
Other	65	2.6	4.4	4.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>2513</b>			

Source: Census 2001

# 7 Health and Well Being

## 7.1 Local Knowledge Report Card Comparison for Health

	District	Sub Region	Region	National
Health	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>

Source: [www.localknowledge.co.uk](http://www.localknowledge.co.uk)

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## 7.2 Index of Multiple Deprivation for Health

National Rank (Out of 7976)	Cumbria Rank (Out of 168)	Carlisle Rank (Out of 22)
2767	79	14

For the above ranking system Rank 1 is the poorest health.

## 7.3 Census 2001 Health Data

Limiting long-term illness	Belah	Carlisle	Cumbria	North West	England and Wales
People with limiting long-term illness	17%	19%	20%	21%	18%
People of working age with limiting long-term illness	7%	9%	9%	10%	8%

General health	Belah	Carlisle	Cumbria	North West	England and Wales
People who health was : Good	69%	67%	67%	67%	69%
People who health was : Fairly good	22%	23%	23%	22%	22%
People who health was : Not good	8%	10%	10%	11%	9%

Provision of unpaid care	Belah	Carlisle	Cumbria	North West	England and Wales
All people who provide unpaid care	10%	10%	11%	11%	10%

Source: Census 2001

## 8 Education

### 8.1 Local Knowledge Report Card Comparison for Education

	District	Sub Region	Region	National
Skills & qualifications	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>

Source: www.localknowledge.co.uk.

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### 8.2 Index of Multiple Deprivation for Education

National Rank (Out of 7976)	Cumbria Rank (Out of 168)	Carlisle Rank (Out of 22)
3789	71	13

For the above ranking system Rank 1 is the poorest level of education.

### 8.3 Census 2001 Education Data

	Belah	Carlisle	Cumbria	North West	England and Wales
All people aged 16 - 74					
People aged 16 - 74 with: No qualifications	26%	32%	31%	32%	29%
People aged 16 - 74 with: Highest qualification attained level 1	18%	18%	18%	17%	17%
People aged 16 - 74 with: Highest qualification attained level 2	22%	21%	20%	19%	19%
People aged 16 - 74 with: Highest qualification attained level 3	8%	7%	7%	8%	8%
People aged 16 - 74 with: Highest qualification attained level 4/5	18%	15%	17%	17%	20%
People aged 16 - 74 with: Other qualifications/level unknown	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%

	Belah	Carlisle	Cumbria	North West	England and Wales
Students within people aged 16-74					
Total number of full-time students and schoolchildren: Aged 16 - 17	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
Total number of full-time students and schoolchildren: Aged 18 - 74	2%	3%	2%	4%	4%
Full-time students aged 18 - 74: Economically active: in employment	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Full-time students aged 18 - 74: Economically active: Unemployed	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Full-time students aged 18 - 74: Economically inactive	1%	1%	1%	3%	3%

Source: Census 2001

Note: Percentages are rounded to no decimal places so 0% may be figures between 0.0% and 0.49%