

Wensley is located in the parish of South Darley, to the southeast of the National Park. The parish covers a much wider area therefore the census output area has been used to make the report as relevant to Wensley as possible.

Wensley is a linear settlement which rises southwestwards from Darley Bridge. It is approximately 1 1/2 miles east of Winster and just over 2 miles northwest of Matlock. Historically, Wensley was an agricultural settlement which grew during the 18th and 19th century as a result of lead mining in the locality. Nowadays, farming is still evident however, many people now commute to work in nearby towns.

Wensley is located within the slopes and valleys with woodlands character area of the Derwent Valley landscape area as described in the Peak District Landscape Strategy (LSAP 2009).

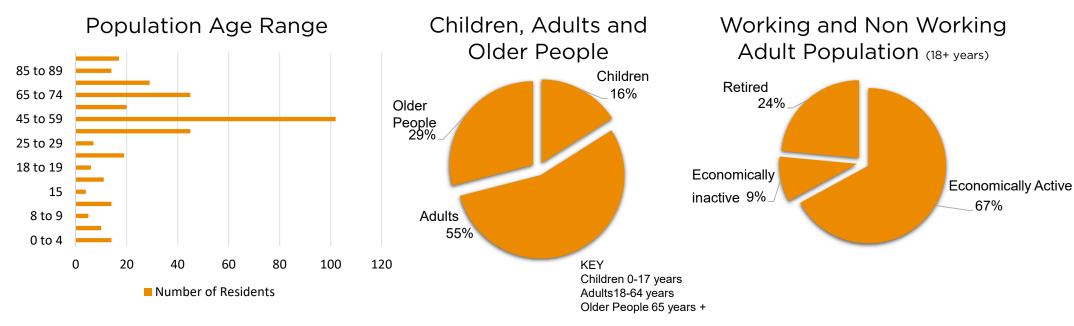
Photo needed here



Community aspirations



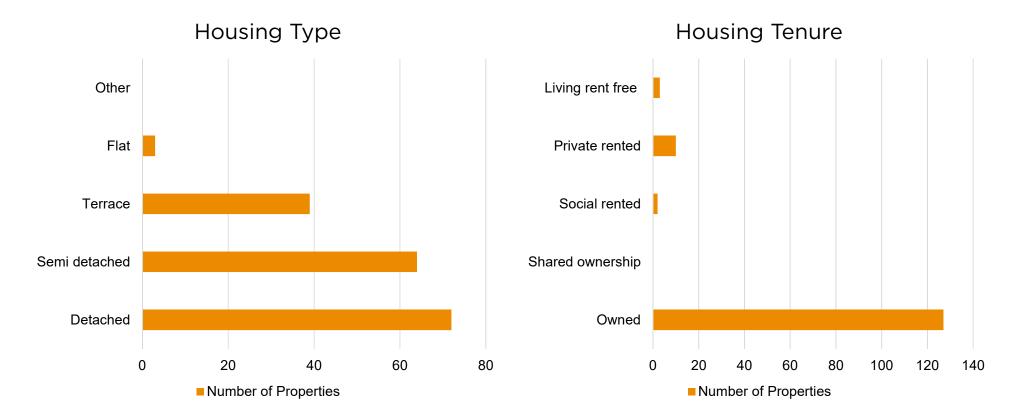
Population and Demographics



Source: Census 2011

The parish has a population of 362 residents (2011 census).





Housing

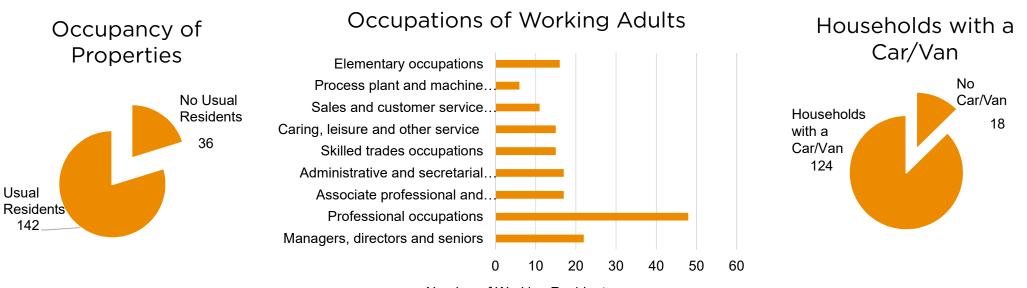
Source: Census 2011



Residency

Employment

Car/ Van Ownership



Number of Working Residents

Source: Census 2011



Settlement Amenities

Convenience Food Shop	Post Office	Primary School	Community Hall	Playground	Playing Field	Industrial Units	Distance to General Practice (miles)	Within 1 Mile of an A or B Road	Good Public Transport Route (5+ services a day)	Public House	Post Box	Church	Car Parking	Conservation Area	Website/Newsletter	Groups	Events/Traditions	
—	—	—	\bigstar	—	—	-	1.2	\bigstar	\bigstar	—	\bigstar	—	\bigstar	\bigstar	\bigstar	\bigstar	\bigstar	7

Key t Is p Is p

ls present Is not present



Access to Essential Services

	Service	Time in Minutes
	General Practice	20-30
_	Pharmacy	20-30
Walking	Post Office	20-30
Wal	Primary School	10-20
	Secondary School	60+
	Shop	20-30
÷	General Practice	10-20
spor	Pharmacy	10-20
rans	Post Office	10-20
ic T	Primary School	0-10
Public Transport	Secondary School	20-30
ш	Shop/Supermarket	0-10

Public Transport

Service Route		Bus Company	Days	Frequency		
	Bakewell –	Hulleys of	Mon-			
172	Matlock	Baslow	Sat	Btwn 08:09-18:09		

Source:

https://www.derbysbus.info/times/timetables/

Community

Community	
General	
Events/ Traditions	Ad hoc evenings in the Reading Room (eg curry nights, quizzes etc)

Source: Parish Council

Planning

Over the last 5 years, 13 planning applications have been approved in the parish

Digital Presence tbc

Affordable Housing There are no plans to build affordable housing in the parish at present.

Source: Derbyshire County Council

Wensley Services

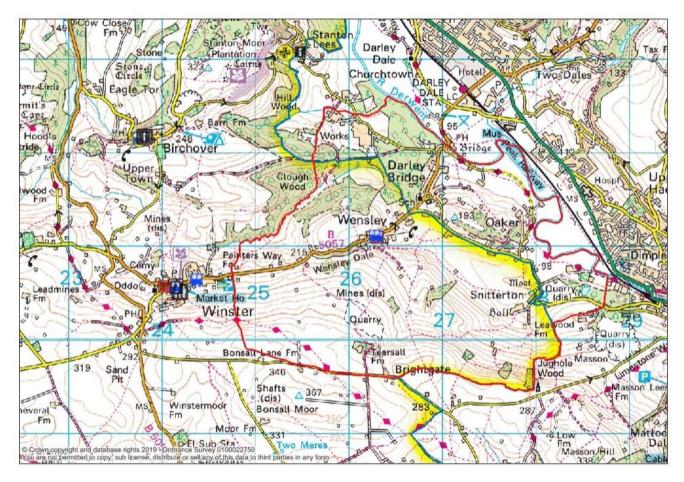








South Darley Parish Boundary





Data sources

Peak District National Park Conservation Area Appraisal Peak District National Park Landscape Strategy Action Plan 2009 Ordnance survey maps Derbyshire Accessibility Assessment 2016, Derbyshire County Council www.nomisweb.co.uk http://hulleys-of-baslow.co.uk/