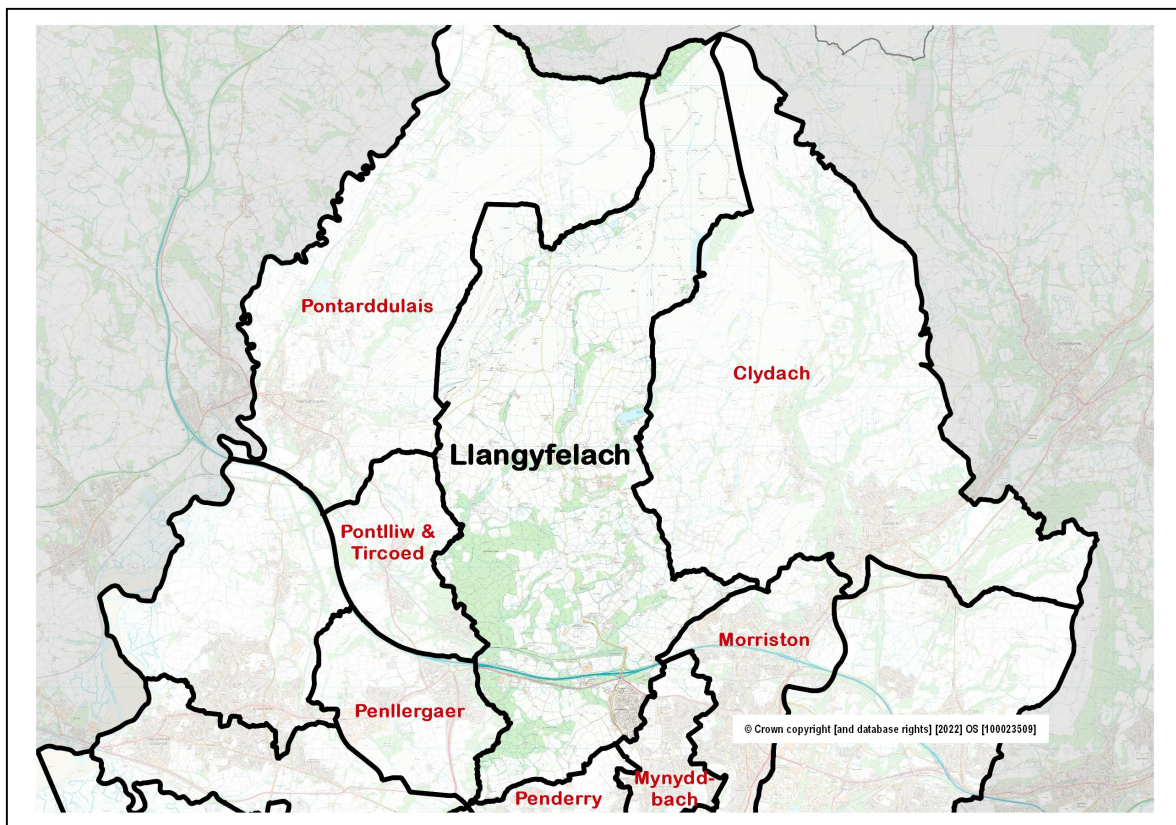


LLANGYFELACH WARD PROFILE

Information, Research & GIS (Strategic Delivery Unit), July 2023

Councillor (Electoral vote, May 2022): Mark Tribe (Independents @ Swansea – 750).
Turnout = 50%. Electorate: 2,263



- **Location:** Approximately 9 kilometres north west of the city centre, and consisting of the Llangyfelach and Felindre localities.
- **Adjacent Wards:** Clydach, Morriston, Mynydd-bach, Penderry, Penllergaer, Pontlliw & Tircoed, Pontarddulais.
- **Electoral Ward Review 2022:** Changed – consists of part of the former Llangyfelach electoral ward plus part of the former Mawr electoral ward.
- **Constituency Area (Welsh Government / UK Parliament):** Gower.
- **Population (Office for National Statistics rounded estimate, 2021 Census):** 2,700.
- **Area:** 35.6 sq. km. **Population Density:** 75 people per sq. km (ONS, 2021)
- **Employment (former ward, ONS workplace estimate, 2021):** 1,500. Major employers: Welsh Government regional offices, KSR Electronic Systems, Afon Tinplate.

Ward features, facilities and localities:



ABOUT THE WARD

Llangyfelach is a mainly rural ward dissected by the M4 motorway. The present settlement pattern reflects the area's industrial activity from its early roots in coalmining through to the development of the Felindre tinplate works in the 1950s. Felindre, the site of the 2006 National Eisteddfod, is now the focus of ambitious redevelopment and investment plans. These plans will create a public sector backed business park (Parc Felindre) focussing on emerging industries such as high tech manufacturing and high level uses, together with a proposed new village that will become a live / work destination.

Llangyfelach locality, south of the M4, effectively merges with the north west of Mynyddbach and can also be linked to the area's heavy industrial expansion.

A large area of the ward, mainly north of the M4 and Parc Felindre, is rural in character, comprising largely open upland green space and scattered farm developments.

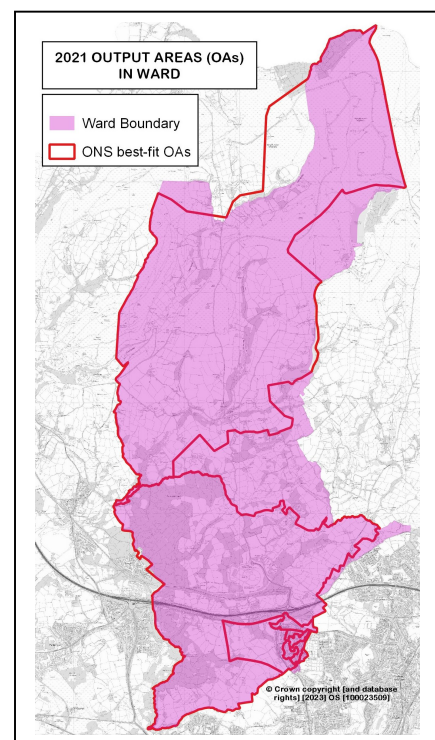
POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD STATISTICS

Population estimates (2021 Census)

Population	Llangyfelach		Swansea %
	Total	%	
Aged: 0-4	110	4.1	4.8
5-15	291	10.9	12.2
16-24	286	10.7	13.0
25-44	645	24.1	24.2
45-64	881	32.9	25.3
65-74	291	10.9	10.8
75+	171	6.4	9.7
Total	2,675	100	100
Female	1,348	50.4	50.7
Male	1,327	49.6	49.3

Source: 2021 Census, ONS (Table RM121).

Note: Ward statistics relate to the best-fit Census Output Areas (OAs) shown on the adjacent map.



Summary

- 3rd smallest ward population in Swansea and 2nd lowest population density (2021).
- Relatively high proportion of people aged 45-64 years.
- Slightly lower proportions of people aged under 24 years.
- Higher proportions of people born in the UK, able to speak Welsh, and in good health.
- Larger percentage of couple households.
- Higher proportion of households in detached homes and owned tenure.
- Higher proportion of adults economically active – employees and self-employed.

Population characteristics

People:	Llangyfelach	%	Swansea %
born in the UK	2,568	96.1	90.6
born outside UK	105	3.9	9.4
in non-white ethnic group	88	3.3	8.6
able to speak Welsh (aged 3+)	433	16.6	11.2
in good health	2,243	83.9	78.7
disabled under the Equality Act	437	16.4	22.4
with Level 4+ qualifications (aged 16+)	815	35.8	32.8
with no qualifications (aged 16+)	283	12.4	18.9

Source: 2021 Census, ONS (Tables TS004, TS021, TS033, TS037, TS038, TS067).

Household composition

	Llangyfelach	%	Swansea %
Total households / (Average Household Size)	1,152	(2.31)	(2.22)
Composition: One person: Age 66+	133	11.5	14.5
Other	206	17.9	19.9
Single family household: All aged 66+	109	9.5	9.5
Married or civil partnership couple	427	37.1	26.8
Cohabiting couple family	125	10.9	10.4
Lone parent family	100	8.7	12.6
Other single family household	0	0.0	0.7
Other household types	52	4.5	5.6

Source: 2021 Census, ONS (Table TS003).

HOUSING: Type and Tenure

Household accommodation type	Llangyfelach	%	Swansea %
Detached	569	49.3	24.0
Semi-detached	423	36.6	34.5
Terraced (incl. end terrace)	145	12.6	25.4
Flat, maisonette or apartment	18	1.6	15.9
Caravan or other mobile/temporary	0	0.0	0.2

Tenure	Llangyfelach	%	Swansea %
Households: Owned: Outright	477	41.3	35.4
Owned with a mortgage or loan	464	40.2	26.9
Households: Rented: Social rented; from Council	29	2.5	11.7
Social rented; Other (incl. Housing Association)	27	2.3	7.4
Private rented	151	13.1	18.0
Other (incl. Shared ownership, Living rent free)	6	0.5	0.6

Source: 2021 Census, ONS (Tables TS044, TS054).

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

People aged 16 and over:	Llangyfelach	%	Swansea %
Economically Active	1,523	67.0	54.3
Employees: Part-time and Full-time	1,268	55.8	42.2
Self-employed	163	7.2	6.4
Unemployed	34	1.5	2.5
Economically active student	58	2.6	3.3
Economically Inactive	751	33.0	45.7
Retired	493	21.7	23.9
Student	93	4.1	8.4
Looking after home or family	44	1.9	4.2
Long-term sick or disabled	74	3.3	6.3
Other	47	2.1	2.9

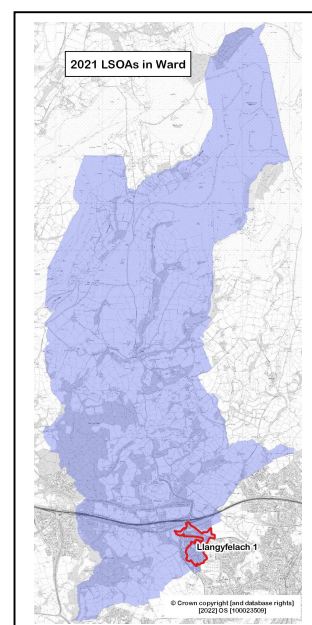
Source: 2021 Census, ONS (Table TS066).

WELSH INDEX OF MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION (WIMD)

- WIMD 2019 based on Lower Super Output Area (LSOA) geography – in this profile, the area consists of one LSOA.
- No significantly high deprivation rankings in the LSOA's individual domains.

Highest index and domain rankings (Wales):

- Llangyfelach 1 – Access to Services (7th decile).



LSOA	Overall index	Domains: Income	Employment	Health	Education	Access to Services	Community Safety	Physical Environment	Housing
Lla 1	119 1749	126 1721	110 1466	107 1436	113 1637	90 1314	140 1813	141 1819	91 1364

Source: WIMD 2019 (published November 2019), Welsh Government. Note: LSOAs ranked 1-148 (Swansea), 1-1909 (Wales).

Note: The content in this profile will be developed as further ward data becomes available.

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