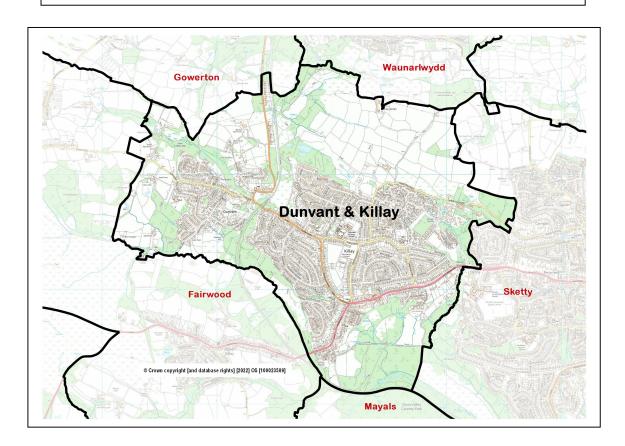


DUNVANT & KILLAY WARD PROFILE: July 2023

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Councillors (Electoral vote, May 2022): Mary Jones (Liberal Democrat – 1,442); Jeff Jones (Liberal Democrat – 1,391); Louise Gibbard (Labour – 1,335). *Turnout = 46%. Electorate: 7,461.*



- Location: Approximately 6 kilometres west of the city centre, consisting of the Dunvant and Killay localities.
- Adjacent Wards: Fairwood, Gowerton, Waunarlwydd, Sketty, Mayals.
- ➤ Electoral Ward Review 2022: Changed the new ward consists of the former electoral wards of Dunvant, Killay North and Killay South.
- **Constituency area** (Welsh Government / UK Parliament): Swansea West.
- Population (Office for National Statistics rounded estimate, 2021): 9,200.
- Area: 5.7 sq. km. Population density: 1,627 people per sq. km (ONS, 2021)
- Employment (former wards combined, ONS workplace estimate, 2021): 1,000. Major employers: Swansea Council (primary schools), Killay Shopping Precinct businesses.

Ward features, facilities and localities:



ABOUT THE WARD

Dunvant grew as a small village around the coal mining that took place in the area during the 1800s. This period saw the development of some terraced housing. Ribbon development took place in the 1920s and 1930s along the main roads, but the majority of the housing was built from the 1960s onwards.

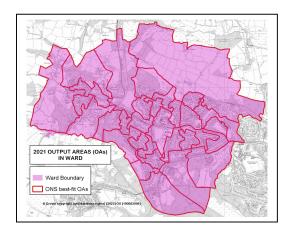
Killay is one of a string of Victorian hamlets on Gower Road that rapidly grew during the early 1900s and was subsequently absorbed by the western expansion of urban Swansea. It has since developed as an attractive residential suburb.

The ward contains a mix of housing types with a high proportion of semi-detached and detached dwellings; the majority of which are owner occupied.

POPULATION AND HOUSEHOLD STATISTICS

Population estimates (2021 Census)

Denulation	Dunvant	Swansea		
Population	Total	%	%	
Aged : 0-4	372	4.0	4.8	
5-15	972	10.6	12.2	
16-24	1,219	13.2	13.0	
25-44	1,844	20.0	24.2	
45-64	2,424	26.3	25.3	
65-74	1,136	12.3	10.8	
75+	1,238	13.4	9.7	
Total	9,205	100	100	
Female	4,660	50.6	50.7	
Male	4,545	49.4	49.3	



Source: 2021 Census, ONS (Table RM121).

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

Summary

- ▶ 10th highest ward population in Swansea, and 14th highest population density (2021).
- Lower proportions of young children (0-4 years) and people aged 25-44 years.
- Higher proportion of people aged over 45, especially those aged 65+.
- Percentage of people in good health above Swansea average.
- Higher percentage of adults with Level 4+ qualifications.
- High proportion of owner-occupied households, and lower levels of renting (private/social).
- Slightly above average proportions of adult residents self-employed or retired.

Population characteristics

People:	Dunvant & Killay	%	Swansea %
born in the UK	8,553	93.0	90.6
born outside UK	647	7.0	9.4
in non-white ethnic group	634	6.9	8.6
able to speak Welsh (aged 3+)	774	8.6	11.2
in good health	7,592	82.5	78.7
disabled under the Equality Act	1,784	19.4	22.4
with Level 4+ qualifications (aged 16+)	2,917	37.1	32.8
with no qualifications (aged 16+)	913	11.6	18.9

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

Household composition

	Dunvant & Killay	%	Swansea %
Total households / (Average Household Size)	3,885	(2.24)	(2.22)
Composition: One person: Age 66+	692	17.8	14.5
Other	481	12.4	19.9
Single family household: All aged 66+	588	15.1	9.5
Married or civil partnership couple	1,303	33.5	26.8
Cohabiting couple family	353	9.1	10.4
Lone parent family	346	8.9	12.6
Other single family household	13	0.3	0.7
Other household types	109	2.8	5.6

Source: 2021 Census, ONS (Table TS003).

HOUSING: Type and Tenure

Household accommodation type	Dunvant & Killay	%	Swansea %
Detached	1,337	34.4	24.0
Semi-detached	2,017	51.9	34.5
Terraced (incl. end terrace)	370	9.5	25.4
Flat, maisonette or apartment	162	4.2	15.9
Caravan or other mobile/temporary	0	0.0	0.2

Tenure	Dunvant & Killay	%	Swansea %
Households: Owned: Outright	1,939	49.9	35.4
Owned with a mortgage or loan	1,296	33.4	26.9
Households: Rented: Social rented; from Council	27	0.7	11.7
Social rented; Other (incl. Housing Association)	190	4.9	7.4
Private rented	417	10.7	18.0
Other (incl. Shared ownership, Living rent free)	16	0.4	0.6

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

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

People aged 16 and over:	Dunvant & Killay	%	Swansea %
Economically Active	4,220	53.7	54.3
Employees: Part-time and Full-time	3,309	42.1	42.2
Self-employed	550	7.0	6.4
Unemployed	129	1.6	2.5
Economically active student	232	3.0	3.3
Economically Inactive	3,644	46.3	45.7
Retired	2,370	30.1	23.9
Student	752	9.6	8.4
Looking after home or family	198	2.5	4.2
Long-term sick or disabled	187	2.4	6.3
Other	137	1.7	2.9

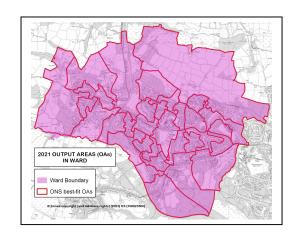
Source: 2021 Census, ONS (Table TS066).

WELSH INDEX OF MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION (WIMD)

- WIMD 2019 based on Lower Super Output Area (LSOA) geography – in this profile, the area consists of six LSOAs.
- No LSOA ranks highly in respect of the overall index or any of the domains.

Highest index and domain rankings (Wales):

Dunvant 1 – Health, Education (6th decile), Income, Employment (7th decile), Overall index (8th decile).



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KN 2	145	1897	133	1765	132	1710	142	1851	141	1840	139	1849	121	1662	148	1900	118	1621			
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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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