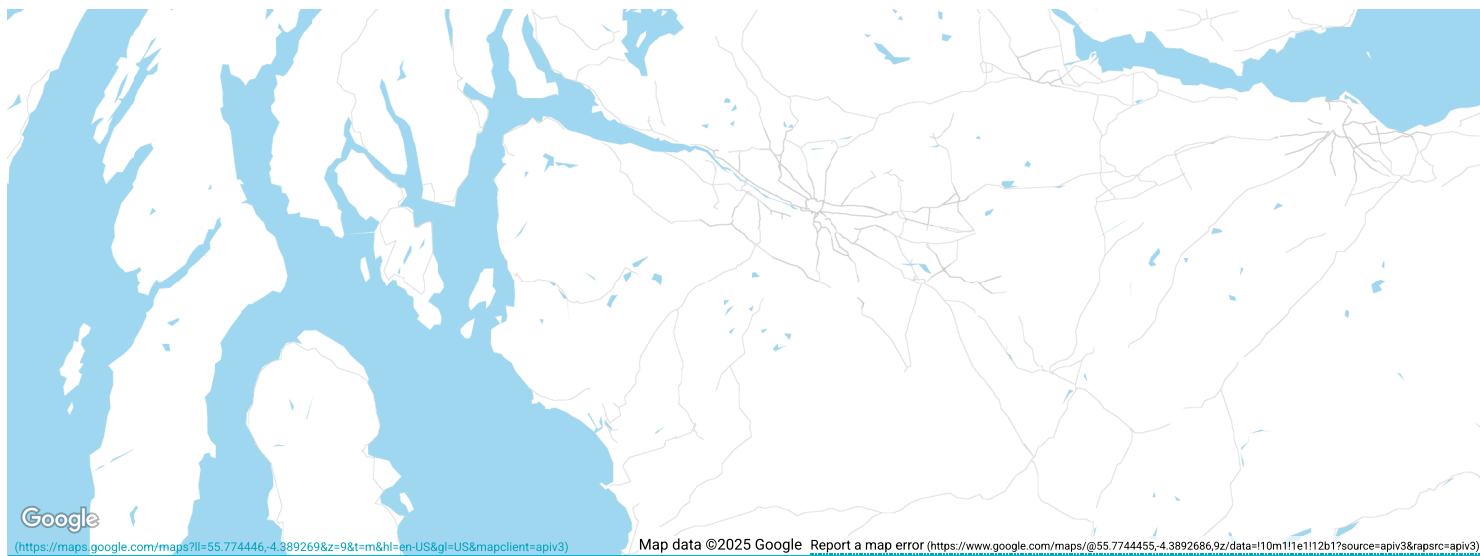




Leslie

FIFE

POPULATION **2,893**

Leslie in Fife was named after the local landowners the Leslie family. Spinning and bleaching were early industries. The Fettykil paper mill was a major industry in the 19th century and today papermaking continues (Sapphire Mill). The town has community facilities and local services.

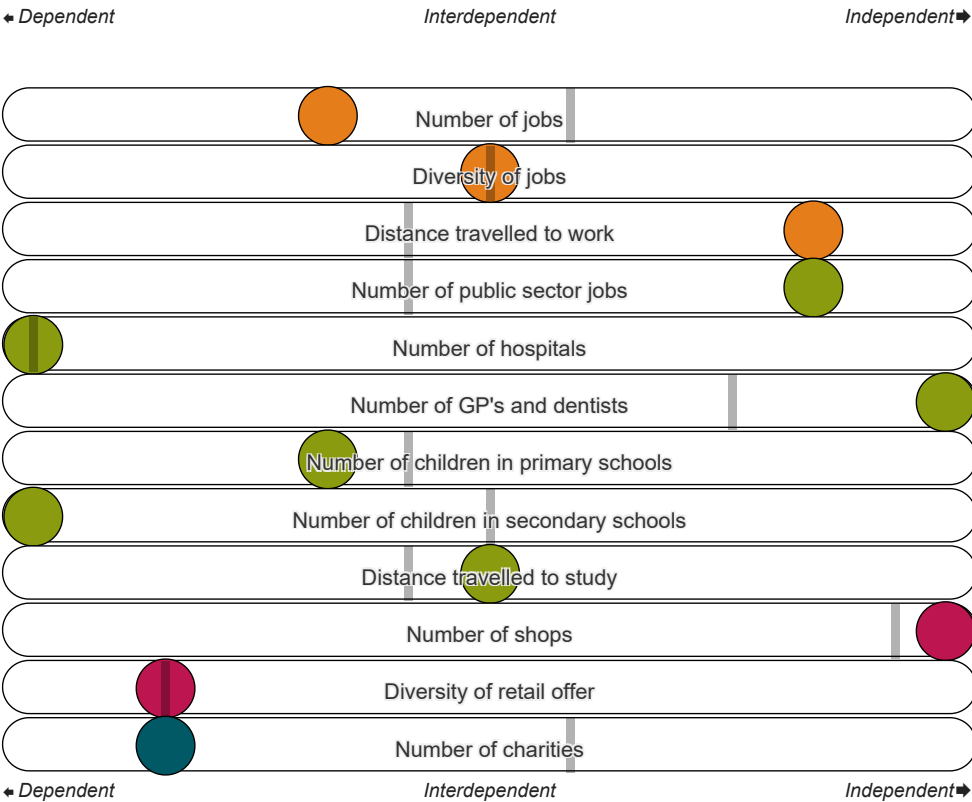
In this, and similar small towns, people experience more challenging circumstances with higher rates of unemployment, poorer health, lack of a car, lower levels of education and lower social grades than other groups. A higher proportion live in social rented housing. There is a higher proportion of single person households and lone parents.

Leslie is an interdependent town.

Its most similar towns are [Dalmellington](#), and [Sanquhar](#).

To gain more insight into Leslie, compare it to any of the other towns included in USP.

Inter-relationships



Leslie is an **interdependent** town.

Combining inter-relationships and typology, Leslie is grouped with 2 other towns. It has similarities to these towns in terms of the number of hospitals, children in primary schools, shops, and diversity of retail offer. It also has similarities in the diversity of jobs, and the distance travelled to study.

It differs in terms of the number of charities, public sector jobs, and GP's and dentists. It also differs in the distance travelled to work. Leslie differs most from its group in the number of children in secondary schools.

- Orange circle: Employment
- Green circle: Public
- Pink circle: Commercial
- Teal circle: Social
- Grey line: Average for the category

Population change 2011 to 2022**-4%**

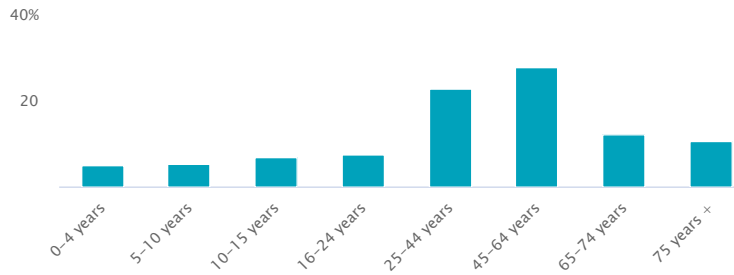
▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Household change 2011 to 2022**-1%**

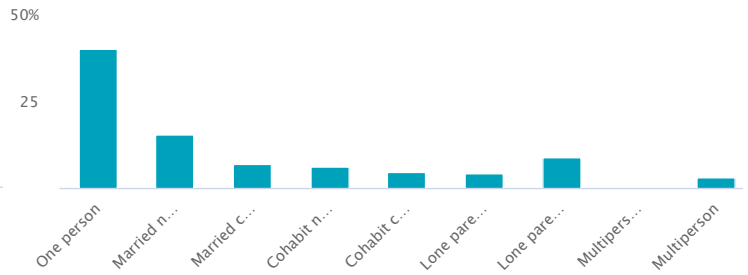
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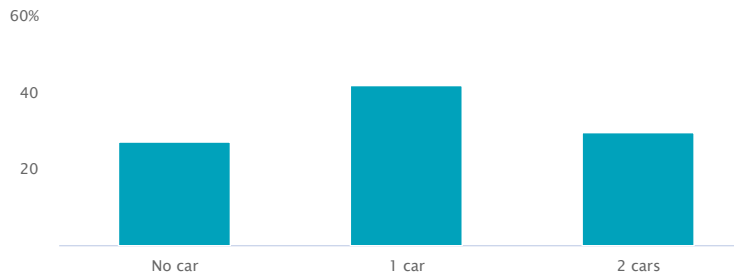
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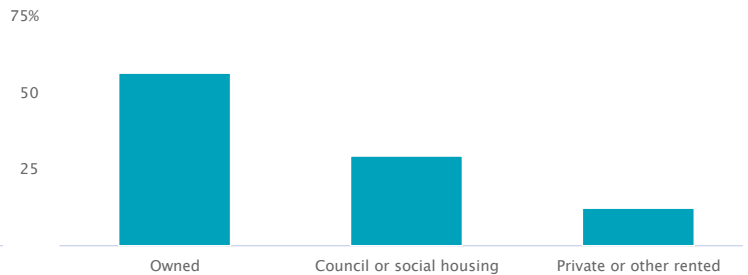
Household composition



Car ownership



Tenure



Population 2022

3k

▲ More
than similar towns

Households 2022

1k

▲ More
than similar towns

Population change 2011 to 2022

-4%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Household change 2011 to 2022

-1%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Very bad health

2%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

No central heating

1%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Occupancy rating of bedrooms 1 or less

2%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Disabled

7%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population



Employment

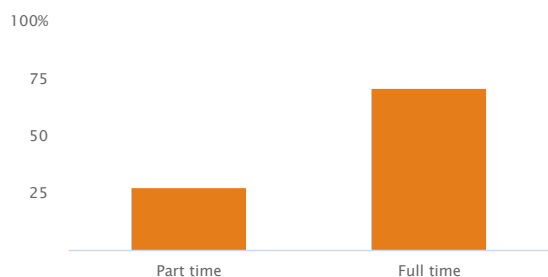
Jobs

400

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

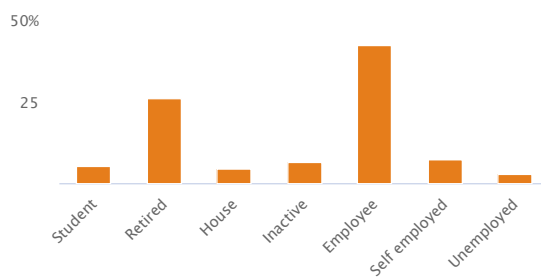
Employment type

(% working full time vs part time aged 16-74)



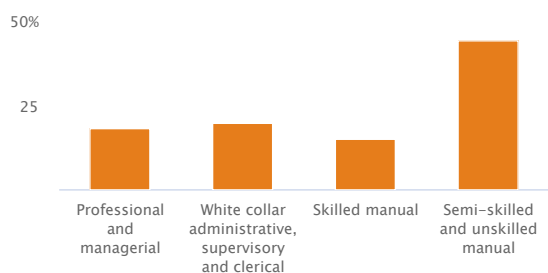
Occupation

(% aged 16-74)

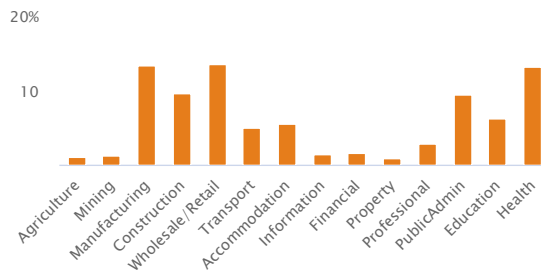


Social Grade

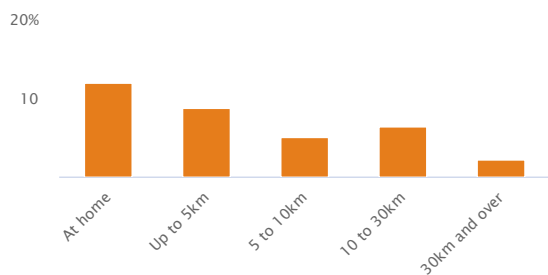
(% households aged 16-64)



Sector Diversity

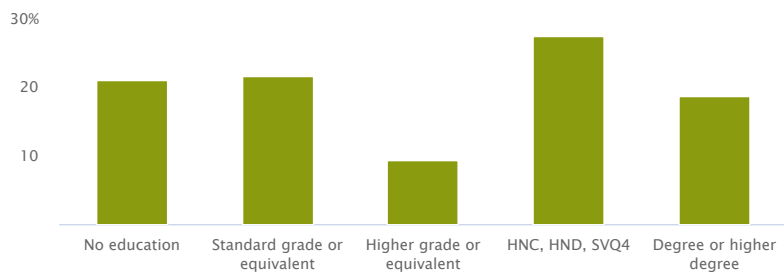


Distance travelled to work



Education

(% all people aged 16 and over)



Children in primary schools

212

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Children in secondary schools

0

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Hospitals

0

The same
as similar towns per head of population

GP's and dentists

14

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

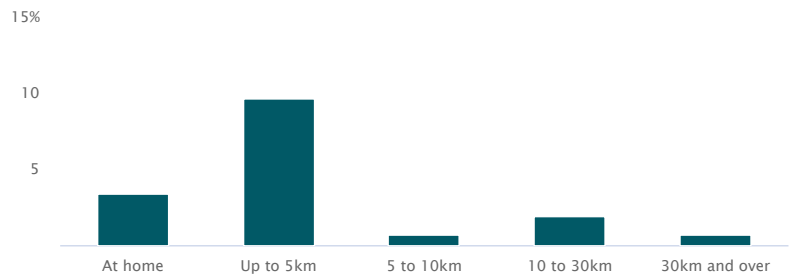
Number of people per shop**60**

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Diversity of retail offer (%)**50**

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Distance travelled to study



Number of residents per charity

723

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Households with D, E, F
energy performance
certificate rating

25%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Households with green
energy heating system

0%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Average house price (£)

170k

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population