





#### POPULATION 2,045

Tweedbank was formerly part of Galashiels but is now established in I ts own right as a town. It has extensive industrial parks and housing areas. It is essentially a suburb of Galashiels. The Lowood estate which was put on the market will see further expansion of the town. The recent expansion owes much to its role as the railhead for the Borders Railway.

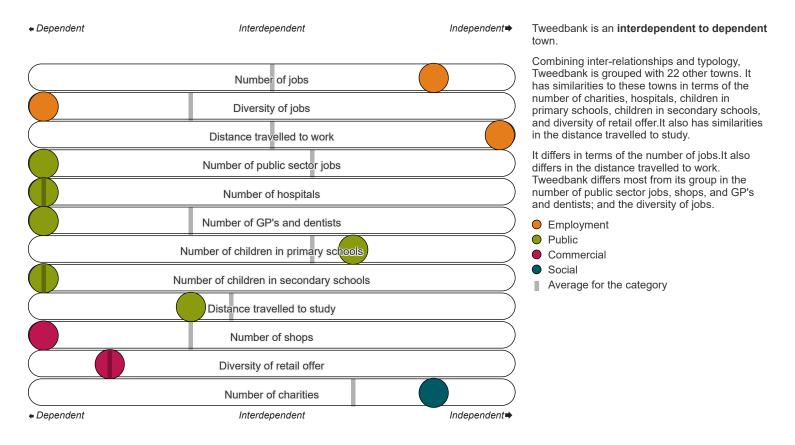
In this type of small town, the population comprises families with a higher proportion of adults in the 25–44 age grouping. Higher rates of full time employment are found.

Tweedbank is an interdependent to dependent town.

Its most similar towns are Auchtermuchty, Avoch, Banavie and Corpach, and Bo'ness.

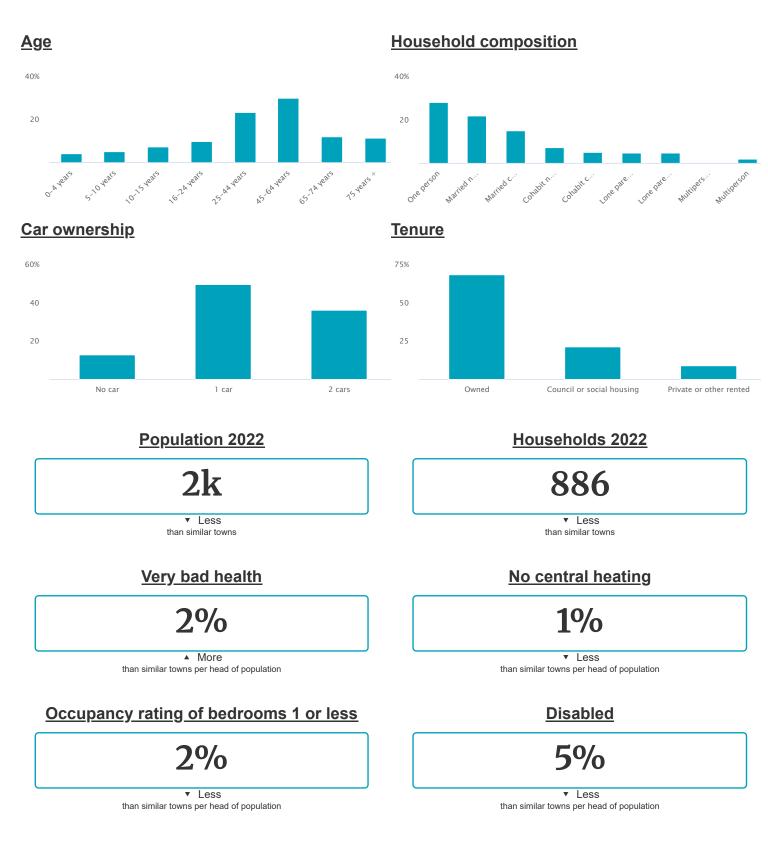
To gain more insight into Tweedbank, compare it to any of the other towns included in USP.

# **Inter-relationships**











#### **Jobs**

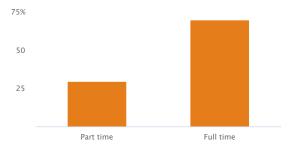
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▼ Less

than similar towns per head of population

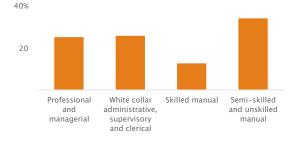
#### **Employment type**

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

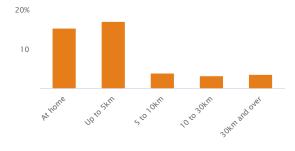


#### **Social Grade**

(% households aged 16-64)

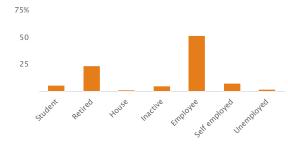


#### Distance travelled to work

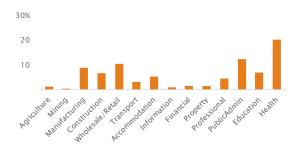


#### **Occupation**

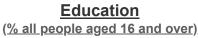
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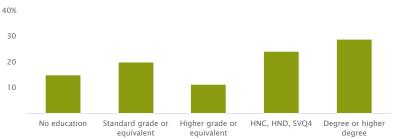


#### **Sector Diversity**









#### **Children in primary schools**

180

▼ Less than similar towns per head of population

## **Children in secondary schools**

0

/ Less

than similar towns per head of population

#### **Hospitals**

0

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#### **GP's and dentists**

0

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than similar towns per head of population



## Number of people per shop

▼ Less

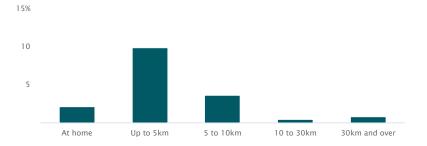
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#### **Diversity of retail offer (%)**

▼ Less than similar towns per head of population



## **Distance travelled to study**



## Number of residents per charity

186

▲ More

than similar towns per head of population



Households with D, E, F
energy performance
certificate rating

8%

▼ Less

than similar towns per head of population

<u>Households with green</u> <u>energy heating system</u>

0%

▼ Less than similar towns per head of population

Average house price (£)

194k

▼ Less than similar towns per head of population