2011 Census data for Carmarthenshire County Council – Socio-economic Classification (Males)

Males	Carmarthenshire		Wales		England & Wales	
All males aged 16-74	65,415		1,112,839		20,391,391	
1. Higher managerial, administrative and professional occupations	6,055	9.3%	115,809	10.4%	2,753,972	13.5%
1.1 Large employers and higher managerial and administrative occupations	1,420	2.2%	26,789	2.4%	623,605	3.1%
1.2 Higher professional occupations	4,635	7.1%	89,020	8.0%	2,130,367	10.4%
2. Lower managerial, administrative and professional occupations	11,138	17.0%	191,502	17.2%	3,919,339	19.2%
3. Intermediate occupations	4,121	6.3%	72,150	6.5%	1,367,711	6.7%
4. Small employers and own account workers	11,462	17.5%	148,572	13.4%	2,721,890	13.3%
5. Lower supervisory and technical occupations	7,117	10.9%	129,772	11.7%	2,034,253	10.0%
6. Semi-routine occupations	7,611	11.6%	129,204	11.6%	2,170,020	10.6%
7. Routine occupations	10,621	16.2%	170,544	15.3%	2,632,375	12.9%
8. Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,926	4.5%	55,016	4.9%	954,539	4.7%
L14.1 Never worked	1,730	2.6%	32,124	2.9%	551,512	2.7%
L14.2 Long-term unemployed	1,196	1.8%	22,892	2.1%	403,027	2.0%
Not classified	4,364	6.7%	100,270	9.0%	1,837,292	9.0%
L15 Full-time students	4,364	6.7%	100,270	9.0%	1,837,292	9.0%

Definitions

Full-time Student:

A full-time student is a person of any age who has indicated that they are a schoolchild or student in full-time education.

Schoolchildren and students in full-time education studying away from their family home are treated as usually resident at their term-time address.

Long-term Unemployed:

A person is defined as long-term unemployed at the time of the 2011 Census if they were unemployed and the year they last worked was 2009 or earlier.

National Statistics Socio-economic Classification (NS-SEC):

The National Statistics Socio-economic Classification (NS-SEC) provides an indication of socio-economic position based on occupation. It is an Office for National Statistics standard classification.

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To assign a person aged 16 to 74 to an NS-SEC category their occupation title is combined with information about their employment status, whether they are employed or self-employed and whether or not they supervise other employees. Full-time students are recorded in the' full-time students' category regardless of whether they are economically active or not.

The rebased version of NS-SEC used in census results uses occupation coded to SOC2010. More information about the classification can be found at http://ons.gov.uk/ons/guide-method/classifications/current-standard-classifications/soc2010/soc2010-volume-3-ns-sec--rebased-on-soc2010--user-manual/index.html
In 2011 Census results, because the census did not ask a question about the number of employees at a person's workplace, the reduced method of deriving NS-SEC (which does not require this information) is used.

NS-SEC, Not Classified:

The sub-category of NS-SEC 'Occupation not stated or inadequately described' which usually forms part of the 'Not classified' category is not applicable in census results because missing answers are imputed.