Ward Profile: Arnos Grove 2023

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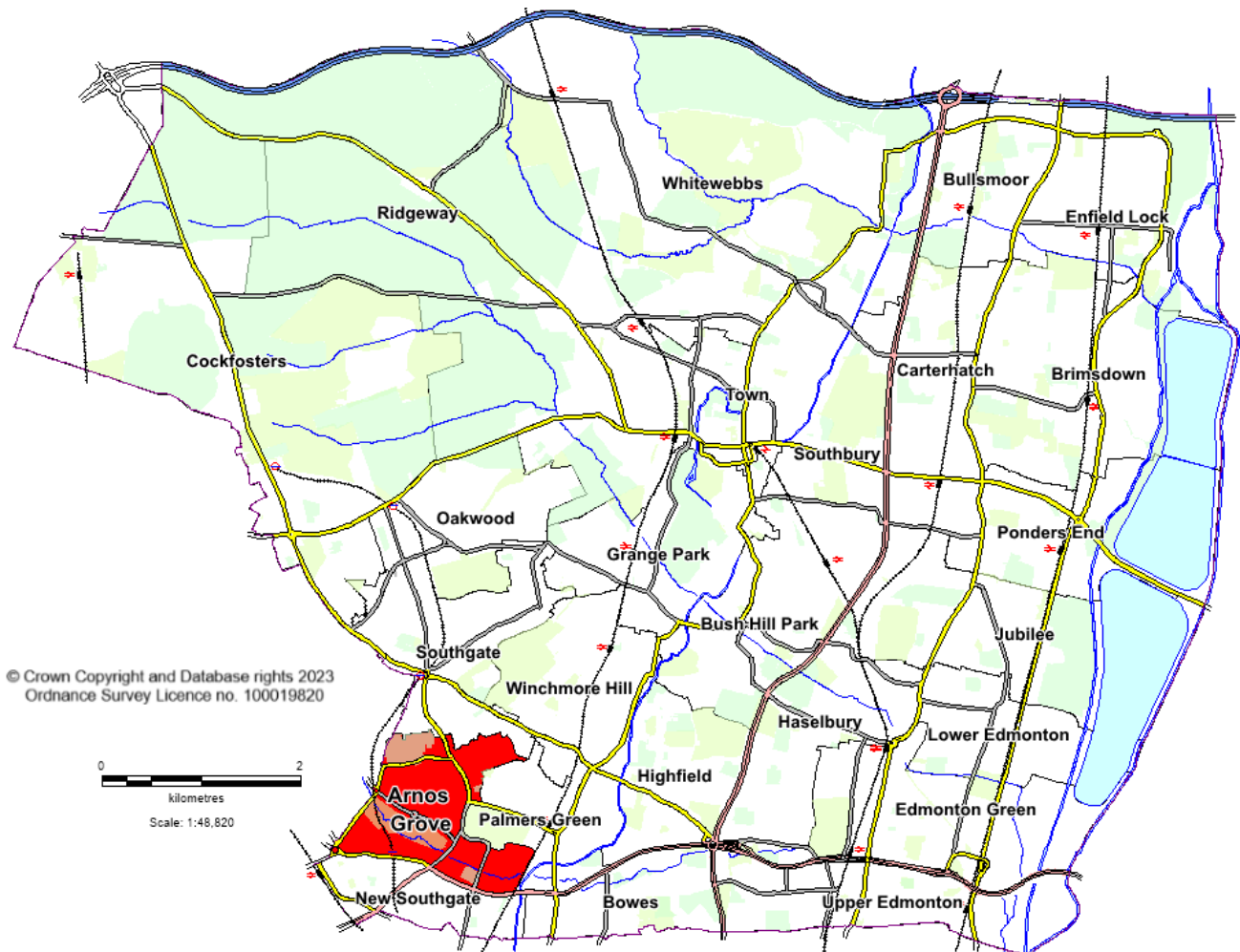Scale: 1:48,820

Arnos Grove ward is situated in the south-west of the Borough, bordered by the wards of New Southgate, Southgate and Palmers Green. It is served by postal districts N11, N13 and N14.

It is a new ward, created in 2022 from parts of the old wards of Bowes, Southgate Green, Southgate and Palmers Green.

Arnos Grove falls within the parliamentary constituency of Enfield Southgate.

Ward Profile: 2023

This profile is intended to provide a guide to the demography, social and economic data and Council facilities in the ward.

At time of writing, not all data is available at ward level for the new ward boundaries (effective from 2022). Some statistics appearing in this document have been aggregated from smaller statistical geographies on a 'best fit' basis.

The profile has been collated using the most up to date local-level data relating to 2022 as far as possible. A variety of statistical sources have been used in its compilation.

Ward Councillors

The ward is represented by the following council members:

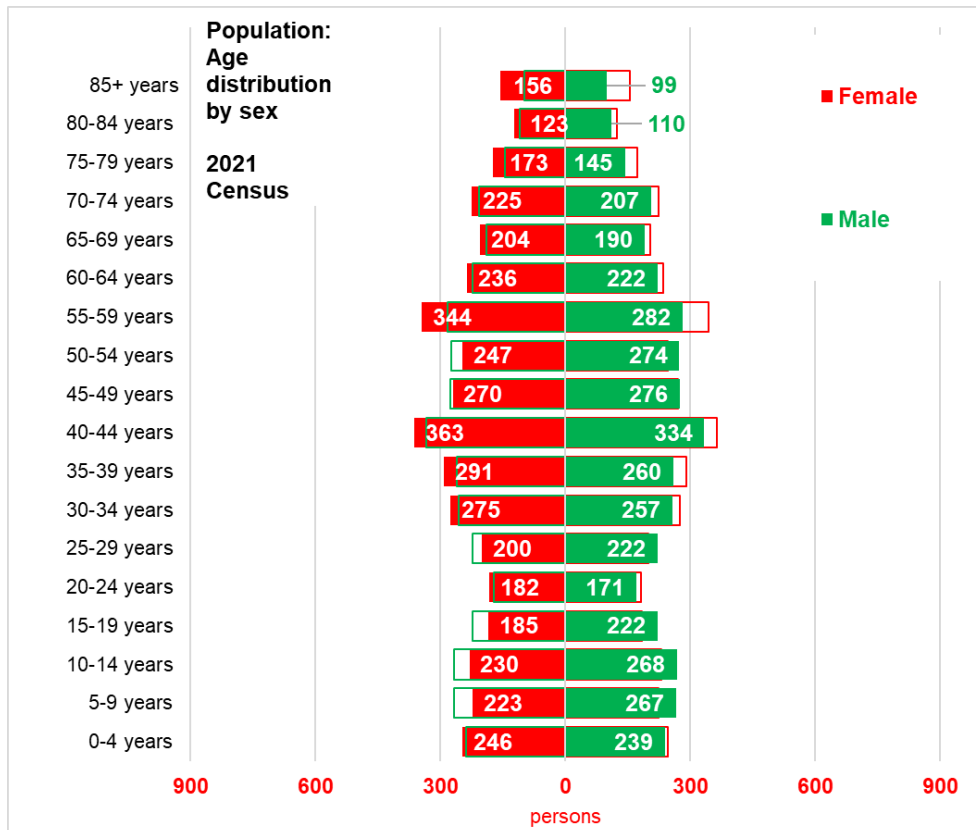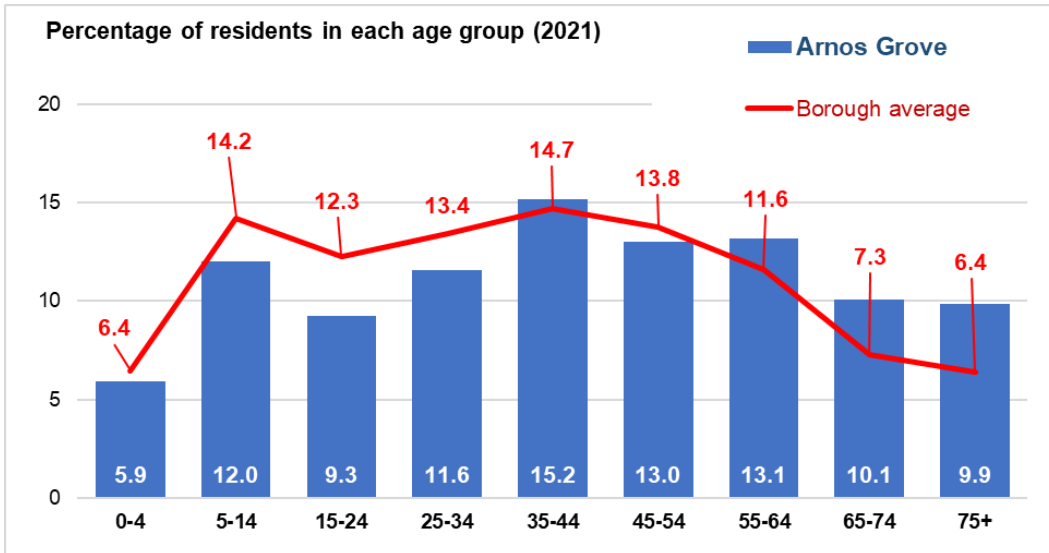| Councillors	Party	Phone	Email
Adrian Grumi	Conservative Party	020 4534 2680	Cllr.Adrian.Grumi@enfield.gov.uk
Paul Pratt	Conservative Party	020 4534 2697	Cllr.Paul.Pratt@enfield.gov.uk

Demography

Summary Statistics

	Arnos Grove	Enfield	Source
Population Estimate (2021 Census)	8,222	329,993	Census 2021
Children aged 0-15	1,472	68,116	
Working-age people (16-64)	5,112	216,855	
Older people aged 65+	1,638	45,015	
% All Children aged 0-15	17.9	20.6	
% All Working-age (16-64)	62.2	65.7	
% All Older people aged 65+	19.9	13.6	
% Not Born in UK - 2021	38.3	40.4	
% English is First Language of no one in household - 2021	10.4	13.4	
Area - Square Kilometres	1.8	82.2	Local Government Boundary Commission
Population density (people per sq km)	4,568	4,014	Census 2021 / Boundary Commission

Population

Based on the 2021 Census, the ward population is estimated to be 8,222.[1] The population increased by 6.3% from 2011 to 2021.

Age Profile

The ward has relatively high numbers of older residents when compared to the borough average, and proportionately fewer children and young adults. Women outnumber men in most age bands over 30 years of age (see table bottom).
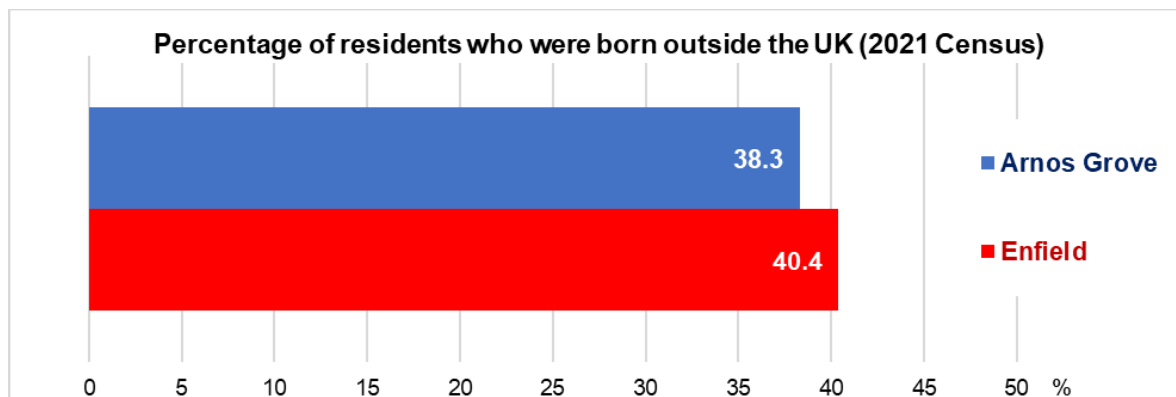

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[1] Census 2021 population totals vary in accordance with geographies and characteristics being measured: eg the sum of all-age ward populations do not necessarily match the published borough total, and the sum of age band totals do not necessarily match ward and borough totals. This has occurred owing to changes in statistical suppression practices used by the ONS in order to release Census data more quickly. Differences are small and have very little effect upon calculations of proportions.

Ethnicity

The 2021 Census indicates the ethnic breakdown of the ward to be as follows:

Ethnic Group	Arnos Grove		Borough
	Persons	% of total	%
White British	2,941	35.8	31.3
White Irish	284	3.5	1.9
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	9	0.1	0.1
Greek	128	1.6	1.1
Greek Cypriot	543	6.6	3.0
Turkish	201	2.4	5.3
Turkish Cypriot	144	1.8	2.3
Kurdish	44	0.5	1.7
Bulgarian	100	1.2	1.6
Polish	106	1.3	1.5
Romanian	55	0.7	1.4
Albanian	76	0.9	1.0
Roma / Romany Gypsy	11	0.1	0.3
White Other	919	11.2	7.5
Mixed: White / Black Caribbean	64	0.8	1.6
Mixed: White / Black African	232	2.8	0.9
Mixed: White / Other Black (incl Black British)	0	0.0	0.1
Mixed: White / Asian	167	2.0	1.2
Mixed: Black / Asian	11	0.1	0.1
Mixed: Other	123	1.5	2.0
Indian	691	8.4	3.6
Pakistani	121	1.5	1.1
Bangladeshi	119	1.4	2.5
Chinese	115	1.4	0.8
Other Asian	253	3.1	3.5
Black British	48	0.6	1.8
Somali	34	0.4	2.5
Ghanaian	32	0.4	1.5
Nigerian	45	0.5	1.5
Other Black African	105	1.3	5.3
Black Caribbean	146	1.8	5.1
Other Black	20	0.2	0.8
Other Ethnic Group: Arab	91	1.1	0.8
Other Ethnic Group	247	3.0	3.1

Residents born outside the UK

Percentage of residents who were born outside the UK (2021 Census)

Arnos Grove: 38.3
Enfield: 40.4

Language

The 2021 Census reveals the languages spoken by people living in the ward. At the time of publication, ward-level data were only available for residents aged sixteen and over, and some languages are not yet given in a disaggregated form (eg Bulgarian, Albanian and certain other European languages).

The most widely-spoken languages at that time were:

Main Language	Arnos Grove	
English	5214	78.3%
Other EU language (incl Romanian, Bulgarian, Czech)	545	8.2%
Turkish	185	2.8%
Gujarati	136	2.0%
Polish	90	1.4%
Other Non-EU language (incl Albanian)	86	1.3%

Source: 2021 Census

Religion

The 2021 Census showed the religious makeup of the ward as:

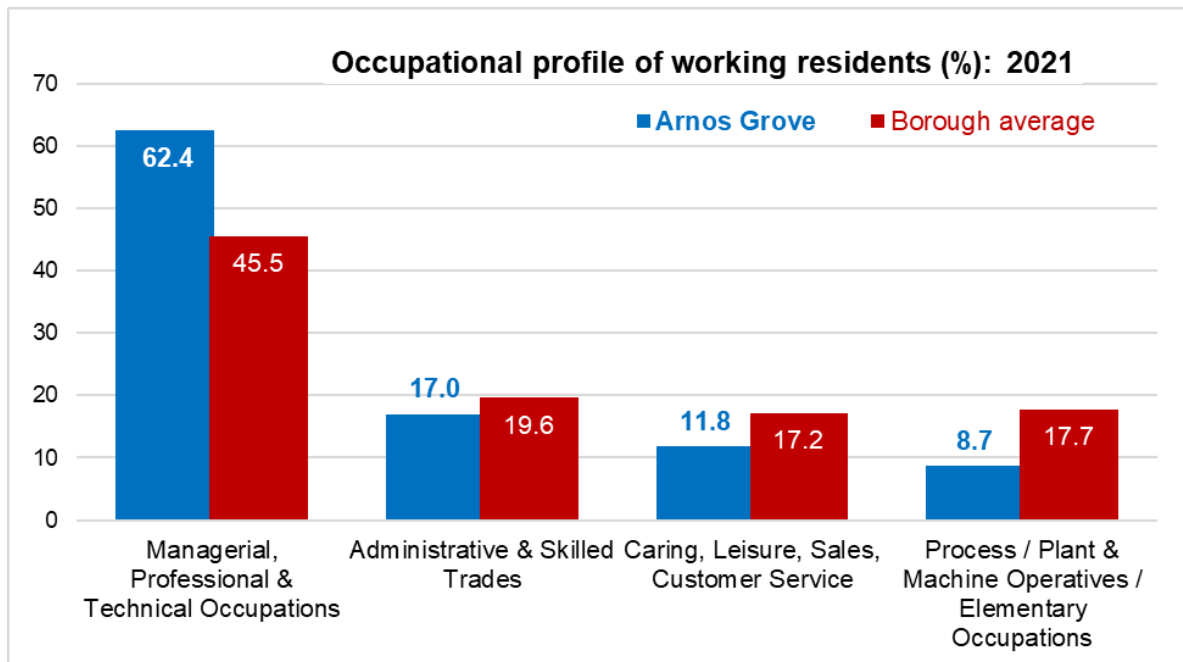| Religion	Arnos Grove		Borough Average %
	Number	%	
Christian	3,775	45.9	46.4
No religion	1,783	21.7	19.8
Muslim	1,103	13.4	18.6
Religion not stated	497	6.0	7.0
Hindu	382	4.6	3.1
Alevi	43	0.5	2.4
Jewish	320	3.9	1.1
Other religion	185	2.3	0.7
Buddhist	60	0.7	0.5
Sikh	68	0.8	0.4

Socio-Economic Factors

Key features:

- The ward has relatively high numbers of adults in managerial and professional occupations
- Household incomes are higher than the borough average, with low numbers of households in poverty.
- 3.4% of adults are on unemployment benefits and 14% of households in Universal Credit – low numbers when compared with the borough averages
- Deprivation Indices: Arnos Grove is relatively non-deprived. It contains no neighbourhood areas within the most deprived 50% of neighbourhoods in England.
- Proportions of households in fuel poverty are relatively low (9.4%, compared with 13.8% for the borough)
- Crime is relatively low
- Health: at the 2021 Census, 86% of residents reported Very Good or Good health
- Higher than average numbers of households are owner-occupiers
- High proportions of residents have higher level educational attainment, and relatively few adults have no formal qualifications

Socio-economic classification

Occupational groups are taken from the 2021 Census. The table below indicates the occupational profile of the ward, compared with the borough in general.

Low Income Households

Data from CACI Ltd indicate that – as at 2023 – households in the ward have an average (median) household income **of around £60,000 per annum**, the highest ward average in the borough. It is also higher than the borough average, and higher than the average for the London area.
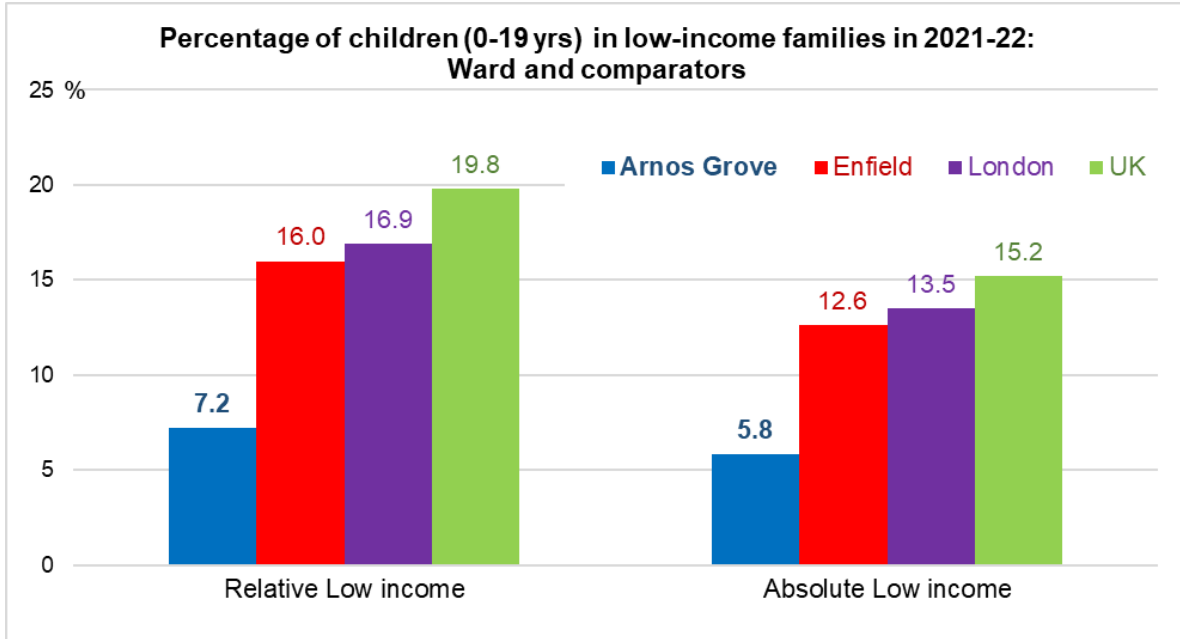
- 8.2% of households have a household income of less than £20,000 per annum – the borough average is 17.3%
- 4.2% of households have an income below £15,000 per annum – the borough average is 10%

Statistics from the Department for Work and Pensions indicate that, in 2022:

- 135 children[2] in the ward (7.2% of the total) were living in families with Relative low income, and
- 109 (5.8%) were in families of Absolute low income[3].

The proportions of children in poverty compared with local, regional and national averages are shown in the chart below.

Percentage of children (0-19 yrs) in low-income families in 2021-22: Ward and comparators

	Arnos Grove	Enfield	London	UK
Relative Low income	7.2	16.0	16.9	19.8
Absolute Low income	5.8	12.6	13.5	15.2

Benefit Claims

- As of April 2023, the unemployed claimant count[4] in the ward was 170, representing 3.4% of the local working-age population (the borough average was 6%)
- At February 2023, 387 households (including working families) were claiming Universal Credit (14% of all households in the ward). This compares with a borough average of 29% on Universal Credit.

Economically active people

In 2021, the estimated proportion of people aged 16-64 who were in work or looking for work (the economically active) was higher than the borough average, at 77.4%.

Deprivation score

The Indices of Deprivation 2019 – published by the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government[5] measure **relative** deprivation in neighbourhood areas (Lower Layer Super Output Areas). These are ranked and sorted into deciles of relative deprivation.

Arnos Grove is within the least deprived 50% of all wards in England.[6]

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[2] Aged up to 19 years (includes 16-19 year-olds who are in training or non-advanced education – ie categories for which Child Benefit would be payable assuming no other disqualifying factors)

[3] Relative low income: equivalised household income is less than 60% of the UK median for that year. Absolute low income: equivalised household income is less than 60% of the UK median for the period 2010-2011.
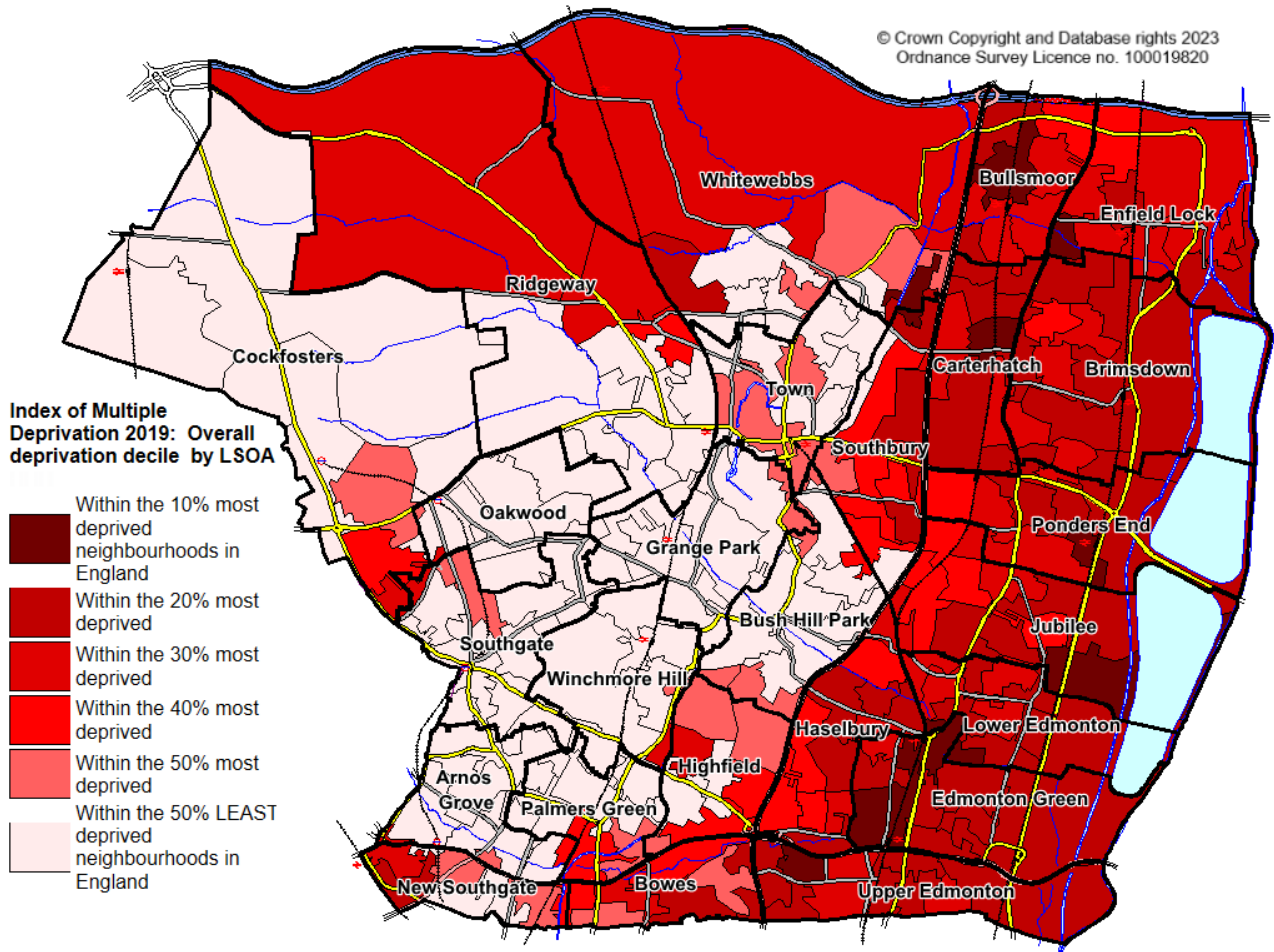
[4] The 'narrow' measure of unemployment: the number of people receiving either Job Seekers' Allowance, or unemployed claimants of Universal Credit who are required to seek work.

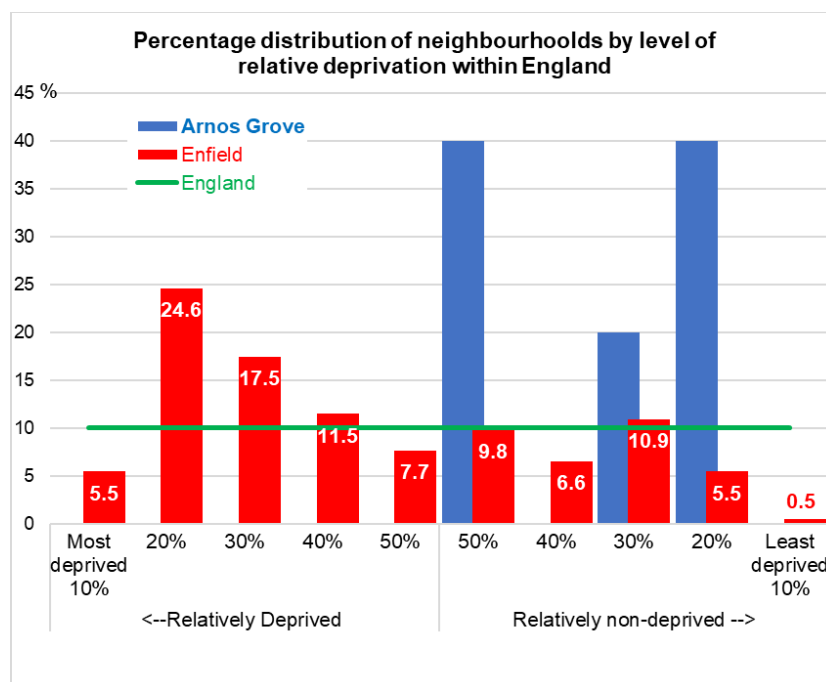[5] Now the Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities

[6] Using rank of average score of its constituent Lower layer Super Output Areas

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The map below illustrates how deprived the neighbourhood areas of the ward are, compared with all such areas in England.   Darker shading indicates higher relative deprivation levels.

5% of Enfield's neighbourhood areas are among the 10% most deprived in the country, with a further 25% within the 20% most deprived. The chart below shows how the neighbourhood areas of the ward compares with this, and with the distribution in England.
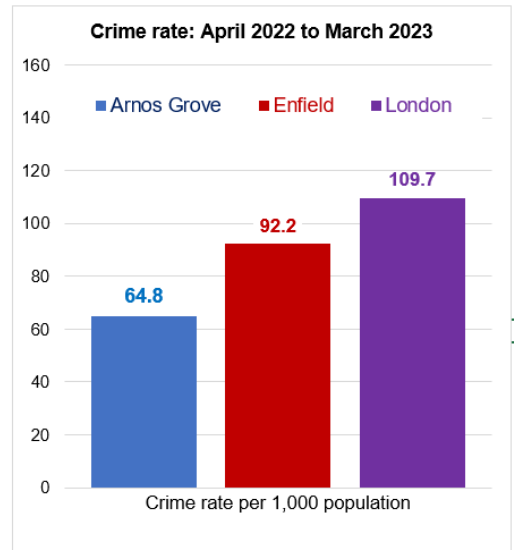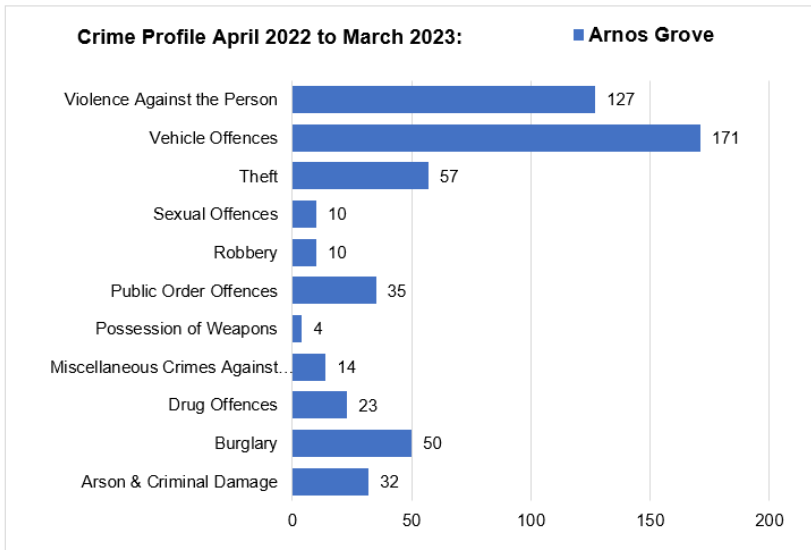
Fuel Poverty

Best-fit geographic analysis of government statistics[7] reveal that, as at 2021, 9.4% of households in the ward were in fuel poverty. This proportion was lower than the borough, regional and national averages (13.8%, 11.9% and 13.1% respectively).
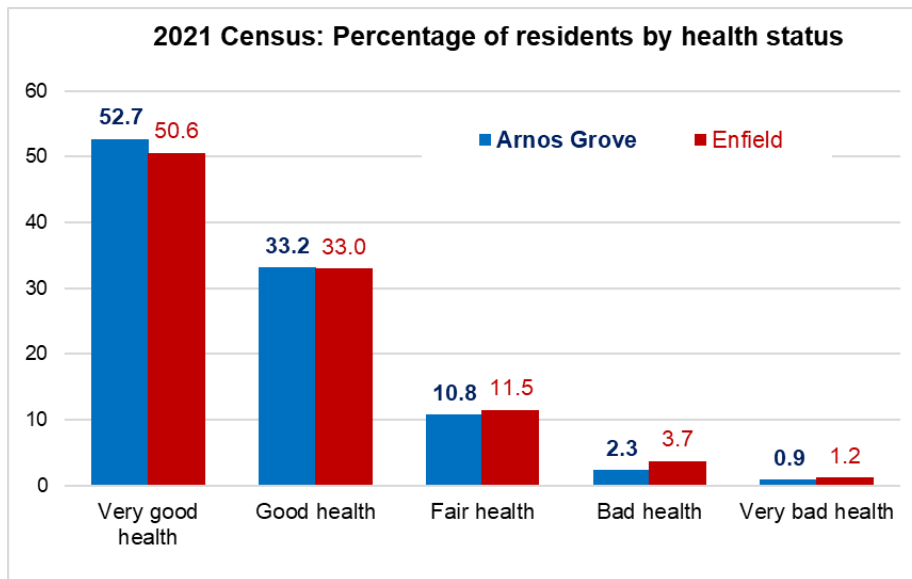
Crime

Metropolitan Police data for the period April 2022 to March 2023 indicate that:

- There were 533 notifiable offences in the ward – a fall of 0.9% on the previous year.
- The crime rate was 64.8 offences per 1,000 population – lower than the borough and London averages
- The most numerous offences were vehicle offences and violence against the person.
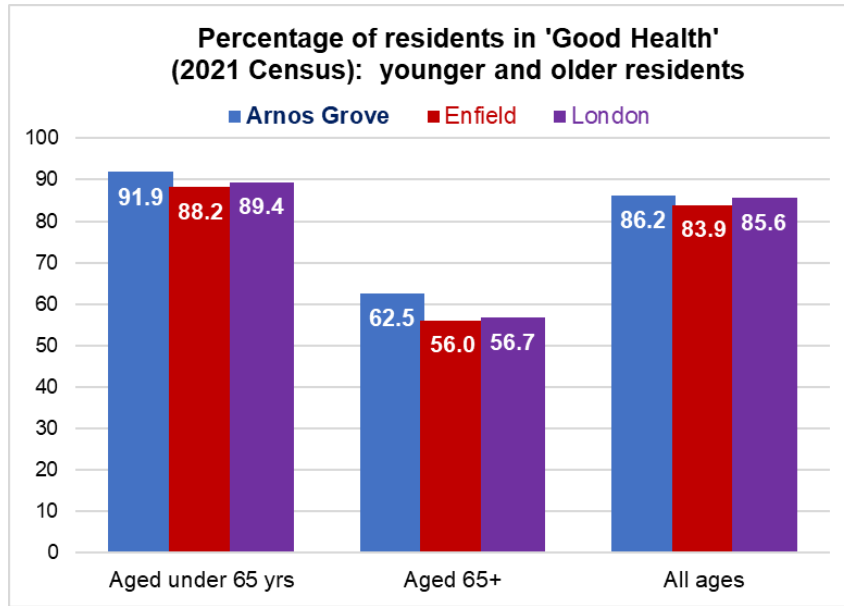

Health

The 2021 Census asks residents to describe their general health. The chart below illustrates the response:
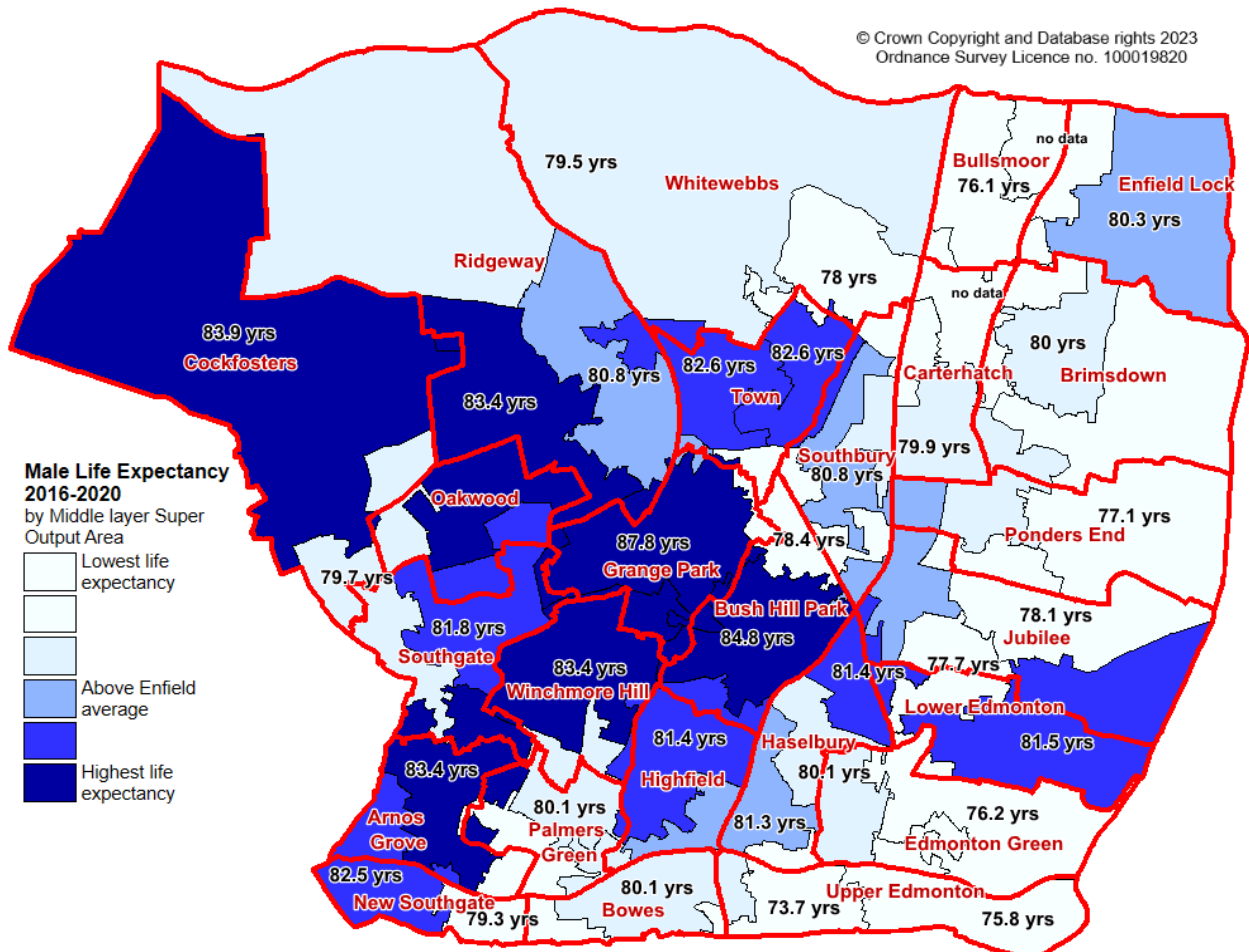
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Ageing in a state of good health is a desirable aim, and the Census provides a snapshot of the health of people in different age groups. A separate analysis divides the population into those whose health is broadly 'Good' and those for whom is it 'Not Good'. The chart below details the percentage of under 65s and over 65s who describe their health as Good.

Life Expectancy information at ward level is not yet available for the 2022 Ward boundary geographies. However, data are available at Middle Layer Super Output Area level - another census geography with boundaries that do not match those of wards. These are mapped below: the darkest shaded areas have the highest life expectancy at birth.

The latest health information about the ward can be obtained from the [Local Health](#) website by choosing Find My Area and entering the ward name.
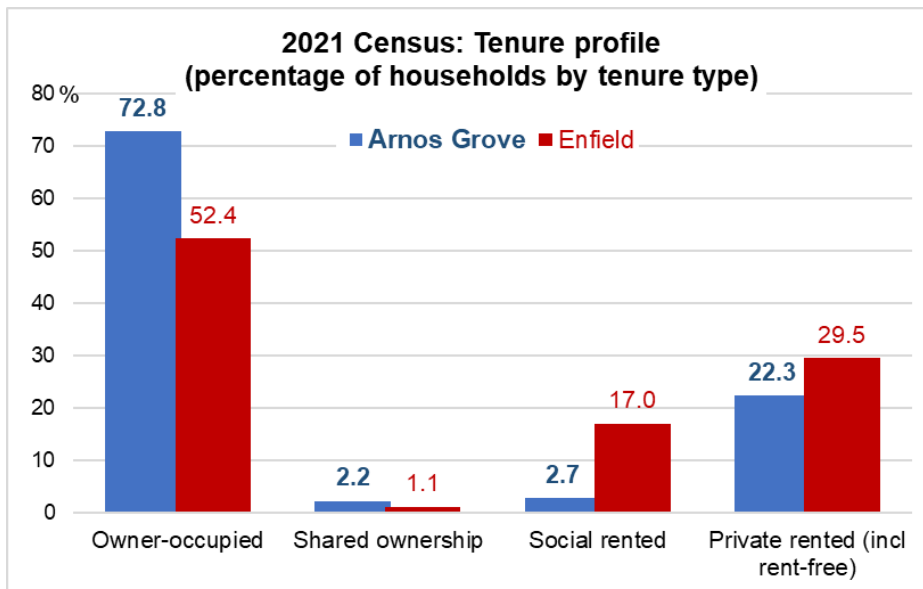
GP Surgeries

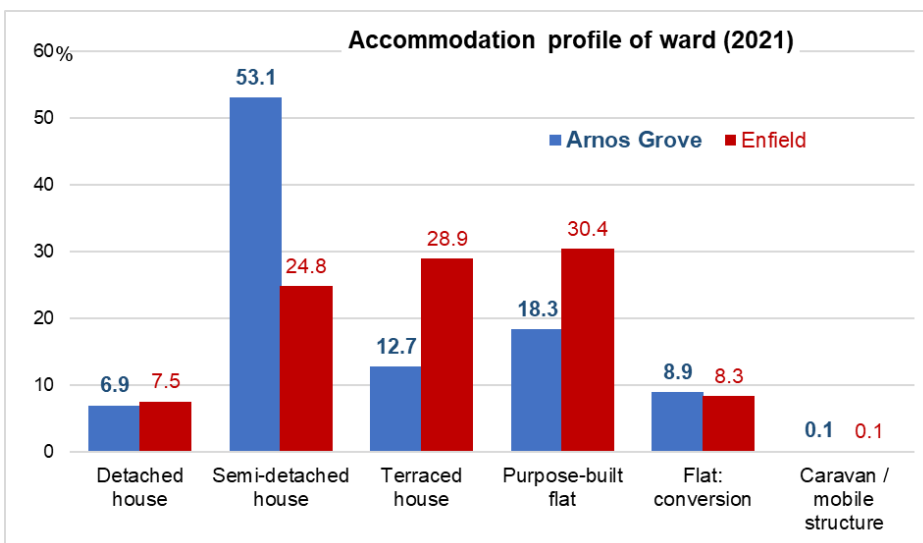There are no GP surgeries located in the ward. The nearest are located at:

Arnos Grove Medical Centre, 269 Bowes Road, Southgate, N11 1BD (in New Southgate ward)
Gillan House Surgery, 457 Green Lanes, Palmers Green, N13 4BS (in Palmers Green ward)
Grovelands Medical Centre, 1 Grovelands Road, Palmers Green, N13 4RJ (in Palmers Green ward)
Park Lodge Medical Centre, 3 Old Park Road, Palmers Green, N13 4RG (Palmers Green ward)
The North London Health Centre, Broomfield Avenue, Palmers Green, N13 4JJ   (Palmers Green ward)
The Woodberry Practice, 1 Woodberry Avenue, Winchmore Hill, N21 3LE (Winchmore Hill ward)
Winchmore Hill Practice, 808 Green Lanes, Winchmore Hill, N21 2SA (Winchmore Hill ward)

Housing

The 2021 (Census) profile of the households in the ward by housing tenure (sector) is as shown below, compared with borough averages.
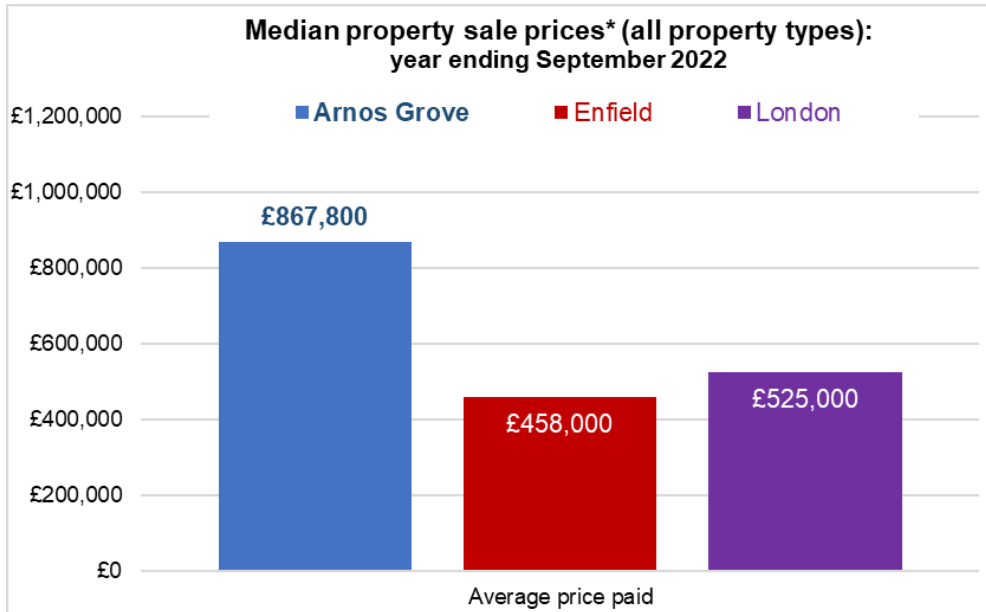

The 2021 Census data provides a view of the accommodation type by ward compared with the rest of the borough.

Property Prices

Ward-level averages of sale prices paid have not yet been published (at time of publication of this document), so the average ward property price shown in the table below has been aggregated from smaller geographies.[8]

Median property sale prices* (all property types): year ending September 2022

■ Arnos Grove ■ Enfield ■ London

Arnos Grove: £867,800
Enfield: £458,000
London: £525,000

Average price paid

Education

There are 3 schools in the ward:

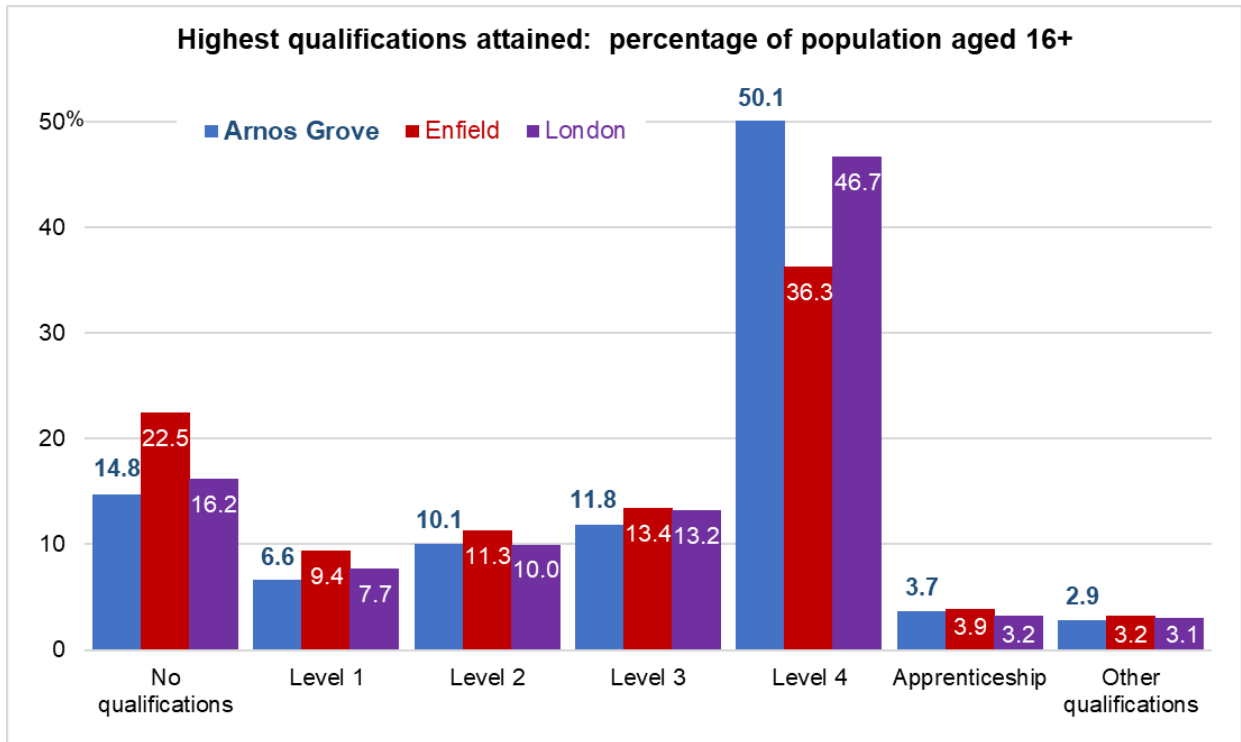|			
St Monica's RC Primary School	Cannon Road	Southgate	N14 7HE
Broomfield School (secondary)	Wilmer Way	Southgate	N14 7HY
Walker Primary School	Waterfall Road	Southgate	N14 7EG

Performance tables for schools:
The Department for Education publishes school performance data on their searchable webpages.

Qualifications in adults

Taken from the 2021 Census data the graph below shows the distribution of academic qualifications by population in the ward (aged 16 and over), and the borough-wide average comparator.

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[8] the ward average given is the mean of the median values of constituent Lower layer Super Output Areas. These values are therefore indicative only.

Highest qualifications attained: percentage of population aged 16+

Legend: ■ Arnos Grove ■ Enfield ■ London

Category	Arnos Grove	Enfield	London
No qualifications	14.8	22.5	16.2
Level 1	6.6	9.4	7.7
Level 2	10.1	11.3	10.0
Level 3	11.8	13.4	13.2
Level 4	50.1	36.3	46.7
Apprenticeship	3.7	3.9	3.2
Other qualifications	2.9	3.2	3.1

Level 1 and entry level qualifications:	1 to 4 GCSEs grade A* to C , Any GCSEs at other grades, O levels or CSEs (any grades), 1 AS level, NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ, Basic or Essential Skills
Level 2 qualifications:	5 or more GCSEs (A* to C or 9 to 4), O levels (passes), CSEs (grade 1), School Certification, 1 A level, 2 to 3 AS levels, VCEs, Intermediate or Higher Diploma, Welsh Baccalaureate Intermediate Diploma, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ, City and Guilds Craft, BTEC First or General Diploma, RSA Diploma
Level 3 qualifications:	2 or more A levels or VCEs, 4 or more AS levels, Higher School Certificate, Progression or Advanced Diploma, Welsh Baccalaureate Advance Diploma, NVQ level 3; Advanced GNVQ, City and Guilds Advanced Craft, ONC, OND, BTEC National, RSA Advanced Diploma
Level 4 qualifications and above:	Degree (BA, BSc), higher degree (MA, PhD, PGCE), NVQ level 4 to 5, HNC, HND, RSA Higher Diploma, BTEC Higher level, professional qualifications (for example, teaching, nursing, accountancy)
Other qualifications:	Vocational or work-related qualifications, other qualifications achieved in England or Wales, qualifications achieved outside England or Wales (equivalent not stated or unknown)

Culture and Leisure

There are no static libraries in the ward, however the nearest borough libraries are:

Bowes Road library in Bowes Road (New Southgate ward)   Tel: 020 8379 2686
Southgate Library at High Street, Southgate, N14 6BP   Tel: 020 8379 5562
Palmers Green Library, Broomfield Lane, Palmers Green, N13 4EY   Tel: 020 8379 2711

The nearest leisure centres are outside the ward:

Arnos Pool, 269 Bowes Road, New Southgate, London N11 1BD
Southgate Leisure Centre, Winchmore hill Road, Southgate, London N14 6AD

The ward has 2 parks and open spaces:

- Arnos Park
- Minchenden Oak Garden

Places of worship

Address	Website	Tel no. (if known)
Christ Church Southgate, Christchurch Church House, The Green, Arnos Grove, London N14 7EG	http://www.christchurch-southgate.org/	020 8886 0384

Voluntary and Community Sector

Some locally based community organisations are given below. This list is not exhaustive.

Organisation	Address (where known/applicable)	Website (if known)	Telephone	Email	Description of Services
20th Southgate (St Monica's) Scout Group	Scout & Guide HQ, Cannon Road, Southgate, London N14 7HE			southgate.20th@hotmail.co.uk	Beavers, Cubs, Scouts.
6th Southgate (Christ Church) Scout Group	Scout HQ, Walker Cricket Ground, Waterfall Road, Southgate N14 7JZ	www.6thsouthgate.org.uk			Scout, Cub and Beaver groups
Enfield Classical Guitar Society	The Beaumont, 15 Cannon Hill, Southgate, London N14 7DJ	http://enfieldclassicalguitarsociety.org.uk/		raymond3325@gmail.com	Promoting ensemble classical guitar playing
Friends of Arnos Park		https://friendsofarnospark.wordpress.com/		friendsofarnospark@hotmail.co.uk	Maintenance of Arnos Park.
Memory Lane	St Monica's Parish Centre, 6 Cannon Hill, Southgate, London N14 7HG		0208 367 4096 / 07788 429 470	adrianlewis4@hotmail.com	Weekly club for anyone with memory problems and their carers.
North London Greek Education Assoc	Walker Primary School, The Green, Waterfall Road, Southgate N14 7EG		07803 966633	irenekadis@hotmail.com	Greek language school
Selborne Bowling Club	Ye Olde Cherry Tree Pub, The Mall, Southgate, London N14 6LL	https://www.selbornebc.co.uk/	020 8886 3992 / 0751 307 5239	selbornebc@outlook.com	The club offers bowling green from mid-April to end of September, and social events all through the year. Members can play friendly and competitive matches.
Southgate Adelaide Hockey Club	c/o The Walker Ground, Waterfall Road, Southgate, London N14 7JZ	www.southgate-adelaide.org	07973 593696	johnhepburn@proj-office.co.uk	Hockey Club
Southgate Cricket Club	The Walker Cricket Ground, Waterfall Road, Southgate, N14 7JZ	www.southgatecc.com	020 8886 8381	cricket@southgatecc.com	Cricket Club
Southgate Homebound and Disabled Assoc.	Walker Hall, Waterfall Road, Southgate, N14 7EG	http://n21online.com/business-directory/item/southgate-homebound-and-disabled-association.html			Fun and friendly club that helps those who are homebound and disabled in Southgate and the surrounding local area to enjoy a better life.
Southgate Relief Charity				vcs@enfield.gov.uk	Providing help and support for those less fortunate
Southgate Symphony Orchestra	Walker Primary School, Waterfall Road, Southgate, London, N14 7EG	www.southgatesymphony.co.uk		contactus@southgatesymphony.co.uk	Symphony orchestra performing concerts and open to amateur orchestral musicians.

Stroke Action UK	Southgate Beaumont Care Community, 15 Cannon Hill, Old Southgate, London N14 7DJ	https://www.facebook.com/strokeactionuk/	020 8807 8023	admin@strokeaction.com	Provides stroke advocacy, prevention, rehabilitation, social support, training, ongoing care & support for stroke survivors and carers.
The Walker Cricket Ground Trust (Walker Ground)	175, Waterfall Road, Southgate, London, N14 7JZ	www.thewalkerground.co.uk	020 8886 8381	office@thewalkerground.co.uk	A multi-sports ground and registered charity whose purpose is to provide sporting facilities to the people of Southgate
Workers' Educational Association	Southgate Beaumont Care Community, 15 Cannon Hill, Old Southgate, London N14 7DJ	https://www.wea.org.uk/london	020 7426 1950	vcs@enfield.gov.uk	Training courses for employability, health & wellbeing, community engagement, and cultural education.

Additional Sources of information

For local information visit the Enfield Council website homepage: http://www.enfield.gov.uk/. Creating an Enfield Connected account will enable you to find out about local events and services.

For statistics, search on the London Datastore or select Local Area Profile data on NOMIS.

On the following page is a map of the new ward featuring some local amenities (we cannot guarantee that all such amenities are included).

Arnos Grove

Arnos Grove Ward

- **P35** - St Monica's RC Primary School
- **P36** - Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Primary School

- **S7** - Broomfield School
- **AF20** - Walker Primary School

Independent Schools
- **J9** - Focus 1st Academy

Halls for hire
- **H64** - Walker Hall
- **H45** - Palmers Green United Reformed Church
- **H63** - The Bourne Methodist Church Hall

Sports facilities
- L6 Arnos Pool
- L9 Southgate Leisure Centre
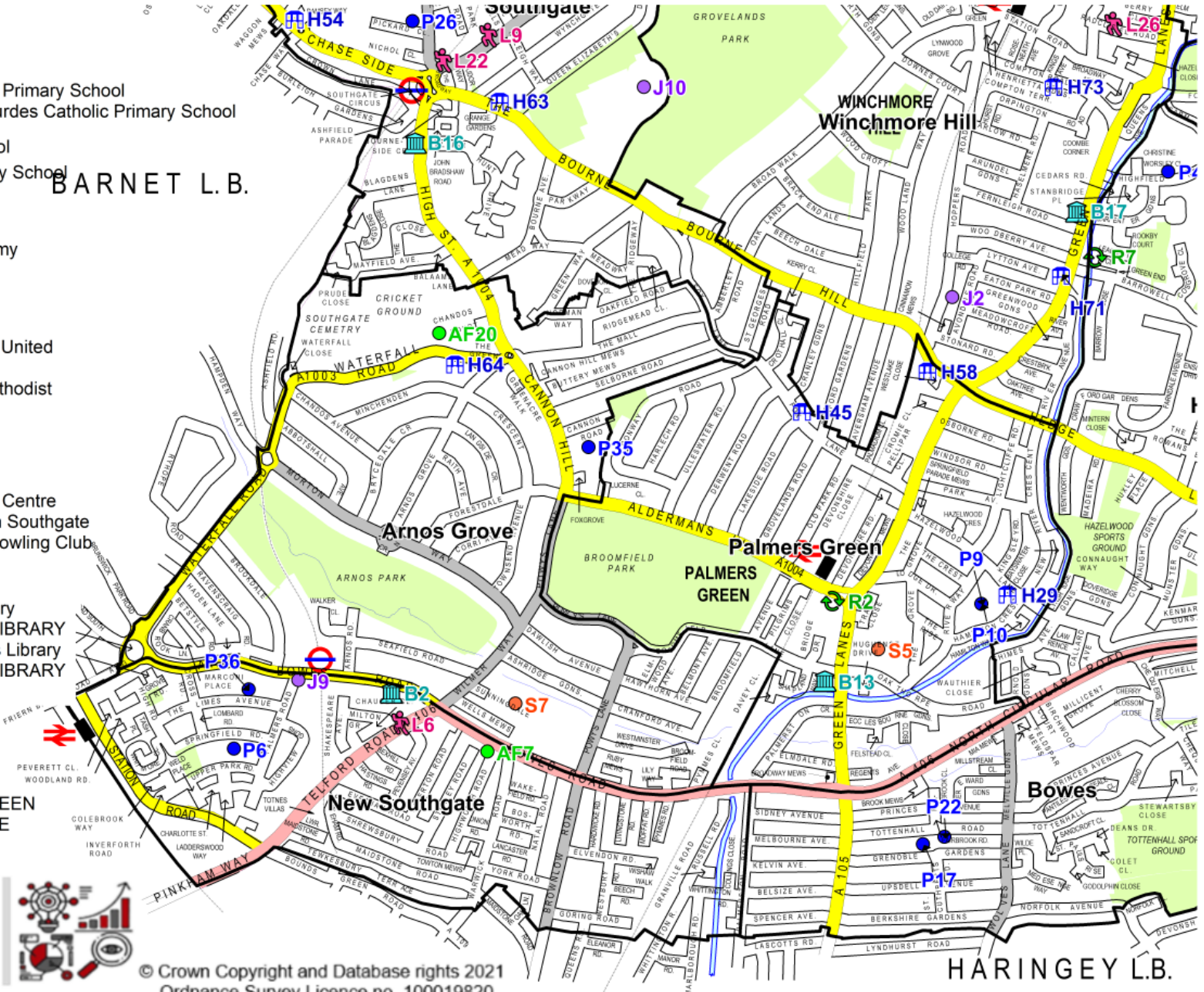- L22 PureGym London Southgate
- L26 Winchmore Hill Bowling Club

Libraries
- B2 Bowes Road Library
- B13 Palmers Green LIBRARY
- B16 Southgate Circus Library
- B17 Winchmore Hill LIBRARY

Recycling Sites
- R2 MORRISONS - BROOMFIELD LANE
- R7 BARROWELL GREEN RECYCLING CENTRE

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Sources and related notes

Various measures – Population, Age profile, ethnicity, religion and language: 2021 Census; © Crown Copyright, Office for National Statistics.
Economic Activity – all economically active 16-64 year olds = working plus unemployed – 2021 Census; © Crown Copyright, the activity rate (%) is the % of the population aged 16-64
Unemployment — the official DWP 'claimant count', April 2023
Universal Credit households – Department for Work and Pensions
Income – Low income households – CACI Paycheck; 2023; © CACI
Deprivation – Ministry for Housing, Communities & Local Government.
Children in low-income households – Department for Work and Pensions (2022)
Fuel Poverty – Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (2021)
Qualifications – 2021 Census; © Crown Copyright; note that this table excludes apprenticeships and 'other' qualifications
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Life Expectancy – Office for Health Improvement and Disparities (OHID)
Crime rate – uses crime counts from the Metropolitan Police for 2022/23