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BRIEFING NOTE

ANALYSIS OF MID-YEAR POPULATION DATA FOR 2019

FOR STRATFORD-ON-AVON DISTRICT

(Source: Office for National Statistics)

Population of Stratford District as of mid-year 2019 is 130,098

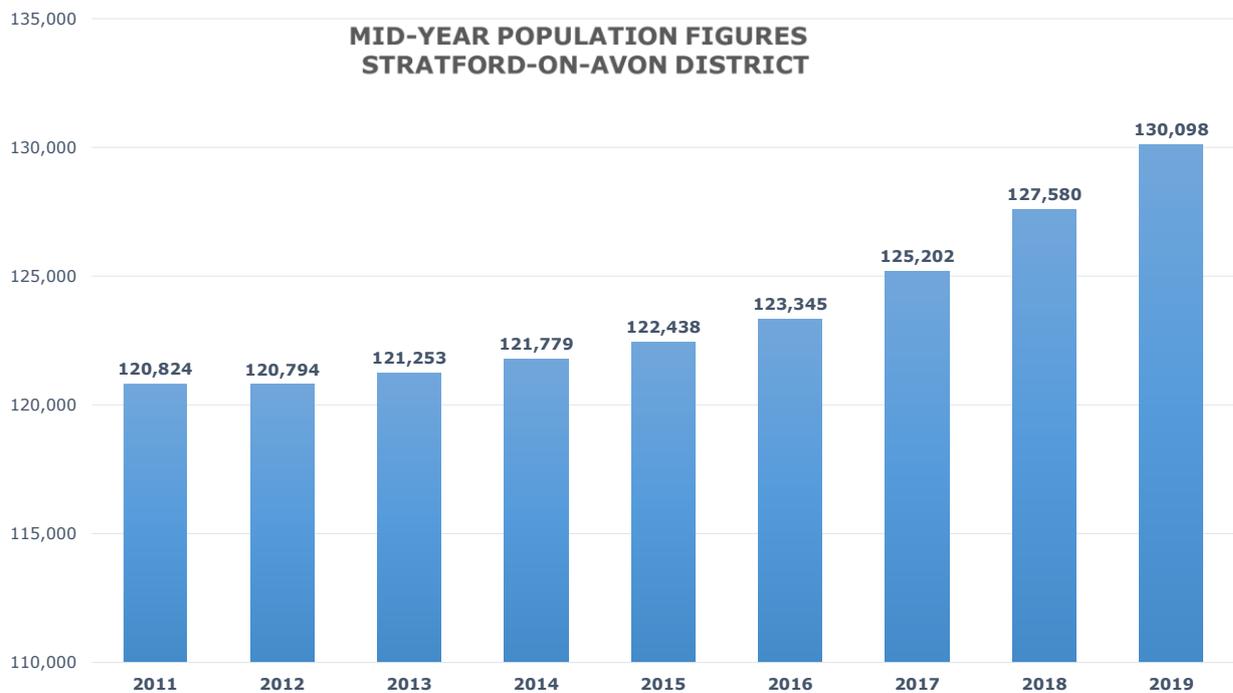
The mid-year population estimates for the UK, England and Wales and Northern Ireland are regularly published at the end of June each year.

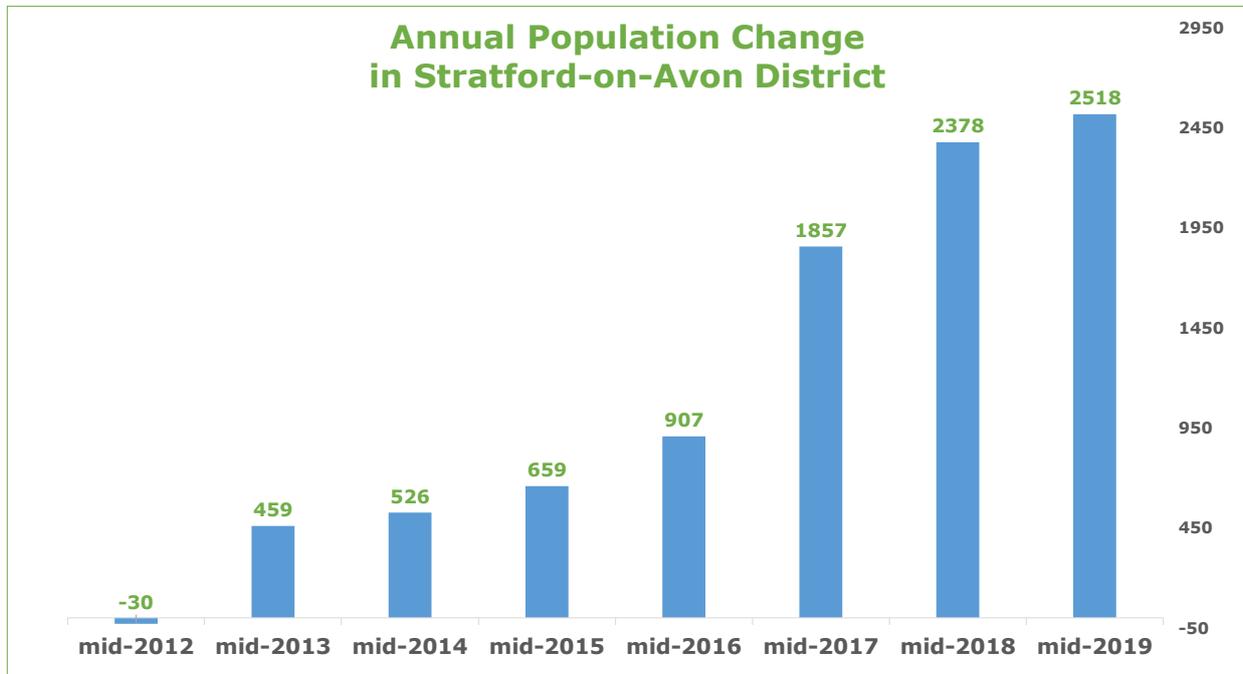
To help with analysis of the impacts of the coronavirus pandemic on the UK population, ONS (Office for National Statistics) has published a provisional set of population estimates for mid-2019. This release is by necessity a subset of the information regularly published in June, focusing primarily on the size, age structure and geography of the UK population. Information of the components (drivers) of population that change in each local area will be published in June.

Any changes to the population estimates between now and June are likely to be minor, but it is possible that the estimates ONS release in June 2020 differ slightly from those published now.

SINCE THE 2011 CENSUS

- Since mid-2011, the population of Stratford-on-Avon District increased by 9,274 (7.7%) from 120,824 to 130,098 in mid-2019.





Population	mid-2011	mid-2012	mid-2013	mid-2014	mid-2015	mid-2016	mid-2017	mid-2018	mid-2019
Stratford-on-Avon District	120,824	120,794	121,253	121,779	122,438	123,345	125,202	127,580	130,098
Change Year on Year		-30	459	526	659	907	1,857	2,378	2,518
Change Year on Year %		0.0%	0.4%	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	1.5%	1.9%	2.0%

COMPARING 2019 TO 2018 POPULATION

- Since 2018, the population of Stratford-on-Avon District increased by 2,518 (2.0%) from 127,580 in 2018, to 130,098 in 2019.

COMPARING 2019 TO 2018 POPULATION – COMPARISON WITH OTHER LOCAL AUTHORITIES

- The 2.0% rise in population from 2018 to 2019 is the 11th highest increase, compared with all 415 local authorities in the United Kingdom.
- Compared with the 188 districts, the 2.0% increase is the 7th highest from 2018 to 2019. The top three districts, all with increases of 2.6%, are South Derbyshire, Dartford and Tewkesbury.
- The 2.0% increase is the highest in the West Midlands, the next highest is Wychavon DC area at 1.6%.

POPULATION BREAKDOWN BY AGE BAND 2019, STRATFORD-ON-AVON DISTRICT

Age	All	Position vs 368 Great Britain Local Authorities
0 to 15	16.8%	70 th lowest
65+	25.5%	44 th highest
85+	3.6%	29 th highest
Working Age 16-64	57.8%	46 th lowest

MEDIAN AGE 2019, STRATFORD-ON-AVON DISTRICT

- Stratford District has a median age of 48.2, which is the 45th highest of all local authorities in England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland (415 authorities). The top three local authorities for median age are North Norfolk (54.3), Rother (53.1) and East Lindsey (52.4).
- Compared with the 188 English district councils, the 48.2 median age is the 31st highest and the third highest in the West Midlands, with only Malvern Hills DC (50.8) and Staffordshire Moorlands (48.6) higher.
- Median age in Stratford District has risen from 42.8 in 2001 to 48.2 in 2019.

POPULATION PER SQUARE KILOMETRE, STRATFORD-ON-AVON DISTRICT

- Stratford District has 133 people per square kilometre, 30th out of all 188 district Councils, putting the district in the top 16%.

DEPENDENCY RATIOS

Old-age-dependency ratio - The old-age-dependency ratio (OADR) is the number of people aged 65 years or over for every 1,000 people of working age (those aged 16 to 64 years).

Stratford District – 44.1 (43rd highest compared with 368 GB local authorities)

Dependency ratio - The dependency ratio is the number of people aged 65 years or over or aged under 16 years for every 1,000 people of working age (16 to 64 years).

Stratford District – 73.1 (46th highest compared with 368 GB local authorities)