



Revised Publication Local Plan

Parish Services Audit

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1.0 Introduction

To maintain quality of life, it is important for communities to be able to access services such as shops, health care, education and leisure facilities. Long distance travel to access these services is unsustainable because this inevitably involves increased car use and pollution. Therefore the number and type of services provided within each settlement is considered when judging its sustainability.

The Parish Services Audit is a desk-based assessment that identifies the number of services available to members of the public within the parish boundary for each settlement. The parish services are grouped into twenty-six service categories with four of those categories identified as key services. All services included in the assessment are listed in table 1.

Table 1 Services audited by Parish Survey (*key service)

Services	
Village Hall/Meeting Room*	Special Needs School
Convenience Store*	Youth Club/Centre
Primary Education*	Leisure centre/Gym
Healthcare*	Playing Field/Playground
Post Office	Sports Facilities
Supermarket	Dental Surgery
Bank	Opticians
Public House	Railway Station
Restaurant/Café/Takeaway	Care/Nursing Home
Hotel/Guest House/B & B	Industrial/Business Area
Petrol Station	Place of Worship
Nursery/Pre-School Group	Library
Secondary School	Bus Routes

This paper presents the number of services per parish and settlement hierarchy to support the policies of the Pre-Submission Revised Publication Selby Local Plan (March 2024). The full results of the parish services audit are contained in Appendix 1.

1.1 Settlement Hierarchy

The Parish Services Audit is used to inform the settlement hierarchy set out in the Selby Local Plan. The settlement hierarchy identifies 6 tiers of settlements each with their own defining criteria:

- Principal Town,
- Local Service Centre,
- Tier 1 Village,

- Tier 2 Village,
- Smaller Village, and
- Countryside.

The hierarchy of settlements and the settlement hierarchy methodology can be viewed in the Selby Local Plan Settlement Hierarchy Background Paper 2 (March 2024).

1.2 Linking of Settlements

Within the Core Strategy (2013) settlement hierarchy, several designated service villages were linked. These are:

- Barlby & Osgodby,
- Bryam & Brotherton,
- Eggborough & Whitley, and
- Monk Fryston & Hillam.

In each case, the first named larger village, which usually has the greater range of facilities, was regarded as the dominant village. For the purposes of the parish services audit, the settlements remain linked as they remain closely related with easy access across the linked settlements and share facilities and services such as schools.

1.3 Number of Parishes Per Number of Different Services

Table 2 shows the number of parishes per number of different services. No parishes contain all 26 different services identified in Table 1. Three parishes had 20 – 25 different services; these were The Principal Town (Selby) and the two Local Services Centres (Sherburn in Elmet and Tadcaster). Seventeen parishes contain between 10 and 19 services, fourteen parishes contain between 6 and 9 services, and twenty-nine parishes contain between 1 and 5 services. There are twelve parishes that have no services.

Table 2 Number of Parishes per number of different services

No. of Different Services	No. of Parishes
26 Services	0
20-25 Services	3
15-19 Services	1
10-14 Services	16
6-9 Services	14
3-5 Services	17
1-2 Service	12
0 Services	12

1.4 Number of Key Services per Parish

Table 3 shows the number of parishes per number of key services. The key services are:

- Village Hall/Meeting Room;
- Convenience Store;
- Primary Education;
- Healthcare.

Table 3 Number of parishes per number of key services

No. of Key Services	No. of parishes
0	28
1	15
2	12
3	8
4	12

Twenty-eight parishes have no key services, fifteen parishes have 1 key service, and twelve parishes have 2 key services. Eight parishes have 3 key services, and twelve parishes have all 4 key services.

The following sections provide a breakdown of which parishes contain which services.

2.0 Breakdown of the Number of Services Per Settlement Hierarchy and Parish

2.1 Principal Town

The Selby Urban Area consists of the built area of the parish of Selby as well as the north-eastern part of the parish of Brayton along Doncaster Road and the southwestern part of the parish of Barlby up to the Greencore Factory. The statistics for the Selby Urban Area therefore contain the combined number of residents, buildings and services for these areas.

The Selby Urban Area (Principal town) contains 24 different services including all 4 key services which highlights its status as the Principal town within the Revised Publication Version Selby Local Plan (2024).

Parish	Number of Different Services	Total Services	Number of Different Key Services	Total Number of Key Services
Selby Urban Area	24	202	4	26

2.2 Local Service Centre

The local service centres of Tadcaster and Sherburn in Elmet, do not have the same level of services as Selby, however they do have more than any of the other parishes. Therefore, they maintain their purpose of serving residents of the surrounding villages.

The Local Service Centre parishes have over 20 different services each including the 4 key services with Sherburn in Elmet having 21 services and Tadcaster having 23 services. This highlights their designation as a Local Service Centre in the emerging Local Plan (2024).

Parish	Number of Different Services	Total Services	Number of Different Key Services	Total Number of Key Services
Tadcaster	23	78	4	9
Sherburn in Elmet	21	71	4	10

2.3 Tier 1 Village

The Tier 1 Village parishes range from 9-15 different services. Byram and Brotherton contain the least with 9 different services, whilst Riccall contains the most with 15 different services. The range of different services as well as the larger number of total services identified ensures residents of these villages and the surrounding smaller villages have a satisfactory range of nearby services. Key Service provision in the Designated Service Village parishes ranges from 3 – 4 different key services provided.

Parish	Number of Different Services	Total Number of Services	Number of Different Key Services	Total Number of Key Services
Barlby & Osgodby	14	26	4	5
Brayton	11	16	3	5
Byram and Brotherton	9	14	4	6
Carlton	13	21	4	5
Eggborough & Whitley	14	22	4	5

Parish	Number of Different Services	Total Number of Services	Number of Different Key Services	Total Number of Key Services
Hambleton	10	13	3	3
Hemingbrough	11	17	3	3
Riccall	15	22	4	5
South Milford	13	19	4	5
Thorpe Willoughby	10	16	4	5

2.4 Tier 2 Village

The Tier 2 Village parishes range from having 7-13 different services. Cawood, Church Fenton, Escrick, Hensall, Monk Fryston & Hillam and North Duffield all have more than 10 different services. Key Service provision within the Tier 2 villages ranges from containing 2 – 4 different key services. Exceptions include Ulleskelf which only has 1 key service, but does have 8 different services overall including a train station with 4 different routes which run 7 days a week and up to 7 time a day.

Parish	Number of Different Services	Total Number of Services	Number of Different Key Services	Total Number of Key Services
Appleton Roebuck	7	8	2	2
Camblesforth	9	13	3	3
Cawood	11	22	3	3
Church Fenton	12	20	3	4
Cliffe	7	8	3	3
Escrick	12	20	3	4
Fairburn	7	10	2	3
Hensall	10	14	2	2
Kellington	9	10	2	2
Monk Fryston & Hillam	13	21	4	5
North Duffield	11	14	4	5
Ulleskelf	7	8	1	1
Wistow	9	13	2	2

2.5 Smaller Villages

The overall number of different services within smaller villages ranges widely from 11 different services in Drax to no service provision in Former Church Fenton Airbase, Little Fenton, Lumby, Newland and South Duffield. For those parishes with services, in some

cases the services are spread out and located in other areas of the parish. For example, for the village of Bilbrough, the majority of available services in the parish are located at the Bilbrough Top service station, which is situated more than 1km to the south of the village. Smaller villages range from having no key services to only 1 or 2 key services.

Parish	Number of Different Services	Total Number of Services	Number of Different Key Services	Total Number of Key Services
Barkston Ash	6	8	2	2
Barlow	4	5	2	2
Beal	6	10	1	1
Biggin	1	1	0	0
Bilbrough	10	15	2	3
Birkin	4	4	0	0
Bolton Percy	6	8	1	2
Burn	4	4	0	0
Burton Salmon	4	4	2	2
Chapel Haddlesey	4	4	2	2
Former Church Fenton Airbase	0	0	0	0
Colton	4	4	0	0
Cridling Stubbs	2	2	1	1
Drax	11	17	1	1
Gateforth	1	1	0	0
Healaugh	3	3	1	1
Heck	5	5	1	1
Hirst Courtney	2	3	0	0
Kelfield	4	4	1	1
Kellingley	2	3	0	0
Kirk Smeaton	8	8	2	2
Little Fenton	0	0	0	0
Little Smeaton	1	2	0	0
Lumby	0	0	0	0
Newland	0	0	0	0
Newton Kyme	3	4	0	0
Ryther Cum Ossendyke	3	3	1	1
Saxton	7	10	2	2
Skipwith	3	4	1	1
South Duffield	0	0	0	0
Stillingfleet	3	4	1	1

Stutton	5	5	1	1
Thorganby	6	7	1	1
Towton	1	1	0	0
West Haddlesey	4	4	1	1
Womersley	3	4	0	0

2.6 Countryside

The size of populations in the settlements designated as ‘countryside’ cannot attract or support any significant levels of services. Instead, such parishes and settlements rely upon service provision in nearby settlements, as a result service provision is very minimal in these locations. Seven parishes contain no service provision, whilst 2 parishes contain only 1 service. Three parishes contain 2 different services out of a total provision of 2 services (Acaster Selby, Balne, Huddleston with Newthorpe) whilst Temple Hirst contains 3 different services. All the parishes in the countryside have no key services with the exception of Balne, with 1 key service.

Parish	Number of Different Services	Total Number of Services	Number of Different Key Services	Total Number of Key Services
Acaster Selby	2	2	0	0
Balne	2	2	1	1
Catterton	0	0	0	0
Grimston	0	0	0	0
Huddleston with Newthorpe	2	2	0	0
Kikby Wharfe with North Milford	1	1	0	0
Lead	0	0	0	0
Long Drax	0	0	0	0
Oxton	0	0	0	0
Stapleton	0	0	0	0
Steeton	1	1	0	0
Stubbs Walden	0	0	0	0
Temple Hirst	3	3	0	0

3.0 Conclusion

The audit highlights the availability of services present in each of the parishes and settlements within the former district of Selby. Service provision can be used to show the vitality and sustainability of the majority of our parishes, with only twelve of the seventy-five parishes surveyed having no services. However, the high number of parishes, twenty-eight, without any of the four key services highlights an area of improvement to identify and target for improvements or to be identified for reassessment. Community facilities play an important role in the sustainability and vitality of our local communities which is reflected in the Settlement Hierarchy. Policy IC2 of the Revised Publication Selby Local Plan (2024) is a strategic policy that sets out the protection of existing community facilities.

Appendix 1 – Full Results of the Parish Services Audit (December 2022) (overleaf)

Settlement	Parish Population (Mid Year 2021 - ONS)	Key Service - Village Hall/Meeting Room	Key Service - Convenience Store	Key Service - Primary Education	Key Service - Healthcare	Post Office	Supermarket	Bank	Public House	Restaurant/café/ Takeaways	Hotel/ Guest House/B & B	Petrol Station	Nursery/ Pre-School Group	Secondary School	Special needs School	Youth Club/ Centre	Leisure centre/ Gym	Playing Field/ Play Ground	Sports Facilities	Dental Surgery	Opticians	Railway Station	Care/ Nursing Homes	Industrial/Business Area	Place of Worship	Library	Bus Routes
Acaster Selby	41																		1						1		0
Appleton Roebuck	830	1		1					1			1	1						1						2		1
Balne	244	1																	1								1
Barkston Ash	360	1		1					2				2										1		1		4
Barlby & Osgodby	442 5	2	1	1	1				2	2	2			1				9	1				1	1	1	1	7
Barlow	750	1		1									1					2									2
Beal	771	1							2	1			1					2						3			1
Biggin	148								1																		1
Bilbrough	348	1	2						1	3	2	2			1			1						1	1		1
Birkin	124									1								1	1							1	0
Bolton Percy	327	2				1				1	2							1							1		1

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Brayton	318 3	2	1	2		1			2			1	1	1				1	2						2		3
Burn	462								1				1						1						1		2
Burton Salmon	398	1		1					1										1								4
Byram and Brotherton	217 9	2	2	1	1	1				2			2					2							1		3
Camblesforth	156 0	1	1	1		1			2	2								2					2	1		3	
Carlton	203 9	2	1	1	1	1			2	1	3		1	1				2	2						3		2
Catterton	63																										1
Cawood	165 3	1	1	1		1			3	3	2		3					2	4						1		1
Chapel Haddlesey	213	1		1					1																1		2
Church Fenton	142 0	2	1	1		1			2	3	1		1					2	3			1			2		3
Former Church Fenton Airbase	356																										N/A

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Cliffe	1378	1	1	1					1				1					1	2								4
Colton	164								1	1	1														1		1
Cridling Stubbs	176	1																1									N/A
Drax	515	1							1	1	1		1				1	2	6				1	1	1		1
Eggborough & Whitley	3633	1	2	1	1	1			2	3	1		1					3				1	1	1	3		1
Escrick	1064	2		1	1				3	2	2		2	1				1	2					2	1		1
Fairburn	806	2		1					1							1		1	3						1		2
Gateforth	222																		1								3
Grimston	56																										2
Hambleton	2187	1	1	1					1		1		2					2	1				1		2		2
Healaugh	146	1				1																			1		1

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Heck	233	1							1				1					1							1		2
Hemingbrough	1996	1	1	1		1			2	2			1				1	2	3						2		4
Hensall	792	1		1		1				1						1		3	2			1		1	2		3
Hirst Courtney	280																	1	2								N/A
Huddleston with Newthorpe	88									1	1																N/A
Kelfield	413	1							1		1								1								1
Kellingley	227									1														2			1
Kellington	892	1		1					2		1		1					1					1	1	1		1
Kirby Wharfe with North Milford	390																								1		N/A
Kirk Smeaton	87	1		1		1			1				1			1									1	1	1
Lead	45																										N/A

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Little Fenton	111																										1	
Little Smeaton	301																	2									N/A	
Long Drax	109																										N/A	
Lumby	122																										N/A	
Monk Fryston & Hillam	1717	2	1	1	1	1			2	1	2		3			2		3	1						1		9	
Newland	223																										N/A	
Newton Kyme	92													1				2							1		1	
North Duffield	1305	2	1	1	1	1			1	1								1	2					2	1		3	
Oxton	17																										N/A	
Riccall	2520	2	1	1	1	1			2	4	1		2					2	1					1	1	1	1	1
Ryther cum Ossendyke	269	1							1																1		N/A	

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Saxton	521	1		1					2									1	2				1		2		5
Selby Urban Area	22036	5	14	4	3	2	6	5	22	59	6	2	9	2		1	7	10	8	4	4	1	9	8	10	1	20
Sherburn in Elmet	8497	3	4	2	1	1	2		4	18	2		4	1			1	7	10	2	1	2	1	1	3	1	7
Skipwith	282	1							1																2		1
South Duffield	159																										N/A
South Milford	2778	2	1	1	1	1			2	3		1	1					2	2			1			1		5
Stapleton	71																										N/A
Steeton	48									1																	N/A
Stillingfleet	399	1									1														2		1
Stubbs Walden	61																										N/A
Stutton	322	1							1		1		1												1		4

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Tadcaster	5899	3	2	3	1	2	1	1	13	23	1	1	4	1		1	2	3	4	3	1		1	2	4	1	10
Temple Hirst	148								1														1		1		N/A
Thorganby	387	1							1		2		1					1							1		1
Thorpe Willoughby	3486	1	2	1	1				1	2			1					4	2						1		4
Towton	214								1																		3
Ulleskelf	786	1				1			1									1	2			1			1		1
West Haddlesey	225	1				1												1							1		3
Wistow	1255	1		1					1				1			1		2	3				1		2		1
Womersley	411									1								2							1		1

 = Key Service