

Your Constituency



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Jersey's elected parliament



St Helier South

Constituency Statistics Report 2026

Introduction

This report brings together key statistics about the constituency of St Helier South to help inform and support constituents ahead of the June 2026 elections in Jersey. By presenting clear, accessible data on the makeup of our community, the report aims to provide a useful snapshot of local demographics, social characteristics and housing trends relevant to voters, candidates and anyone with an interest in the constituency.

The information in this report has been sourced from Statistics Jersey, drawing primarily on the most recent [Jersey Census in 2021](#) and the [Jersey Opinions and Lifestyle Survey 2025](#). These statistics offer the most reliable and comprehensive picture of life within St Helier South and cover areas such as population, age structure, employment, household composition and other key indicators that help illustrate the character of our constituency.

A full suite of detailed data for Jersey and each constituency is available on the [Statistics Jersey website](#), including interactive tables and further breakdowns to complement the summary contained in this document.

Through the careful compilation of these figures, this report aims to provide a clear and factual foundation for understanding our community as we look ahead to the 2026 election period.

Similar reports for other constituencies are available [here](#). Please note that these reports present key data for electoral constituencies for Deputies, rather than for individual parishes.

Key Figures

Population

St Helier South had a total population of **11,180**, the fourth-lowest among all constituencies.

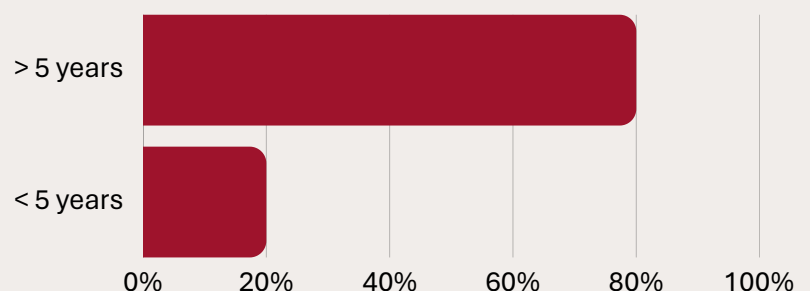
11,180

This accounted for approximately **11%** of Jersey's total population.

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Length of residence in Jersey

1 in 5 (20%) of St Helier South residents had lived in Jersey for fewer than 5 years and 80% for more than 5 years.

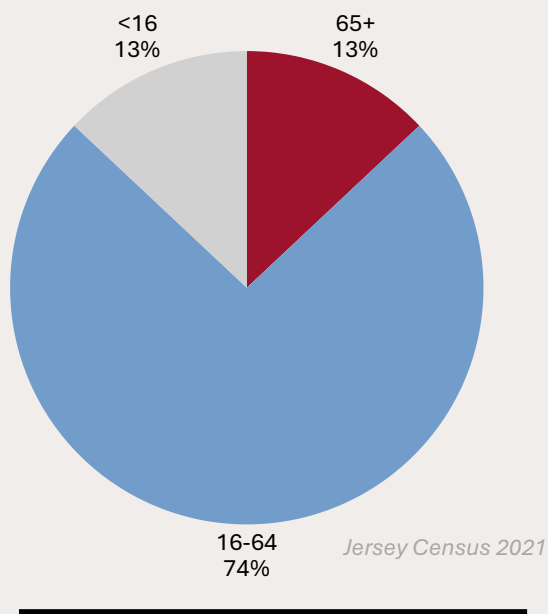


Jersey Census 2021

Key Figures

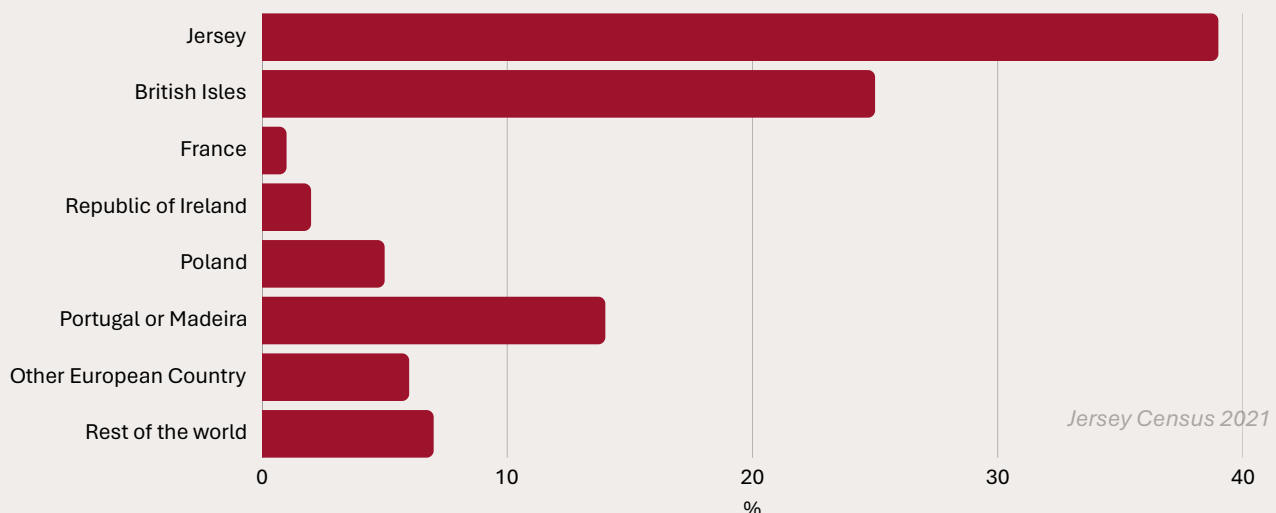
Young, working-age and elderly people

St Helier South had the second largest percentage of working-age people (**74%**) and second lowest percentage of 65+ residents at **13%**.



Place of birth and ethnicity

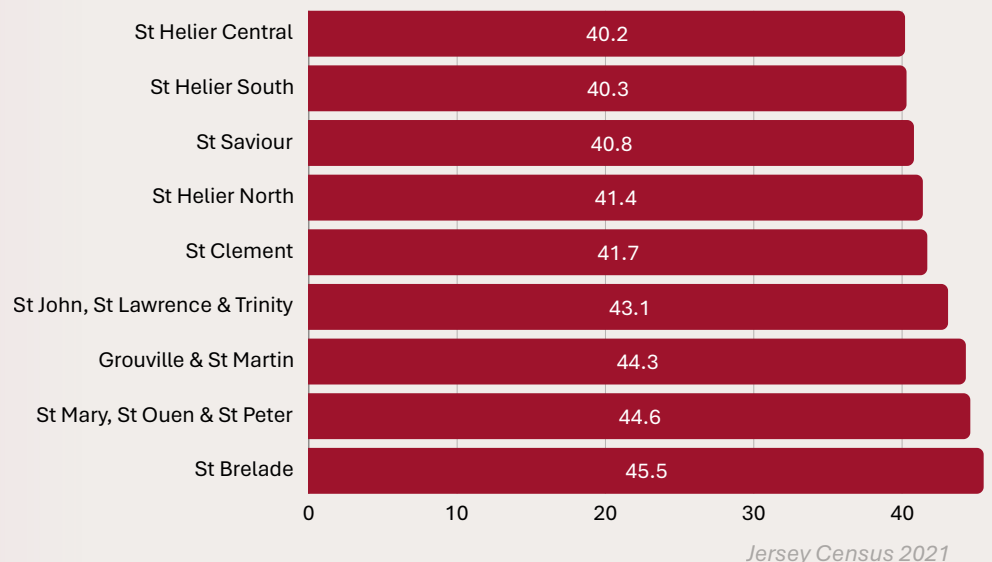
St Helier South had the joint lowest percentage (**39%**) of people born in Jersey, while **7%** of St Helier South residents were born outside of Europe.



Demographics

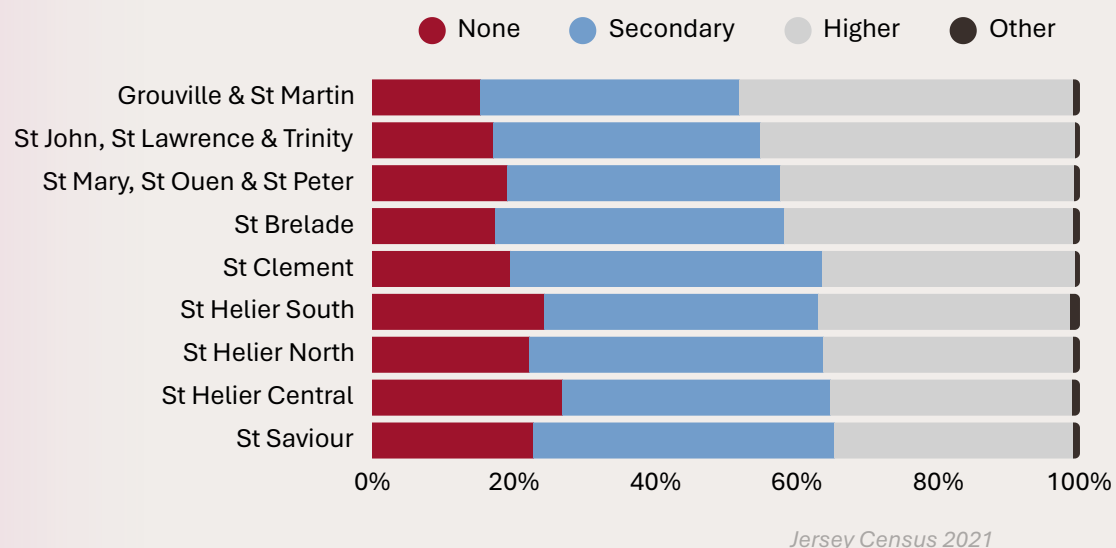
Average age

The mean age of St Helier South residents was second lowest out of all constituencies at **40.3 years**.



Higher Education Attainment

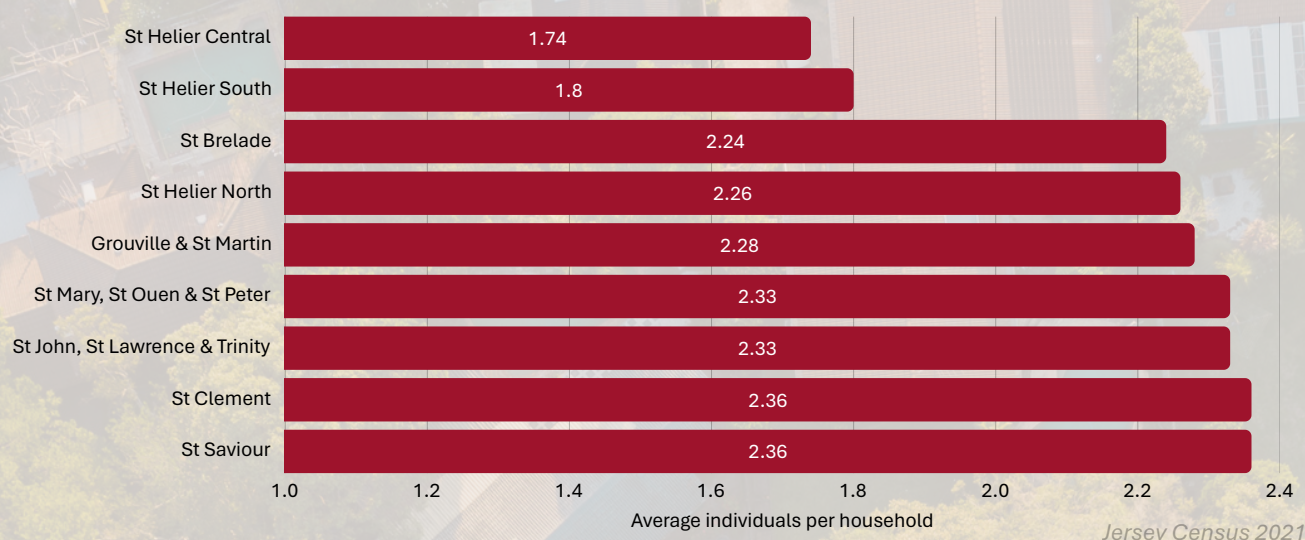
Almost **a quarter (24%)** of St Helier South adults had not attained secondary or higher education qualifications, which was the second highest proportion of all constituencies.



Housing & Households

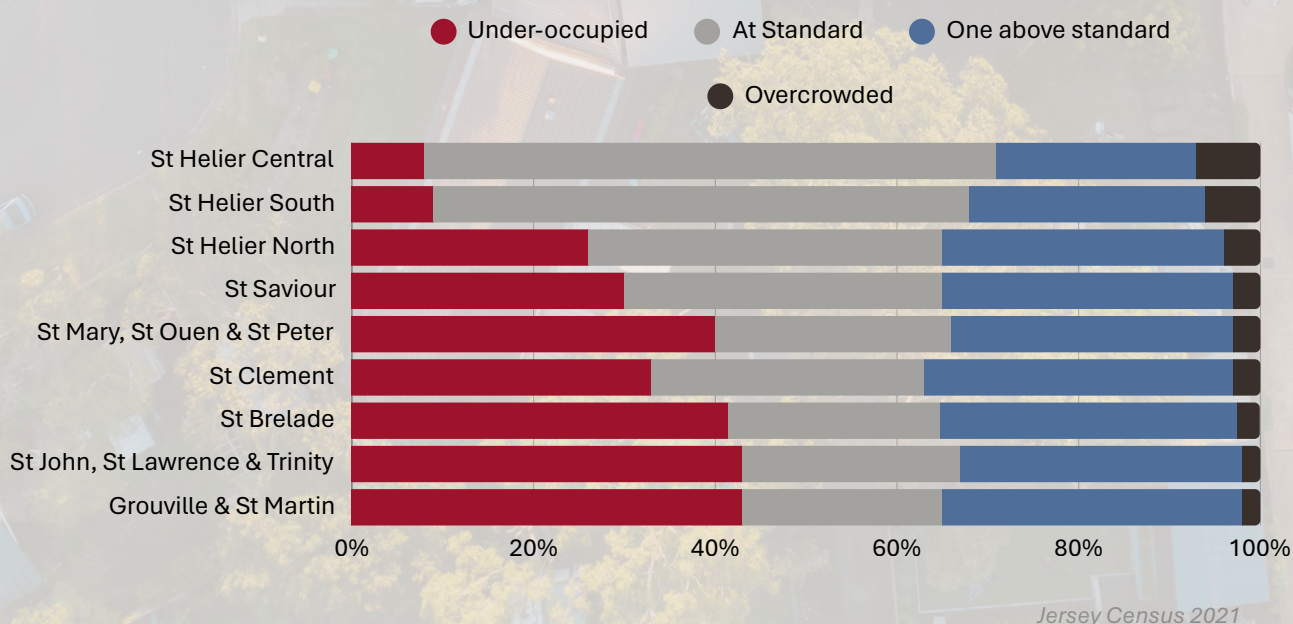
Size of households

St Helier South, along with St Helier Central, had much lower average household sizes than other constituencies. An average of **1.80** individuals resided per household in St Helier South compared to 2.36 in St Saviour.



Overcrowding

St Helier South had the second highest (**6%**) level of overcrowding compared to other constituencies and one of the lowest levels (**9%**) of under-occupied properties (Grouville & St Martin had the highest at 43%).

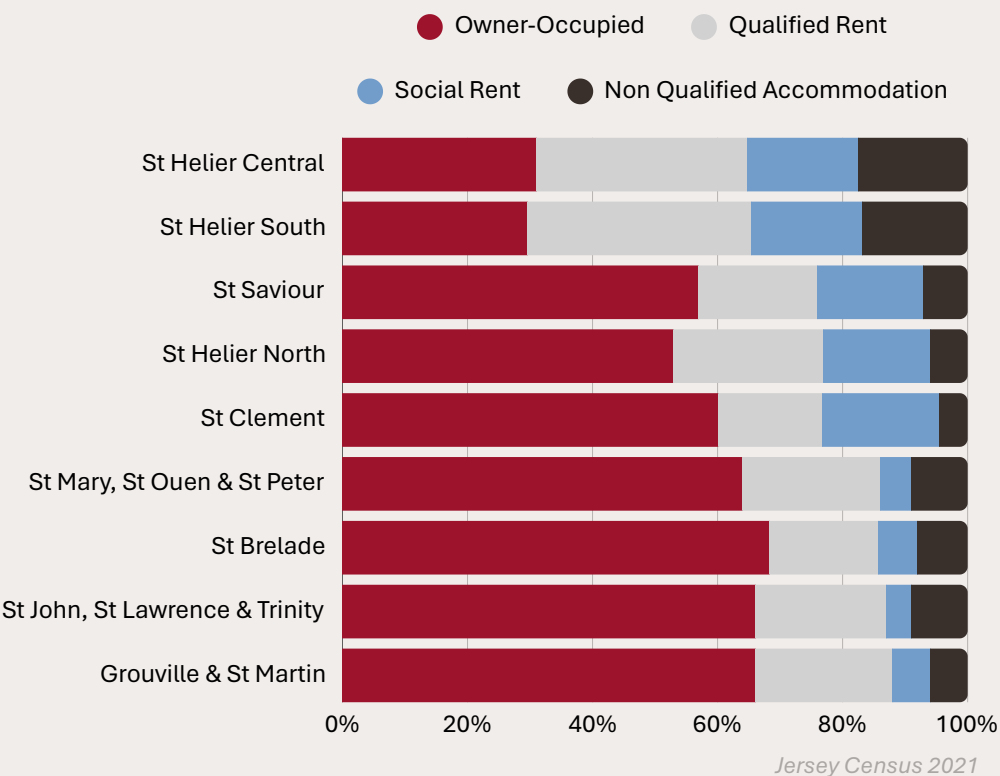




Housing & Households

Tenure

Approximately **1 in 6** households in St Helier South lived in non-qualified accommodation (17%), with a similar proportion who lived in social rental properties (**18%**). Only **30%** of households were owner-occupied — the lowest percentage of all constituencies.



Cars per household

The average number of cars per household in St Helier South was **0.79**, which was the second lowest out of all constituencies.

41% = 0 cars

2% = 3 cars

28% = 1 car

0% = 4 cars

11% = 2 cars

0% = 5 + cars

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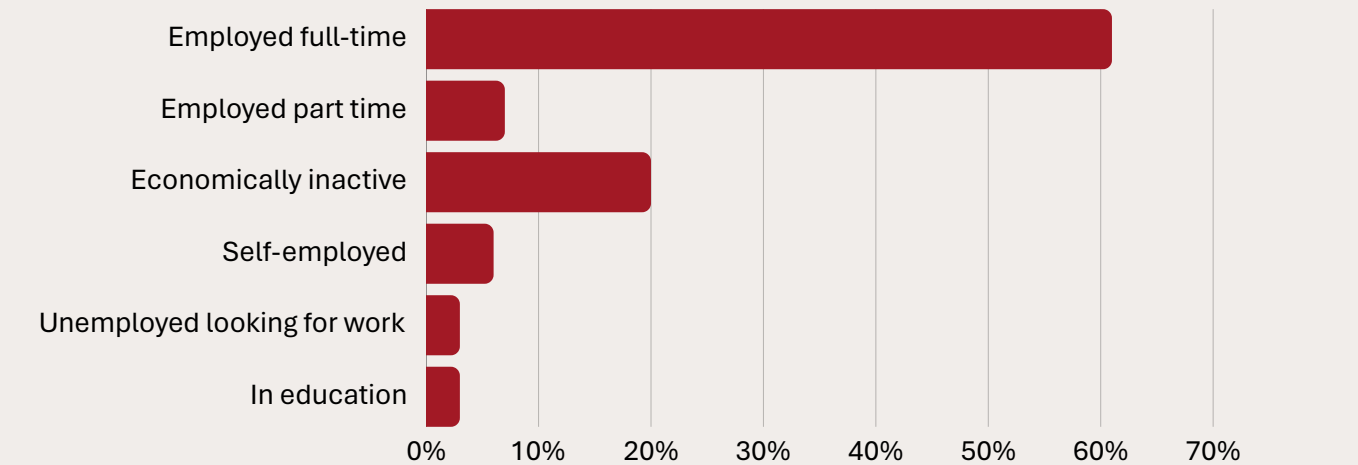


Cost of Living

Economic status

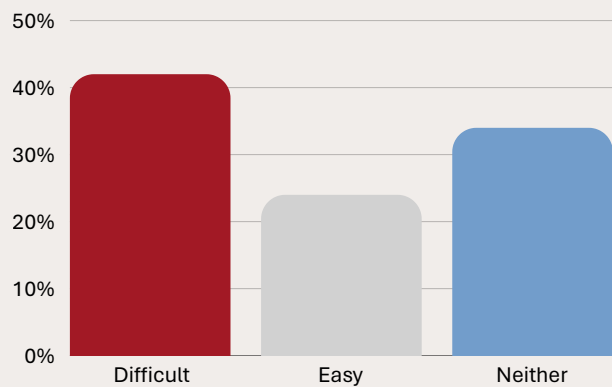
St Helier South had the second highest proportion (**61%**) of adults in full-time employment (St Brelade had the lowest at 39%). It also had the second lowest number of adults who were economically inactive at **20%**.

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Coping financially

St Helier South had the highest proportion (**42%**) of respondent households who found it difficult to cope financially. In comparison, St John, St Lawrence & Trinity had the lowest proportion with 17% who reported finding it difficult to cope financially.



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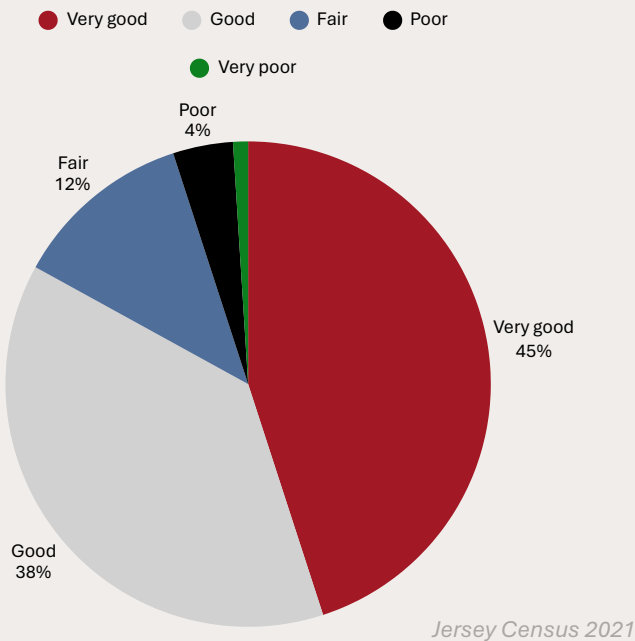




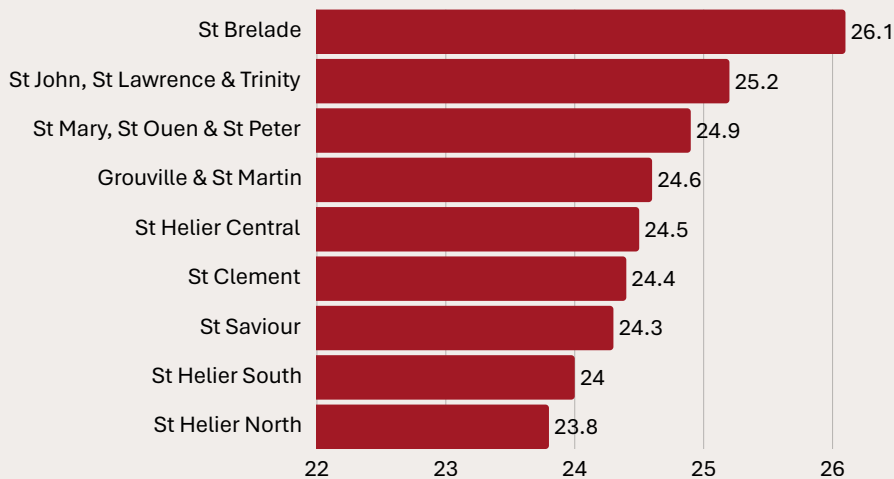
Health & Wellbeing

Physical and mental health

St Helier South had the second lowest proportion (45%) of people who reported being in very good health. This was compared with St John, St Lawrence & Trinity and Grouville & St Martin both of which had the highest proportion of people who reported being in very good health (54%).



Residents of St Helier South scored second lowest for their overall mental wellbeing (including life satisfaction, happiness, anxiety and feeling worthwhile) with a mean score of **24.0**.



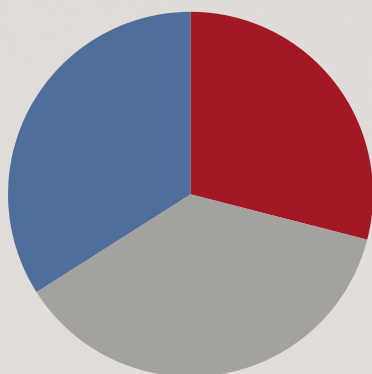
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(Note: SWEMWBS = Short Warwick-Edinburgh Mental Wellbeing Scale)

Civic Engagement

In 2022, **52%** of the St Helier South voting age population were registered to vote. However, the number of those who voted was just **35%**.

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● Yes ● No ● Not sure



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Voting intentions

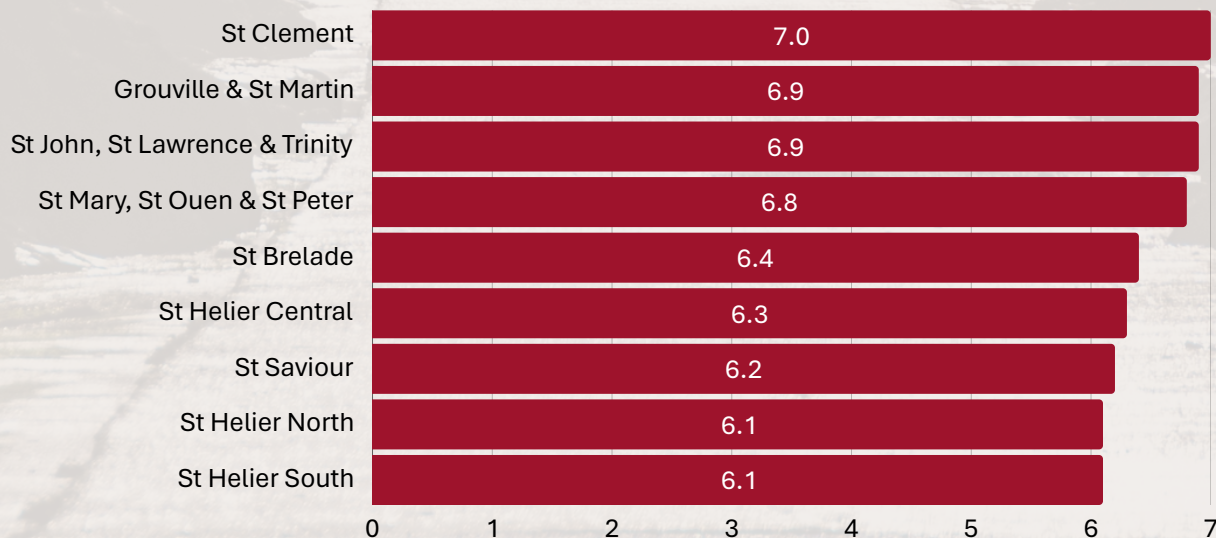
St Helier South had the lowest proportion (**29%**) of respondents who planned to vote in the June 2026 election. 37% of people said they wouldn't vote, while 34% were unsure.

Trust in Government

St Helier South residents reported the highest mean trust score in Government at **6.2** (overall result range was 5.4:6.2) compared to St Saviour which had the lowest at 5.4.

Trust in Your Constituency

St Helier South had the joint lowest mean trust score in its constituency at **6.1**.



Jersey Opinions and Lifestyle Survey 2025