

**Crime Summary for Cherwell & West Oxon**  
**Rolling 12 Months**  
**April 2023 To March 2024**

OFFENCES	Finally Recorded				Crimes Per 1000 Population/ Household	Formal Action Taken Outcomes		
	2021/2022	2022/2023	2023/2024	% Change	2023/2024	2021/2022	2022/2023	2023/2024
<b>All Crime (excluding Fraud)</b>	<b>17,345</b>	<b>17,917</b>	<b>16,996</b>	<b>-5.1%</b>	<b>60.47</b>	<b>2,498</b>	<b>2,802</b>	<b>2,808</b>
<b>Victim Based Crime</b>	<b>13,785</b>	<b>14,770</b>	<b>14,438</b>	<b>-2.3%</b>	<b>51.37</b>	<b>1,597</b>	<b>1,834</b>	<b>1,921</b>
- Violence Against the Person	6,616	6,864	6,804	-0.9%	24.21	1,004	1,178	1,160
- Homicide	1	2	2	0.0%	0.01	1	0	0
- Violence with Injury	1,751	1,813	1,818	0.3%	6.47	352	467	433
- Violence without Injury (Excluding Harassment)	2,564	2,588	2,686	3.8%	9.56	566	622	577
- Harassment	2,300	2,461	2,298	-6.6%	8.18	85	89	150
- Sexual Offences	790	709	664	-6.4%	2.36	137	118	143
- Rape	299	250	226	-9.6%	0.80	27	24	19
- Non-Rape Sexual Offences	491	459	438	-4.6%	1.56	110	94	124
- Robbery	49	84	79	-6.0%	0.28	12	6	15
- Robbery of Business Property	3	4	16	300.0%	0.06	2	1	2
- Robbery of Personal Property	46	80	63	-21.3%	0.22	10	5	13
- Burglary	665	659	655	-0.6%	6.55	45	47	47
- Burglary Dwelling	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0	0	0
- Burglary Non-Dwelling	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0	0	0
- Residential Burglary - Dwelling	293	266	283	6.4%	2.83	32	32	17
- Residential Burglary - Sheds / Garages	143	136	145	6.6%	1.45	1	2	2
- Business & Community Burglary	229	257	227	-11.7%	2.27	12	13	28
- Vehicle Crime	801	994	998	0.4%	3.55	20	17	9
- Theft of Vehicle	173	233	227	-2.6%	0.81	15	11	5
- Theft from Vehicle	551	662	667	0.8%	2.37	4	3	4
- Vehicle Interference	77	99	104	5.1%	0.37	1	3	0
- Theft from the Person	210	265	185	-30.2%	0.66	4	7	6
- Bicycle Theft	179	190	131	-31.1%	0.47	1	14	10
- Shoplifting	1,412	1,581	1,771	12.0%	6.30	187	232	341
- Making off without Payment	495	596	564	-5.4%	2.01	5	14	9
- All Other Theft Offences	1,021	1,173	1,113	-5.1%	3.96	40	40	34
- Arson & Criminal Damage	1,547	1,655	1,474	-10.9%	5.24	142	161	147
- Arson	101	121	80	-33.9%	0.28	7	12	7
- Criminal Damage	1,446	1,534	1,394	-9.1%	4.96	135	149	140
<b>Crimes Against Society</b>	<b>3,560</b>	<b>3,147</b>	<b>2,558</b>	<b>-18.7%</b>	<b>9.10</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>968</b>	<b>887</b>
- Drug Offences	588	527	539	2.3%	1.92	437	498	428
- Trafficking of Drugs	151	109	125	14.7%	0.44	78	68	58
- Possession of Drugs	437	418	414	-1.0%	1.47	359	430	370
- Possession of Weapons Offences	104	131	178	35.9%	0.63	71	69	107

- Public Order Offences	2,505	2,052	1,382	-32.7%	4.92	277	273	194
- Miscellaneous Crimes against Society	363	437	459	5.0%	1.63	116	128	158

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<b>Recorded Hate Crime (included in above crimes) and Incidents</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>-21.5%</b>	<b>1.78</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>54</b>
Racially or Religiously Aggravated Crime	153	165	123	-25.5%	0.44	21	16	24
Racist Incidents - Recorded Crime	230	294	199	-32.3%	0.71	29	38	31
Racist Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	66	79	58	-26.6%	0.21			
Religious Incidents- Recorded Crime	7	19	13	-31.6%	0.05	0	0	0
Religious Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	2	12	6	-50.0%	0.02			
Homophobic Incidents - Recorded Crime	61	60	35	-41.7%	0.12	12	12	10
Homophobic Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	10	13	18	38.5%	0.06			
Transphobic Incidents - Recorded Crime	28	35	28	-20.0%	0.10	6	3	3
Transphobic Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	6	10	10	0.0%	0.04			
Disability Incidents - Recorded Crime	63	79	77	-2.5%	0.27	4	4	10
Disability Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	26	36	56	55.6%	0.20			
<b>Domestic Crime and Incidents - Domestic Qualifier Only</b>								
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Recorded Crime	2,762	2,998	2,961	-1.2%	10.53	267	306	283
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	2,270	2,659	2,698	1.5%	9.60			
<b>Domestic Crime and Incidents - National Definition</b>								
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Recorded Crime (ND)	732	903	636	-29.6%	2.26	98	101	71
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence (ND)	153	196	147	-25.0%	0.52			

**Source:** Thames Valley Crime Recording System - Niche - offences recorded from 29 April 2014

Please note that the total number for Recorded Hate Crime (included in above crimes) and Incidents does not include Racially or Religiously Aggravated Crime as these are counted in the crime figures

Following the introduction of Niche RMS the number of crimes with a domestic abuse qualifier that have been finalised as domestic abuse under the national definition has fallen from around 94% to around 80%. At the same time the number of domestic abuse non crime occurrences has fallen from around 70% to around 40%. This is due to the fact that key information to identify whether an occurrence is compliant with the national definition has not been recorded. Additional records which meet the criteria but which do not have the domestic qualifier are also included.

**Note:** The data provided is taken from our crime recording system. This is a dynamic system. Additional information identified during the investigation may lead to a reassessment of the crime classification. Information held on the system is also subject to review to ensure compliance with the Home Office Counting Rules for Recording Crime and the National Crime Recording Standard. As a result of this crime levels and classifications may change over time and this data may not match data previously published or data published in the future. For this reason, the data should only be used as an indicator of crime trends.

