

**Crime Summary for Reading**  
**Rolling 12 Months**  
**April 2021 To March 2022**

| OFFENCES   | Finally Recorded |               |               |              | Crimes Per 1000<br>Population/ Household | Outcomes     |              |              |
|--|------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|  | 2019/2020        | 2020/2021     | 2021/2022     | % Change     | 2021/2022                                | 2019/2020    | 2020/2021    | 2021/2022    |
| <b>All Crime (excluding Fraud)</b>               | <b>16,677</b>    | <b>15,017</b> | <b>18,242</b> | <b>21.5%</b> | <b>111.77</b>                            | <b>1,950</b> | <b>2,262</b> | <b>2,216</b> |
| <b>Victim Based Crime</b>                        | <b>14,723</b>    | <b>12,510</b> | <b>14,640</b> | <b>17.0%</b> | <b>89.70</b>                             | <b>1,291</b> | <b>1,431</b> | <b>1,287</b> |
| - Violence Against the Person                    | 5,493            | 5,333         | 6,661         | 24.9%        | 40.81                                    | 591          | 728          | 710          |
| - Homicide                                       | 0                | 6             | 5             | -16.7%       | 0.03                                     | 0            | 6            | 2            |
| - Violence with Injury                           | 1,761            | 1,427         | 1,898         | 33.0%        | 11.63                                    | 271          | 311          | 263          |
| - Violence without Injury (Excluding Harassment) | 2,602            | 2,379         | 2,806         | 18.0%        | 17.19                                    | 265          | 331          | 377          |
| - Harassment                                     | 1,130            | 1,521         | 1,952         | 28.3%        | 11.96                                    | 55           | 80           | 68           |
| - Sexual Offences                                | 638              | 543           | 663           | 22.1%        | 4.06                                     | 23           | 53           | 51           |
| - Rape   | 236              | 226           | 263           | 16.4%        | 1.61                                     | 3            | 18           | 16           |
| - Non-Rape Sexual Offences                       | 402              | 317           | 400           | 26.2%        | 2.45                                     | 20           | 35           | 35           |
| - Robbery  | 269              | 172           | 157           | -8.7%        | 0.96                                     | 41           | 40           | 24           |
| - Robbery of Business Property                   | 13               | 5             | 8             | 60.0%        | 0.05                                     | 4            | 5            | 1            |
| - Robbery of Personal Property                   | 256              | 167           | 149           | -10.8%       | 0.91                                     | 37           | 35           | 23           |
| - Burglary                                       | 1,007            | 756           | 757           | 0.1%         | 12.04                                    | 104          | 82           | 77           |
| - Burglary Dwelling                              | 0                | 0             | 0             | N/A          | N/A                                      | 2            | 0            | 0            |
| - Burglary Non-Dwelling                          | 0                | 0             | 0             | N/A          | N/A                                      | 2            | 0            | 0            |
| - Residential Burglary - Dwelling                | 397              | 281           | 315           | 12.1%        | 5.01                                     | 48           | 41           | 40           |
| - Residential Burglary - Sheds / Garages         | 220              | 298           | 223           | -25.2%       | 3.55                                     | 2            | 11           | 10           |
| - Business & Community Burglary                  | 390              | 177           | 219           | 23.7%        | 3.48                                     | 50           | 30           | 27           |
| - Vehicle Crime                                  | 1,339            | 1,356         | 1,127         | -16.9%       | 6.91                                     | 50           | 91           | 46           |
| - Theft of Vehicle                               | 291              | 264           | 370           | 40.2%        | 2.27                                     | 10           | 12           | 15           |
| - Theft from Vehicle                             | 931              | 842           | 614           | -27.1%       | 3.76                                     | 36           | 31           | 19           |
| - Vehicle Interference                           | 117              | 250           | 143           | -42.8%       | 0.88                                     | 4            | 48           | 12           |
| - Theft from the Person                          | 437              | 216           | 375           | 73.6%        | 2.30                                     | 8            | 11           | 2            |
| - Bicycle Theft                                  | 777              | 716           | 596           | -16.8%       | 3.65                                     | 13           | 16           | 4            |
| - Shoplifting                                    | 1,273            | 809           | 1,155         | 42.8%        | 7.08                                     | 300          | 195          | 201          |
| - Making off without Payment                     | 164              | 169           | 314           | 85.8%        | 1.92                                     | 0            | 5            | 5            |
| - All Other Theft Offences                       | 1,509            | 1,016         | 1,268         | 24.8%        | 7.77                                     | 50           | 45           | 26           |
| - Arson & Criminal Damage                        | 1,817            | 1,424         | 1,567         | 10.0%        | 9.60                                     | 111          | 165          | 141          |
| - Arson  | 67               | 65            | 68            | 4.6%         | 0.42                                     | 1            | 2            | 1            |
| - Criminal Damage                                | 1,750            | 1,359         | 1,499         | 10.3%        | 9.18                                     | 110          | 163          | 140          |
| <b>Crimes Against Society</b>                    | <b>1,954</b>     | <b>2,507</b>  | <b>3,602</b>  | <b>43.7%</b> | <b>22.07</b>                             | <b>659</b>   | <b>831</b>   | <b>929</b>   |
| - Drug Offences                                  | 581              | 730           | 612           | -16.2%       | 3.75                                     | 315          | 433          | 447          |
| - Trafficking of Drugs                           | 227              | 265           | 213           | -19.6%       | 1.31                                     | 82           | 95           | 102          |
| - Possession of Drugs                            | 354              | 465           | 399           | -14.2%       | 2.44                                     | 233          | 338          | 345          |
| - Possession of Weapons Offences                 | 147              | 167           | 122           | -27.0%       | 0.75                                     | 71           | 86           | 84           |
| - Public Order Offences                          | 931              | 1,325         | 2,590         | 95.5%        | 15.87                                    | 205          | 211          | 313          |
| - Miscellaneous Crimes against Society           | 295              | 285           | 278           | -2.5%        | 1.70                                     | 68           | 101          | 85           |

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| <b>Recorded Hate Crime (included in above crimes) and Incidents</b> | <b>638</b>       | <b>588</b> | <b>773</b> | <b>31.5%</b> | <b>4.74</b>                              | <b>58</b> | <b>73</b> | <b>76</b> |
| Racially or Religiously Aggravated Crime                            | 246              | 207        | 290        | 40.1%        | 1.78                                     | 41        | 45        | 43        |
| Racist Incidents - Recorded Crime                                   | 356              | 370        | 415        | 12.2%        | 2.54                                     | 49        | 58        | 56        |
| Racist Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence                             | 113              | 86         | 109        | 26.7%        | 0.67                                     |           |           |           |
| Religious Incidents- Recorded Crime                                 | 24               | 19         | 19         | 0.0%         | 0.12                                     | 4         | 2         | 5         |
| Religious Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence                          | 3                | 4          | 5          | 25.0%        | 0.03                                     |           |           |           |
| Homophobic Incidents - Recorded Crime                               | 35               | 43         | 80         | 86.1%        | 0.49                                     | 3         | 8         | 10        |
| Homophobic Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence                         | 28               | 13         | 20         | 53.9%        | 0.12                                     |           |           |           |
| Transphobic Incidents - Recorded Crime                              | 9                | 12         | 22         | 83.3%        | 0.13                                     | 1         | 3         | 3         |
| Transphobic Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence                        | 14               | 2          | 5          | 150.0%       | 0.03                                     |           |           |           |
| Disability Incidents - Recorded Crime                               | 41               | 26         | 65         | 150.0%       | 0.40                                     | 1         | 2         | 2         |
| Disability Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence                         | 15               | 13         | 33         | 153.9%       | 0.20                                     |           |           |           |
| <b>Domestic Crime and Incidents - Domestic Qualifier Only</b>       |                  |            |            |              |  |           |           |           |
| Domestic Abuse Incidents - Recorded Crime                           | 2,462            | 2,415      | 2,619      | 8.5%         | 16.05                                    | 245       | 327       | 226       |
| Domestic Abuse Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence                     | 2,208            | 2,242      | 2,083      | -7.1%        | 12.76                                    |           |           |           |
| <b>Domestic Crime and Incidents - National Definition</b>           |                  |            |            |              |  |           |           |           |
| Domestic Abuse Incidents - Recorded Crime (ND)                      | 1,618            | 1,304      | 892        | -31.6%       | 5.47                                     | 179       | 217       | 102       |
| Domestic Abuse Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence (ND)                | 768              | 606        | 310        | -48.8%       | 1.90                                     |           |           |           |

**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.

