

**Crime Summary for Reading
Rolling 12 Months
May 2023 To April 2024**

OFFENCES	Finally Recorded				Crimes Per 1000 Population/ Household	Formal Action Taken Outcomes		
	2022/2023	2023/2024	2024/2025	% Change	2024/2025	2022/2023	2023/2024	2024/2025
All Crime (excluding Fraud)	18,260	19,181	17,989	-6.2%	102.90	2,866	2,801	2,807
Victim Based Crime	14,666	16,009	15,356	-4.1%	87.84	1,856	1,876	1,929
- Violence Against the Person	6,598	6,714	6,343	-5.5%	36.28	1,167	1,163	1,058
- Homicide	5	1	1	0.0%	0.01	4	2	2
- Violence with Injury	1,932	1,864	1,726	-7.4%	9.87	423	426	333
- Violence without Injury (Excluding Harassment)	2,765	2,857	2,864	0.3%	16.38	633	585	612
- Harassment	1,896	1,992	1,752	-12.1%	10.02	107	150	111
- Sexual Offences	650	627	602	-4.0%	3.44	102	109	89
- Rape	255	245	247	0.8%	1.41	17	14	15
- Non-Rape Sexual Offences	395	382	355	-7.1%	2.03	85	95	74
- Robbery	150	197	204	3.6%	1.17	25	29	24
- Robbery of Business Property	8	28	51	82.1%	0.29	2	7	7
- Robbery of Personal Property	142	169	153	-9.5%	0.88	23	22	17
- Burglary	765	1,011	719	-28.9%	11.44	79	104	110
- 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	320	300	304	1.3%	4.84	45	31	46
- Residential Burglary - Sheds / Garages	229	212	168	-20.8%	2.67	9	8	19
- Business & Community Burglary	216	499	247	-50.5%	3.93	25	65	45
- Vehicle Crime	1,144	1,404	1,330	-5.3%	7.61	46	32	56
- Theft of Vehicle	374	435	374	-14.0%	2.14	13	13	15
- Theft from Vehicle	616	834	744	-10.8%	4.26	23	9	17
- Vehicle Interference	154	135	212	57.0%	1.21	10	10	24
- Theft from the Person	375	466	382	-18.0%	2.19	3	5	10
- Bicycle Theft	635	730	536	-26.6%	3.07	5	7	15
- Shoplifting	1,140	1,434	2,049	42.9%	11.72	212	217	389
- Making off without Payment	327	450	386	-14.2%	2.21	5	5	4
- All Other Theft Offences	1,290	1,419	1,458	2.8%	8.34	32	34	51
- Arson & Criminal Damage	1,592	1,557	1,347	-13.5%	7.71	180	171	123
- Arson	71	86	67	-22.1%	0.38	5	4	1
- Criminal Damage	1,521	1,471	1,280	-13.0%	7.32	175	167	122
Crimes Against Society	3,594	3,172	2,633	-17.0%	15.06	1,010	925	878
- Drug Offences	611	562	577	2.7%	3.30	440	415	473
- Trafficking of Drugs	195	148	186	25.7%	1.06	94	65	89
- Possession of Drugs	416	414	391	-5.6%	2.24	346	350	384
- Possession of Weapons Offences	124	178	151	-15.2%	0.86	90	97	115

- Public Order Offences	2,598	2,153	1,602	-25.6%	9.16	372	303	204
- Miscellaneous Crimes against Society	261	279	303	8.6%	1.73	108	110	86

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Recorded Hate Crime (included in above crimes) and Incidents	780	773	681	-11.9%	3.90	109	106	80
Racially or Religiously Aggravated Crime	289	248	213	-14.1%	1.22	61	40	42
Racist Incidents - Recorded Crime	428	403	321	-20.4%	1.84	79	62	54
Racist Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	109	87	96	10.3%	0.55			
Religious Incidents- Recorded Crime	15	19	13	-31.6%	0.07	3	4	2
Religious Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	6	2	15	650.0%	0.09			
Homophobic Incidents - Recorded Crime	79	86	53	-38.4%	0.30	15	26	15
Homophobic Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	20	22	11	-50.0%	0.06			
Transphobic Incidents - Recorded Crime	23	24	20	-16.7%	0.11	4	5	1
Transphobic Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	5	6	6	0.0%	0.03			
Disability Incidents - Recorded Crime	58	77	83	7.8%	0.47	8	9	8
Disability Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	37	47	63	34.0%	0.36			
Domestic Crime and Incidents - Domestic Qualifier Only								
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Recorded Crime	2,584	2,653	2,397	-9.7%	13.71	252	353	285
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	2,170	2,269	2,104	-7.3%	12.04			
Domestic Crime and Incidents - National Definition								
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Recorded Crime (ND)	859	661	307	-53.6%	1.76	98	80	85
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence (ND)	316	228	99	-56.6%	0.57			

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

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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.

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Year-to-Date Crime Summary for Reading
April 2024

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	2022/2023	2023/2024	2024/2025	% Change	2024/2025	2022/2023	2023/2024	2024/2025
All Crime (excluding Fraud)	1,527	1,405	1,506	7.2%	8.61	269	174	221
Victim Based Crime	1,249	1,200	1,342	11.8%	7.68	187	108	168
- Violence Against the Person	547	491	539	9.8%	3.08	119	71	67
- Homicide	1	0	0	N/A	N/A	2	0	1
- Violence with Injury	156	125	134	7.2%	0.77	49	26	21
- Violence without Injury (Excluding Harassment)	221	245	245	0.0%	1.40	59	39	40
- Harassment	169	121	160	32.2%	0.92	9	6	5
- Sexual Offences	47	43	56	30.2%	0.32	17	4	7
- Rape	12	27	32	18.5%	0.18	1	1	0
- Non-Rape Sexual Offences	35	16	24	50.0%	0.14	16	3	7
- Robbery	11	20	21	5.0%	0.12	1	4	1
- Robbery of Business Property	1	1	9	800.0%	0.05	1	0	0
- Robbery of Personal Property	10	19	12	-36.8%	0.07	0	4	1
- Burglary	53	80	54	-32.5%	0.31	7	2	8
- 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	18	41	25	-39.0%	0.14	6	0	5
- Residential Burglary - Sheds / Garages	15	21	4	-81.0%	0.02	0	0	2
- Business & Community Burglary	20	18	25	38.9%	0.14	1	2	1
- Vehicle Crime	93	158	106	-32.9%	0.61	5	1	1
- Theft of Vehicle	32	27	31	14.8%	0.18	1	1	0
- Theft from Vehicle	47	111	49	-55.9%	0.28	4	0	1
- Vehicle Interference	14	20	26	30.0%	0.15	0	0	0
- Theft from the Person	30	35	29	-17.1%	0.17	1	0	1
- Bicycle Theft	88	36	37	2.8%	0.21	1	1	2
- Shoplifting	98	100	230	130.0%	1.32	17	14	64
- Making off without Payment	29	29	27	-6.9%	0.15	0	1	0
- All Other Theft Offences	111	102	122	19.6%	0.70	4	2	5
- Arson & Criminal Damage	142	106	121	14.2%	0.69	15	8	12
- Arson	8	8	7	-12.5%	0.04	1	0	0
- Criminal Damage	134	98	114	16.3%	0.65	14	8	12
Crimes Against Society	278	205	164	-20.0%	0.94	82	66	53
- Drug Offences	46	46	26	-43.5%	0.15	41	32	28
- Trafficking of Drugs	11	7	11	57.1%	0.06	9	4	5
- Possession of Drugs	35	39	15	-61.5%	0.09	32	28	23

- Possession of Weapons Offences	10	14	10	-28.6%	0.06	6	9	6
- Public Order Offences	198	123	110	-10.6%	0.63	25	22	16
- Miscellaneous Crimes against Society	24	22	18	-18.2%	0.10	10	3	3

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Racially or Religiously Aggravated Crime	22	14	17	21.4%	0.10	7	1	3
Racist Incidents - Recorded Crime	36	19	19	0.0%	0.11	6	1	4
Racist Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	9	6	6	0.0%	0.03			
Religious Incidents- Recorded Crime	2	1	3	200.0%	0.02	0	0	0
Religious Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	1	0	6	N/A	0.03			
Homophobic Incidents - Recorded Crime	4	3	0	-100.0%	N/A	0	1	0
Homophobic Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	2	1	2	100.0%	0.01			
Transphobic Incidents - Recorded Crime	5	2	0	-100.0%	N/A	1	0	0
Transphobic Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	0	1	1	0.0%	0.01			
Disability Incidents - Recorded Crime	5	3	2	-33.3%	0.01	0	1	1
Disability Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	4	3	1	-66.7%	0.01			
Domestic Crime and Incidents - Domestic Qualifier Only								
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Recorded Crime	226	221	211	-4.5%	1.21	19	20	21
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence	177	192	140	-27.1%	0.80			
Domestic Crime and Incidents - National Definition								
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Recorded Crime (ND)	67	67	7	-89.6%	0.04	5	5	2
Domestic Abuse Incidents - Non Crime Occurrence (ND)	22	25	5	-80.0%	0.03			

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