

State of the District 2023

Strategic Socio-Economic
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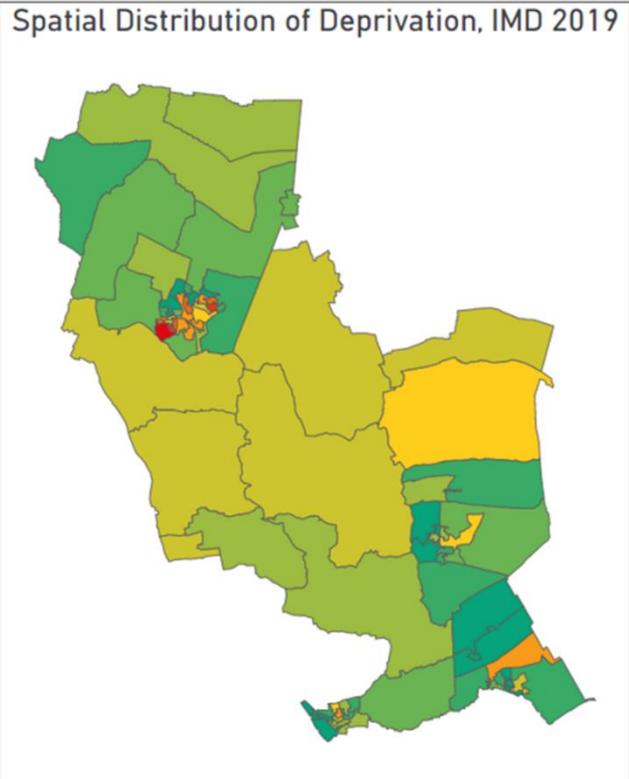
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SSEI7	Level of Relative Deprivation	<p>Spatial Distribution of Deprivation, IMD 2019</p>  <p>Key:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Least Deprived (Green) Most Deprived (Red) <p>Source: Department of Levelling Up, Housing and Communities – English indices of deprivation 2019</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Government's standard measure of deprivation and inequality in England is the Indices of Multiple Deprivation (IMD). The authority ranked 1st is the most deprived, 317th the least deprived. IMD 2019, ranked South Kesteven 234th. This places the district amongst the 40% least deprived districts in England and the second least deprived district in Lincolnshire.
SSEI8	Progress in Combating Deprivation		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 2019 ranking was an improvement of 11 places on IMD 2015. South Kesteven is 19 places off a placing in the top 20% least deprived districts in England. The next exercise will take place in 2023.
SSEI9	Prevalence of Severe Deprivation		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The most deprived areas of South Kesteven are found in the Grantham Earlesfield and Harrowby wards. Parts of Grantham Earlesfield are amongst the 10% most deprived areas of England. The least deprived areas in Lincolnshire are located in Stamford St John's ward. 11.6% of households live in fuel poverty below regional and national rates. Rates of fuel poverty reach 28% in the most deprived areas of the district.

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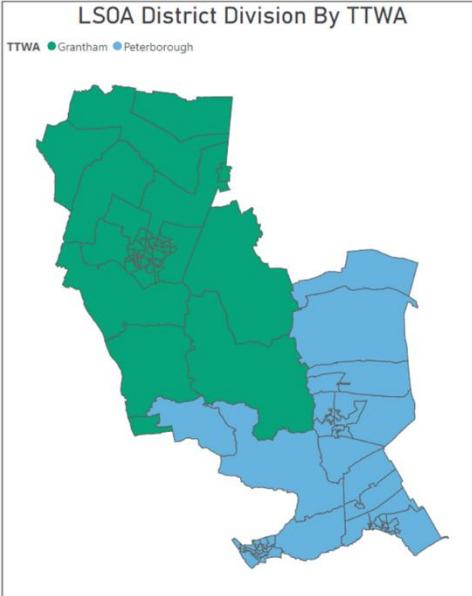
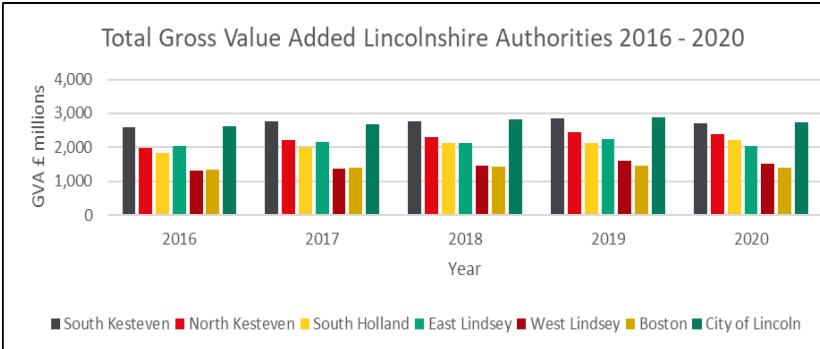
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SSEI12	Labour Supply	<p style="text-align: center;">Economic Inactivity, 2004-2022</p> <p>Source: Office for National Statistics – Nomis Labour Market Profile – South Kesteven</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The unemployment rate is 2.3% (September 2022). The latest release of the Annual Population Survey estimated that 73.1% of the population aged 16-64 (70,100) are in employment, a proportion slightly lower than regional and national averages. There are an estimated 22,400 economically inactive people in the district aged 16-64, 25.6% of that age group, higher than the national rate of 21.6%. 36.2% of the economically inactive population are retirees.
SSEI13	Skills Profile	<p style="text-align: center;">Levels of Educational Attainment 2004-2021</p> <p>Source: Office for National Statistics – Nomis Labour Market Profile – South Kesteven</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 81.8% of the districts' population aged 16-64 (70,600 people) possess at least a level 2 qualification (equivalent to five good GCSEs). 41.1% possess NVQ4+ qualifications (degree equivalent or above). Nearly thirteen percent of total employment is provided by knowledge intensive services (scientific, technical and professional services). This proportion is slightly higher than the Lincolnshire average, but below the East Midlands and substantially below national levels.

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SSEI18	GVA Contribution by Sector	<p>Share of GVA by Key Sectors - South Kesteven 1999 vs 2019</p> <p>Source: Office for National Statistics - Regional gross value added (balanced) by industry: local authorities by ITL1 region</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The district has transitioned to a service oriented economy faster than Greater Lincolnshire. Manufacturing shrank by 36.33% as a share of GVA between 1999-2019. Greater Lincolnshire has retained a larger industrial base. Sectors that grew as a share of GVA are Retail, Information & Communications, Education, Real Estate and Health & Social Work. Growth of Knowledge Intensive Services has lagged. The sector contributes 8% of GVA compared to 24% UK wide.
SSEI19	Productivity	<p>Productivity - GVA per Job South Kesteven vs Comparators 2002 - 2020</p> <p>Source: Office for National Statistics - Subregional productivity: labour productivity indices by local authority district</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> South Kesteven's productivity was 22.9% lower than the UK average in 2020. Productivity has largely flatlined since 2014. The district was the fifth most productive in Lincolnshire (2020). A potential explanation for the low productivity growth is the structure of the district's economy. An increasing share of GVA is being produced by less productive service sectors (Retail, Education, Healthcare) compared to neighbours.

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