

Belfast

Local authorities in PUA:

Belfast, Lisburn, Castlereagh



	Total	Rank	Rate	Rank
population				
Total population, 2022	494,278	(15/63)		
Population change, 2011-21			5.4%	(36/63)
business & innovation				
GVA (bn), 2021	£16.7	(12/63)		
GVA per hour, 2021	£31.9	(34/63)		
Business start-ups per 10,000 pop, 2022			29.7	(63/63)
Business closures per 10,000 pop, 2022			29.0	(63/63)
Business stock per 10,000 pop, 2022			304.2	(36/63)
New economy firms per 10,000, 2023			21.8	(27/63)
industrial structure				
Manufacturing jobs, 2022	-		-	
Private knowledge services jobs, 2022	-		-	
Publicly-funded services jobs, 2022	-		-	
Other private services jobs, 2022	-		-	
Ratio of private to public jobs, 2022			-	
wages				
Avg. weekly workplace earnings, 2023	£659	(19/63)		
employment & unemployment				
Employment rate, 2023			69.5%	(55/63)
Claimant count, Nov 2023	10,960		3.4%	(42/63)
skills & education				
High level qualifications, 2022			42.6%	(29/63)
No formal qualifications, 2022			15.4%	(1/62)
GCSEs in Maths & Eng., grade 9-4, 2023			-	
housing				
Housing stock change, 2021-22	1,360		0.6%	(43/63)
Average house price, 2023	174,000	(54/63)		
Housing affordability ratio, 2023			5.6	(55/63)
digital connectivity				
Connections subscribed 30Mbps+, 2023			92.1%	(4/63)
environment				
GHG emissions per capita (t), 2021			6.2	(7/63)
Days a year of poor air quality, 2021-22	11	(59/63)		