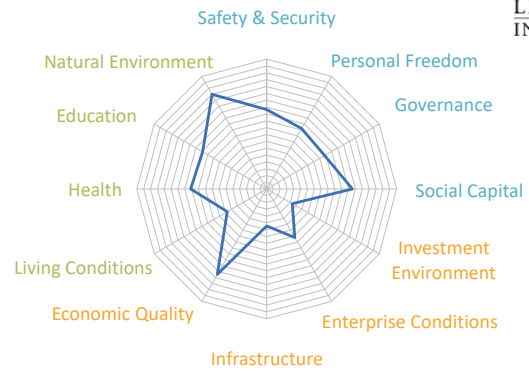
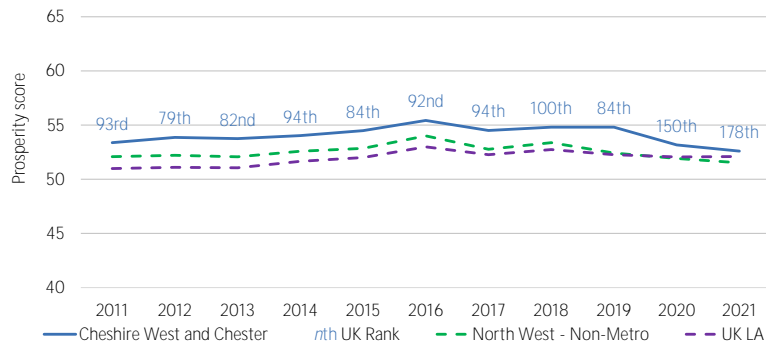


Cheshire West and Chester: Prosperity score 52.6 (178th)
















































































Prosperity over time



Breakdown of performance

	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Rank - UK LA (1 to 379) 2021	10-year rank change	Rank - North West - Non-Metro (1 to 24) 2021
Prosperity score	53.4		52.6	178	▼ 85	6
Inclusive Societies	59.1		56.4	139	▼ 38	3
Safety & Security	73.7		66.7	148	▼ 94	10
Personal Freedom	60.0		59.4	176	▼ 109	1
Governance	52.3		50.6	185	▼ 26	10
Social Capital	50.3		49.1	130	▲ 52	2
Open Economies	48.2		45.4	256	▼ 135	17
Investment Environment	51.1		35.2	294	▼ 213	11
Enterprise Conditions	51.9		41.2	216	▼ 112	12
Infrastructure	37.8		52.7	272	▼ 2	16
Economic Quality	52.2		52.3	92	▼ 15	14
Empowered People	52.8		56.0	156	▲ 30	7
Living Conditions	55.1		58.0	247	▲ 4	16
Health	58.3		50.2	158	▼ 13	3
Education	50.0		57.3	164	▲ 12	10
Natural Environment	47.8		58.4	61	▲ 54	5

Cheshire West and Chester (178th): Pillar and element scores

Pillar		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021		2021 UK LA Rank 10-yr rank change		North West - Non-Metro Rank 2021		Pillar		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021		2021 UK LA Rank 10-yr rank change		North West - Non-Metro Rank 2021	
	Safety & Security	73.7		66.7	148	▼ 94	10		Personal Freedom	60.0		59.4	176	▼ 109	1
Violent Crime	50%	78.0		64.0	108	▼ 96	4	Social Tolerance	60%	52.8		52.3	176	▼ 109	1
Property Crime	30%	61.3		72.4	74	▲ 73	7	Agency	10%	71.0		71.7	1	-	1
Civil Disorder	15%	75.4		65.4	260	▼ 100	22	Freedom of Assembly and Association	10%	78.9		80.9	1	-	1
Terrorism	5%	100.0		62.5	275	▼ 274	13	Freedom of Speech and Access to Information	10%	78.4		72.6	1	-	1
								Absence of Legal Discrimination	10%	55.4		55.1	1	-	1
	Governance	52.3		50.6	185	▼ 26	10		Social Capital	50.3		49.1	130	▲ 52	2
Quality of Local Democracy	35%	44.1		36.4	206	▲ 28	11	Personal Support	10%	40.7		56.2	97	▲ 160	1
Government Integrity	30%	63.4		63.4	55	-	1	Family Relationships	30%	59.2		57.6	91	▲ 65	2
Government Effectiveness	35%	50.9		53.9	312	▼ 29	19	Social Networks	15%	49.2		40.0	134	▲ 79	7
								Institutional Trust	20%	44.4		39.2	159	▼ 56	1
								Civic and Social Participation	25%	48.9		49.3	214	▼ 42	7
	Investment Environment	51.1		35.2	294	▼ 213	11		Enterprise Conditions	51.9		41.2	216	▼ 112	12
Financing Services	20%	36.9		30.9	312	▲ 32	17	Domestic Market Contestability	30%	51.3		57.9	92	▲ 16	4
Investment Demand	30%	35.2		30.9	206	▼ 7	7	Business Environment	40%	43.8		37.8	181	▲ 105	23
Capital Supply	50%	66.3		39.6	292	▼ 272	23	Labour Market Flexibility	30%	63.2		29.0	305	▼ 267	12
	Infrastructure	37.8		52.7	272	▼ 2	16		Economic Quality	52.2		52.3	92	▼ 15	14
Communications	40%	24.0		58.6	265	▼ 23	17	Labour Force Engagement	20%	54.0		61.8	78	▲ 41	6
Electricity & Gas	10%	65.6		55.9	168	▼ 6	13	Dynamism	20%	32.5		25.7	183	▼ 49	16
Water	5%	33.4		37.9	295	▲ 42	20	Productivity and Competitiveness	30%	58.0		63.3	109	▼ 19	8
Transport	45%	44.5		48.5	228	▲ 33	14	Fiscal Sustainability	20%	49.7		46.9	83	▲ 10	20
								Macroeconomic Stability	10%	75.5		64.5	195	▼ 152	20
	Living Conditions	55.1		58.0	247	▲ 4	16		Health	58.3		50.2	158	▼ 13	3
Material Resources	30%	51.9		55.5	257	▲ 4	11	Behavioural and Physiological Risk Factors	15%	51.9		53.4	185	▲ 10	5
Shelter	25%	67.1		68.6	107	▼ 65	10	Preventative Interventions	15%	70.5		66.1	237	▼ 121	13
Digital Connectedness	15%	44.9		62.1	269	▲ 38	18	Care Systems	15%	49.8		43.3	93	▲ 215	11
Access to Local Amenities	15%	47.7		46.0	255	▲ 11	17	Mental Health	15%	65.7		47.9	166	▲ 39	1
Protection from Harm	15%	59.1		53.2	271	▼ 75	16	Physical Health	20%	54.4		32.9	235	▼ 31	6
								Longevity	20%	58.8		60.3	108	▼ 25	5
	Education	50.0		57.3	164	▲ 12	10		Natural Environment	47.8		58.4	61	▲ 54	5
Pre-primary education	10%	76.1		49.2	319	▼ 91	22	Emissions	30%	39.5		55.5	285	▲ 11	20
Primary education	30%	65.0		50.1	250	▼ 99	23	Exposure to Air Pollution	25%	53.2		67.6	104	▲ 11	20
Secondary education	30%	34.6		66.3	142	▲ 128	8	Forest, Land and Soil	20%	39.6		37.4	237	▼ 17	6
Tertiary education provision	10%	45.1		43.8	231	▼ 31	11	Flooding and Water Management	10%	84.4		84.4	54	▲ 1	2
Adult skills	20%	39.9		65.5	118	▲ 62	4	Waste Management	15%	41.7		59.2	76	▲ 128	1



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Violent Crime (108th)								Property Crime (74th)							
Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	UK LA Rank 2011	2021	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	UK LA Rank 2011	2021
		50%	78.0		64.0	12	108			30%	61.3		72.4	147	74
Knife crime	ONS NISRA:gs	offences / 1,000 population	1.0	0.3	0.4	128	33	Criminal damage	ONS NISRA:gs	offences / 1,000 population	1.0	13.8	8.7	210	220
Robbery	ONS NISRA:gs	robberies / 1,000 population	1.0	0.4	0.4	201	141	Theft	ONS NISRA:gs	offences / 1,000 population	1.0	33.7	20.9	227	131
Sexual offences	ONS NISRA:gs	offences / 1,000 population	1.0	0.6	2.5	65	203	Burglary	ONS NISRA:gs	offences / 1,000 population	1.0	8.1	3.3	225	83
Domestic abuse	ONS NISRA:gs	incidents / 1,000 population	1.0	1.2	2.2	1	14	Fraud	ONS NISRA:gs	offences / 1,000 population	1.0	0.6	1.2	67	91
Homicides	ONS NISRA:gs	homicides / 100,000 population	1.0	6.8	17.8	102	349								
Modern slavery rate	HOFF	referrals / 100,000 pop	0.3	3.8	5.3	24	46								
Forced marriage rate	HOFF	cases / 100,000 pop	0.3	1.7	2.5	257	257								
Civil Disorder (260th)								Terrorism (275th)							
Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	UK LA Rank 2011	2021	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	UK LA Rank 2011	2021
		15%	75.4		65.4	160	260			5%	100.0		62.5	1	275
Public order	ONS NISRA:gs	offences / 1,000 population	1.0	3.2	16.9	241	344	Terrorism incidents	GTD	number	1.0	0.0000	2.4667	1	272
Possession of weapons	ONS NISRA:gs	offences / 1,000 population	1.0	0.4	0.5	191	147	Terrorism deaths	GTD	number	1.0	0.0000	4.6000	1	282
Firearms offences	ONS:gs	offences / 100,000 population	1.0	5.3	8.7	144	248	Terrorism injuries	GTD	number	1.0	0.0000	25.8000	1	291
Perceived anti-social behaviour	CS NIDO:gs	percentage	1.0	6.5	5.2	219	192								



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				Value		UK LA Rank						Value		UK LA Rank									
				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021					2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021						
Financing Services (312th)				20%		36.9		30.9	344		312	Investment Demand (206th)				30%		35.2		30.9	199		206
Perceptions of the banking sector	BVA	percentage	1.0	56.8		60.3	366	259	New process investment				BEIS	percentage	1.0	18.7		15.4	107	146			
Business banking experience	BVA	percentage	1.0	77.0		82.1	370	206	New product investment				BEIS	percentage	1.0	5.9		0.0	272	328			
Future finance confidence	BVA	percentage	2.0	70.6		56.3	204	321	Real risk capital share				BEIS	percentage	1.0	28.7		21.5	42	140			
									Investment for overseas expansion (existing markets)				BVA	percentage	0.5	2.9		4.9	278	217			
									Investment for overseas expansion (new markets)				BVA	percentage	0.5	0.0		2.7	337	226			
Capital Supply (292nd)				50%		66.3		39.6	20		292												
Loan supply	UKF	£ per capita	1.0	5128		4230	171	175															
Venture capital invested	BVCA	£ per capita	1.0	86.0		128.3	202	158															
Delayed projects	BEIS	percentage	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1															
Cancelled projects	BEIS	percentage	0.5	0.0		11.8	1	329															
Equity finance success	BEIS	percentage	1.0	100.0		0.0	1	180															
Finance obtained	BEIS	score, 1-14	1.0	4.4		1.9	236	364															



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				Value		UK LA Rank						Value		UK LA Rank			
				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021					2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021
Communications (265th)				40%		24.0	242	265	Electricity & Gas (168th)				10%		65.6	162	168
Download speed	OFC	Mbps	1.0	6.7		53.8	246	267	Properties not connected to gas network	BEIS	percentage	1.0	10.9		10.2	165	157
Upload speed	OFC	Mbps	0.5	2.9		10.7	233	278	Annual electricity cost	BEIS	£ / year	0.5	499.3		611.4	1	12
Superfast broadband availability	OFC	percentage	1.0	43.0		95.0	235	220	Annual gas cost	BEIS	£ / year	0.5	609.7		582.7	44	44
Water (295th)				5%		33.4	337	295	Transport (228th)				45%		44.5	261	228
Water leakage	DW, NIW, SWater	litres / property	1.0	137.0		136.0	251	261	Principal road condition	DfT	percentage	0.5	3.0		2.0	44	23
Water costs	DW, NIW, SWater	£	1.0	211.0		206.0	216	216	Non-principal road condition	DfT	percentage	0.5	5.0		3.0	103	52
Loss of water supply	DW	seconds / property	1.0	789.0		611.0	348	356	Journey delay	DfT	seconds / vehicle mile	0.5	31.2		30.0	206	177
									Urban congestion	INRIX	hours / year	0.5	70.2		61.0	300	268
									Connectedness index	ORS	number / national average	1.5	0.3		0.3	273	273
									Passengers using rail stations	DfT, NIDI	passenger journeys per capita	1.0	7.1		12.6	190	142
									Proximity to nearest major rail station	DfT	minutes	0.5	65.9		65.9	235	235
									Proximity to nearest airport	DfT	minutes	0.5	97.4		97.4	141	141
									Electric car charging	DfT	number / 100,000 population	0.5	13.5		16.6	266	278



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				Value				UK LA Rank						Value				UK LA Rank			
				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021					2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021				
Pre-primary education (319th)				10%		76.1		49.2	228	319	Primary education (250th)				30%		65.0		50.1	151	250
Pre-primary enrolment rate	gov.uk NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	0.5	65.2		67.9	238	178	Primary attendance	gov.uk NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	1.0	95.3		96.1	187	123				
Attainment aged 7 (Literacy)	gov.uk g.s SW	percentage	1.0	85.8		72.5	252	312	Primary attainment (Literacy)	gov.uk g.s SW	percentage	1.0	85.7		75.3	80	283				
Attainment aged 7 (Numeracy)	gov.uk g.s SW	percentage	1.0	91.0		73.3	162	330	Primary attainment (Numeracy)	gov.uk g.s SW	percentage	1.0	85.4		77.7	138	150				
									Low-income primary attainment (Literacy)	gov.uk g.s SW	percentage	1.0	65.7		55.7	113	312				
									Low-income primary attainment (Numeracy)	gov.uk g.s SW	percentage	1.0	62.2		57.0	231	227				
Secondary education (142nd)				30%		34.6		66.3	270	142	Tertiary education provision (231st)				10%		45.1		43.8	200	231
Secondary attendance	gov.uk NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	1.0	93.8		94.3	264	213	Further education	gov.uk DoE: g.s CW	percentage	1.0	49.8		53.9	168	146				
Secondary attainment	gov.uk DoE: g.s SW	percentage	2.0	56.4		72.8	171	116	Apprenticeships	gov.uk DoE: g.s CW	percentage	0.5	7.6		6.4	173	209				
Low-income secondary attainment	gov.uk DoE: SW	percentage	2.0	26.1		41.6	325	138	Higher education	gov.uk DoE: g.s CW	percentage	2.0	22.0		20.5	199	218				
Adult skills (118th)				20%		39.9		65.5	180	118											
Adult population with some qualifications	ONS	percentage	1.0	87.9		93.4	205	166													
Adult population with at least level 2 qualifications	ONS	percentage	1.0	66.4		81.2	184	82													
Adult population with at least level 4 qualifications	ONS	percentage	1.0	31.9		43.0	126	121													

Source Code	Source Name
BEIS	Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy
BES	British Election Study
BVA	BVA Group
BVCA	British Venture Capital Association
CS: NIDO: g.s	Crime Survey: Northern Ireland Department of Justice: Scottish Government
DEFRA	Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs
DFE: g.s: SW	Department for Education: Scottish Government: Statistics for Wales
DW	Discover Water
DW: NIW: SWater	Discover Water: Northern Ireland Water: Scotland Water
DfE	Department for Education
DfT	Department for Transport
DfT: NISRA: g.s: SW	Department for Transport: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Government: Statistics for Wales
EA	Environment Agency
EC: EONI	Electoral Commission: Electoral Office for Northern Ireland
EEA	European Environment Agency
FCA	Financial Conduct Authority
FH	Freedom House
FR	Forest Research
GSI	Global Slavery Index
GTD	Global Terrorism Database
Gallup	Gallup Dailies
HCL	House of Commons Library
HMRC	Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs
HOFF	Home Office
HSE	Health and Safety Executive
INRIX	INRIX Global Traffic Scorecard
IPO	Intellectual Property Office
Kell	Kellogg's
LG: RQIA: SW	Local Government Association: The Regulation and Quality Improvement Authority: Statistics for Wales
LGA	Local Government Association
LGA: g.s: g.w	Local Government Association: Scottish Government: Welsh Government
MHCLG	Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government
MHCLG: DfI: g.s: g.w	Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government: Department for Infrastructure (Northern Ireland): Scottish Government: Welsh Government
MHCLG: NIAO: g.s: AW	Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government: Northern Ireland Audit Office: Scottish Government: Audit Wales
MHCLG: NIHE: NRS: SW	Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government: Northern Ireland Housing Executive: National Records Scotland: Statistics for Wales
MHCLG: NIHE: SW	Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government: Northern Ireland Housing Executive: Statistics for Wales
MHCLG: NISRA: g.s: SW	Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Government: Statistics for Wales
MHCLG: NRS: SW	Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government: National Records Scotland: Statistics for Wales
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NHS: H-ni: PHS: SW	National Health Service: Department of Health (NI): Public Health Scotland: Statistics for Wales
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NHS: PHS	National Health Service: Public Health Scotland
OCd	Open Council Data
OfCOM	Ofcom
ONS	Office for National Statistics
ONS: NISRA	Office for National Statistics: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency
ONS: NISRA: NRS	Office for National Statistics: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: National Records Scotland
ONS: NISRA: g.s	Office for National Statistics: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Government
ONS: NISRA: g.s: SW	Office for National Statistics: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Government: Statistics for Wales
ONS: NRS	Office for National Statistics: National Records Scotland
ONS: g.s	Office for National Statistics: Scottish Government
ORS	Open Route Service
PHE	Public Health England
PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	Public Health Outcomes Framework: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Public Health Observatory: Statistics for Wales
PHOF: NISRA: SPHO: PHW	Public Health Outcomes Framework: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Public Health Scotland: Public Health Wales
PHOF: NISRA: g.s	Public Health Outcomes Framework: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Government
PHOF: NISRA: g.s: SW	Public Health Outcomes Framework: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Government: Statistics for Wales
PHOF: PHS: SW	Public Health Outcomes Framework: Scottish Public Health Observatory: Statistics for Wales
PRC	Pew Research Center
PWLB	Public Works Loans Board
RF	Resolution Foundation
Rsf	Reporters Without Borders
SE	Sport England
SMC	Social Metrics Commission
TEC: NIE	The Elections Centre: Northern Ireland Elections
UKF	UK Finance
US	Understanding Society
VDEM	Varieties of Democracy
WJP	World Justice Project (Rule of Law Index)
gov.uk: DoE: SW	gov.uk: Department of Education (Northern Ireland): Statistics for Wales
gov.uk: DoE: g.s: CW	gov.uk: Department of Education (Northern Ireland): Scottish Government: Careers Wales
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