

## Settlement Profile:

Cornwood

# September 2019

This settlement profile has been prepared by Dartmoor National Park Authority to provide an overview of key information and issues for the settlement. It has been prepared in consultation with Parish/Town Councils and will be updated as necessary.



## Introduction

Cornwood is located about 8 miles east of Plymouth and 4 miles north-west of lyybridge, in an elevated position on the fringe of the moor. The main part of the village sits above the valley of the River Yealm. It stands on the junction of an old trade route between Totnes and Tavistock, and Plymouth and the moor. Wool, tin and cattle were the principal commodities. Today, china clay is a dominant local industry, although farming continues to play an important role.

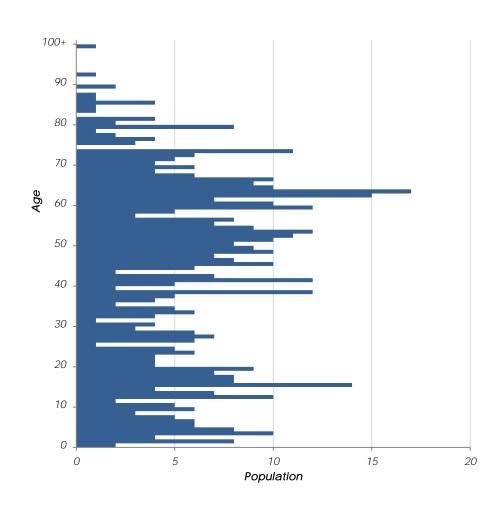
The village has a good mix of local facilities for a village of its size, including a primary school and a village hall with a good size car park.



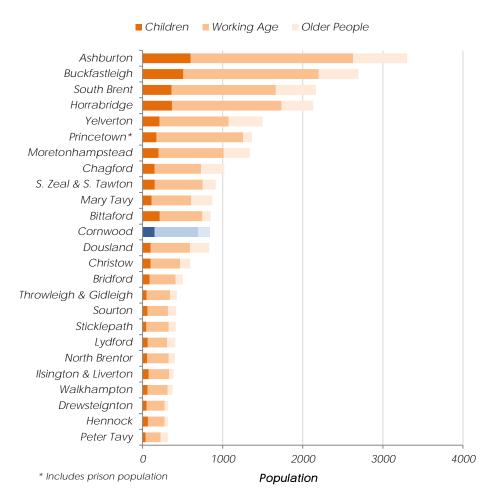
Population 540

Census 2011, defined by best-fit Output Areas

#### Age Profile (Census 2011)

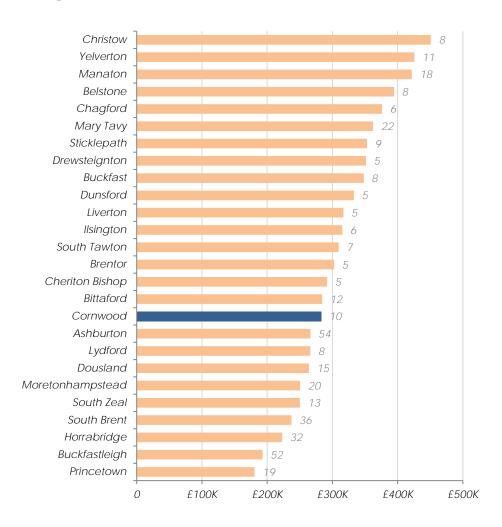


#### **Settlement comparison** (Census 2011)



#### Average House Prices 2016

Excluding settlements with less than five sales, number of sales labelled



Land Registry, 2016

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#### **Identifying Housing Need**

Cornwood's affordable housing need will be identified from housing need within the following Parishes:

Cornwood, Harford, Shaugh Prior, Dartmoor Forest

Sites allocated for development in current local plan:

December 2017 Housing Needs Assessment recommended:

# No sites allocated for development

4 affordable units have been delivered on other sites since 2008

# 8 affordable homes needed within next 5 years

5 affordable rent and 3 discount market properties

#### Issues Paper Consultation (Dec 2016)

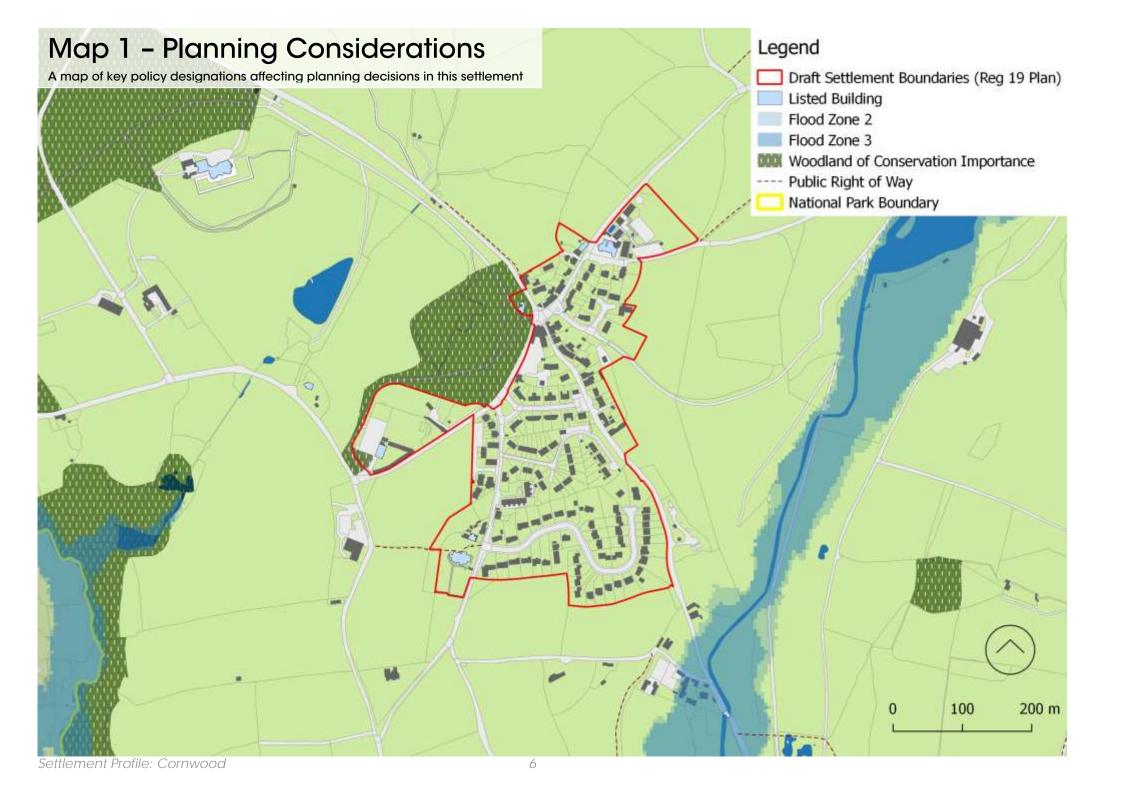
The following summarises issues identified by the Parish Council, residents and local organisations:

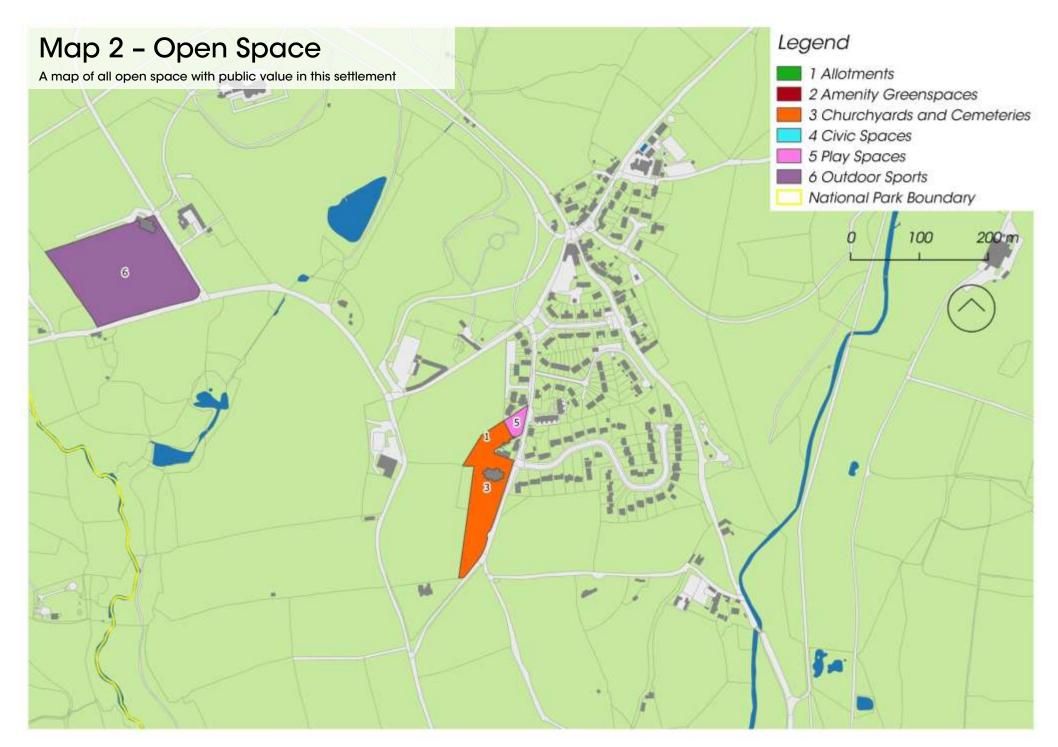
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#### Infrastructure delivery

We are aware of the following items of infrastructure which are needed and have a reasonable prospect of being funded in the next 20 years:

None known





#### **Settlement Services**



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Cricket only

#### Method of Travelling to work (Census 2011)

