

ID	COMMENT
<i>CR NPQ 1</i>	<i>LIKE</i> EASY ACCESS TO DORCHESTER & POOLE TRAINS TO LONDON CLOSE TO COAST & COUNTRYSIDE GOOD SELECTION OF LOCAL SHOPS
<i>CR NPQ 2</i>	<i>LIKE</i> Quiet Rural Villages
<i>WPC NPQ 1</i>	<i>LIKE</i> Community feeling local groups, hall and people make it a nice place to live
<i>WPC NPQ 2</i>	<i>LIKE</i> Reasonably quiet, peaceful village Friendly people (most speak!) River(s), woods, fields, wildlife Sheep
<i>WPC NPQ 3</i>	<i>LIKE</i> FEASIBLE POPULATION FOR THE EXISTING FACILITIES (JUST), NOT FAR FROM SOME NICE PLACES
<i>WPC NPQ 4</i>	<i>LIKE</i> Friendly Fairly quiet Lovely walks near by
<i>WPC NPQ 5</i>	<i>LIKE</i> QUIET VILLAGE WITH GOOD SHOPPING
<i>WPC NPQ 6</i>	<i>LIKE</i> QUITE HAPPY TO LIVE HERE AT BOVINGTON IF ONLY WE HAD TRANSPORT
<i>WPC NPQ 7</i>	<i>LIKE</i> A village which has a lot of history, conveniently situated with main line railway. A rural village surrounded by good farming land, river and woodlands.
<i>WPC NPQ 8</i>	<i>LIKE</i> The handy shops, doctors surgery, and Village Hall.
<i>WPC NPQ 9</i>	<i>LIKE</i> Cleanliness, friendship and in the countryside but not far from the coast.
<i>WPC NPQ 10</i>	<i>LIKE</i> WOOL HAS MOST FACILITIES, SHOPS, HAIRDRESSERS, PUBS, TRAIN, BUSES, CHEMIST DELI ETC
<i>WPC NPQ 11</i>	<i>LIKE</i> The village feel – Wool Sense of community Clubs/shops Beauty of area Woodland unspoilt Central access fro Dorset & rest of UK Train/road links Access to Lulworth

- WPC NPQ 12** *LIKE* COMMUNITY
OPEN SPACE, FRESH AIR, WILDLIFE & SCENERY
LACK OF SERIOUS CRIME
THE FEELING OF BEING A VILLAGE, OF BELONGING
- WPC NPQ 13** *LIKE* The facilities on offer- the shops, PO, Pubs, hairdressers, surgery, dentist, schools etc, churches & chapel.
The friendliness of the people the activities on offer, the bus/train service.
Also the history of the village and the playing fields, childrens playground.
- WPC NPQ 14** *LIKE* Has all that I need – and love it
Love the wildlife
- WPC NPQ 15** *LIKE* People are friendly. We've got a variety of shops inc butcher, a baker & a candlestickmaker in the shape of Amber
Hardware! We have two schools, four churches + a library.
- WPC NPQ 16** *LIKE* I like the fact we can still be classed as a large village in Wool but with all the proposed new housing we will be a
small town, Wool will lose a lot of it's identity. There is a good balance of every day needs here, shops, Dr's
Dentist, all the new housing will swamp the local residents.
- WPC NPQ 17** *LIKE* Generally peaceful and quiet.
Good road and rail links.
Satisfactory infrastructure, including shopping.
- WPC NPQ 18** *LIKE* THE SENSE OF COMMUNITY, VILLAGE ATHMOSPHERE, COUNTRY SURROUNDINGS & SCENERY, NEIGHBOURLY
ATHMOSPHERE.
PEACE & QUIET
- WPC NPQ 19** *LIKE* WHAT WE LIKE ABOUT WOOL, BOVINGTON & EAST BURTON IS THAT THEY ARE 3 INDIVIDUAL VILLAGES, WITH
SEPARATE IDENTITIES, THAT HAVE NOT BEEN JOINED TOGETHER BY LARGE HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS THAT
WOULD HAVE THE POTENTIAL OF MERGING THEM TOGETHER INTO WHAT COULD POTENTIALLY BECOME A
SMALL TOWN.
THEY HAVE FRIENDLY VILLAGE FEEL ABOUT THEM TOO.
- WPC NPQ 20** *LIKE* I like the rural setting with the surrounding countryside.
Also the fact that Wool village has many facilities including shops, schools, doctor's surgery and reasonable rail
links to Weymouth, Poole, Bournemouth etc.
2 pubs serving good food.

- WPC NPQ 21** *LIKE* Amenities – shops, surgery, library & pubs in walking distances.
Children’s playground, Schools and Churches in Wool.
A friendly village feel. Good amenities for the size of the village.
- WPC NPQ 22** *LIKE* Living in a village.
Good shops & services – SPAR, Pubs, friendly people.
D’Urberville Centre, lots going on.
Railway Station
Wellbridge Health Centre.
Countryside walks.
- WPC NPQ 23** *LIKE* THEY ARE FAIRLY QUIET RURAL COMMUNITIES.
PEOPLE ARE FRIENDLY. WE HAVE MOST OF OUR NEEDS WELL-CATERED FOR BY WAY OF LOCAL SHOPS.
- WPC NPQ 24** *LIKE* Centrally located, convenient place to live for train travel.
Friendly, neighbourhood community.
Every amenity to suit all families.
- WPC NPQ 25** *LIKE* Village atmosphere
Rural surrounds
Green spaces – giddy green
 playing fields
mixture of houses – expensive – less expensive
- WPC NPQ 26** *LIKE* CONVENIENT RAIL
POST OFFICE
- WPC NPQ 27** *LIKE* The Village Community. The fact Wool particularly has remained an Independent Village. The openness of the
Woods and fields.
Good schools
Good shops, everything you need in a Village.
- WPC NPQ 28** *LIKE* I like that it still retains a village atmosphere.
- WPC NPQ 29** *LIKE* The variety of the easily accessible surrounding countryside within walking distance of home.
Having a railway station.

- WPC NPQ 30** **LIKE** Living in a rural village by choice not a TOWN!!
Neighbourhood community
Having a local library still running.
Well done.
Local shops.
- WPC NPQ 31** **LIKE** COMMUNITY, VILLAGE NOT TOO LARGE.
PLEASANT PUBS AND LEGION
EASY ACCESS TO PLEASANT WALKS & COAST.
TRAINS.
THE SHOPS CATER FOR IMMEDIATE NEEDS, ESPECIALLY THE DELI
- WPC NPQ 32** **LIKE** I like the fact that Wool has all the local services that it needs at the present time, and that it still feels like a village. Because change has been gradual growth has been proportional and appropriate to need.
- WPC NPQ 33** **LIKE** Open fields, all the wildlife from deer, badgers, rabbits, sheep, foxes, birds ie buzzards, swallows, swifts, skylarks, partridge, pheasants, bats & butterflies, sadly no cows.
- WPC NPQ 34** **LIKE** I LIKE THE FACT THAT IN SPITE OF ALL THE BUILDING AND DEVELOPMENT THAT HAS TAKEN PLACE OVER THE LAST FEW YEARS WOOL HAS RETAINED A SIGNIFICANT AMOUNT OF ITS 'VILLAGE' CHARACTER. IT REMAINS TO BE SEEN WHETHER IT CAN RETAIN ITS COMMUNITY FEELING, BUT ITS SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES AND MORE THAN ADEQUATE SHOPS AND PUBS – ALL ENJOYED BY A SURPRISINGLY VARIED DEMOGRAPHIC IN TERMS OF AGE MEAN THAT WOOL IS A PROPER WORKING, FAMILY BASED VILLAGE, THAT IT IS SITUATED IN A BEAUTIFUL AREA IS OF COURSE A BONUS.
- WPC NPQ 35** **LIKE** We enjoy being able to walk in the fields around the village of E Burton and Wool. We enjoy the peace and quiet and the fact it's not usually busy – a bit more in the summer with visitors.
- WPC NPQ 36** **LIKE** THE SURROUNDING COUNTRYSIDE.
- WPC NPQ 37** **LIKE** I was born in Wool and grew up in East Burton, so both mean a lot to me. The highlight of the year for my family was the walk to Wool on the Saturday of Wool fair it seemed so far away.
I still live in Wool and wouldn't want to live anywhere else.
- WPC NPQ 38** **LIKE** They are villages in the countryside which enjoy open space, flora and fauna which deliver the 'feel-good' factor.
- WPC NPQ 39** **LIKE** It is well balanced at the moment with a central recreation park, surgery, shops, pubs, churches, Good bus and train service.

- WPC NPQ 40 *LIKE* . The size of it –that is a village and not a town.
. It’s closeness to coast & countryside
. Road & rail links
. For a village it has good facilities & shops.
- WPC NPQ 41 *LIKE* Location
Size
Facilities & amenities
- WPC NPQ 42 *LIKE* The Beauty of the surrounding area’s, wildlife, peace & quiet & not many people!
- WPC NPQ 43 *LIKE*
- WPC NPQ 44 *LIKE* People came to Wool and Locals remained in Wool because it is a village.
The community is beging to come together because of the improvement at the D”Urberville Hall and efforts of groups in encouraging community interest/activities.
The rural aspect of lovely fields to east and west of Wool helps to create “wellbeing” for humans and nature.
A good selection of shops, churches, chemist, station, Library.
- WPC NPQ 45 *LIKE* A quiet, rural area with reasonable selection of shops. Local railway station.
Good community & village spirit which will be lost if unreasonable growth occurs.
- WPC NPQ 46 *LIKE* Shops
Railway
Surgery
- WPC NPQ 47 *LIKE* ABLE TO WALK TO AMMENITIES
RAILWAY
PUBS
SHOPS
SCHOOLS
- WPC NPQ 48 *LIKE* Wool & the surrounding area is a nice friendly & pleasant place to live.
With a mixture of old and new areas
There are a good range of shops which is an asset for the older generation of the village
- WPC NPQ 49 *LIKE* I like the facilities Wool has & variety of shops & businesses – just right for the size it is at present. The hall, playing field, childrens play area, churches, cater for most people. The railway station is an asset, (but wish the service was more reliable) The share & care service is good for medical appointments.

WPC NPQ 50

LIKE Wool is located in a lovely part of the country. It is on the edge of a UNESCO World Heritage Site and just outside an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty.
It is a very friendly village and most of the properties are occupied with very few second homeowners. It has three very well supported pubs coupled with a thriving Royal British Legion Club. There is a train station directly into London. It has four churches, two garages, a GP surgery, a dental practice, two good primary schools and a number of small shops and businesses.

BOV NPQ 1

LIKE The wide open space's, and Countryside

BOV NPQ 2

LIKE I like the rural quality of these villages surrounded by fields, the Purbeck hills and the water meadows as well as easy access to the coast and Morton Forest. There is also easy access to Poole, Dorchester and Weymouth by car and to some extent train.

Small villages like Wool and East Burton have strong communities.

I like the friendliness of having a 'manned' station.

EB NPQ 1

LIKE QUIET, FRIENDLY & VERY CLEAN

EB NPQ 2

LIKE It is a well balanced rural & friendly community with just about enough local shops and open space.

EB NPQ 3

LIKE East Burton

Peace & quiet. Wonderful wildlife.

Few streetlights \ visible night sky. Lovely neighbourhood.

Where else can you lie in bed at night listening to the owls hunting & "Tweeting" each other.

EB NPQ 4

LIKE IT USED TO BE A QUIET SLEEPY VILLAGE.

IT WAS LOVELY TO LIVE HERE.

LOTS OF FRIENDS AND NEIGHBOURS.

IT WAS A GREAT PLACE TO LIVE BUT NO LONGER CUT THROUGH CARS AND LOUD HORNS ON TRAINS

EB NPQ 5

LIKE EAST BURTON, Quiet and Nice Views.

WOOL shops, having a chemist

TRAIN STATION

EB NPQ 6

LIKE NICE COUNTRY WALKS.

FRIENDLY PEOPLE.

LOCAL PUBS & LEGION.

EB NPQ 7	<i>LIKE</i>	The rural environment with immediate access to the countryside from our doorstep
EB NPQ 8	<i>LIKE</i>	Small community.
EB NPQ 9	<i>LIKE</i>	GREEN SPACES TREES
EB NPQ 10	<i>LIKE</i>	Village atmosphere Semi rural
EB NPQ 11	<i>LIKE</i>	MY HUSBAND AND I BOTH LIKE THE AMENITIES, ESPECIALLY HAVING A POST OFFICE IN WOOL. PEOPLE TEND TO BE FRIENDLY. HANDY TO HAVE STATION, ALTHOUGH HATE THE VERY NOISEY AIR HORNS PAST OUR HOUSE!
EB NPQ 12	<i>LIKE</i>	Its shops and surgery and local pubs. The recreation field and playground. The East Burton Village Hall. The railway station. The tranquillity in Giddy Green and East Burton.
WS 1	<i>LIKE</i>	A friendly and welcoming village. Good footpath network and still rural outlook
WS 2	<i>LIKE</i>	A friendly atmosphere with good amenities for a village. I appreciate the shops, recreational facilities (sports field and village hall etc) and of course the train station giving access to nearby large towns for other shopping and amenities. I like being surrounded by countryside and access to lovely walks.
WS 3	<i>LIKE</i>	A rural community with plenty of green space whilst there are facilities and good connection with larger towns . There is a nice village feel to all places although they are close to towns for work and social activities .
WS 4	<i>LIKE</i>	A sense of community with Churches Together playing a vital role. I like the thought of a Care Home within the Village of Wool so the Elderly population do not have to feel it necessary to move out of area when they down size. It has everything you need.
WS 5	<i>LIKE</i>	Easy access to unspoilt countryside, lack of urban sprawl, a sense of community that the village/area has.
WS 6	<i>LIKE</i>	Its beauty, access to larger towns and variety of activities good local shops and services

- WS 7** **LIKE** We still feel like 3 villages - East Burton has NOT yet joined to Wool and has its own identity.
- The friendliness and 'help your neighbour' feel which comes from being a SMALLish community.
 - The level of amenities:- station, PO, health centre, chemist, 2 good little supermarkets, 2 hairdressers etc (unusual for villages)
 - Large recreation ground, including excellent 'swing park' and 'pavillion' on site.
 - D'Urberville Centre is becoming more of a hub for a wider variety of events - the extra income is greatly improving the look and feel of the place.
 - 4 active churches, many active and well attended clubs and classes, eg. WI, Country Market. Quite a lot to do for older and retired people.
- WS 8** **LIKE** The fact that they are a group of villages and not one big town.
- I love the meadows around East Burton and Wool train station.
- The train station is an excellent facility.
- The new play park and existing skate park is fantastic for the local children.
- Our small independent businesses, the local butchers, bakers, deli and hardware etc are all excellent.
- WS 9** **LIKE** Like about the Parish: I like the access to the coast, the fact that the railway station is about seven minutes down the road,
- and the doctors' surgery and shops are within a short walking distance. Also, for an OAP such as myself, the entire area referred to has no challenging hills to climb.
- So far (I have lived in Wool since 1981), crime has been relatively non-existent.
- Fortunately, we have the Police Headquarters on our doorstep, which must be a deterrent.

- WS 10** *LIKE* I love the area .. We have lived here for 20 years, we moved here from another part of Dorset for job reasons . Wool and East Burton nestles comfortably in the Frome valley. Bovington remains secure and happy and settled nearby .
- The whole settlement which sits in the beautiful diverse countryside has a contentment, containment and friendliness that not many other large settlements in Dorset can offer.
- We consider ourselves very lucky to be part of a great community .
- WS 11** *LIKE* I like Wool because unlike the towns there is always violence. Or theft
- WS 12** *LIKE* Community spirit
Everyone says hello
Small friendly schools
Lovely walks in walking distance of home
A nice range of shops
Good mix of ages
Train Station and easy access to towns such as Wareham and dorchester
- WS 13** *LIKE* I like the peacefulness the villages bring and that you can walk into morton forrest easily.
- Wool train station is also very handy with direct links to london and the south coast
- Bovington Communtiy cafe (Matildas) and the British Legion provides a hub for the communtiy. Gregs has also now in Bovington which is good but limited on healthy Fast Food.
- WS 14** *LIKE* At the moment it's not too big that you still know your neighbours and a great community spirit still lives, particularly with the old village families.
- WS 15** *LIKE* Quiet. Rural. local services eg small shops, Post Office, rail access.
- WS 16** *LIKE* Small community feel. Nice diverse group of people.
- WS 17** *LIKE* Rural nature, countryside and village life.
- WS 18** *LIKE* Quiet villages, lovely people, well most are.
Good village halls. Loads of local groups. Great library.

- WS 19** **LIKE** Small community feeling. Everything thing I need in walking distance. Good transport links. Carnival. Good schools. Quiet roads for cycling and running clubs. People of all ages. Nice walks across water meadows
- WS 20** **LIKE** Great neighbourhood, picturesque and fairly quiet.
Friendly and community focused.
- WS 21** **LIKE** At the moment it is fairly quiet although obviously more population than the facilities can cope with at the moment (Doctors) being one
- WS 22** **LIKE** nice place to live
- WS 23** **LIKE** I live in Wool, it's not too populated with good community spirit. The infrastructure is already struggling & if these houses are built it will ruin it. Not to mention the impact it will have on local wildlife & habitats.
Not in favour of these developments at all.
- WS 24** **LIKE** * Transport links
* Local services
* Families here for generations
* Beautiful/ special bio-diverse surrounding countryside.
* Slowly changing/evolving and accommodating change.
* Healthy mixed age group demographic compared with Wareham and Swanage.
- WS 25** **LIKE** local people nice houses
- WS 26** **LIKE** It's close to places to Dorchester, Weymouth ect....
Nice and quiet.
- WS 27** **LIKE** Beautiful place to live. Decent people. Regular train service. Choice is schools
- WS 28** **LIKE** Wool has managed to retain a village feel in spite of the impact of additional homes at Purbeck Gate in recent years.
Crime is relatively low and the mix of old and young seems to be a good one at present.
House building generally has been controlled up to now helping to retain the village atmosphere.
- WS 29** **LIKE** A rural community of which the inhabitants are generally caring, kind people, who maintain the values of life . A place where crime in minimal and all ages can feel safe both in their homes and outside in the streets of the community. A place where 'helping your neighbour' still happens, which taking into account the answers to the following points is a necessity!

- WS 30** **LIKE** 1. It's a village
2. Its rural with good walking routes and attractive river
3. It has good train connection
4. Its environment is reasonably maintained
5. In general its population are interested in village activities and are willing to participate
6. It has a thriving volunteer community(Library, Share & Care, Youth club and scouts, Litter pickers)
- WS 31** **LIKE** Rural/coastal setting with sheep in the fields which defines Wool!
All amenities within walking distance.
- WS 32** **LIKE** Wool I like as everything is there
- WS 33** **LIKE** It is peaceful with access to the coast
It has beautiful surrounding countryside for walks in nature
It is reasonably friendly to newcomers
Its mainline station to London and onward connections
It has a library and doctors surgery within walking distance
There is a Post Office
- WS 34** **LIKE** Wool Parish is a large and spread out village but still retains a country village atmosphere. It has the necessary facilities, ie shops, doctor, dentist, pubs, churches, village hall etc. The railway station provides good access to larger towns. It is surrounded by countryside and is close to the sea.
- WS 35** **LIKE** Speaking as a wool resident, I would have to say, it's open spaces, the fact that you walk down the road and 8 out of 10 people will stop a while and talk, no hustle and bustle of the big towns. The diversity of military vehicles makes me proud. It's just the village life most people crave.

WS 36

LIKE Bovington/East Burton - don't know/don't visit

Wool - the variety of family run, long established local businesses and shops which add to Wool's community spirit. Boots, Taylors Butchers, Amber Hardware and Central are especially useful to us.

- the train - which is essential for us to get to work and the reason we moved here.

- Generally feel safe walking around the village centre

- the green views around the village

WS 37

LIKE

WS 38

LIKE

Wool, everything. Lovely place to Live.

Bovington, kebab shop. And it's just the right distance away from Wool.

East Burton, the river and the hall.

WS 39

LIKE

I like the true sense of community. Wool is a very friendly village with all the essential amenities in walking distance. I moved from an urban area and would not like to end up back in the same situation again.

WS 40

LIKE

The fact that it is a local friendly community, with lots of history, and opportunities to support itself with the local shops and services.

A very good rail link.

Set in beautiful countryside with many interesting places to visit without travelling too far.

Lots of local community groups covering all aspects of hobbies, interests and pastimes.

A very useful community library and a busy community building.

Decent road links to the surrounding major towns.

WS 41

LIKE railway station
bus service
internet
doctors
dentist
chemist
butchers
2 general stores
hardware store

WS 42

LIKE The peace, countryside and wildlife. Trains direct to London and connecting lines.

WS 43

LIKE The sense of community, village atmosphere, country surroundings and scenery, neighbourly atmosphere, peace and quiet

WS 44

LIKE Peaceful, low crime rates, lovely area

WS 45

LIKE 1. The rural environment.
2. The sense of community in a small village environment.
3. The access to country & coast, be it for walking, swimming or fishing.
4. The quiet nature of village life.
5. Access to larger towns & cities using the train services.
6. The quality of the small development along East Burton Road.
7. The whole "Jurassic" experience (if you could put that into words).

WS 46

LIKE Easy access to a variety of walks in heathland, woodland and along the river
Close to the sea.
Good Community and low crime rate
Good schools and a Library
Everything in walking distance and a well-used recreation ground and children's play area
Good selection of different shops ; bakers, butchers, hardware, pharmacy (boots), hair dressers etc..
Two garages and two excellent pubs
Railway station with good service to London

Easy to get to towns; Wareham, Poole, Dorchester etc...

- WS 47** *LIKE* Good Community Good schools Everything in walking distance Good selection of different shops ; bakers, butchers, hardware, pharmacy (boots), hair dressers etc.. Railway station Close to the sea. Easy to get to towns; Wareham, Poole, Dorchester etc... 3 unique pubs in walking distance, each with there own character.
- WS 48** *LIKE* The easily accessible amenities.
The community feel of the village.
The friendly village it still remains to be even after a lot of new buildings.
- WS 50** *LIKE* Set in beautiful countryside
- Family friendly area
- Great community vibe on event days
- The train is great for commuting, travel and fun.
- WS 51** *LIKE* The friendly community feel it has as a village.
The amenities that are in our village.
Open green spaces.
Good village schools.
- WS 52** *LIKE*
I feel safe and my children feel safe here. I like the community feel and the fact that people know one another and look out for each other. The fact that we are so close to areas of outstanding natural beauty and there are so many people living in the area who really care about it. Locals! Families that have been here for generations.
- WS 53** *LIKE* Being three separate areas of housing they come together to make the ideal Parish, areas of housing with sufficient areas of green space between them.Green spaces that provides the community with recreational areas, space to breathe and ancient hedges that support a good biodiversity of wildlife.
For a village such as Wool and our neighbours we are served by a main line rail service and have a good mix of amenities such as shops public houses multi faceted community hub that provides a library youth club and preschool facilities.
- WS 54** *LIKE* Close friendly community with good local resources. Good level of charity and community events held that bring the village together.
Good shops and good amount of green spaces.
- WS 55** *LIKE* I love the community feel. Welcoming and areas of beauty so close by.
- WS 56** *LIKE* Rural landscape

- WS 57 *LIKE* I enjoy the community feel, people are kind and always speak to you.
I enjoy that the villages are quiet and that there are lots of activities for children in the area.
- WS 58 *LIKE* Rural feel. River. Walking opportunities. Green. Excellent rail link. Free car parking st station
- WS 59 *LIKE* I like because there is not much crime, and people are friendly
- WS 60 *LIKE* I enjoy the rural and spacious feel to the area of Wool and East Burton. It is good to have a sense of living in a village rather than a over built up area. The meadows, green spaces and trees are an essential part of this atmosphere.
- WS 61 *LIKE* Community Library in Wool
Feel of a local community, where people are known, e.g. returning customers in the hairdresser's (Jane's)
- WS 62 *LIKE* I like the rural nature of the area particularly East Burton. It is situated near the main line railway and has close proximity to Poole, Dorchester and Weymouth providing easy access to those local towns.
Wool has just sufficient facilities for the current population but more infrastructure must be included with any more local development.
- WS 63 *LIKE* It is a very beautiful area, love the quiet life, Bovington is clean and mostly well looked after
- WS 64 *LIKE* How clean and quiet it is
- WS 65 *LIKE* The beauty. The quiet, the fact it's a village and not a town. It's ability to use a train line to busier places if you want to.
- WS 66 *LIKE* The surrounding country side and coast line.
- WS 67 *LIKE* The community and the fact we have all the facility's in a little village.
- WS 68 *LIKE* I like how much has improved in bovington. Eg better things available at the shop, and new Greggs, since my move to moving there has also been a skate park added for children. Which is great for them.
- WS 69 *LIKE* The local facilities, the Durbeville Community Centre, the shops, pubs, access to the countryside and the transport links.
- WS 70 *LIKE* The shops are handy.

Its an easy walk with dogs to the countryside

Friendly people.

- WS 71** **LIKE** We live in Wool having moved here from Surrey 15 years ago. We like community feel of Wool and the surrounding areas where we can walk our dog. Our neighbours are friendly and le to stop and talk to those we know.
I have made good friends and we all look other, something that doesn't happen in bigger towns.
Local facilities are good and there is, for the most part, something for everyone.
Wool is, on the whole, quiet and problem free and there is plenty of walking spaces outdoor activities.
We have two excellent visitor centres with The Tank Museum and the renowned Monkey World and a great community centre at The D'urberville.
- WS 72** **LIKE** Central Area

Peaceful

I Have Lived Here All My Life

My Daughter Was Born And

Raised Here
- WS 73** **LIKE** friendly village
good shops
Recent improvements to village hall
good pubs
- WS 74** **LIKE** Good community spirit, although some village events are not well supported.

Good local facilities: shops, library, doctors' surgery, railway station etc.

Surrounded by pleasant countryside.
- WS 75** **LIKE**

- WS 76** **LIKE** 1. The countryside around the village.
2. The green space in the middle of the village (sports field).
3. The village is well connected with a main road and railway station.
4. The village at the moment is still a village and not a town.
5. Friendly village atmosphere.
- WS 77** **LIKE** Wool with East Burton is a typical English village with a well recorded history. A good range of facilities: shops with PO, pubs, schools, garages, churches, halls, library, surgery, dentist, transport links and open spaces. all of which are reasonably accessible on foot.
Good access to open countryside, the rivers and close to the coast. Good community spirit.
Bovington has a further Post Office (rarely any queues). There are also two free cash dispensers available 24/7.
- WS 78** **LIKE** Has had good local facilities, safe neighbourhood, mixed types of residences, good train links, less traffic congestion than other urban areas, surrounding countryside and close proximity to the coast and open areas
- WS 79** **LIKE** It is a quiet place to live and relatively safe. The house prices are more affordable than in some nearby places. It has a train station and it is easy to get to places like Dorchester and Bournemouth.
There are nice walks and places to cycle within the surrounding countryside. There are many clubs and groups to join that make a difference to the community.
- WS 80** **LIKE** Accesbility to transport etc. Rural area good for nature including water meadows, woodland and heath. Good shops especially the hardware store. Good community facilities including village halls and reasonable sport facilities. Good employment facilities nearby.
- WS 81** **LIKE** The ruralness, open countryside, small friendly community feel.
- WS 82** **LIKE** LIKED clean air and surrounding countryside.

- WS 83** *LIKE* Relatively undeveloped but near good road and rail links across and out of Dorset.
Good local shops especially the Hardware Shop, the Butchers and a choice of takeaways both in Wool and Bovington.
Still has two garages and three Public Houses.
Traffic is an occasional problem due to delayed trains and remote barrier controls.
Relatively mild weather and climate.
Good sense of community and activities.
Choice of primary schools.
Housing costs relatively low for Purbeck.
Reasonably good footpaths and country walks nearby.
Near to the coast for seaside visits.
- WS 84** *LIKE* friendly people
easy access to countryside and beautiful places
- WS 85** *LIKE* A (mostly) quiet semi-rural location with easy access by road and rail to Dorchester, Weymouth, Poole and beyond.
Easy access to Dorset's coast and inland areas.
- WS 86** *LIKE* Rural communities, surrounded by farm landscapes, low levels of street lighting.
Plenty of open spaces for playing, walking etc
- WS 87** *LIKE* 1. It's compact size.
2. There is nothing architecturally exciting about the housing stock in Wool, but I do like the harmonious and comfortable way buildings sit alongside each other be they single or double storey detached or semi-detached etc. Purbeck Gate however, is a notable exception to this; it simply clashes with earlier buildings.
3. The closeness and ease of access to open spaces.
- WS 88** *LIKE* 1. Size and rural village feel.
2. Relatively low light pollution and set within a scenic landscape and environment; good access to open spaces and countryside.
3. Diverse wildlife with frequent sightings of animals and birds in gardens, etc.
4. Easy access to railway station; good community amenities and range of shops.
5. Previous developments have been on a smaller scale and styles in line with existing types of housing, with the exception of Purbeck Gate in Wool which has nothing to commend it in terms of aesthetics.

- WS 89 *LIKE* Formerly a happy community, with parishioners freely giving their time to support the community for the good and benefit of all - truly a great place to live and work.
- WS 90 *LIKE* Beautiful, quiet, rural setting with amenities/shops within walking distance.
Lovely neighbours and friendly community. Has a mainline rail station to London and also a bus stop. Wonderful church family and thriving village hall.
- WS 91 *LIKE* In general a good community spirit
- WS 92 *LIKE* The peace, apart from the train horn,
Clean air,
Easy access to where I live,
Surrounded by the countryside,
Great dog walking by the river,
Friendly Community,
Good local services
- WS 93 *LIKE* The access to some beautiful beaches and countryside. Easy reach to main towns.
- WS 94 *LIKE* Rural, quiet, the streams and river, proximity to coast
- WS 95 *LIKE* Closeness to local attractions
Relatively close knit neighbourhoods
- WS 96 *LIKE* I like living in this peaceful rural setting, with access to local shops, buses and railways.
- WS 97 *LIKE* Wool is still a village it is very friendly and still feels safe.
The Railway makes travelling possible even if you cannot drive.
It is possible to get all basic requirements within the village shops and that is similar for Bovington
There is a good local Taxi service
The social activities within Wool and East Burton are good and varied.
- WS 98 *LIKE* I like that it is a pleasant village atmosphere, where people walk and most greet you with a cheery hello even if you don't know them, it is a friendly place. They are happy, contented residents. There are many amenities that suit the requirements of the existing residents. Trains, buses, a variety of shops, two pubs and five churches, but it is still a rural/country community.
I want the community to stay this way.

- WS 99** **LIKE** 1. Village life and community spirit
2. There is a train station
3. There is a bus service
4. Choice of shops and Public Houses
5. A large GP Practice with added facilities
6. Good choice of Primary schools
7. Play Park is good and well serviced
8. The village hall, The D'Uberville
9. The tradition of the village Fair that comes every year
10. Many organised activities suitable for all ages
11. There is an excellent Postal service
- WS 100** **LIKE** Good sense of local community. Far enough away from Poole, Weymouth and Dorchester to feel "remote" but close enough to allow travel to larger facilities. Rail connectivity is good.
- WS 101** **LIKE** All three communities are well served and close to local amenities
The rail provision is good as are the road links to the nearby towns
The Boots chemist is great at linking with Wool surgery (that is overpressed yet does its best)
Great Waste Disposal teams/collectors
- WS 102** **LIKE** Feel safe. Know the area. Range of shops. Train service. Having a large playing field. Our Doctors surgery. Choice of schools. Having the choice of pubs and a Legion. Availability of religious support.
- WS 103** **LIKE** Local shops, takeaways, pubs, library etc
Railway
Football club
Playing fields
Rural community with lots of footpaths
- WS 104** **LIKE** I like that theirs a sense of community. We have beautiful scenery and theirs a rail link available.
I also like that theirs accessible services, for example the library, local groups, and community rooms.
- WS 105** **LIKE** The access to the countryside. Dog friendly places to walk. The butchers, hardware store and deli and particularly the Bovington shops.
The park in wool and the skatepark in Bovington.
The small closeknit community. The D'Uberville Hall and how much its used.

- WS 106** **LIKE** 1. Public footpaths in all directions accessible by a walk of a few minutes from my house.
2. The range of habitats surrounding Wool : woodlands, water meadows, organically managed rough grazing for sheep, organic wildflower/oats mix fodder crops, the R Frome ecosystem.
3. That it is a safe, local community supporting army personnel (from both Bovington and E Lulworth) as they support us in the wider world.
4. The tranquil beauty of the R Frome. (J Constable would have agreed.)
- WS 107** **LIKE** Rural setting and not over developed
- WS 108** **LIKE** Lovely people, great scenery. Good schools
- WS 109** **LIKE** As someone whom has been lucky to have been born / lived here in Wool for 51 years, I firstly like the village greatly as I grew up here. I have also worked in Bovington previously for 23 years, so offer the following observations: I like the rural setting, the open-green fields, the abundance of rare wildlife we seem to have. I also like the clean air we enjoy, the beautiful nighttime sky (being an Astronomer, the turning off of streetlighting at night was welcomed by me). We are all fortunate to be living in such a beautiful area, one that should be protected, and anyone whom thinks it "boring" should go and spend the weekend up in London - that will make you truly appreciate living in this area. I like the fact also that crime, as a whole, is rare here, as vandalism / violence when compared to other areas of the UK. I like the fact we still have local shops, but more about that below in the next question. I like the fact we have a railway station that is perfectly setup for journeys to Wareham, Poole, Weymouth, Dorchester, etc. That too, should continue and never be threatened. I like Bovington and East Burton too, mainly for the beautiful open fields, wildlife and the ability now to be able to go for long walks on the paths now provided. I also like the fact we still have playing fields in Wool, and that they haven't been sold off or built on; this is good for encouraging people to do sports, fetes, etc.
- WS 110** **LIKE** They have small village feel but have essential facilities.
- WS 111** **LIKE** Good transport links, choice of schools, local butcher, baker, newsagent, chemist. Dr surgery in village and community hub within kids of wool
- WS 112** **LIKE** I like that the village still has a Smallvillage feel
Not a small town. Everyone knows everybody
- WS 113** **LIKE** The size, not too big or too small.
The range of businesses available ie. grocery shops, butchers, bakers, garages, hairdressers, dentist, doctors, chemist etc.

WS 114

LIKE Wool is a proper "village" community - too many new houses would make it a "small town" and would alter the "feel" of the community. Wool feels a safe place to live - for families and the elderly.

Good local shops and businesses - although more food shops would be useful, so villagers don't feel the need to do their weekly shop elsewhere in the county, and more employment in the village for young families.

A good mix of mostly low-rise houses of all sizes for local people of all ages. The only "high"-rise (ie more than two-storey) housing seems to be on Purbeck Gate - they seem out of character with the rest of the village.

A "clean" environment surrounded by lovely countryside, and, with the exception of A352 main road, relatively free of noise and toxic smells pollution.

WS 115

LIKE Station, shops and pubs

WS 116

LIKE Wool is a small, friendly village with a low crime rate.

WS 117

LIKE I currently like the way we have a village feel but are nearly the size of a town. I like the train service we have and i like the shops. The village green is good too and the fact we have lots of walks to go on around the parish. I like the friendly atmosphere we have and that everyone knows your business. I also like the fact we have a number of pubs too and just one.

WS 118

LIKE The community. The ruralness of the area without being in the middle of nowhere. It is clean, there is very little litter along the roadside.

All areas are easily accessible, i.e parking for shops and schools.

There is virtually no crime and no vandalism that I have seen seen

I have lived here 10 years and wouldn't want to live anywhere else.

WS 119

LIKE

WS 120

LIKE It's quietness, easy access to infrastructure; schools, doctors etc..
Rolling countryside, beautiful undisturbed views. Farming community, local feel.

WS 121

LIKE Village that is big enough to have a few shops but not too big.

Love that the kids now have a decent play park. Good to see families spending time there.

Generally not too much litter.

Many clubs and groups that if you are prepared to join in no need to be lonely.

Lucky that we have 2 supermarkets, butchers, deli, hardware, chemist and charity shops.

Good that someone has taken on board getting a good skate-park for the kids as they seem to love this activity.

Good that we allow events like the D'Urberville Dash to encourage fitness.

WS 122

LIKE I enjoy living in a village environment, the sense of belonging and that the the transport facilities allow access to local towns and beyond. The range and number of facilities within the village are sufficient. The schools are not overcrowded.

WS 123

LIKE Railway / Bus Links
Choice of excellent schools
Public Library
Play parks
Doctors Surgery
Convenience stores including Post Office and Boots Pharmacy
Access to nature and river walks
Wildlife diversity

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WS 125

LIKE wool is a friendly village with good access to lots of beautiful countryside. Good pubs, local shops and the village hall is a great asset for the community

WS 126

LIKE It's small and friendly

WS 127

LIKE Community feel, helpful neighbour's, apart from one.

WS 128

LIKE Small friendly villages with good transport links

WS 129

LIKE Still has rural charm
Mostly friendly people

WS 130

LIKE The friendly village atmosphere.

WS 131

LIKE Small community lifestyle
Great schools
Local amenities
Local walks on ur door step
Easy commutes to many beauty spots

WS 132

LIKE Although it is changing this is a community where people have deep roots, where several generations have lived and where there is a strong sense of community. The Care and Share Scheme is a great example of community service.

I only moved to Wool fairly recently and I like the fact that it is rural yet with most of the facilities that people need. I like the good transport links too although the level crossing can be a pain!

I like the fact that you can get to meet people and that there are opportunities such as the Country Market in Wool to engage with other people. Things like Wool Carnival are a good idea too although I'd suggest that some of these things need updating and bringing into the 21st century.

WS 133

LIKE The relative peace and the countryside.
Transport links via the train, when it is running properly.
The community feel.

WS 134

LIKE Purbeck Gate is a lovely place to live. A good community feel and a little 'younger' than the rest of the village. Don't know much about Bovington but East Burton looks very picturesque. Good schools

WS 135

LIKE I love the fact the Parish is made up of villages in a rural setting surrounded by countryside - it takes minutes to be out in the open on footpaths that are well used.

I love that Wool is a friendly village and there is a strong sense of community. It seems to be the same for the other villages too.

Wool has everything you need: doctors, chemist, convenience shops, post office, pubs, cafe and various small businesses. Dorchester or Poole are nearby, and accessible by public transport, for those needing more.