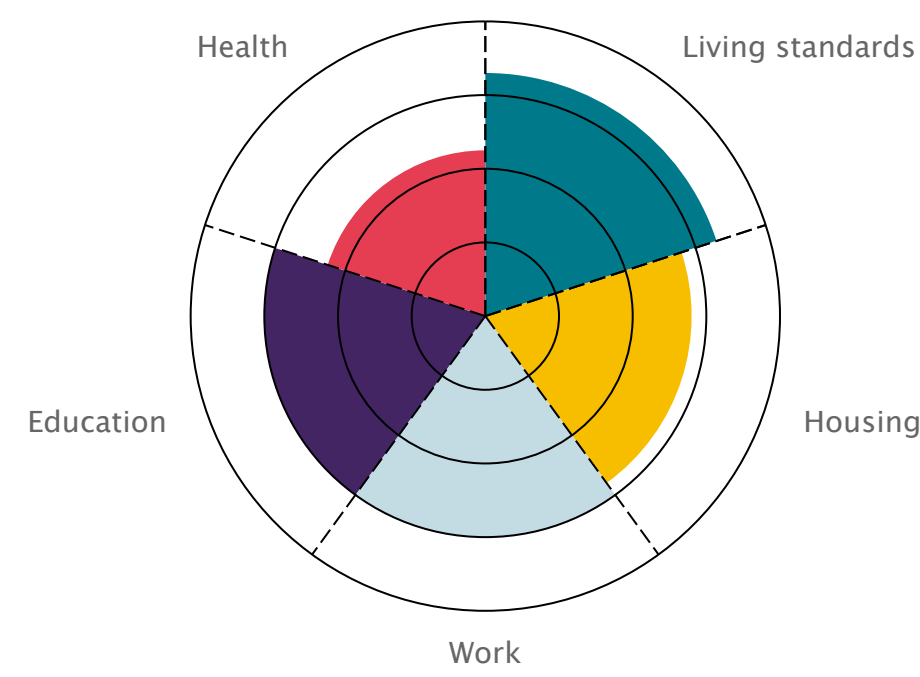


London's Poverty Profile provides evidence on and insight into poverty and inequality in London. It shines a light on these issues to prompt action from local and national government, the third sector, faith groups, practitioners, experts, businesses, the public and indeed anyone who cares about making London a fairer city to live in.

This factsheet draws together insights specifically for Kingston upon Thames from the wider set of indicators published in London's Poverty Profile.

For details of the data sources and methods used please see <https://trustforlondon.org.uk/data/boroughs/overview-of-london-boroughs/>

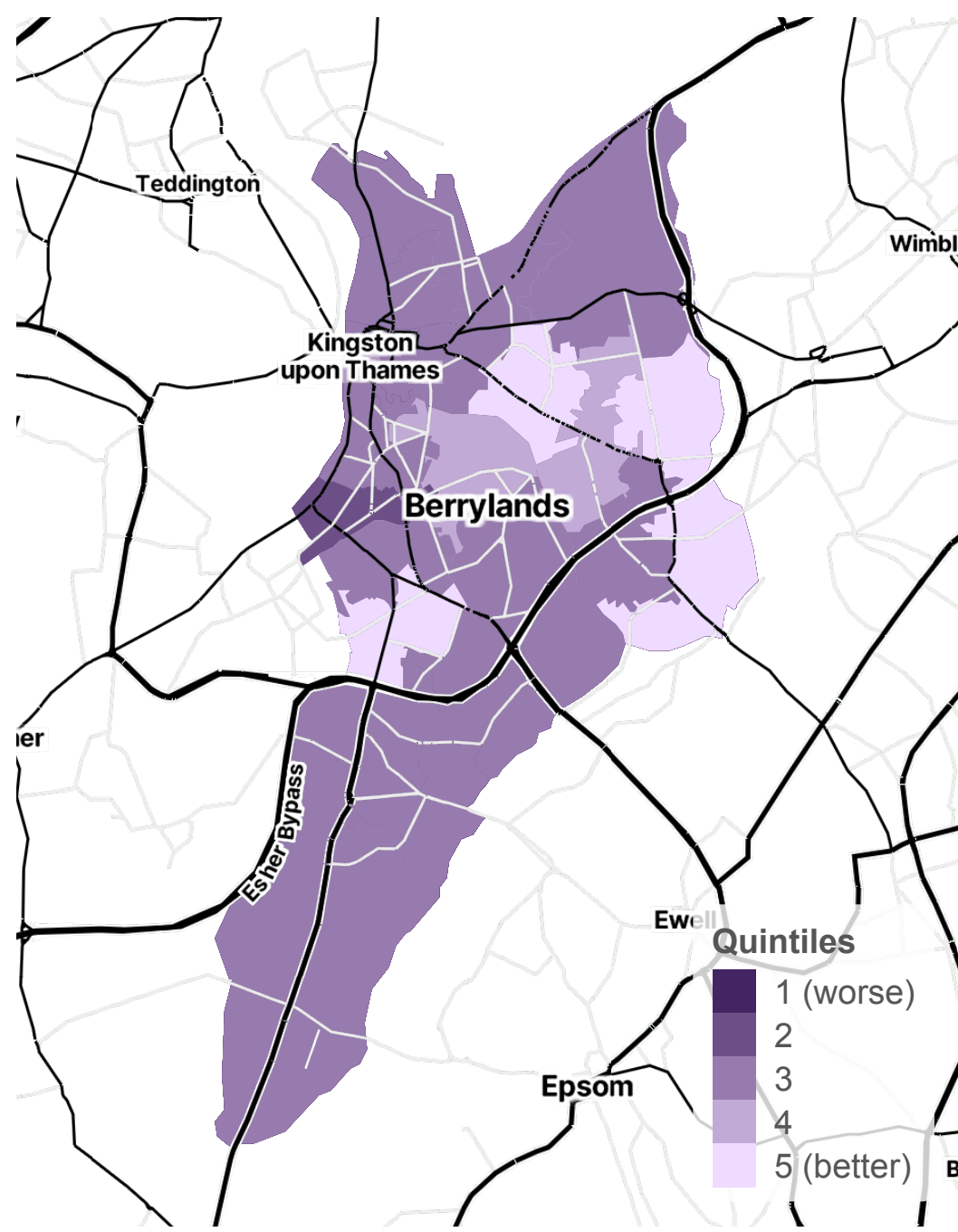


The chart above summarises the boroughs' indicators across each of our themes. The center represents worse performance, outer rings better

Key Points

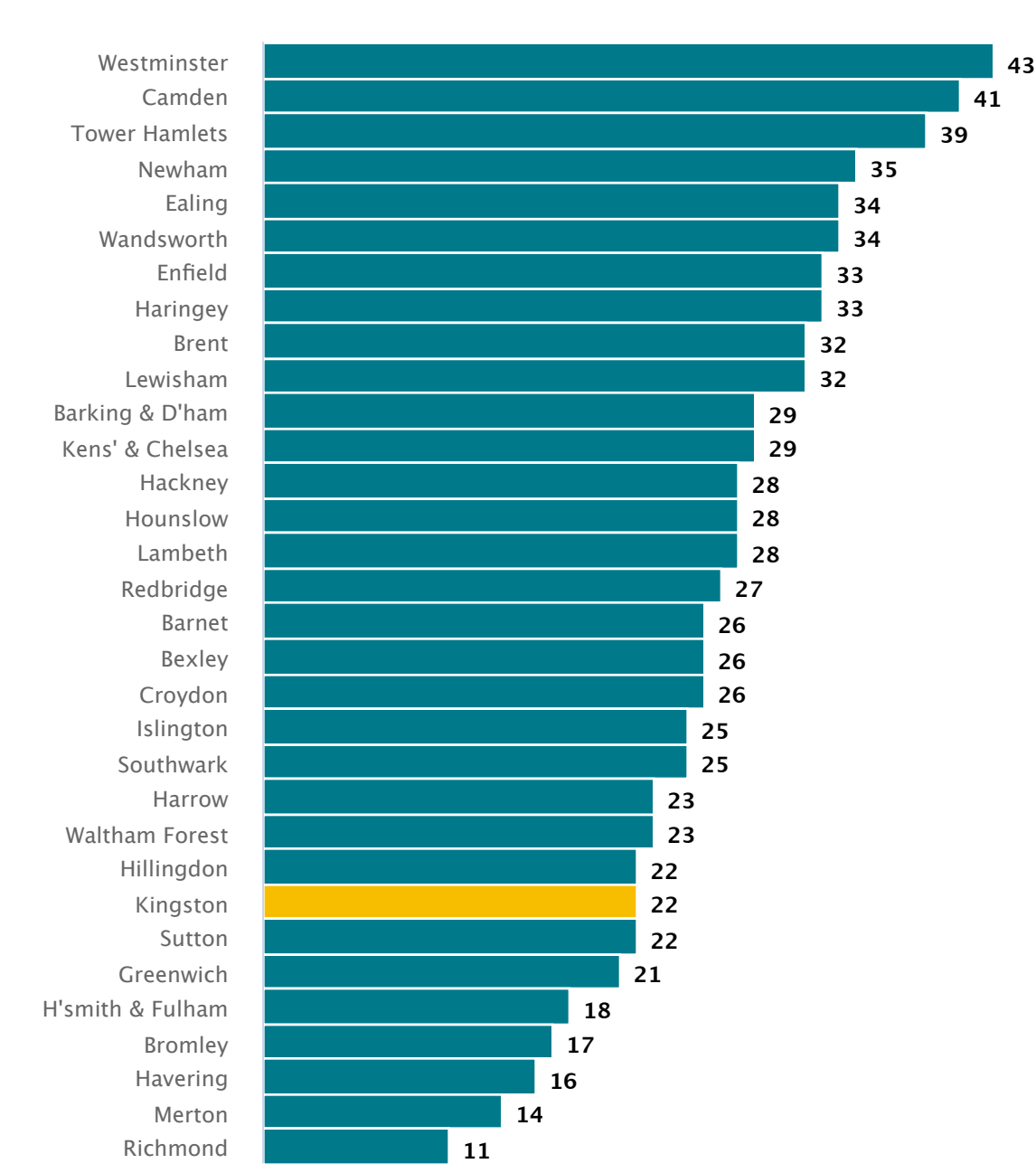
- In 2021/22, 22% of people in the borough lived in households with an income of less than 60% the UK median after housing costs have been subtracted. This was around the same as the average London Borough.
- 19% of children in the borough lived in households with an income of less than 60% the UK median after housing costs have been subtracted in 2021/22. This was better than the average London Borough.
- In Kingston upon Thames, 14% of residents were estimated to be earning below the Living Wage in 2023. This was around the same as the average London Borough.
- The proportion of 19-year-olds without a level 2 or level 3 qualification in 2021/22 was 22.4%, better than the average London Borough
- In and 2023 there were 7.8% of working-age residents of Kingston upon Thames on out-of-work benefits. better than the average London Borough.
- Affordable, social and other discounted housing completions were worse than in Kingston upon Thames the average London Borough, with 33 delivered in 2020/21 - 2022/23.
- Pay inequality as measured by the ratio of wages at the 80th percentile to the 20th percentile in 2023 was worse than the average London Borough at (2.71).

Income estimates 2020



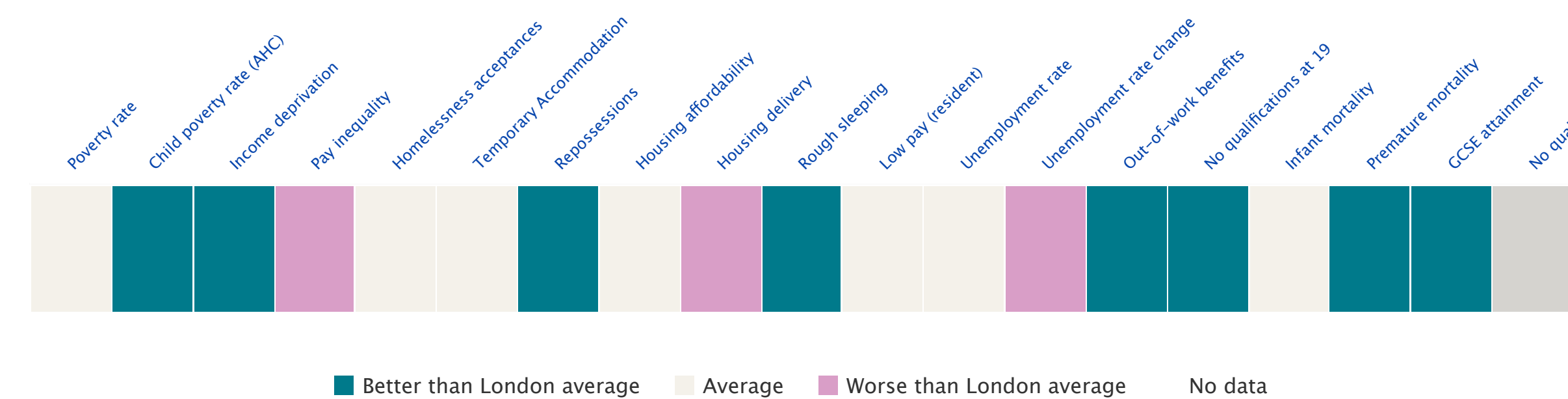
Source: MSAO Income estimates 2020, ONS

Poverty rate 2021/22



Source: Households below average income 5 year averages to 2021/2022, DWP

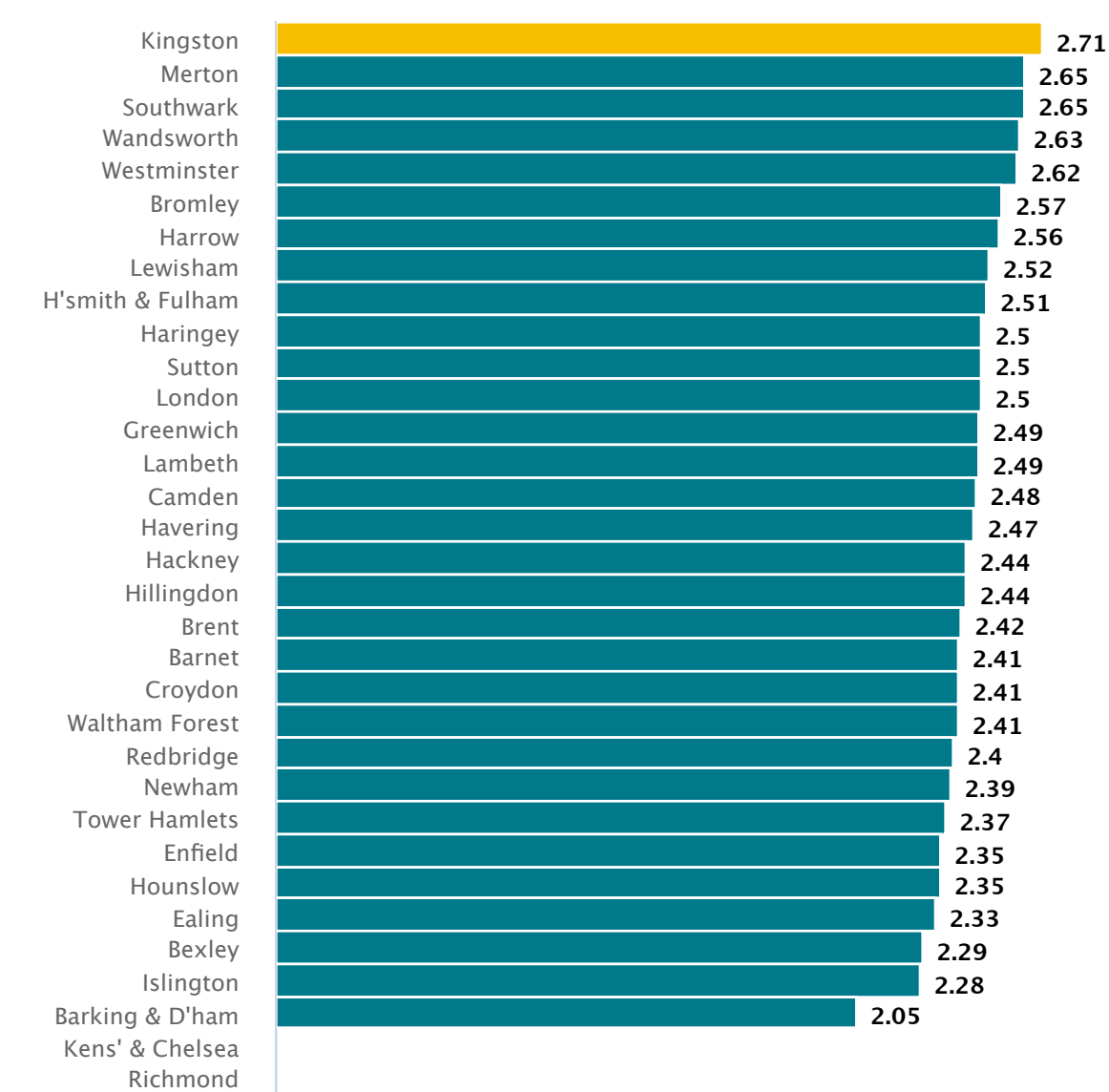
Kingston upon Thames ratings across key indicators



Looking across all the indicators collected at Borough level for the London Poverty Profile, Kingston upon Thames did worst for , and best for .

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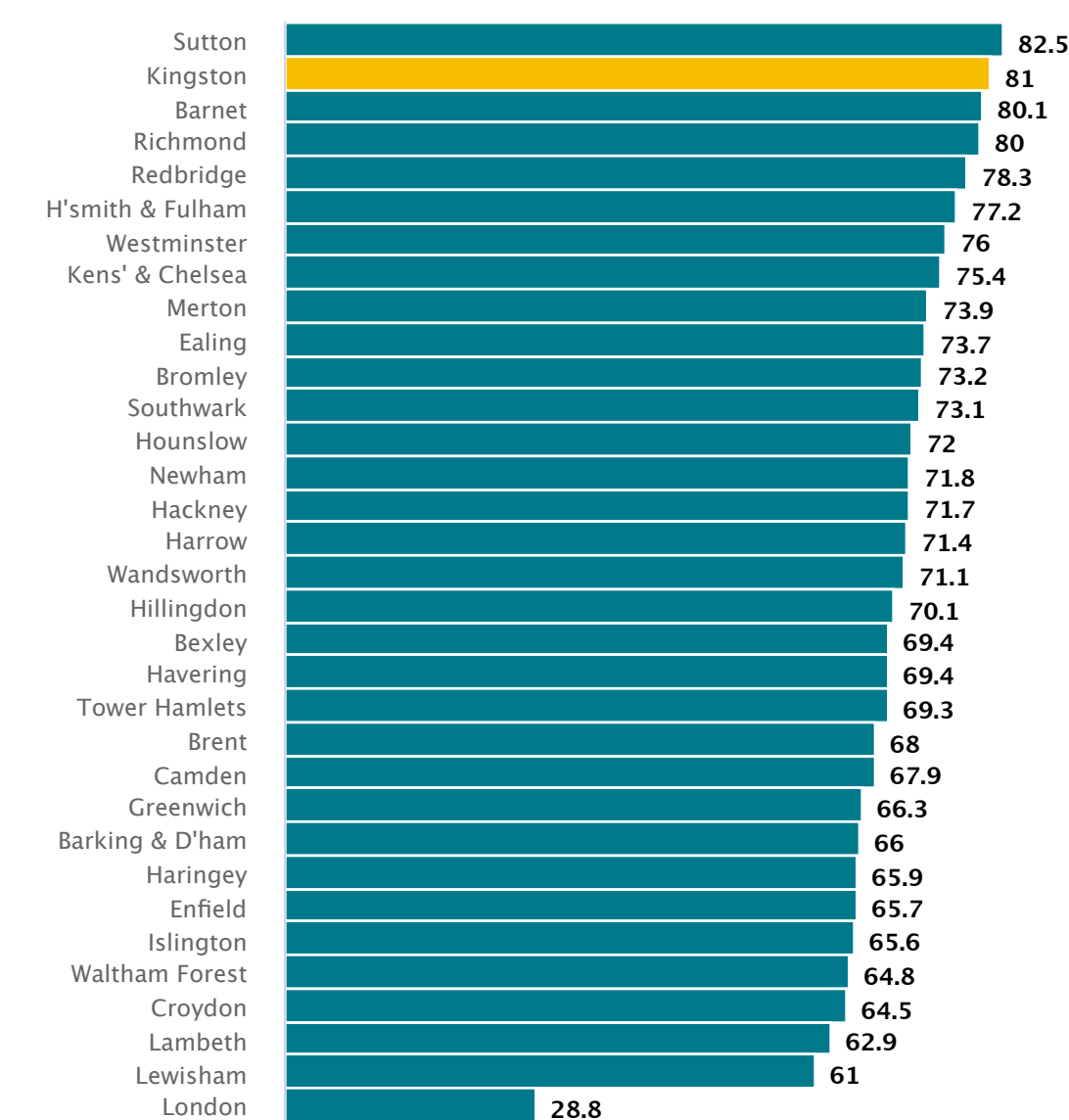
80:20 ratio of earnings 2023



Source: Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings via NOMIS, ONS

Better for:

Percentage of pupils who achieved grade 9-4 2021/22



Source: Department for Education, Level 2 and 3 attainment by young people aged 19