Worcestershire County Economic Summary

Comment: The claimant count decreased in June 2021 by 1,025 to 15,595 and the number of claimants aged 18-24 decreased by 225 to 2,925. Comparisons with March 2020, prior to the impact of the pandemic, show that the claimant count has increased by 7,290 or 88% and the number of claimants aged 18-24 has increased by 1,330 or 83%

About these statistics

 The Claimant Count includes all Universal Credit claimants who are required to seek work and be available for work, as well as all Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) claimants. Under Universal Credit a broader span of claimants are required to look for work than under