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Leeds wards ranked by the number of LSOAs (Lower Layer Super Output Areas[[1]](#footnote-1)) in the most deprived 10% in England. Some LSOAs cross over ward boundaries so are allocated to the ward with the majority of residents.

1. LSOAs (Lower Layer Super Output Areas) are small areas designed to be of a similar population size, with an average of approximately 1,500 residents or 650 households. They were produced by the Office for National Statistics for the reporting of small area statistics and are a standard way of dividing up the country. For ease of communication, LSOAs are sometimes referred to as ‘neighbourhoods’ or ‘small areas’. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)