| Housing Benefit Personal Allowance                                    |         |  |  |  |
|---|---------|--|--|--|
| Single  |         |  |  |  |
| 16–24   | £67.20  |  |  |  |
| 25 – until reaches Pensionable Age                                    | £84.80  |  |  |  |
| Single who has attained Pensionable Age                               | £217.00 |  |  |  |
| Single who attained Pensionable Age after 01/04/2021                  | £201.05 |  |  |  |
| Lone parent under 18  | £67.20  |  |  |  |
| Lone parent 18+ but under Pensionable Age                             | £84.80  |  |  |  |
| Lone parent who has attained Pensionable Age                          | £217.00 |  |  |  |
| Lone parent attained Pensionable Age after 01/04/2021                 | £201.05 |  |  |  |
| Couple  |         |  |  |  |
| Couple both under 18  | £101.50 |  |  |  |
| Couple one or both 18 and over but under Pensionable Age              | £133.30 |  |  |  |
| Couple one or both have attained Pensionable Age                      | £324.70 |  |  |  |
| Couple both attained Pensionable Age After 01/04/2021                 | £306.85 |  |  |  |
| Children  |         |  |  |  |
| 0 - under 20 (per child)  | £77.78  |  |  |  |
| Should be in receipt of child benefit                                 |         |  |  |  |
| Premiums  |         |  |  |  |
| Family  | £18.53  |  |  |  |
| Disabled child premium  | £74.69  |  |  |  |
| Disability premium (single)   | £39.85  |  |  |  |
| Disability premium (couple)   | £56.80  |  |  |  |
| Enhanced disability (child)   | £30.17  |  |  |  |
| Enhanced disability (single)  | £19.55  |  |  |  |
| Enhanced disability (couple)  | £27.90  |  |  |  |
| Severe disability (single)  | £76.40  |  |  |  |
| Severe disability (couple one qualifies)                              | £76.40  |  |  |  |
| Severe disability (couple both qualify)                               | £152.80 |  |  |  |
| Carer   | £42.75  |  |  |  |
| Capital Capital limit is £16,000 (apart from where Guaranteed Pension |         |  |  |  |

Capital limit is £16,000 (apart from where Guaranteed Pension Credit is in payment, then there is no limit)

# **Capital Limits**

| Lower limit under 60 | £6,000  |
|----------------------|---------|
| Lower limit over 60  | £10,000 |
| Higher limit         | £16,000 |

## **Tariff Income**

£1 for each £250 or part of over £6,000 (under Pensionable Age)

£1 for each £500 or part of over £10,000 (aged over Pensionable Age)

# Weekly Overpayment Claw Back Deductions

| Passported Benefit | Standard                    |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| £12.75 Standard    | £12.75+1/2 income disregard |
| £21.25 Fraud       | £21.25+1/2 income disregard |



| Fuel Charge Deductions                             |  |                  |   |  |  |
|--|--|------------------|---|--|--|
| One room (Shared Facilities)                       |  | More than 1 room |   |  |  |
| Heating, hot water and/or lighting  Cooking        | £21.10 Heating Hot water Lighting Cooking All fuel |                  | £35.25<br>£4.10<br>£2.85<br>£4.10<br>£46.30 |  |  |
| Earnings Disregard                                 |  |                  |   |  |  |
| Single claimant                                    |  |                  | £5.00                                       |  |  |
| Couple   |  |                  | £10.00                                      |  |  |
| Lone parent  |  |                  | £25.00                                      |  |  |
| Disabled   |  |                  | £20.00                                      |  |  |
| Carer  |  |                  | £20.00                                      |  |  |
| Additional earnings disregard (formally 16/30 hrs) |  |                  | £17.10                                      |  |  |
| Permitted earnings (higher)                        |  |                  | £167.00                                     |  |  |
| Permitted earnings (lo                             | £20.00   |                  |   |  |  |
| Childcare cost for 1 ch                            | £175.00  |                  |   |  |  |
| Childcare cost for 2 or                            | £300.00  |                  |   |  |  |

| National Living/Minimum Wage NB: Rates change 1st April each year. |        |        |          |             |       |  |
|--|--------|--------|----------|-------------|-------|--|
|  | 23+    | 21-22  | Under 18 | Apprentices |       |  |
| April 2023   | £10.42 | £10.18 | £7.49    | £5.28       | £5.28 |  |
| April 2022   | £9.50  | £9.18  | £6.83    | £4.81       | £4.81 |  |
| April 2021   | £8.91  | £8.36  | £6.56    | £4.62       | £4.30 |  |
| April 2020   | £8.72  | £8.20  | £6.45    | £4.55       | £4.15 |  |

| Meal Deductions           |                  |             |  |  |
|---------------------------|------------------|-------------|--|--|
|                           | Child (under 16) | Adult (16+) |  |  |
| 3 or more meals per day   | £16.80           | £33.15      |  |  |
| Less than 3 meals per day | £11.05           | £22.10      |  |  |
| Breakfast only            | £4.05            | £4.05       |  |  |

## Subtenant/Boarders Income

Rent, keep etc. from household members - all disregarded

| Rent from Boarders  | Rent from Subtenant  |
|---|--|
| Disregard £20 for each boarder included within the charge (inc. all children). Divide the remaining amount by 2 and treat as earned income. | Disregard the first £20 of that rent.<br>Count the rest as earned income.<br>A separate £20 is disregarded for<br>each subtenancy. |

| HB deduction |
|--------------|
| £116.75      |
| £106.35      |
| £93.40       |
| £57.10       |
| £41.60       |
| £18.10       |
| £18.10       |
| £18.10       |
| n't<br>Nil   |
| Blind Nil    |
| Nil          |
|              |

#### LHA Room Allowance/Under Occupation Criteria

One bedroom is awarded for each category below:

- Every adult couple
- Any other adult aged 16 or over
- Any two children of the same sex (under the age of 16)
- Any two children, regardless of sex (under the age of 10)
- Any other child

#### One Bedroom Shared Rate:

The one-bedroom shared accommodation rate applies to single people or couples with no dependants who live in a property where they have their own room which no one else can use and share other rooms. Or they are single and under 35, where they have more than one room for sole use but do not satisfy any exemption conditions.

#### One Bedroom Self Contained rate:

The one-bedroom self- contained accommodation rate applies to single people over 35, or a couple, with no dependents who live in a property where they have more than one room for sole use.

#### Exemptions apply if you are:

- Severely disabled or live with a severely disabled partner and have no dependent children.
- A care leaver under 25 or live with a care leaver under 25 who is your partner and has no dependent children.

## Under-occupancy percentage for Social Sector Housing:

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| Penson Credit Rates                    |  |         |  |  |  |
|--|--|---------|--|--|--|
| Standard Guarantee Credit (weekly)     |  |         |  |  |  |
| Single                                 | £201.05  |         |  |  |  |
| Couple                                 |  | £306.85 |  |  |  |
| Additional for severe disability sin   | gle  | £76.40  |  |  |  |
| Additional for severe disability co    | uple (one qualifies)   | £76.40  |  |  |  |
| Additional for severe disability co    | uple (both qualify)  | £152.80 |  |  |  |
| Additional – carer premium             | £42.75   |         |  |  |  |
| Dependent children – 1st child bo      | £72.31   |         |  |  |  |
| Subsequent children                    | £61.88   |         |  |  |  |
| Disabled children lower rate           | £33.67   |         |  |  |  |
| Disabled children higher rate          | £104.86  |         |  |  |  |
| Savings Credit Thresholds (weekly)     |  |         |  |  |  |
| Single                                 | £174.49  |         |  |  |  |
| Couple                                 | £277.12  |         |  |  |  |
| Maximum single                         | £15.94   |         |  |  |  |
| Maximum couple                         | £17.84   |         |  |  |  |
| Customer's DOB<br>(both men and women) | Earliest date the customer can<br>qualify for Pensionable Age<br>HB/CTB and Pension Credit<br>Guarantee Credit |         |  |  |  |

Date of birth on o before 06/10/1954 already classed as a pensioner. See A16/2009 or www.gov.uk for more info.

From 66th Birthday

| Benefit Income Figures                                   |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
|--|---|-----------|--------------|--------|---------|-----------------------|
| Universal Credit (Monthly)                               |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
| Single under 25  | • |           |              |        |         | £292.11               |
| Single over 25   |   |           |              |        |         | £368.74               |
| Couple both under 25                                     |   |           |              |        |         | £458.51               |
| One or both over 25                                      |   |           |              |        |         | £578.82               |
| 1st child (born prior to (                               | )6/04/2017                              | )         |              |        |         | £315.00               |
| 2st child (born on or af                                 |   | •         | 20010        | nt chi | Ы       | £269.58               |
| Disabled child/qual. yo                                  |   |           | w £14        |        |         | th £456.89            |
| Income Support/Jobse                                     |   |           |              |        | riig    | JIT £430.07           |
| Single under 25 or lone                                  |   | -         | D) (**       | cckiy) |         | £67.20                |
| Single over 25 or lone p                                 |   |           |              |        |         | £84.80                |
| Couple one under 18 a                                    |   |           | r both       | undo   | r 10    | £67.20                |
|  |   |           |              | unde   | 1 10    | £101.50               |
| Couple both under 18 (                                   |   |           | ilia)        |        |         |                       |
| Couple one under 18, c                                   | one 25 or ov                            | ver       |              |        |         | £84.80<br>£133.30     |
| Couple both over 18                                      | VII.                                    | /\A/      | \ <b>A</b>   |        |         |                       |
| Employment Support A                                     |   |           |              | essme  | ent     | Main                  |
| Single under 25 or lone                                  | •                                       |           | £67.         |        |         | £84.80                |
| Single over 25 or lone p                                 | oarent over                             | 18        | £67.         |        |         | £84.80                |
| Couple both under 18                                     |   |           | £67.         |        |         | £84.80                |
| Couple both under 18 (                                   |   |           | £101         |        |         | £133.30               |
| Claimant under 25 and                                    | · ·                                     |           | £67.         | 20     |         | £84.80                |
| Claimant over 25 and p                                   | oartner un                              | der 18    | £84          | .80    |         | £84.80                |
| Couple both over 18                                      |   |           | £133         | 3.30   |         | £133.30               |
| Other Income Figures                                     |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
| Child Benefit  |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
| 1st Child  | £24.00                                  | 2nd Ch    | ild+         |        |         | £15.90                |
| Guardian's Allowance                                     |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
|  |   | Stando    | ard          |        |         | £20.40                |
| Career's Allowance                                       |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
|  |   | Stando    | ard          |        |         | £76.75                |
| Attendance Allowance                                     | •                                       |           |              |        |         |                       |
| Low  | £68.10                                  | High      |              |        |         | £101.75               |
| Disability Living Allow                                  | ance (DLA)                              |           |              |        |         |                       |
| Care Component La  | ow £26.90                               | Middle    | £68.10       | )      | Hig     | h £101.75             |
| Mob Component L  | ow £26.90                               | High £7   | 71.00        | ·      |         |                       |
| Personal Independence                                    | e Payment                               | t (PIP)   |              |        |         |                       |
| Daily Living Compone                                     | nt Stand                                | dard £68  | 3.10         | Enha   | nce     | d £101.75             |
| Mobility Component                                       | Stand                                   | dard £26  | .90          | Enha   | nce     | d £71.00              |
| Severe Disablement A                                     | llowance (S                             | SDA)      |              |        |         |                       |
|  |   | Basis     |              |        |         | £92.20                |
|  | Spouse o                                | r other c | ıdult d      | lepend | dent    | £45.35                |
| Age-related additions                                    | Low & Mi                                | ddle £7.  | 65           | Hiç    | gh      | £13.80                |
| New State Pension  |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
| New State Pension (Fu                                    | II Rate)                                |           |              |        |         | £203.85               |
| Statutory Sick Pay                                       | ,                                       |           |              |        |         |                       |
| Earnings Threshold                                       | £123.00                                 | Stando    | ard          |        |         | £109.40               |
| Statutory Maternity and Paternity Pay                    |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
|  |   |           |              |        | £172.48 |                       |
| Statutory Shared Parental Pay and Statutory Adoption Pay |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
| Earnings Threshold £123.00 Standard £172.48              |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
| Maternity Allowance                                      |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
| Threshold  | £30.00                                  | Stando    | ard          |        |         | £172.48               |
| Bereavement Support                                      |   |           |              |        |         | ∠1, ∠. <del>4</del> 0 |
| High   | £350.00                                 |           | y)<br>£100.0 | 00     |         |                       |
| riigii E330.00 Low E100.00                               |   |           |              |        |         |                       |
|  |   |           |              |        |         |                       |



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