

More Money In Your Pocket
Helping you with the cost-of-living crisis



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More Money In Your Pocket website – how to locate it?



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You can find MMIYP on Barnsley Council's intranet.

<https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/services/advice-benefits-and-council-tax/help-with-the-rising-cost-of-living/>



Visit [barnsley.gov.uk/more-money-in-your-pocket](https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/more-money-in-your-pocket) or scan the code to find out more:



Use the QR (Quick Response) code



What can you find on MMIYP?

- Up to date information on support to help people through the cost of living crisis.
- It only contains information about **FREE** or **DISCOUNTED** support.
- It pulls in information from across lots of other websites and may direct you to those websites.
- There are 10 tiles on the main webpage and we have designed them to direct people to the most pressing issues relating to the cost of living pressures. The following slides will provide you with an overview of those 10 areas.
- The 'tile' format enables the content of each tile to be changed without changing the look or feel of the site, maintaining a consistent user experience.

New support available

This will give you information on any new support that has recently become available. We think this is helpful for those who may have exhausted all other options and are looking for new or additional support. This will include for example, information on new government grants and support how you can access them.

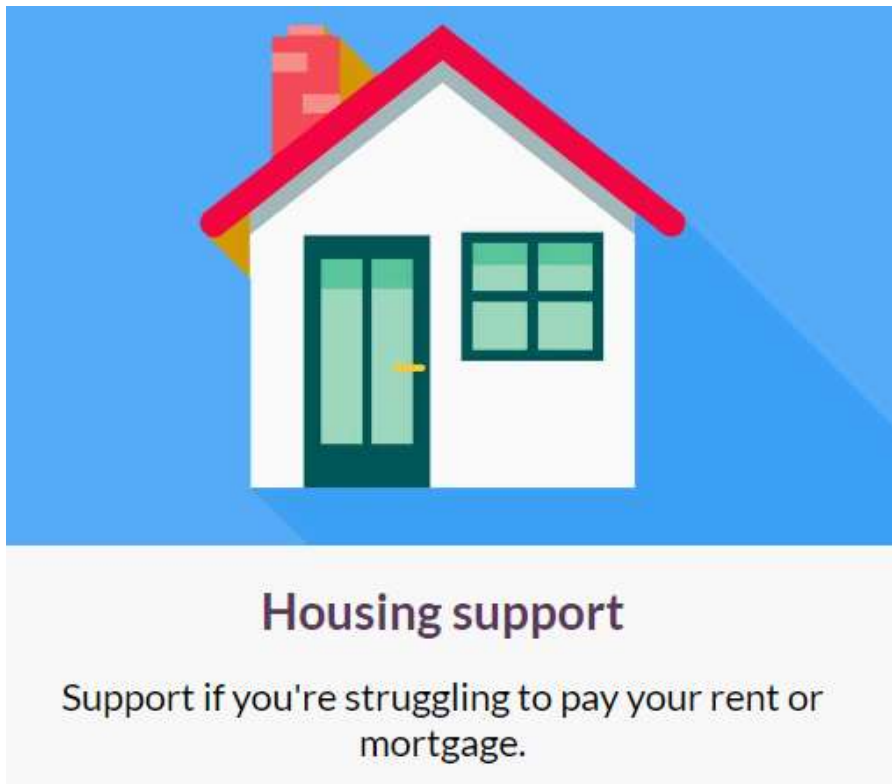
New support available

Depending on your circumstances, you may be eligible for a household support grant to help pay for essentials due to the rising cost of living.

Household support grants and other support



Support if you are struggling to pay your rent or mortgage



Example:

- If you're on a low income, you may be able to claim council tax support to help you pay your council tax bill.

Help to pay your electricity, gas, water or broadband

- **The challenge**
- We know this is one of the most topical areas and we are aiming to ensure that we provide the most up to date information on the governments approach to this. You can also get one off grant support through some community groups. Please see the Household support grants area.



Support with utility bills

Help to pay your electricity, gas, water or broadband bill.

Free schools meals, food vouchers, crisis support and much more.



Did you know that you can become a member of one of our community shops or storehouse and field and save up to £200 per month on your food bill?

We have included lots of low cost recipes to help you cook on a budget.

There is also crisis food support and vouchers to help you.

Household support grant

- The HSG is grant we get from the DWP. It usually amounts to 2.3 million twice a year.
- We have to allocate some of this to people on benefits.
- We are however using a large amount to fund community organisations to help you with food, fuel and other essential household goods.
- We are targeting those on low incomes.



Household support grants and other support

Freebies and money saving ideas



Freebies and money saving ideas

How to access the internet, books and magazines for free, as well as finding free days out and things to do.

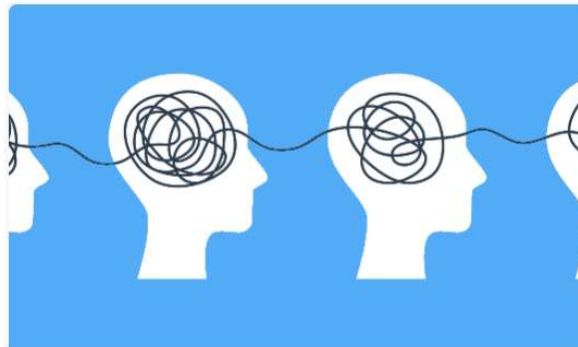
Free

Digital magazines, holiday clubs for your children, family friendly fun activities and much, much, more



Budgeting support

Help to manage your money and budget.



Wellbeing support

Services that can help if you're worried about money, including mental health support.

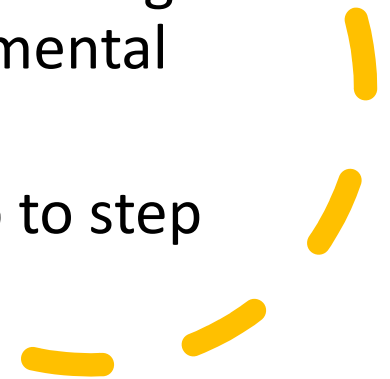


Employment and skills support

Get advice and support from our team and benefit from opportunities around learning and working.

We have included 3 more areas where you can get help with things like budgeting, clubs to get involved in, and help with your mental health if you are struggling to cope.

We have also included information on how you can skills up to step up.



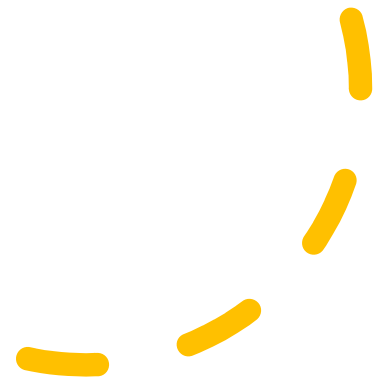
Limitations of the site

As the website is hosted on the wider Barnsley Council website, it is governed by the councils corporate requirements on site management.

In accordance with site management, where links to other pages or websites are shared, these cannot contain descriptors which include content from third party sites. This is to ensure that should the third party content change, the information displayed on More Money in your Pocket remains accurate.



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Site demo

<https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/mmiyp>

We aim to improve the site and keep it up to date and welcome your feedback

