

Local User Discount Scheme Application for Full Time Students and Apprentices

The Halton Local Users Discount Support Scheme (HLUDSS) provides access to the Local User Discount Scheme (LUDS) for those residents of Halton Borough who are ineligible to apply because they live in a house in Council Tax Band G or H but are in either full time education or are on a recognised apprenticeship scheme.

This application form is only to be completed by residents of Halton Borough who live in a house that is in Council Tax Band G or H. If you are unsure of your house's Council Tax Band or if you pay your Council Tax to Halton Borough Council, then you can check this information at www.gov.uk/council-tax-bands.

To qualify for the HLUDSS on the grounds of being in either full time education or be being on a recoginsised apprenticeship scheme you must provide the following evidence with this application:

Supporting Evidence:

For student applications you must provide evidence from the university or college that you are either enrolled for the purpose of attending a university or college course which lasts for at least one academic year, normally requires attendance of at least 24 weeks a year and involves on average at least 21 hours of study, tuition or work experience per week during term time;

or Under the age of 20 and studying for at least 12 hours per week on a course which lasts for more than three months for any qualification up to A level, ONC or OND standard (correspondence courses, evening classes or courses taken in connection with a person's job, such as on day release, are not included).

For apprenticeship applications you must provide evidence from your employer that you are undertaking an apprenticeship scheme which is recognised by the Apprenticeship Service, supplying details of the apprenticeship and the training provider.

This application form is only for the HLUDDS element of LUDS, if you are successful in this application you will still need to apply for LUDS. To qualify for LUDS you must still;.

- Prove you are a resident of Halton Borough with a valid UK driving Licence;
- Prove the vehicle is registered in your name (or prove you have sole use of a company vehicle);
- Only Class 2 vehicles are eligible to be registered; and
- Pay the £10 annual fee.

Only complete one application form per person, if successful only the eligible resident in the household will be able to apply for LUDS.

| 1 | Address details Address | | | | | |
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| | Postcode | | | | | |
| 2 | Personal de | tails | | | | |
| | Forename(s) | | | Surname | | |
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3 Declaration

This application may be delayed unless you sign and date this declaration.

- I confirm that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information I have provided is true and complete. If it is not I understand that I may have my access to the LUDS withdrawn and I will become liable for any tolls incurred.
- I agree to supply any further information in relation to the applicant's application for LUDS that Merseyflow may ask for and agree to tell them immediately if my circumstances change in any way that might affect this application.
- I must notify Merseyflow about any change in my circumstances, which may affect this application.
- I understand that if I am successful I will need to appply for LUDS either on line or at the walk in centre.

| Your full name (in BLOCK CAPITALS) | Date | DAY MONTH YEAR |
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| Your signature | | |
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Please return the completed form and supporting evidence to LUDSupport@merseyflow.co.uk or post to:

Halton Local Discount Support Scheme Application Merseyflow Customer Services PO Box 327 Runcorn WA7 1SJ

If you need any further information or require this form in largeprint then please visit www.merseyflow.co.uk or telephone 01928 878878

Data Protection

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