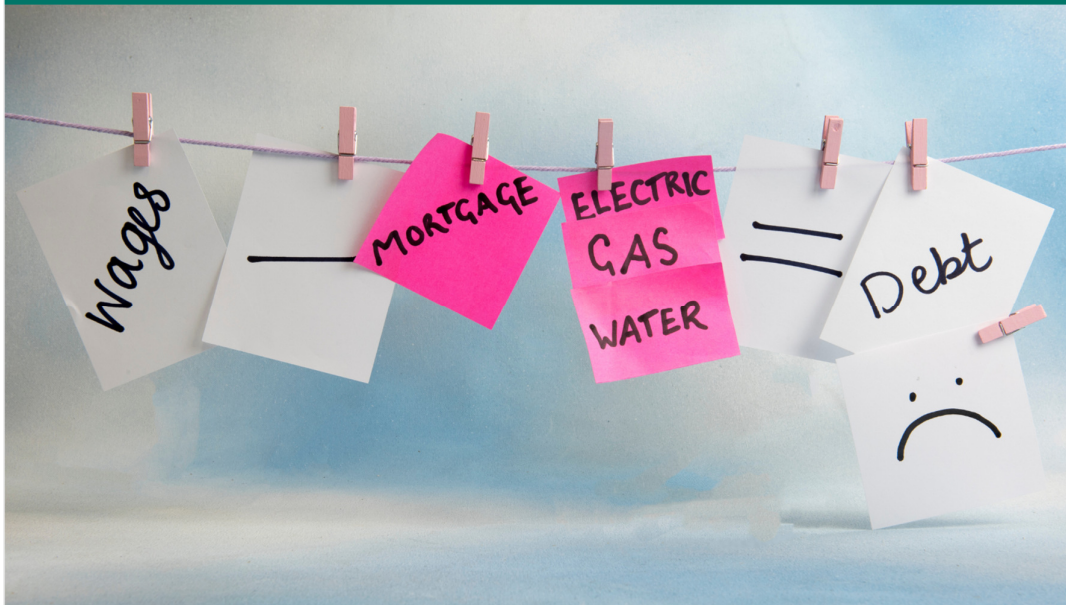




EAST RIDING
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Financial help available to residents

As the winter months are upon us, we want to inform you about help available to residents, which could ease some financial pressures.

What financial help are residents eligible to?

The best way to find out is to use the council's online benefit calculator below. If residents need support to make an application, they can call us on (01482) 393939.

Benefit Calculator

Please see below artwork for use as a poster or in newsletters to help spread the word about the financial support available to East Riding residents.

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Household Support Grant



New Household Support Grant

Government time-limited funding to support residents with essentials over the winter months with small grants to meet daily needs such as food, clothing, and utilities.

[Find out more](#)

Free school meals



Free School Meals

Many families with children at school will be entitled to free school meals for their children. More information and to apply click the link below.

[Find out more](#)

Help with food & utilities



Emergency Assistance

The council's emergency assistance scheme can help residents with food and gas/electricity and other essential items.

[Find out more](#)

Warm Homes Discount



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If residents get the Guarantee Credit element of Pension Credit or are on a low income, they could get a one-off payment of £140 off their electricity bill for winter 2021 to 2022. For more, click below. *Please note, this is not the council's scheme.*

[Find out more](#)

Universal Credit



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Universal Credit is a payment to help residents with living costs. It's paid monthly. Click below for more information and to apply.

[Find out more](#)

Help paying your bills



Welfare Team advisors

We have a dedicated Welfare Team who can help with even the most complex situations, who can make sure residents are receiving all of their entitlements. They may

be entitled to help towards rent and council tax if they are on a low income and have less than £16,000 in savings. Click below to email one of our advisors for an appointment or call us on (01482) 393939.

[Email the team](#)

Save on your bills



[Council tax reductions](#) ↘

There are many reductions and exemptions that can be applied to Council Tax. Click the button below to find out if they are entitled.

[Find out more](#)

Watersure



[WaterSure Scheme](#) 💧

This scheme helps some people with their water bills, they must be on benefits and need to use a lot of water either for medical reasons or because their household has a certain number of school-age children. To find out more visit the water suppliers website. *Please note, this is not the council's scheme.*

[Find out more](#)