

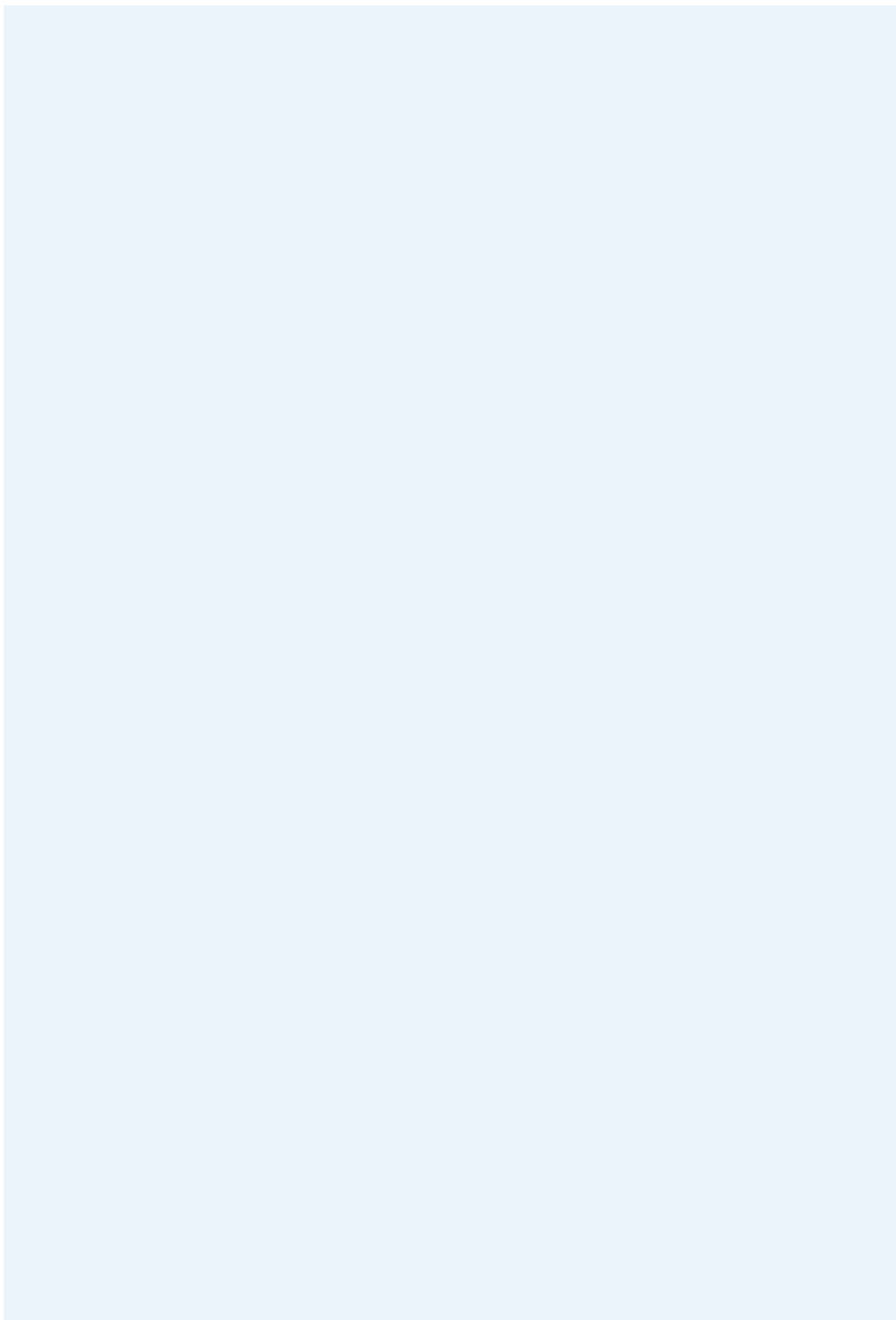


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Parking Concessions for European Blue Badge Holders



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What is the European Blue Badge Scheme?

The National Orange Badge Scheme began in 1971, but has now been replaced by the European Blue Badge Scheme. This scheme gives national parking concessions for drivers and passengers with severe disabilities. These badges are issued to people with a physical disability, or those who are registered as blind, and who need to be able to park close to their destination because their ability to walk is severely impaired.

However, because of the serious parking problems in central London, the Secretary of State for Transport decided when the scheme was introduced that these concessions would not apply in:

- the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea;
- the City of Westminster;
- the City of London; and
- part of Camden south of Euston Road.

Because of this, we and these other boroughs have set up special disabled badge schemes. You can apply direct to these other boroughs for details of their own schemes.



Where can't I park with my Blue Badge in this borough?

- ✗ Resident parking bays during controlled hours.
- ✗ On loading bays.
- ✗ On suspended parking bays.
- ✗ In Diplomatic bays.
- ✗ In Doctors' bays.
- ✗ Personalised numbered disabled bays.
- ✗ Double yellow lines.
- ✗ Single yellow lines during enforcement hours.

Where can I park with my Blue Badge in this borough?

✓ Pay and display bays.

As long as you have made a payment (up to the maximum time allowed) at a pay and display machine, you can have one hour's free parking after the time you have paid for has run out.

✓ Yellow lines.

As long as there is no loading or unloading restriction and only for 20 minutes to drop off or pick up a disabled person, or to collect goods.

✓ Special Blue Badge parking bays.

We have provided special European blue badge parking bays if you hold a blue badge, near to places of interest. You can park for free in these bays for up to four hours from Monday to Friday between 8.30am and 6.30pm, and for as long as you want to outside these hours. During the limited hours, you must also display your blue clock in the vehicle. The bays are listed below.

Parking bays for Blue Badge holders

Street and postcode	No. of bays	Where to find bays
Acklam Road W10	1	Under Westway, opposite Mosque
Allen Street W8	2	Outside 195, Waterstones
	1	Outside St. Mark's Coptic Orthodox Church
Argyll Road W8	3	Junction with Kensington High Street
Barlby Road W10	1	Junction with Ladbroke Grove
Basil Street SW3	4	Outside Harrods
Beauchamp Place SW3	1	Opposite number 29
Bramerton Street SW3	1	Side of number 239 Kings Road
Bute Street SW7	1	Outside number 31
Bywater Street SW3	1	Opposite number 132 junction Kings Road
Cadogan Gardens SW3	1	Outside number 39
	2	Opposite number 39, outside Peter Jones
Cale Street SW3	4	Opposite Royal Brompton hospital
Campden Hill Road W8	2	Outside Bradford and Bingley Building Society, junction with Kensington High Street
Chelsea Manor Gardens SW3	2	Opposite Chelsea Sport Centre
Clarendon Road W11	1	Junction with Portland Road, outside 22–25 The Quest
Collingham Road SW5	1	Outside St. Jude's Church
Cranley Place SW7	1	Side of 99–101 Old Brompton Road

Street and postcode	No. of bays	Where to find bays
Dalgarno Gardens W10	1	Opposite number 14
Dalgarno Way W10	1	Outside Block X Peabody Estate
Dovehouse Street SW3	3	Outside the Royal Brompton Hospital
Dudmaston Mews SW3	5	Outside Royal Marsden Hospital
Eardley Crescent SW5	1	Outside number 73
Earls Court Road SW5	1	Outside number 284
	1	Opposite number 29
Egerton Terrace SW3	1	Outside number 5
Elkstone Road W10	1	Outside number 1
Exhibition Road SW7	4	Outside Natural History Museum
	4	Outside Science Museum
	4	Outside Victoria and Albert Museum
Flood Street SW3	1	Outside number 15
Foulis Terrace SW7	3	Opposite number 1–5
Freston Road W10	1	Outside Harrow Club
Fulham Road SW3	2	Outside number 111–113
Glebe Place SW3	1	Side of 219 Kings Road
Gloucester Road SW7	1	Outside number 68, opposite Elvaston Place
	1	Outside number 114
Golborne Road W10	1	Outside number 18, flats 1 to 10
	1	Outside the Prince Arthur Public House

Street and postcode	No. of bays	Where to find bays
Herbert Crescent SW1X	1	Outside number 12
Hillgate Street W8	2	Outside number 1
Holland Park W11	1	Outside number 35
Holland Park Road W14	1	Opposite number 9a
Holland Villas Road W14	1	Opposite number 44
Hortensia Road SW10	1	Opposite Hortensia House
Iverna Court W8	1	outside number 28 to 44
Kenley Walk W11	1	Outside number 29
Kensal Road W10	1	Outside 196–200
Kensington Place W8	1	Outside numbers 5 and 6
Kings Road SW3	2	Opposite 492, outside Worlds End Place near junction Langton Street
	1	Outside number 359, nearest junction Milman Street
Kings Road SW10	1	Outside number 433
Kingsbridge Road W10	1	Outside number 20
Kingsdown Close W10	1	Junction with Bartle Road
Lancaster Road W11	2	Opposite number 160, outside London Lighthouse
	1	Outside number 111 to 117 (London Lighthouse)
	2	Outside number 61, Clinic near Portobello Road junction
	1	Outside Campden Institute, near Ladbroke Grove library
Latimer Road W10	1	Outside 220

Street and postcode	No. of bays	Where to find bays
Lawrence Street SW3	1	Junction Cheyne Walk, opposite Cheyne Lodge
Lennox Gardens SW1	1	Opposite number 67 Pont Street
Lincoln Street SW3	2	Opposite number 17, near Kings Road junction
Lots Road SW10	1	Opposite number 12, near junction with Cremorne Road
Lowndes Square SW1X	1	Outside number 48–49
Lowndes Street SW1X	1	Opposite number 20
Malton Road W10	3	Outside Westway Centre, near junction Malton Mews
Marloes Road W8	1	outside number 2
Netherton Grove SW10	6	Opposite Chelsea and Westminster Hospital
Nevern Road SW5	1	Near side of number 17
Norland Road W11	1	Side of Sikh Temple/opposite 57 Queensdale Road
Old Brompton Road SW5	1	Outside 296, near Warwick Road junction
Old Brompton Road SW5	1	Outside 212, Brompton Library
Old Church Street SW3	1	Outside number 80
Oxford Gardens W10	1	Junction with Portobello Road
Palace Gardens Terrace W8	1	Outside number 104 to 108
Pembridge Villas W11	1	Opposite number 62, outside Library
Penywern Road SW5	1	outside flank of number 28 Warwick Road
Phillimore Walk W8	2	Junction with Argyll Road

Street and postcode	No. of bays	Where to find bays
Queens Gate SW7	1	Outside number 90
Radnor Walk SW3	1	Side of 115 Kings Road
Roland Gardens SW7	1	Outside number 46
Royal Hospital Road SW3	1	Outside Army Museum
Scarsdale Villas W8	1	Outside number 2, junction Marloes Road
Sedding Street SW1	1	Rear of Holy Trinity Church
Silchester Road W10	2	Outside Whitstable House
Sirdar Road W11	1	Outside number 91–93
Sloane Terrace SW1	1	Side of 150 Sloane Street
Stanhope Gardens, SW7	1	At the junction with Stanhope Mews West
St Charles Square W10	1	Opposite number 10 Balfour House
St Helen's Gardens W10	2	Outside number 95, by Memorial Park entrance
St James's Gardens W11	1	Outside number 49
St Mark's Road W10	2	Opposite number 88, outside Memorial Park
St Quintin Avenue W10	1	Outside St Quintin's Health Centre
Sydney Street SW3	3	Outside Brompton Hospital
	1	Outside the Royal Marsden Hospital
	1	Outside entrance to St Luke's Garden
Victoria Road W8	1	Opposite number 8
Walmer Road W11	1	Outside number 223

Street and postcode	No. of bays	Where to find bays
Walton Street SW3	1	Outside number 95
Waynflete Square W10	1	Junction with Bramley Road
	1	Outside number 80, west end of road
Wedlake Street W10	1	Junction with 190 Kensal Road
Westbourne Park Road W11	1	Side of 216 Portobello Road
Wornington Road W10	1	Outside Kensington and Chelsea College
Wrights Lane W8	1	Near junction with Kensington High Street
Young Street W8	3	Near junction with Kensington High Street

Blue badge disabled bays with limited parking times

You can park for free in these bays up to the maximum stay indicated during the hours of enforcement from **Monday to Saturday, between 8.30am and 6.30pm**. You must ensure you display your disabled badge and clock in the vehicle during the hours of restriction.

Maximum stay – **Two hours only**

Street and postcode	No. of bays	Where to find bays
Hornton Street W8	2	Opposite number 52–54

Maximum stay – **Four hours**

Street and postcode	No. of bays	Where to find bays
Westgate Terrace SW10	1	Outside 10 Redcliffe Street

What should I do if I get a Penalty Charge Notice (PCN)?

From 15 April 2011, the penalty for parking illegally is £130 for a serious contravention or £80 for a lesser contravention. If you pay the charge within 14 days, you will qualify for a 50 percent reduction.

You can pay by cheque or postal order by post to:

RB Kensington and Chelsea, RBKC, PO Box 4294, Worthing BN13 1WW.

By credit or debit card over the phone on:

24 Hour automated phone: 020 7795 8888

Or

020 7361 3004

Monday to Friday – 8.30am to 5.30pm

In person at:

Customer Service Centre, The Town Hall, Hornton Street, London W8 7NX.

Monday to Friday – 8.30am to 5pm

If you have received a Penalty Charge Notice which you feel is unfair, you can challenge it, within the first 14 days of receiving a notice, by writing to: RBKC, PO Box 4294, Worthing BN13 1WW

If you do not pay the PCN within 28 days, you will receive a document called a 'Notice to Owner' explaining how to make a formal representation, or pay the full penalty charge (see PCN at top of page).

If we reject your formal representation and we decide the PCN was valid and you disagree, you can appeal to the Parking and Traffic Appeals Service. An independent adjudicator will then review your case and his or her decision will be final.

If you ignore our notice or the independent adjudicator's decision to uphold a Penalty Charge Notice, the charge will rise by 50% and we will deal with this as a debt. This could possibly lead to us passing the debt to bailiffs.



How to avoid your vehicle being clamped or removed

A vehicle correctly displaying a valid Blue Badge in accordance with the rules of the blue badge scheme will not be clamped or towed for parking offences.

If you (or someone else) parks with a blue badge in violation of those rules, or in a forbidden area, you may receive a penalty charge notice. You may also have your vehicle clamped or towed away and your badge withdrawn, and you may face prosecution.



What should I do if my vehicle has been clamped?

If your vehicle is clamped, you will need to pay the release fee of £70 and the applicable Penalty Charge Notice fee (see page 9) to have the clamp removed.

You can pay in the following ways

By credit or debit card over the phone on:

020 7376 3721 or 020 7376 8402

Monday to Saturday – 8am to 8pm

At any other time, please phone 020 7351 1203

In person at:

Customer Service Centre, The Town Hall, Hornton Street,
London W8 7NX

Monday to Friday – 8.30am to 5pm

If we clamp your vehicle and you feel it is unfair, you can make a representation against it after paying the release fees. You can do this within 28 days of receiving the Penalty Charge Notice by writing to: The Clamp and Removal Team, RBKC, PO Box 4294, Worthing BN13 1WW.

If we reject your formal representation and we decide that the PCN and clamping was valid and you disagree, you can appeal to the Parking and Traffic Appeals Service. An independent adjudicator will then review your case and his or her decision will be final.

What should I do if my vehicle has been removed?

If your car seems to be causing a danger or obstruction where it is parked, we may move it to a street nearby or tow it away. If you think that we have removed or relocated your vehicle, you should phone TRACE on 0845 206 8602. They will be able to tell you where your vehicle is and the fee you will have to pay to get it back if it has been taken to the car pound.

Once you have provided some proof that you own the vehicle and paid the release fee (£200) and the applicable PCN fee (see page 9), we will return your vehicle to you. This is the least you will pay to get your vehicle back from the car pound, but this could increase if you have to pay storage charges which are £40 a day.

You can pay in person by cash, cheque or postal order, or by credit or debit card, at: Lots Road Car Pound, 63 Lots Road, London SW10. Opening hours: 24 hours, every day of the year.

If we remove your vehicle and you feel it is unfair, you can make a representation against it after paying the release fees. You can do this by writing to the Clamp and Removal address above, within 28 days of receiving the Penalty Charge Notice.

If we reject your formal representation and we decide that the PCN and removing of your vehicle was valid and you disagree, you can appeal to the Parking and Traffic Appeals Service. An independent adjudicator will then review your case and his or her decision will be final.





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