

PARKING CHARGES COMPARISON WITH OTHER TOWNS

Town	Charge for Resident Permits	No of long stay on street parking bays available to public	No of short stay on street parking bays available to public	No of long stay off street parking bays available to public	No of short stay off street parking bays available to public	No of free bays	Total no of public bays in town centre	Total no of Park and Ride bays	Total no of private parking bays (if known), e.g. employee parking	Cost of long stay parking	Cost of short stay parking	Cost of employee parking permit	Any other 'special' bays, e.g. car share?
Milton Keynes	Free	10202	3667	2908	0	1170	21,162	Approx 350	Circa 4000	50p per hour	£2.00 per hour (premium) £0.50 per hour (standard)	40% reduction on daily cost to park equates to £2.40 per day for scratch-cards, one month £45 or annual permit £540	Circa 350 dedicated reserved bays for car sharers, Car Share permit cost £30 per annum.
Bedford	1st resident permit £25, 2nd £73, 3rd £94 - £5 admin charge for any changes. Visitor permits £15 per book limited to 2 books per household.	3396 (+77 Disabled)		10 long stay car parks	2 short stay car parks	283	5842	432 bays including 28 disabled bays	835 + (205 (Sat. Only) 332 (Weekends)	On street - over 4 hours £3.5 - £7.70 Off street - all day £7.50	First 2 hours on Saturday free £0.60 per hour	Business Parking permits available for £180 for 1st permit £250 for the second permit which are in the Company name but for use by vehicle registered with them.	Doctors bays, coach and bus bays, taxi bays disabled bays, electric vehicle charging bays and motorcycle bays, centre. Sundays free parking
Northampton	Northants County Council Schemes £35.00 per year. £7.50 admin fee applies for replacement permits. Northants Borough Council schemes £360.00 per year which allows parking in Long Stay Car Parks	N/A	N/A	3837 + 12 Disabled and 59 Parent and Child	256 + 8 Disabled	2833 (Up to 2 hrs free)	4900	0	N/A	£7 all day. Evening Charge £1.00. Overnight charge £2.50. Sunday free.	Up to one hour £0.60. Up to two hours £1.20. Up to three hours £2.40. Up to four hours £3.20. Up to five hours £4.00.	Northampton BC Season Ticket 1 month - £120, 3 months £324, 6 months £648, 12 months £1296/Commuter 1 mont £50, 3 months £150, 6 months £300, Annual £600 Northampton CC Business Permit £350 per year	Free parking every Saturday and Sunday, plus 2 hours free every weekday in the following car parks: Grosvenor, St John's, St Michael's and Mayorhold.
Luton	Resident permit £50 per year, visitor permits book of 10 - £22 per book	None	N/A	4751	N/A	1473	2361	0	Approx. 5000- Town Centre	Ranges from £8 to £14 per day according to Car Park.	Ranges from 90p for 1 hour, £1.30 to £3.50 for 2 hours, £1.80 to £3 for 3 hours, £2.70 to £4 for 4 hours according to location of Car Park	£ Season tickets available ranging from £20 to £30 weekly, £65 to £100 monthly, £155 to £250 quarterly, £520 to £910 annually and Annual Reserved from £50 to £960 according to car park.	8 electric charging bays. Offer reduced prices in some Car Parks on Sunday and a Season Ticket from £4.16 per day
Reading	First Resident permit is free and £120 for the second permit. Visitor permits are scratch cards, each for half days. Issued in books of 20 permits. First two books free. You can apply for a further five books at a cost of £22 per book.	N/A	N/A	2060	2324	977 - limited waiting	8622	1200 (3 locations)	950 (may be more)	£10 all day in the week and £6 all day per weekend	Up to 30 mins £1, 30 mins-1hr £2, up to 2 hrs £4 up to 3 hrs £6, up to 4 hrs £8 according to car park	N/A	Car share Scheme. Residents permit parking Scheme- first permit free £60 for second
Peterborough	Resident Permit 6 months £12 or 12 months £19 - up to a maximum of 3. Visitor Permit 6 months £12 or 12 months £19.	30	392	2399	258	6170	1509	0	5712	Up to 10 hours £5 - £6 24 hours from £2.50 - £3 according to car park	Up to 1 hour between £1 - £1.50, 2 hours £2.50-£3	Season ticket available weekly £26.29, monthly £105.82 annual £1176.21 Business permit £33 per annum	4 Electric Charging Points : 54 Disabled Car Parks (Peterborough City Council Controlled Car Parks) 56 on Street Disabled : 10 Parent and Toddler
Telford & Wrekin Council	Resident free (2 per household), Visitor £25 and replacement £8.	N/A	N/A	2171+ 41 disabled in Telford town centre, 270 across the rest of the borough	1579 +95 Disabled in Telford town Centre	1865 in Telford town centre, 1865 across the rest of the borough	30 car parks throughout the borough with approximately 2800 spaces in total. Seven of these are Pay and Display and the rest are free.	Ironbridge 250 spaces	N/A	3 hours or more £3.00	10 min free - up to 30 mins 50p 1 hour £1.10 2 hour £1.60 3 hour £2.20 over 3hrs £ 6	N/A	2 Electric Charging Point
Swindon	1st Permit (6 months) £25 or (12 months) £35, 2nd Permit (6 months) £50 or (12 months) £75. Cost of £10 applies for replacement lost permit, change of vehicle registration free if old permit returned. Visitor Permits (25) £15.	None	40	845	2443 + 7 Disabled + 38 Parent and Child	On Street Limited Waiting 1-2 hours in town	N/A	5370 + 438 in the old town	5500	£1 per hour - £8 for 6 24 hours	£1 per hour Premium Short stay £1.20 per hour	Annual Free permit to use in Long stay	Disabled bays 222 plus all short stay car parks, limited waiting and residents parking free to disabled. Residents on street car parking £12 per yr 100 visitors' permits per household per annum at £5 book of 25- 2x25x24 hours, 2x25x4 hour.
Warrington	No Charge except for one street which requested resident permits which are £30 per permit for 1st and 2nd permit and any additional are £60	N/A	195	2785		211 + 4 Disabled bays in town centre	4487	0	N/A	£1 per hour or £6 per day	In centre 0-1 hr free 1-2 hrs 50p 2-3 hrs £1 over 3 hours £2	Offer a Contract Permit to park in Town Hall Car Park £55.91 per month	2 dedicated Motorhome car parks