

Breckland Caller Offices

Thetford - Breckland House
Dereham - Peddars Way HA Office

Breckland Presence Offices

Attleborough - Town Hall
Watton - Wayland Hall
Swaffham - Town Hall

Forest Heath Caller Offices

Mildenhall - District Offices
Brandon - 31 High Street
Newmarket - The Rookery

Please contact us at the address below for any further advice.

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**Starting work full-time?
Would you like your wages
and the same benefit for the
first four weeks?**



**You might qualify for
'Extended Payments'
Read this leaflet to find out
if you can claim**

What is it?

You can carry on getting help with your rent and your Council Tax for an extra four weeks after you start work. You get the same amount you were getting just before you started work.

Can I get it?

Have you or your partner:

- been getting income-based Job-seeker’s Allowance, Income Support, Incapacity Benefit or Severe Disability Allowance for at least 26 weeks?
- stopped getting income-based Job-seeker’s Allowance or Income Support because either you or your partner have started work, started working more hours or your wages have gone up?
- started full-time work you expect to last for 5 weeks or more?
- are you aged 59 or under?

If you have answered ‘yes’ to all these questions, you may get Extended Payments you do not need to claim in writing but you do need to notify us of all changes in your circumstances

You must tell your local social security office or Jobcentre Plus, and your local council, that you have started work straight away.

Can I still get help with my rent and Council Tax when I start work?

Depending on how much money you have coming in, you may still be able to get Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit while you are working. Please ask us for a claim form. You need to send this back to us within 4 weeks of your Jobseeker’s Allowance or Income Support ending. please ask us for advice if you are not sure.

Other help

You may be able to claim:

- Working Tax Credit
 - Disabled Person’s Tax Credit
 - Child Tax Credit
 - Back to Work Bonus
 - Child Maintenance Bonus
 - Mortgage Interest Run On
- You claim Tax Credits through the Inland Revenue. please contact your local office.
- Your local Jobcentre Plus office may be able to give you advice on these other benefits.

What date did you start work?

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Name and Address of Employer:

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Is the job expected to last for more than 5 weeks?

Yes No

Do you want to claim after the extended payment?

Yes No

Name:

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Address:

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Postcode

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Claim No:

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Please Return ASAP