

Means tested

Universal credit Monthly

Standard allowances

Single	Under 25	311.68
	25 or over	393.45
Couple	Both under 25	489.23
	One or both 25 or over	617.60

Elements

Only/eldest child (born before 6 April 2017)	333.33
Other children	287.92
Disabled child Lower rate	156.11
	Higher rate 487.58
Limited capability for work	156.11
Limited capability for work and work-related activity	416.19
Carer	198.31
Childcare costs 85% of costs up to a month for one child and for two or more children	1,014.63 1,739.37

Income support and JSA Weekly

Personal allowances

Single	Under 25	71.70
	25 or over	90.50
Lone parent	Under 18	71.70
	18 or over	90.50
Couple	Both under 18	71.70/108.30
	One under 18	71.70/90.50/142.25
	Both 18 or over	142.25

Premiums

Carer	45.60
Disability	Single 42.50
	Couple 60.60
Enhanced disability	Single person/lone parent 20.85
	Couple 29.75

Severe disability Pensioner	Couple	81.50 190.70
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Children

Personal allowance	83.24
Family premium	19.15
Disabled child premium	80.01
Enhanced disability premium	32.20

Employment and support allowance Weekly

Basic allowance

Single/lone parent	71.70/90.50
Couple	71.70/90.50/108.30/142.25

Component

Work-related activity	35.95
Support	47.70

Premiums

Carer, enhanced disability, pensioner and severe disability paid at same rate as income support/JSA. Pensioner premium reduced where claimant entitled to ESA component

Pension credit Weekly

Minimum guarantee

Single	218.15
Couple	332.95

Additional elements

Severe disability	81.50
Carer	45.60
Children	Eldest child 76.79
	Other children 66.29
	Disabled child Lower rate 35.93
	Higher rate 112.21

Savings credit

Threshold	Single 189.80
	Couple 301.22

Maximum	Single 17.01
	Couple 19.04

Housing benefit Weekly

As for income support, JSA or ESA except –

Personal allowances

Single/lone parent		
	Pension age	218.15/235.20
Couple	Both under 18	108.30
	One under 18	142.25
	One/both pension age	332.95/ 352.00

Premiums

Family (lone parent rate)	22.20
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Tax credits Annual

Working tax credit

Basic element	2,435.00
Couple/lone parent	2,500.00
30 hours	1,015.00
Disability	3,935.00
Severe disability	1,705.00
Childcare	70% of up to 175.00
	a week childcare costs for one child, and up to 300.00 for two or more children

Child tax credit

Family	545.00
Child	3,455.00
Disability	Disabled child 4,170.00
	Severely disabled child 5,850.00

Thresholds

Working tax credit	7,955.00
Child tax credit only	19,995.00

Non means tested

Attendance allowance Weekly

Lower rate	72.65
Higher rate	108.55

Bereavement benefits

Bereavement support payment Monthly

Standard rate	100.00
Higher rate	350.00

Widowed parent's allowance Weekly

Standard rate	148.40
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Carer's allowance

Carer's allowance	Weekly 81.90
Standard rate	

Supplement Six-monthly

Lump sum in Scotland	288.60
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Child benefits Weekly

Child benefit	Eldest child 25.60
	Other children 16.95

Guardian's allowance 21.75

Scottish child payment 26.70

DLA and child disability payment Weekly

Care component	Lower 28.70
	Middle 72.65
	Higher 108.55

Mobility component	Lower 28.70
	Higher 75.75

Employment and support allowance Weekly

Basic allowance	71.70/90.50
Work-related activity component	35.95
Support component	47.70

Industrial injuries disablement benefit Weekly

Standard rate	44.30 – 221.50
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Jobseeker's allowance Weekly

Under 25	71.70
Aged 25 or over	90.50

Maternity allowance Weekly

Standard rate	184.03
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PIP and adult disability payment Weekly

Daily living	Standard rate 72.65
	Enhanced rate 108.55
Mobility	Standard rate 28.70
	Enhanced rate 75.75

Severe disablement allowance Weekly

Standard rate	98.40
Age addition	8.15/14.70
Adult dependant	48.40

State pension Weekly

New state pension 221.20

Retirement pension

Category A	169.50
Category B late spouse's or civil partner's NI	169.50
Category B spouse's or civil partner's NI	101.55
Category D non-contributory, aged 80 or over	101.55
Age addition, aged 80 or over	0.25

Statutory payments Weekly

Adoption, maternity, parental bereavement, paternity, and shared parental pay	184.03
Statutory sick pay	116.75