

Council Tax 2017/18

About your Council Tax

Kent County Council, Sevenoaks District Council, The Police and Crime Commissioner for Kent, Kent & Medway Fire & Rescue Authority and your local town or parish council provide many of your local services.

Joint Council Tax breakdown

The table below shows how your Council Tax is divided between the different authorities:

	Council Tax Band							
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
Kent County Council	785.88	916.86	1,047.84	1,178.82	1,440.78	1,702.74	1,964.70	2,357.64
Sevenoaks District Council	135.18	157.71	180.24	202.77	247.83	292.89	337.95	405.54
Kent Police & Crime Commissioner	104.77	122.23	139.69	157.15	192.07	226.99	261.92	314.30
Kent Fire Authority	48.90	57.05	65.20	73.35	89.65	105.95	122.25	146.70
Total (excluding town/parish)	1,074.73	1,253.85	1,432.97	1,612.09	1,970.33	2,328.57	2,686.82	3,224.18

In addition, you will pay Council Tax to your local town or parish council. Details of their charges can be viewed on the next table.

Town and parish council charges

Town or parish area	Council Tax Band							
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
Ash-cum-Ridley	26.22	30.59	34.96	39.33	48.07	56.81	65.55	78.66
Badgers Mount	27.72	32.34	36.96	41.58	50.82	60.06	69.30	83.16
Brasted	32.07	37.42	42.76	48.11	58.80	69.49	80.18	96.22
Chevening	31.93	37.25	42.57	47.89	58.53	69.17	79.82	95.78
Chiddingstone	41.63	48.56	55.50	62.44	76.32	90.19	104.07	124.88
Cowden	35.01	40.84	46.68	52.51	64.18	75.85	87.52	105.02
Crockenhill	75.86	88.50	101.15	113.79	139.08	164.36	189.65	227.58
Dunton Green	65.25	76.13	87.00	97.88	119.63	141.38	163.13	195.76
Edenbridge	90.69	105.80	120.92	136.03	166.26	196.49	226.72	272.06
Eynsford	52.92	61.74	70.56	79.38	97.02	114.66	132.30	158.76
Farningham	41.19	48.05	54.92	61.78	75.51	89.24	102.97	123.56
Fawkham	29.11	33.97	38.82	43.67	53.37	63.08	72.78	87.34
Halstead	37.35	43.58	49.80	56.03	68.48	80.93	93.38	112.06
Hartley	34.88	40.69	46.51	52.32	63.95	75.57	87.20	104.64
Hever	36.67	42.79	48.90	55.01	67.23	79.46	91.68	110.02
Hextable	59.01	68.84	78.68	88.51	108.18	127.85	147.52	177.02
Horton Kirby & South Darenth	50.94	59.43	67.92	76.41	93.39	110.37	127.35	152.82
Kemsing	38.73	45.19	51.64	58.10	71.01	83.92	96.83	116.20
Knockholt	44.13	51.49	58.84	66.20	80.91	95.62	110.33	132.40
Leigh	25.65	29.92	34.20	38.47	47.02	55.57	64.12	76.94
Otford	58.31	68.02	77.74	87.46	106.90	126.33	145.77	174.92
Penshurst	34.50	40.25	46.00	51.75	63.25	74.75	86.25	103.50
Riverhead	27.90	32.55	37.20	41.85	51.15	60.45	69.75	83.70
Seal	39.42	45.99	52.56	59.13	72.27	85.41	98.55	118.26
Sevenoaks Town	73.69	85.97	98.25	110.53	135.09	159.65	184.22	221.06
Sevenoaks Weald	42.66	49.77	56.88	63.99	78.21	92.43	106.65	127.98
Shoreham	37.10	43.28	49.47	55.65	68.02	80.38	92.75	111.30
Sundridge	44.69	52.13	59.58	67.03	81.93	96.82	111.72	134.06
Swanley	66.55	77.65	88.74	99.83	122.01	144.20	166.38	199.66
Westerham	65.99	76.99	87.99	98.99	120.99	142.99	164.98	197.98
West Kingsdown	28.31	33.02	37.74	42.46	51.90	61.33	70.77	84.92

Sevenoaks District Council's finances

Gross expenditure 2016/17 and 2017/18:

	2016/17 £ million	2017/18 £ million
Communities & Business	2.0	2.2
Planning	3.1	3.4
Environmental & Operational	5.3	5.4
Housing	1.4	1.4
Housing Benefits & Local Tax	0.8	0.9
Democracy	1.1	1.2
Other	-	-
Total	13.7	14.5

Sevenoaks District Council's funding

We will be funded from four areas in 2017/18. These are:

Government support from Business Rates £2.0million

Council tax requirement £10.0 million

Interest from the Council's savings and property investments £0.6 million

Contribution from reserves £1.9 million

Total £14.5 million

Town and parish council finances

These town and parish councils will raise more than £140,000 through council tax in 2017/18. Details of their expenditure are as follows.

	Edenbridge Town Council	Hextable Parish Council	Otford Parish Council	Sevenoaks Town Council	Swanley Town Council	Westerham Town Council
Highways	23,720	33,000	0	7,375	2,730	24,000
Planning & Economic Development	0	2,500	500	34,113	1,594	0
Recreation & Tourism	240,436	40,000	35,000	323,374	66,843	90,825
Other Services	212,670	70,598	110,429	664,763	468,700	81,100
To/From Reserves						
Total	476,826	146,098	145,929	1,029,625	539,867	195,925

If you have any questions about your Council Tax bill, or the Council's finances, please call 01732 227000 or email information@sevenoaks.gov.uk.