## **Household support Grant**

Information on Local Welfare Provision can be found at <u>https://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/benefits/local-welfare-provision.aspx</u>

You can apply for support from the fund via <u>https://my.kirklees.gov.uk/service/Benefits</u> Apply for the Household Support Fund

If you need help or cannot access the link on a device you can visit your nearest Customer Service Centre in Huddersfield or Dewsbury

You will need to provide a bank statement showing your name and address. You may also be asked to provide further proof at the discretion of the decision maker.

- Do you need help with electricity, gas or water debts? \*If you are behind in your gas, electric or water bills we may be able to help.
  We will need to see copies of the bills showing your customer account number. Any payments will be made direct to the energy/water company where possible.
- Would you like to apply for a one off energy payment for single households?
  \*You may be eligible for a one off payment of £140 if you are single household and do not qualify for the Warm Homes Discount scheme from your utility provider.
- Would you like help with the costs of starting a new job? \*If you have recently moved into employment or are starting a new job you may be eligible for help with essential costs such as transport, clothing or other items required for the job.
- Would you like help with replacing kitchen items? If you need help with replacing broken items or need items to help you prepare or store food. Please note the items may be a mixture of new, refurbished or second hand. You can select a maximum of three items on the list.

Cooker, Fridge, Fridge Freezer (for families), Microwave, Counter top oven/hob, Home starter pack (kettle, toaster, cutlery, crockery etc)

- Do you need help with any other essential energy costs?
  \*If you need help with items or costs associated with keeping you and your home warm such as heaters, blankets, bedding etc.
- Do you need help with any other essentials? If you need help with other bills such as transport or other costs not covered in the above sections. Please note these are at the discretion of the decision maker and the scope of the scheme set by Government. Please state what help you need