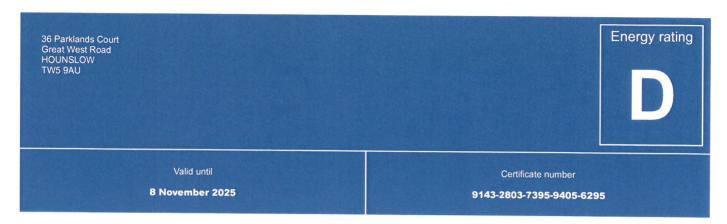
# **Energy performance certificate (EPC)**



Property type Top-floor flat

Total floor area 69 square metres

#### Rules on letting this property

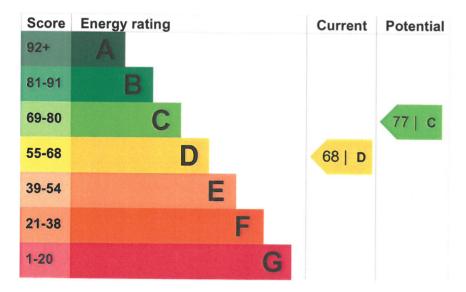
Properties can be rented if they have an energy rating from A to E.

If the property is rated F or G, it cannot be let, unless an exemption has been registered. You can read guidance for landlords on the regulations and exemptions (https://www.gov.uk/guidance/domestic-private-rented-property-minimum-energy-efficiency-standard-landlord-guidance).

### Energy efficiency rating for this property

This property's current energy rating is D. It has the potential to be C.

See how to improve this property's energy performance.



The graph shows this property's current and potential energy efficiency.

Properties are given a rating from A (most efficient) to G (least efficient).

Properties are also given a score. The higher the number the lower your fuel bills are likely to be.

For properties in England and Wales:

- the average energy rating is D
- the average energy score is 60

#### Breakdown of property's energy performance

This section shows the energy performance for features of this property. The assessment does not consider the condition of a feature and how well it is working.

Each feature is assessed as one of the following:

- · very good (most efficient)
- good
- average
- poor
- very poor (least efficient)

When the description says "assumed", it means that the feature could not be inspected and an assumption has been made based on the property's age and type.

Feature	Description	Rating
Wall	Cavity wall, as built, no insulation (assumed)	Poor
Roof	Pitched, 200 mm loft insulation	Good
Window	Fully double glazed	Average
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	Good
Main heating control	Programmer and room thermostat	Average
Hot water	From main system	Good
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 40% of fixed outlets	Average
Floor	(another dwelling below)	N/A
Secondary heating	None	N/A

### Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 216 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m2).

#### What is primary energy use?

#### Environmental impact of this property

One of the biggest contributors to climate change is carbon dioxide (CO2). The energy used for heating, lighting and power in our homes produces over a quarter of the UK's CO2 emissions.

An average household produces	6 tonnes of CO2
This property produces	2.6 tonnes of CO2
This property's potential production	1.7 tonnes of CO2

By making the recommended changes, you could reduce this property's CO2 emissions by 0.9 tonnes per year. This will help to protect the environment.

Environmental impact ratings are based on assumptions about average occupancy and energy use. They may not reflect how energy is consumed by the people living at the property.

How to improve this property's energy performance

Making any of the recommended changes will improve this property's energy efficiency.

If you make all of the recommended changes, this will improve the property's energy rating and score from D (68) to C (77).

What is an energy rating?

### Recommendation 1: Cavity wall insulation

Cavity wall insulation

Typical installation cost £500 - £1,500

Typical yearly saving £123

Potential rating after carrying out recommendation 1



Potential energy

rating

## Recommendation 2: Low energy lighting

Low energy lighting

Typical installation cost

Typical yearly saving

£24

Potential rating after carrying out recommendations 1 and 2



# Recommendation 3: Replace boiler with new condensing boiler

Condensing boiler

Typical installation cost £2,200 - £3,000

Typical yearly saving £49

Potential rating after carrying out recommendations 1 to 3

# Paying for energy improvements

Find energy grants and ways to save energy in your home. (https://www.gov.uk/improve-energy-efficiency)

Estimated energy use and potential savings

Estimated yearly energy cost for this property £649

Potential saving £197

The estimated cost shows how much the average household would spend in this property for heating, lighting and hot water. It is not based on how energy is used by the people living at the property.

The estimated saving is based on making all of the recommendations in how to improve this property's energy performance.

For advice on how to reduce your energy bills visit Simple Energy Advice (https://www.simpleenergyadvice.org.uk/).

# Heating use in this property

Heating a property usually makes up the majority of energy costs.