

APPLICATION AND STOCK INFORMATION

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Customers can now access their existing applications or register their new applications online via our self service portal. Just go to https://www.westlothian.gov.uk/tenants-selfservice and choose 'Application' from the menu at the top. You can view your current choices and update your current housing circumstances as and when they change.

When you update your application online it will move into a suspended status for the attention of our allocations team. They will then review the changes to see if your points will change and then confirm the changes making the application live again.

The information in this document is provided to help applicants understand the demand and capacity of our housing. There are many thousands of applicants seeking to be housed with us with many different kinds of households and needs.

Some of the information will contain 'double counts'. Because applicants can choose multiple areas, property types and bedroom sizes they will be included more than once when we count them. Tables that include application information will have this and tables that look at stock information will not.

Sometimes there might not be information for parts of this report. If there are no results at all the table will still be shown but only as a set of headings.

This information was correct on the day the information was taken from our housing management system but will be subject to change.

LIVINGSTON NORTH

STOCK INFORMATION

How many properties does the council have in this ward?

The following table shows the types of properties that the council manages for permanent accommodation. On our housing management system there are fourteen property types. This has been simplified by grouping similar types

There are no double counts in the tables below

BUNGALOW

This includes all single storey properties including detached, semi-detached and terraced housing

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	121	6	3	1	0	0
Eliburn Co-op	0	1	0	0	0	0
Eliburn/Kirkton	32	18	8	0	0	0
Knightsridge	75	0	2	0	0	0
The Riggs	36	0	0	0	0	0

HOUSE

These are all non-bungalows (2 floors or more) including detached, semi-detached and terraced housing

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	0	110	167	58	11	0
Eliburn Co-op	0	4	1	2	0	0
Eliburn/Kirkton	0	63	47	10	6	0
Knightsridge	0	97	210	23	40	6
The Riggs	0	37	38	7	21	0

BLOCK OF FOUR

These block of four properties may have a shared entrance or each property may have its own entrance

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	20	16	11	0	0	0
Eliburn Co-op	0	1	0	0	0	0
Eliburn/Kirkton	73	59	0	0	0	0

FLATS

Includes all flats and maisonettes. A maisonette is a flat with two floors and an internal staircase

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	21	49	2	0	0	0
Eliburn Co-op	1	1	0	0	0	0
Eliburn/Kirkton	9	5	0	0	0	0
Knightsridge	25	14	0	0	0	0

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)

How many properties might be available soon in this area?

Customers give us a month's notice when ending their tenancy. In some cases we might know a little further ahead, for example when a customer is moving from one tenancy to another. Properties in this termination notice period as known as terminating tenancies.

Please note that due to mutual exchanges, succession and assignation a terminating tenancy might not be offered to applicants.

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Deans	0	1	0	0	0	0
Knightsridge	0	0	1	0	0	0

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Deans	0	1	0	0	0	0

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LIVINGSTON NORTH

APPLICATION INFORMATION

What are the points levels for applications choosing housing in this area?

The following table shows the number of applications choosing areas in this ward grouped by points. If you know the points of your application first look at which point group you would fall into and then the areas in this ward that interests you.

Houses are generally offered to applications with the highest points but there are examples where this might not happen. The most likely reason is when one of our tenants moves into a new build property. As most of the properties under that programme have been built this happens less often.

As applications can have more than one area selected there will be double counts in the table below.

Point Groups	Deans	Eliburn Co-op	Eliburn/Kirkton	Knightsridge	The Riggs
3500 to 4000	1	1	1	1	1
3000 to 3500	2	3	4	2	2
2500 to 3000	7	4	4	4	4
2000 to 2500	24	22	24	17	18
1500 to 2000	118	119	129	73	82
1000 to 1500	344	316	329	255	241
500 to 1000	537	515	542	384	343
201 to 500	1475	1400	1488	1046	943
1 to 200	1074	990	1022	821	720
0	1052	1012	1094	778	739

How popular are the areas in this ward for applicants?

The following table shows the number of live applications who for each area in this ward and the number of bedrooms needed.

As applications can have more than one area selected there will be double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	3860	5308	613	392	196	49
Eliburn Co-op	3686	5101	599	378	177	41
Eliburn/Kirkton	3754	5308	638	405	194	47
Knightsridge	3224	4336	452	311	162	44
The Riggs	2004	3003	404	295	151	37

How popular are the areas in this ward when chosen as preferred areas for applicants?

The following table shows the number of live applications who for each area in this ward and the number of bedrooms needed but only when that is their preferred area.

Each application can only have one preferred area but for some applications there can be more than one, bedroom size selected. For example, a couple can choose 1 or 2 bedroom properties.

As applications can have more than one, bedroom size selected there will be double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	303	480	90	59	36	7
Eliburn Co-op	91	133	16	4	0	0
Eliburn/Kirkton	161	249	43	29	9	2
Knightsridge	91	138	21	22	11	4
The Riggs	30	46	10	5	5	1

How many applications are being offered a home right now?

The following table shows the number of live offers for the housing areas in this ward. A live offer is one that has been created but not accepted, declined or withdrawn.

Offers are created on the system and the application circumstances are checked to ensure they are correct and the points on the application are correct. Live offers can be declined by a customer or withdrawn by us if information is not correct.

There are no double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)	
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How many homes have been let this financial year?

The following table shows the total number of offers that have been accepted by customers in the current financial year. Our financial years run from the first Monday in April until the day before the first Monday in April the following year.

This means the numbers in the table will grow as the report is run each month until a new financial year starts and they reset

There are no double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)

How many homes have been let in the previous financial year?

The following table shows the number of offers that have been accepted by customers in the previous financial year. Our financial years run from the first Monday in April until the day before the first Monday in April the following year.

These values will not change as the report is run each month as they are the totals for a complete previous year.

There are no double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	13	9	5	0	0	0
Eliburn/Kirkton	12	3	1	0	0	0
Knightsridge	5	3	5	0	1	1
The Riggs	6	1	0	0	1	0

What kinds of properties do applicants want in this area?

The following table shows the types of properties that customers have selected as part of their application. On our housing management system there are fourteen property types in our application selection choices. This has been simplified by grouping similar types.

As applications can have more than one property type selected there will be double counts in the tables below

BUNGALOWThis includes all single storey properties including detached, semi-detached and terraced housing

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	3652	5050	583	370	188	47
Eliburn Co-op	3518	4883	573	357	169	39
Eliburn/Kirkton	3591	5079	610	382	186	45
Knightsridge	3084	4150	430	293	155	42
The Riggs	1896	2857	390	278	144	36

HOUSE

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	3417	4771	570	376	187	45
Eliburn Co-op	3314	4625	564	362	169	38
Eliburn/Kirkton	3363	4783	596	387	186	44
Knightsridge	2945	3992	428	297	154	40
The Riggs	1747	2675	377	284	143	33

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Deans	3319	4304	323	210	107	24
Eliburn Co-op	3188	4165	321	201	95	20
Eliburn/Kirkton	3207	4235	330	206	103	22
Knightsridge	2901	3695	267	180	97	21
The Riggs	1696	2382	225	163	87	16

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	3402	4358	319	201	110	29
Eliburn Co-op	3274	4224	310	191	97	23
Eliburn/Kirkton	3294	4302	320	202	106	27
Knightsridge	2964	3768	260	177	104	27
The Riggs	1747	2429	220	158	89	21

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Deans	194	203	14	8	2	0
Eliburn Co-op	188	199	15	7	1	0
Eliburn/Kirkton	190	200	14	6	1	0
Knightsridge	149	162	12	6	1	0
The Riggs	148	165	11	5	1	0