

Energy performance certificate (EPC)

188 Seabridge Lane NEWCASTLE ST5 3LS	Energy rating <h1 style="font-size: 2em; margin: 0;">E</h1>	Valid until: 18 October 2033 <hr/> Certificate number: 2216-4614-1016-1113-0991
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Property type Detached house

Total floor area 275 square metres

Rules on letting this property

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

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) (<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/domestic-private-rented-property-minimum-energy-efficiency-standard-landlord-guidance>).

Energy rating and score

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

[See how to improve this property's energy efficiency.](#)

Score	Energy rating	Current	Potential
92+	A		
81-91	B		
69-80	C		73 C
55-68	D		
39-54	E	50 E	
21-38	F		
1-20	G		

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

Properties get a rating from A (best) to G (worst) and a score. The better the rating and score, the lower your energy 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

Features in this property

Features get a rating from very good to very poor, based on how energy efficient they are. Ratings are not based on how well features work or their condition.

Assumed ratings are based on the property's age and type. They are used for features the assessor could not inspect.

Feature	Description	Rating
Wall	Cavity wall, as built, no insulation (assumed)	Poor
Roof	Roof room(s), ceiling insulated	Poor
Window	Single glazed	Very poor
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	Good
Main heating control	Programmer, TRVs and bypass	Average
Hot water	From main system, no cylinder thermostat	Average
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 57% of fixed outlets	Good
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	Room heaters, smokeless fuel	N/A

Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 305 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m²).

How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£7,032 per year on heating, hot water and lighting** in this property. These costs usually make up the majority of your energy bills.

You could **save £2,674 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2023** when this EPC was created. People living at the property may use different amounts of energy for heating, hot water and lighting.

Heating this property

Estimated energy needed in this property is:

- 44,721 kWh per year for heating
- 3,546 kWh per year for hot water

Impact on the environment

This property's current environmental impact rating is F. It has the potential to be D.

Properties get a rating from A (best) to G (worst) on how much carbon dioxide (CO₂) they produce each year. CO₂ harms the environment.

Carbon emissions

An average household produces 6 tonnes of CO₂

This property produces 18.0 tonnes of CO₂

This property's potential production 9.9 tonnes of CO₂

You could improve this property's CO₂ emissions by making the suggested changes. This will help to protect the environment.

These ratings are based on assumptions about average occupancy and energy use. People living at the property may use different amounts of energy.

Changes you could make

Step	Typical installation cost	Typical yearly saving
1. Room-in-roof insulation	£1,500 - £2,700	£1,016
2. Cavity wall insulation	£500 - £1,500	£536
3. Floor insulation (solid floor)	£4,000 - £6,000	£371
4. Draught proofing	£80 - £120	£136
5. Low energy lighting	£115	£93
6. Replace single glazed windows with low-E double glazed windows	£3,300 - £6,500	£522
7. Solar photovoltaic panels	£3,500 - £5,500	£647

Help paying for energy improvements

You might be able to get a grant from the [Boiler Upgrade Scheme \(https://www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme\)](https://www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme). This will help you buy a more efficient, low carbon heating system for this property.

More ways to save energy

Find ways to save energy in your home by visiting www.gov.uk/improve-energy-efficiency.

Who to contact about this certificate

Contacting the assessor

If you're unhappy about your property's energy assessment or certificate, you can complain to the assessor who created it.

Assessor's name	Robert Horton
Telephone	01782610546
Email	roberth@firstpropertyservices.co.uk

Contacting the accreditation scheme

If you're still unhappy after contacting the assessor, you should contact the assessor's accreditation scheme.

Accreditation scheme	ECMK
Assessor's ID	ECMK300673
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About this assessment

Assessor's declaration	No related party
Date of assessment	18 October 2023
Date of certificate	19 October 2023
Type of assessment	RdSAP
