Energy performance certificate (EPC)

6 Church Street WHITEHAVEN CA28 7AY	Energy rating **E**	Valid until:	**25 August 2030**
		Certificate number:	**8030-7728-7170-9125-5226**

Property type	Mid-terrace house
Total floor area	153 square metres

Rules on letting this property

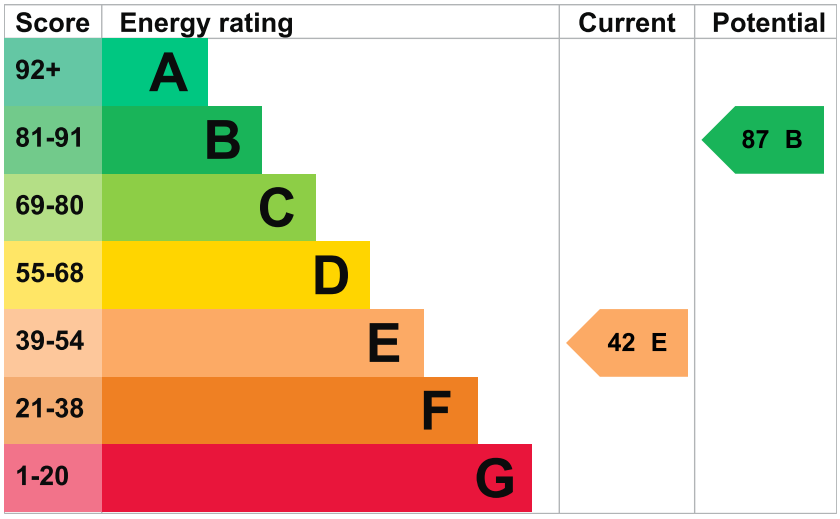
Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E.

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).

Energy rating and score

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

See how to improve this property's energy efficiency.



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	Sandstone or limestone, as built, no insulation (assumed)	Very poor
Roof	Pitched, 100 mm loft insulation	Average
Roof	Roof room(s), no insulation (assumed)	Very poor
Window	Single glazed	Very poor
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	Good
Main heating control	Programmer, no room thermostat	Very poor
Hot water	From main system, no cylinder thermostat	Very poor
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 50% of fixed outlets	Good
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	Room heaters, mains gas	N/A

Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 412 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m2).

▶ About primary energy use

Additional information

Additional information about this property:

- Stone walls present, not insulated
- Dwelling has access issues for cavity wall insulation
- Dwelling may be exposed to wind-driven rain

How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£2,211 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 £1,463 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2020** 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:

- 21,417 kWh per year for heating
- 7,493 kWh per year for hot water

Impact on the environment

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

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

Carbon emissions

An average household produces	6 tonnes of CO2
This property produces	11.0 tonnes of CO2
This property's potential production	2.3 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.

Steps you could take to save energy

▶ Do I need to follow these steps in order?

Step 1: Room-in-roof insulation

Typical installation cost	£1,500 - £2,700
Typical yearly saving	£331
Potential rating after completing step 1	**50 E**

Step 2: Internal or external wall insulation

Typical installation cost	£4,000 - £14,000
Typical yearly saving	£294
Potential rating after completing steps 1 and 2	**58 D**

Step 3: Hot water cylinder insulation

Insulate hot water cylinder with 80 mm jacket

Typical installation cost	£15 - £30
Typical yearly saving	£188
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 3	**63 D**

Step 4: Low energy lighting

Typical installation cost	£45
Typical yearly saving	£40
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 4	**64 D**

Step 5: Heating controls (room thermostat and TRVs)

Typical installation cost	£350 - £450
Typical yearly saving	£124
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 5	**67 D**

Step 6: Replace boiler with new condensing boiler

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

Typical yearly saving	£322
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 6	76 C

Step 7: Solar water heating

Typical installation cost	£4,000 - £6,000
Typical yearly saving	£41
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 7	77 C

Step 8: Double glazed windows

Replace single glazed windows with low-E double glazed windows

Typical installation cost	£3,300 - £6,500
Typical yearly saving	£124
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 8	80 C

Step 9: Solar photovoltaic panels, 2.5 kWp

Typical installation cost	£3,500 - £5,500
Typical yearly saving	£348
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 9	87 B

Advice on making energy saving improvements

Get detailed recommendations and cost estimates

Help paying for energy saving improvements

You may be eligible for help with the cost of improvements:

- Free energy saving improvements: Home Upgrade Grant
- Insulation: Great British Insulation Scheme
- Heat pumps and biomass boilers: Boiler Upgrade Scheme
- Help from your energy supplier: Energy Company Obligation

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	John Fishwick
Telephone	07796 871899

Email	lambfootpropertyservices@gmail.com

Contacting the accreditation scheme

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

Accreditation scheme	Elmhurst Energy Systems Ltd
Assessor's ID	EES/012129
Telephone	01455 883 250
Email	enquiries@elmhurstenergy.co.uk

About this assessment

Assessor's declaration	No related party
Date of assessment	25 August 2020
Date of certificate	26 August 2020
Type of assessment	▶ RdSAP

Other certificates for this property

If you are aware of previous certificates for this property and they are not listed here, please contact us at mhclg.digital-services@communities.gov.uk or call our helpdesk on 020 3829 0748 (Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm).

There are no related certificates for this property.