

**DARTFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
**2023/24 VEHICLE LICENSING FEES NOTICE (FROM 1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL 2023)**

<b><u>HACKNEY CARRIAGE</u></b>	
<b>Hackney Carriage Vehicle</b>	
- Initial (1year)	£285.00 + £20.00 deposit
- Renewal (1year)	£242.00
<b>Hackney Carriage Driver (3years)</b>	
- Initial	£158.00 + £10.00 deposit
- Renewal	£115.00
<b>Hackney Carriage Driver (annual) on request with special circumstances only.</b>	
- Initial	£103.00 + £10.00 deposit
- Renewal	£63.00

<b><u>PRIVATE HIRE</u></b>	
<b>Private Hire Operator</b>	£945.00 (five years) - £270.00 (exceptional circs annual)
<b>Private Hire Vehicle (Non WAV and WAV)</b>	
- Initial (1year)	£247.00 + £20.00 deposit
- Renewal (1year)	£220.00
<b>Private Hire Driver (3years)</b>	
- Initial	£153.00 + £10.00 deposit
- Renewal	£115.00
<b>Private Hire Driver (annual) on request with special circumstances only.</b>	
- Initial	£99.00 + £10.00 deposit
- Renewal	£63.00

<b><u>DUAL DRIVERS</u></b>	
<b>Dual Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver (3years)</b>	
- Initial	£210.00 + £10.00 deposit
- Renewal	£165.00
<b>Dual Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Driver (annual) on request with special circumstances only.</b>	
- Initial	£139.00 + £10.00 deposit
- Renewal	£94.00

<b><u>MISCELLANEOUS FEES</u></b>	
Transfer of Vehicle Ownership	£35.00
Temporary Vehicle Licence Transfer	£90.00
Change of Vehicle Plate to Personalised Number Plate	£55.00
Replacement of Licence Plate (due to loss/damage)	£50.00
Replacement of Backing Plate Only	£20.00
Replacement of Drivers' ID Badge	£25.00
Knowledge Test Hackney Carriage (2 parts)	£120.00 (2 x £60.00)
Knowledge Test Private Hire – (1 part)	£60.00
English Proficiency Test	£40.00
Disclosure & Barring Service Check (external fee subject to change)	£65.00
External Validation Check (external fee subject to change)	£10.00
Disability Awareness Course	£50.00
Driver Training Day	£30.00
Copies of Paper Licence (per licence type)	£15.00
DVLA Check	£10.00
Re-issue of Licence due to change in circumstances	£20.00
Missing an appointment	£5.00
Returned cheque	£20.00
Alteration of Temporary Vehicle Terms	£20.00