Details of how many and where there are allocated disabled parking spaces in Edinburgh City - a map of these would be helpful.

Please visit our interactive <u>online parking map</u> to view all parking controls in Edinburgh, including disabled persons' parking places.

Details of the council's policy on the Equalities Act in relation to disabled facilities provision.

Note: The Parking Operations Customer Care team can only respond in respect of disabled persons' parking facilities and cannot comment on other Council approaches to accessibility. In respect of parking provision for disabled persons, the Council must comply with the <a href="Disabled Persons">Disabled Persons</a>' Parking Places (Scotland) Act 2009. Although the Act sets out the Council's responsibilities regarding disabled persons' parking places, it does not account for the wider parking concessions afforded to blue badge holders in Edinburgh (see A3. for further detail).

The blue badge scheme is nationally standardised and, as such, the terms and conditions of use are not determined by the Council. Whilst blue badge holders are provided with various parking, there are some parking bays and controls that do not accommodate parking by badge holders.

A Rights and Responsibilities booklet is issued alongside Scottish blue badges to explain how the scheme works and how the badge may be used; guidance is also available on the Scottish Government's website.

Details of the circumstances when, in addition to any allocated spaces detailed above, displaying a blue badge affords a disabled person with additional parking privileges over an able-bodied diver.

Unlike other road users, blue badge holders in Edinburgh may use disabled persons' parking places, pay and display and shared-use parking places for free all-day parking. Vehicles displaying a blue badge may also be parked on single or double yellow lines all day (providing there is not a loading ban in place and the vehicle does not cause an obstructions). These parking concessions are detailed in the Rights and Responsibilities booklet issued alongside Scottish blue badges, on the <a href="Scottish Government's website">Scottish Government's website</a> and on the <a href="Council's website">Council's website</a>.

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Details of where allocated resident permit zones are and what hours these are active.

Please visit our interactive <u>online parking map</u> where you can view the residential permit parking restrictions across Edinburgh, including permit parking places, permit parking areas, and mews areas.