65289 Blue Badge PCNs

I would like to request information relating to disabled parking spaces, enforcement and Blue Badges within your authority area.

Please provide a breakdown for:

2023

2024

2025

1 January to 30 September 2026 (or the latest complete full month of data available if September 2026 data is not yet finalised).

Disabled parking enforcement:

The number of Penalty Charge Notices (PCNs) issued to vehicles parked in disabled parking bays without displaying a valid Blue Badge (or other proof of eligibility), broken down by year.

Where applicable, this may include Contravention Code 40 or your authority's equivalent.

The total monetary value of the penalties issued for these offences in each year.

If readily available, please also provide the total amount actually paid or collected in relation to these penalties.

Please refer to the table below.

Year	Penalty Charge Notices	Value of Notices	Amount Paid
2023	3,539	£248,205.00	£143,164.90
2024	3,329	£293,465.00	£158,388.95
2025	3,007	£244,185.00	£136,138.80
2026 (at date of request)	2,056	£165,910.00	£89,101.31

If available, the number of vehicles that received more than one such PCN during each year.

Please refer to the table below.

Year	Vehicles with More than One Notice
2023	279
2024	250
2025	231
2026 (at date of request)	143

If held, please provide the five car parks or locations with the highest number of these penalties across the requested period, alongside the number issued at each location.

This information is not held. Please note that the Council does not generally carry out off-street parking enforcement.

Disabled parking provision:

The total number of designated disabled parking bays or spaces currently under the authority's control, or at the latest date for which figures are available.

If possible, please provide this as:

on-street disabled parking bays or spaces

disabled parking bays or spaces within council-operated off-street car parks

All parking places in Edinburgh (including disabled persons' parking places) can be viewed on our interactive online map at:

https://streets.appyway.com/edinburgh-city

Blue Badges:

The total number of valid or active Blue Badges registered to residents within the authority area at the latest available date.

01/01/2023 to 31/12/2023 – 15,440

01/01/2024 to 31/12/2024 – 17,804

01/01/2025 to 31/12/2025 – 18,591

01/01/2026 to 27/10/2026 – 19,652

The number of Blue Badges issued in each year.

01/01/2023 to 31/12/2023 – 6,733

01/01/2024 to 31/12/2024 – 7,832

01/01/2025 to 31/12/2025 – 7,704

01/01/2026 to 27/10/2026 – 6,932

If readily available, the number of Blue Badge applications received in each year and the number which were:

Approved

Refused or rejected

If possible, please distinguish between new applications and renewal applications.

The requested data up to and including 2025 is published on our Disclosure Log at:

https://edinburgh.axlr8.uk/disclose/

Please enter '62715' in the Search field.

2026 data (as of date of request) is below.

6,923 Approved

627 Refused

2,399 Renewal applications issued

4,533 New applications issued