

STATUTORY DISREGARDS

- ◆ These are the people that are disregarded for the purpose of calculating Council Tax discounts.
 - ◆ Under 18s or where child benefit is still in payment
 - ◆ 18 and 19 year old who are at or have just left school
 - ◆ Full time students and their non-British spouses/dependants including student nurses, apprentices and people on youth training schemes.
 - ◆ People who are severely mentally impaired.
 - ◆ Some care workers.
 - ◆ People in certain hostels or night shelters
 - ◆ Prisoners, people on remand, or other detainees except those charged of or convicted for non-payment of Council Tax or fines.
 - ◆ People who are being looked after in care homes
 - ◆ People who are resident in hospital or in hospital for more than six weeks
 - ◆ Diplomats and members of visiting forces or international bodies with headquarters in the UK
 - ◆ Members of religious communities such as monks and nuns.

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- ◆ Single person discount, for people living on their own = 25% reduction.