

## Council Tax Exemption (Class X) / Reduction for Care Leavers

From the 1<sup>st</sup> April 2019, care leavers are exempt from paying Council Tax. If a care leaver lives alone, or the property is wholly occupied by care leavers, a Council Tax exemption will apply up to the date they reach the age of 25.

If a care leaver lives with one or more adults, a Council Tax discount of 25% will apply.

To qualify for this exemption/discount the following conditions must be met:-

- The care leaver must be at least 18 years but not yet 25
- Is classed as a category 3 young person as defined by section 104 of the Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014
- Is no longer looked after by a local authority

To apply, please complete the form below and submit to the Council Tax Team. Please note, we may contact Social Services within Denbighshire, or another Local Authority to verify the information you have provided.

Account Reference

Name	
Address	
Date of Occupation	

Landline Telephone No.	
Mobile Telephone No.	
Email Address	

Would you like to receive your bills via e-mail? :      Yes ☐      No ☐

Please list all residents in the property aged 18 years or over:-

Title	Forename	Surname

Name of Care Leaver	
Care Leaver's Date of Birth	
Dates looked after by a Local Authority	
Which Local Authority provided the care after your 16 <sup>th</sup> birthday?	
Contact name and number of Local Authority that provided the care	
National Insurance number	

Permission to contact care provider:

I hereby authorise the Council Tax Team to contact the care provider within Denbighshire or any other Local Authority to confirm my eligibility to a care leavers exemption or discount.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

For further information about how Denbighshire County Council processes personal data and your rights please see our privacy notice on our website – <https://www.denbighshire.gov.uk/en/resident/legal/privacy.aspx>

You can submit your completed application form:

- by email to [revenues@denbighshire.gov.uk](mailto:revenues@denbighshire.gov.uk), or
- by post to the Revenues Department, Russell House, Churton Road, Rhyl, LL18 3DP
- in person at any One Stop Shop