These are useful numbers for anyone needing financial advice, or is concerned or worrying about money. There are lots of support services and they can help and support you or signpost you to another service if they can’t

 **Money/financial support:**

Affordable foods social supermarket 77-81 Meaford Drive, Blurton.

Rob Littler, Locality Connector on **07557 849573** [HOME - Affordable Food Stoke](https://affordablefoodstoke.co.uk/)

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Age UK [Welcome to Age UK Staffordshire](https://www.ageuk.org.uk/staffordshire/). **You can contact the**[**Age UK National Advice Line**](https://www.ageuk.org.uk/services/age-uk-advice-line/)**:** **0800 678 1602**

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Attendance allowance Line **- 0800 731 0122**

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Beat the Cold- Fuel poverty and affordable warmth support **01782 914915 / 0800 389 2258.**

Bereavement line DWP – **0800 731 0469.**

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Be Warm, Be safe- [Be Warm. Be Safe. (staffordshirefire.gov.uk)](https://www.staffordshirefire.gov.uk/your-safety/safety-at-home/be-warm-be-safe/)

0300 330 1000 (999 in an emergency) www.staffordshirefire.gov.uk/ communityadviceteam@staffordshirefire.gov.uk. Brighter future –Support with homelessness and outreach services. **01782 406000**

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British Gas energy Trust- **01733 421 021.**

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Boiler Replacement**-** [**www.gov.uk**](http://www.gov.uk)– Re free boiler to people eligible.

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British Red Cross- Financial advice and support. **Tel: 0344 871 11 11**.

<https://www.redcross.org.uk/get-help/get-help-with-money-problems>

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Carers allowance Unit- **0800 731 0317**

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Careers advice- **0800 100 900**

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Certainty the National Will Register- Search for the Will of someone who has died if you cannot find it – whether or not it's been registered. **0330 100 3660** [certainty.org.uk/nafd](https://www.certainty.org.uk/nafd/)

Christians against poverty-[CAP UK | Home](https://capuk.org/). **Phone:** **01274 761999
Email:** contact@capuk.org

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Citizens Advice bureau **0800 278 7951 or 0808 27 87 87 5** or (Leek). Cheadle **0808 278 7951** www.citizensadvicecheadle.org.uk/ Advice line **07800005037.** . At Werrington library 10.00am -1pm every 3rd Tuesday of the month to make a booking call **01538 751816.**  Also Cheadle library Wednesdays between 10am-1pm by appointment only. .For help claiming universal credit **call 0800 144 8444.** For consumer advice **call 0808 223 1133.** [www.snscab.org.uk](http://www.snscab.org.uk) or advice@sncab.org.uk. Citizensadvice.org.uk Advice line **0800 144 8848** Debt hotline **0800 240 4420**

admin@citizensadvicecheadle.org.uk Leek or **01538 373068** www.citizensadvice.org.uk/local/leek/ advice@leekcab.cabnet.org.uk

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Department of work and pensions- gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-work-pension

Benefit enquiry line **0800 169 0310**

 UC Service Centre on **0800 328 5644**

 Help to Claim Service - **0800 144 8444.**

New claims ESA **0800 055 6688**

Digital poverty alliance**- www.digitalpovertyalliance.org /techforfamilies**

**Or contact 07984445476**

<https://digitalpovertyalliance.org/tech4families/>

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Disability Living Allowance line- **0800 121 4600.**

Disability solutions west midlands- **01782 638300** – support with advice, paperwork, DLA and PIP claims. [www.disabilitysolutions.org.uk](http://www.disabilitysolutions.org.uk)

EON homes for living- Our Homes for Living team have a range of mobility aids on offer to support independent living, E.g. bathroom aids to garden rails. Free to those who are eligible. You don't need to be an E.ON customer to apply. Eligibility is based on household income and receipt of certain benefits by someone living in the property. If you're interested in our mobility aids. Email homesforliving@eonenergy.com.

Employment and Support allowance line- **0800 328 5644.**

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Energy Saving Trust- energysavingtrust.org.uk

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Entitledto- -online benefits calculator –entitledto.co.uk

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Equality and Human Rights commission. - **0808 800 0082**

Financial conduct Authority- **0800 111 6768.**

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Financial services ombudsman- **0800 023 4567.**

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* Free food vouchers for pensioners- <https://www.moneysavingexpert.com/news/2022/08/iceland-is-giving-away-free-p30-food-vouchers-to-pensioners-to-h/>

Gamcare- [Home - GamCare - The leading provider of support for anyone affected by problem gambling in Great Britain](https://www.gamcare.org.uk/). **0808 8020 133**

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Groundwork West Midlands **– Jack Holmes** Mob: **07970 725439**

Landline: **01782 829909**

FB: <https://www.facebook.com/GreenDoctorWM>

Green Doctor email:**wmGreenDoctor@groundwork.org.uk**

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Help for households [Help for Households - Get government cost of living support](https://helpforhouseholds.campaign.gov.uk/)

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HM Revenue and customs- gov.uk/government/organisations/hm-revenue-customs.

Illegal money lending team - **0300 555 2222.** Illegal Money Lending Team

 [www.stoploansharks.co.uk](http://www.stoploansharks.co.uk)

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Keystone foundation – supports families with poverty and homelessness – **07838206210.**

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Money advice service – adviser.moneyhelper.org.uk. Tel**: 0800 138 1777**

Money Advice Service- Paying for care- payingforcare.org

Money and pensions service [The Money and Pensions Service | Building financial wellbeing](https://moneyandpensionsservice.org.uk/) . Impartial money and pension’s guidance, backed by government and free to use. Tel: **0800 138 7777**.

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Money helper Free and impartial money advice moneyhelper.org.uk .**0800 011 3797**

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National debt line- **0808 808 4000**

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NEA national energy action or benefits help and look at saving money on utilities-[Warm and Safe Homes Advice - National Energy Action (NEA)](https://www.nea.org.uk/get-help/wash-advice/)

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Nest- impartial advice on energy bills and how to make the home more energy efficient- **0808 808 2244.**

Ofgem- ofgem.gov.uk/information-consumers/energy-advicehouseholds

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Pensions advisory service- **0800 011 3797**

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Pension service helpline- **0800 731 0469**.

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Pension Tracing service- **0800 731 0193**

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Pension wise- **0800 138 3944**

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Personal independence payment enquiry line- **0800 121 4433.**

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Potteries moneywise **01782408685**

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RAF - The Royal Air Forces Association (or RAF Association), is a member-led, registered welfare charity that provides welfare support to Serving and Ex-Serving RAF personnel and their families. Contact details **Phone 0800 018 2361.Email** volunteers@rafa.org.uk. **Website** [http://www.rafa.org.uk](http://www.rafa.org.uk/)

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Realise Charity helping people in communities across North Staffordshire through skills, jobs and health. By bringing people together and providing practical help. Telephone: **01782 717 717** - non urgent enquiry line. **0300 111 850 -** urgent enquiry line. https://covid19.realisefoundation.org.uk/

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Severn Trent water re Big difference scheme and seven Trent trust for help with debts on water bills **0800 783 4444.**

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Shelter England- advice on housing benefits and housing law in England- **0808 800 4444.**

Simple energy advice**-** [www.simpleenergyadvice.org.uk](http://www.simpleenergyadvice.org.uk)

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Staffordshire Moorlands cost of living information[https://www.staffsmoorlands.gov.uk/CostOfLivingHub](https://eur01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.staffsmoorlands.gov.uk%2FCostOfLivingHub&data=05%7C01%7CLouise.harveyjohnson%40brighter-futures.org.uk%7Cf7bfef54d6a44477a3e908dae2883465%7Ceb67ecaf87ab44bbb3aec60edcc6e1cd%7C0%7C0%7C638071371854904379%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=jDUl2ejeZwjwdjp%2BUeGsefsI4zBwkGA5JXqQyreVIlA%3D&reserved=0)

[Help for Households toolkit](https://news.dwp.gov.uk/dwplz/lz.aspx?p1=MHlDU2ODk3M1MzOTM0OjNGNDU4QUU4ODQ3OEUxNzc2OTZDMTI1MTg3QTgzNjVC-&CC=&w=79464)

[Staffordshire Warm Home Fund - Staffordshire Moorlands District Council (staffsmoorlands.gov.uk)](https://www.staffsmoorlands.gov.uk/article/4827/Staffordshire-Warm-Home-Fund)

Free boiler grant scheme

.Gov website Advice on a range of matters [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk).

General enquiries: 0300 111 8000 [www.staffordshire.gov.uk](http://www.staffordshire.gov.uk) contactus@staffordshire.gov.uk.

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 Staffs Housing 01782 744533 www.staffshousing.org.uk hello@staffshousing.org.uk

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 Step Change –Debt charity **0800 138 1111.** [www.stepchange.org](http://www.stepchange.org).

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Turn 2 Us Advice on financial support and benefit checker – turn2u.org.uk

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**Trussell trust Cheadle foodbank Cheadle and District Foodbank | Helping Local People in Crisis**

Cheadle: 07902 835158 Email: pm@cheadledistrict.foodbank.org.uk Leek: 01538 373289 Email: info@leekdistrict.foodbank.org.uk

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Warm and safe homes NEA- leading fuel poverty and energy efficiency charity. – A free support service providing advice to households and frontline workers. **Telephone: 0800 304 7159**. Website: [www.nea.org.uk/advice/make-a-referral](http://www.nea.org.uk/advice/make-a-referral).

* Warm spaces: Ipstones café warm space – 2pm-5pm every Friday at Methodist schoolroom, Brookfield road. Hot drinks and food, community larder, practical food and goods help, jigsaws, newspapers and board games.
* Cheadle Methodist church minister on church street Cheadle. Mondays 10-12 There will be Tea/Coffee biscuits/cake and most of all warmth. Your local PCSO will be in attendance should you have any policing issues you may wish to discuss

Warm space Cheadle Parish Church, St Giles the Abbott, (end of the main street) Thurs 12-4pm, warm space, hot drink, biscuits and soup. Few activities.

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Which- consumer rights- **029 2267 0000.**

 