# Energy performance certificate (EPC)

| 26, Saltwell Street<br>GATESHEAD<br>NE8 4QX | Energy rating | Valid until:<br><br>Certificate | 22 July 2024<br>8284-6923-9670-1787-6926 |
|---|---------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Property type                               |               | number:                         |  |

# Ground-floor flat

#### Total floor area

85 square metres

#### Rules on letting this property

Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E.

You can read guidance for landlords on the regulations and exemptions (https://www.gov.uk/guidance/domestic-private-rented-property-minimum-energy-efficiency-standard-landlord-guidance).

#### Energy rating and score

This property's current energy rating is D. It has the potential to be C.

See how to improve this property's energy efficiency.

| Score | Energy rating | Current | Potential |
|-------|---------------|---------|-----------|
| 92+   | Α             |         |           |
| 81-91 | B             |         |           |
| 69-80 | С             |         | 76 C      |
| 55-68 | D             | 57 D    |           |
| 39-54 | E             |         |           |
| 21-38 | F             |         |           |
| 1-20  | G             |         |           |

The graph shows this property's current and potential energy rating.

Properties get a rating from A (best) to G (worst) and a score. The better the rating and score, the lower your energy bills are likely to be.

For properties in England and Wales:

- the average energy rating is D
- the average energy score is 60

#### Breakdown of property's energy performance

## Features in this property

Features get a rating from very good to very poor, based on how energy efficient they are. Ratings are not based on how well features work or their condition.

Assumed ratings are based on the property's age and type. They are used for features the assessor could not inspect.

| Feature              | Description   | Rating    |
|----------------------|---|-----------|
| Wall                 | Solid brick, as built, no insulation (assumed)      | Very poor |
| Wall                 | Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed)          | Good      |
| Window               | Fully double glazed                                 | Average   |
| Main heating         | Boiler and radiators, mains gas                     | Good      |
| Main heating control | No time or thermostatic control of room temperature | Very poor |
| Hot water            | From main system                                    | Good      |
| Lighting             | No low energy lighting                              | Very poor |

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| Feature           | Description                        | Rating |
|-------------------|------------------------------------|--------|
| Roof              | (another dwelling above)           | N/A    |
| Floor             | Suspended, no insulation (assumed) | N/A    |
| Floor             | Solid, no insulation (assumed)     | N/A    |
| Secondary heating | None                               | N/A    |

# Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 292 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m2).

#### What is primary energy use?

#### How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend £1,121 per year on heating, hot water and lighting in this property. These costs usually make up the majority of your energy bills.

You could save £519 per year if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2014** when this EPC was created. People living at the property may use different amounts of heating, hot water and lighting.

# Heating this property

Estimated energy needed in this property is:

- 13,766 kWh per year for heating
- 2,152 kWh per year for hot water

# Saving energy by installing insulation

Energy you could save:

• 4,167 kWh per year from solid wall insulation

## More ways to save energy

Find ways to save energy in your home.

#### Environmental impact of this property

This property's current environmental impact rating is E. It has the potential to be C.

Properties get a rating from A (best) to G (worst) on how much carbon dioxide (CO2) they produce each year. CO2 harms the environment.

# **Carbon emissions**

#### An average household produces

#### This property produces

#### 4.8 tonnes of CO2

#### This property's potential production

2.3 tonnes of CO2

You could improve this property's CO2 emissions by making the suggested changes. This will help to protect the environment.

These ratings are based on assumptions about average occupancy and energy use. People living at the property may use different amounts of energy.

Do I need to follow these steps in order?

# Step 1: Internal or external wall insulation

| Typical installation cost                       |                  |
|---|------------------|
|   | £4,000 - £14,000 |
| Typical yearly saving                           |                  |
|   | £227             |
| Potential rating after completing step 1        |                  |
|   | 65 D             |
| Step 2: Floor insulation                        |                  |
| Typical installation cost                       |                  |
|   | £800 - £1,200    |
| Typical yearly saving                           |                  |
|   | £113             |
| Potential rating after completing steps 1 and 2 |                  |
|   | 70 C             |
| Step 3: Low energy lighting                     |                  |
| Typical installation cost                       | 205              |
|   | £35              |
| Typical yearly saving                           |                  |
|   | £45              |
| Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 3  |                  |
|   | 71 C             |
|   |                  |

# Step 4: Heating controls (programmer, room thermostat and TRVs)

Heating controls (programmer, thermostat, TRVs)

Typical installation cost

£350 - £450

Typical yearly saving

Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 4



Typical installation cost

Typical yearly saving

Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 5

# Paying for energy improvements

You might be able to get a grant from the <u>Boiler Upgrade Scheme (https://www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme)</u>. This will help you buy a more efficient, low carbon heating system for this property.

Who to contact about this certificate

## Contacting the assessor

If you're unhappy about your property's energy assessment or certificate, you can complain to the assessor who created it.

#### Assessor's name

David Beresford

# **Telephone** 0191 2615555

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£56

£2.200 - £3.000



74 C

£78

# Contacting the accreditation scheme

If you're still unhappy after contacting the assessor, you should contact the assessor's accreditation scheme.

# Accreditation scheme

#### Assessor's ID

NHER008298

**Telephone** 01455 883 250

#### Email

enquiries@elmhurstenergy.co.uk

### About this assessment

Assessor's declaration No related party

Date of assessment

23 July 2014

#### Date of certificate 23 July 2014

#### Type of assessment

RdSAP

#### Other certificates for this property

If you are aware of previous certificates for this property and they are not listed here, please contact us at <u>dluhc.digital-services@levellingup.gov.uk</u> or call our helpdesk on 020 3829 0748 (Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm).

#### **Certificate number**

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