Pay bands and pay points on the second pay spine in England

Table 10

| Band 1* (closed grade) | £18,870* | | | | |
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| | Entry step point | Years until eligible for pay progression | Top step point | | |
| Band 2 | £18,870* | 2 | £19,918 | | |
| Band 3 | £20,330 | 2 | £21,777 | | |
| Band 4 | £22,549 | 3 | £24,882 | | |
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| | Entry step point | Years until eligible for pay progression | Intermediate step point | Years until eligible for pay progression | Top step point |
| Band 5 | £25,655 | 2 | £27,780 | 2 | £31,534 |
| Band 6 | £32,306 | 2 | £34,172 | 3 | £39,027 |
| Band 7 | £40,057 | 2 | £42,121 | 3 | £45,839 |
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| | Entry step point | Years until eligible for pay progression | Top step point | | |
| Band 8a | £47,126** | 5 | £53,219 | | |
| Band 8b | £54,764** | 5 | £63,862 | | |
| Band 8c | £65,664** | 5 | £75,874 | | |
| Band 8d | £78,192** | 5 | £90,387 | | |
| Band 9 | £93,735** | 5 | £108,075 | | |

^{*} Interim rate effective from 1 April 2022, refer to paragraph 2-3 below.

- ** The continuation of the temporary consolidated payments will apply only to those already in receipt of it as at 31 March 2021.
- 1. This pay scale should be read in conjunction with Part 2 Section 1: Pay Structure (England)

From 1 April 2022

- 2. As an interim measure, to ensure compliance with the National Living Wage, the Band 1 spot salary and entry point of Band 2 will be uplifted to £18,870 with effect from 1 April 2022 (hourly rate of £9.65).
- 3. Other pay points remain unchanged until the 2022/23 pay award is known when all pay points will be uprated effective from 1 April 2022 in line with the outcome.

Bands 8-9 consolidated payment - temporary arrangements

- 4. Where staff were in receipt of a consolidated payment as at the 31 March 2021, these payments will continue into 2022/23 as set out in Table 10 (a).
- 5. Staff who were not in receipt of these payments on 31 March 2021 will not be eligible to receive these from 1 April 2022 onwards.
- 6. With effect from 1 April 2022, consolidated payments for 4 years of experience will no longer be required based on one of the following criteria:
- staff eligible to receive the year 4 consolidated payment during 2021/22 will move to year 5 on or before 1 April 2022 and will therefore already be in receipt of the higher (year 5) consolidated payment: or
- staff moving to year 4 on or after 1 April 2022 are not eligible for this payment, as per paragraph seven above.
- 7. As an interim arrangement, the consolidated payment for year 5 will continue from 1 April 2022, unchanged pending the government's 2022/23 pay award announcement.

Table 10 (a) - One o consolidated cash payments to specific points in Bands 8a, 8b, 8c, 8d and 9.

| Band | Years of experience (as at 31 March 2021)* | Basic pay as per the pay structure | One o consolidated payments (paid in monthly instalments pro-rata) | Total pay for existing sta |
|------|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 8a | 5 | 47,126 | 2,849 | 49,975 |
| 8b | 5 | 54,764 | 5,371 | 60,135 |
| 8c | 5 | 65,664 | 5,700 | 71,364 |
| 8d | 5 | 78,192 | 6,084 | 84,276 |
| 9 | 5 | 93,735 | 7,964 | 101,699 |

*In some cases, years of experience will not align with the pay point, as the assimilation process does not consider actual historical experience.

For further information refer to FAQ 2.9.

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