Castle Point BOROUGH COUNCIL

Commencing [TBA] until further notice

Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976

Maximum Authorised Fares and Charges

(fares for distance and time)

DAYTIME RATE (TARIFF / RATE 1)		EVENING RATE, SUNDAYS & BH RATE (TARIFF / RATE 2)		LATE NIGHT RATE (TARIFF / RATE 3)		CHRISTMAS RATE (TARIFF / RATE 4)	
MON TO SAT 06:00hrs to 20:00hrs		**MON TO SAT** 20:00hrs to 24:00hrs **SUN & BH** 06:00hrs to 22:00hrs		**EVERY DAY** 00:00hrs to 06:00hrs **SUN & BH** 22:00hrs to 06:00hrs		20:00hrs 24/12 to 06:00hrs 27/12 & 20:00hrs 31/12 to 06:00hrs 02/01	
1-4 PASSENGERS	5-8 PASSENGERS	1-4 PASSENGERS	5-8 PASSENGERS	1-4 PASSENGERS	5-8 PASSENGERS	1-4 PASSENGERS	5-8 PASSENGERS
For the first 158.6 yards, the first 120 seconds, or a combination of such distance and time:							
£4.00	**£6.00**	**£6.00**	**£9.00**	**£7.00**	**£10.50**	**£8.00**	**£12.00**
20p	**30p**	**20p**	**30p**	**20p**	**30p**	**40p**	**60p**
The above charge applies for every 170.2 yards or 42 seconds, or a combination of such distance and time:							
Until £10.00 reached	Until £15.00 reached	Until £12.00 reached	Until £18.00 reached	Until £13.00 reached	Until £19.50 reached	Until £20.00 reached	Until £30.00 reached
After £10.00 reached	After £15.00 reached	After £12.00 reached	After £18.00 reached	After £13.00 reached	After £19.50 reached	After £20.00 reached	After £30.00 reached
Thereafter, the following charge applies for every 142 yards or 30 seconds, or a combination of such distance and time:							
20p	**30p**	**20p**	**30p**	**20p**	**30p**	**40p**	**60p**

Extra Charges

For each item carried in the luggage compartment. (No charge for wheelchairs or disability aids).	**50p** UP TO A MAXIMUM CHARGE OF £2.00	**For each passenger carried in excess of one.**	**50p*** PER PERSON
		* ABOVE CHARGE NOT APPLICABLE TO 5-8 PASSENGERS	
For animals carried – maximum charge (except assistance dogs).	**£1.00**	**Soiling charge** A reasonable charge for cleaning and loss of earnings may be made	UP TO A MAXIMUM OF **£100**
Large Items	A reasonable charge may be negotiated for items too large to fit in the luggage compartment:		UP TO A MAXIMUM OF **£10.00**

Information for Passengers

Number of Passengers

A Hackney Carriage may not carry more than the number of passengers it is licensed to carry, as shown on the licence plate attached to the rear of the vehicle (Local Government (Miscellaneous Provision) Act 1976).

For the purpose of establishing the number of passengers, the lawful definition is that any person, irrespective of age, counts as ONE, including babies in arms.

A driver has the right to refuse to carry passengers in excess of the number that the vehicle is licensed to carry, where doing so would cause the driver to break the law and invalidate the vehicle's Insurance.

Wearing of Seat Belts

It is the responsibility of the driver to ensure all persons aged 14 years and under wear seat belts where available.

Failure to ensure compliance may result in a fine.

A driver has the right to refuse to move off unless passengers for whom the driver has legal responsibility are complying with the law.

Passengers over 14 years of age are legally responsible for wearing a seat belt where available.

A driver has the right to refuse to undertake a journey if doing so would result in the driver breaking the law.

When a child can travel without a car seat

A child **can** travel without a child car seat in some circumstances.

In taxis and minicabs (private hire vehicles), if the driver does not provide the correct child car seat, children may travel without one, but only on a rear seat:

- wear an adult seat belt if they are 3 or older
- travel without a seat belt if they are under 3

A driver has the right to refuse to undertake a journey if doing so would result in the driver breaking the law.



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