



**Aberdeenshire**  
COUNCIL



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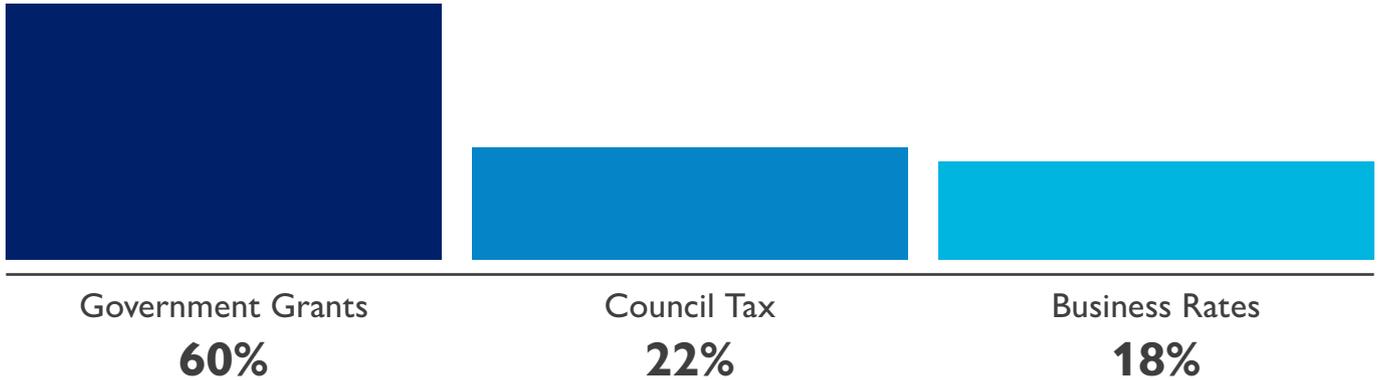
# Your Council, Your Services

Council Tax 2024/25



# Where our money comes from:

22% of our annual budget is raised from Council Tax collected.



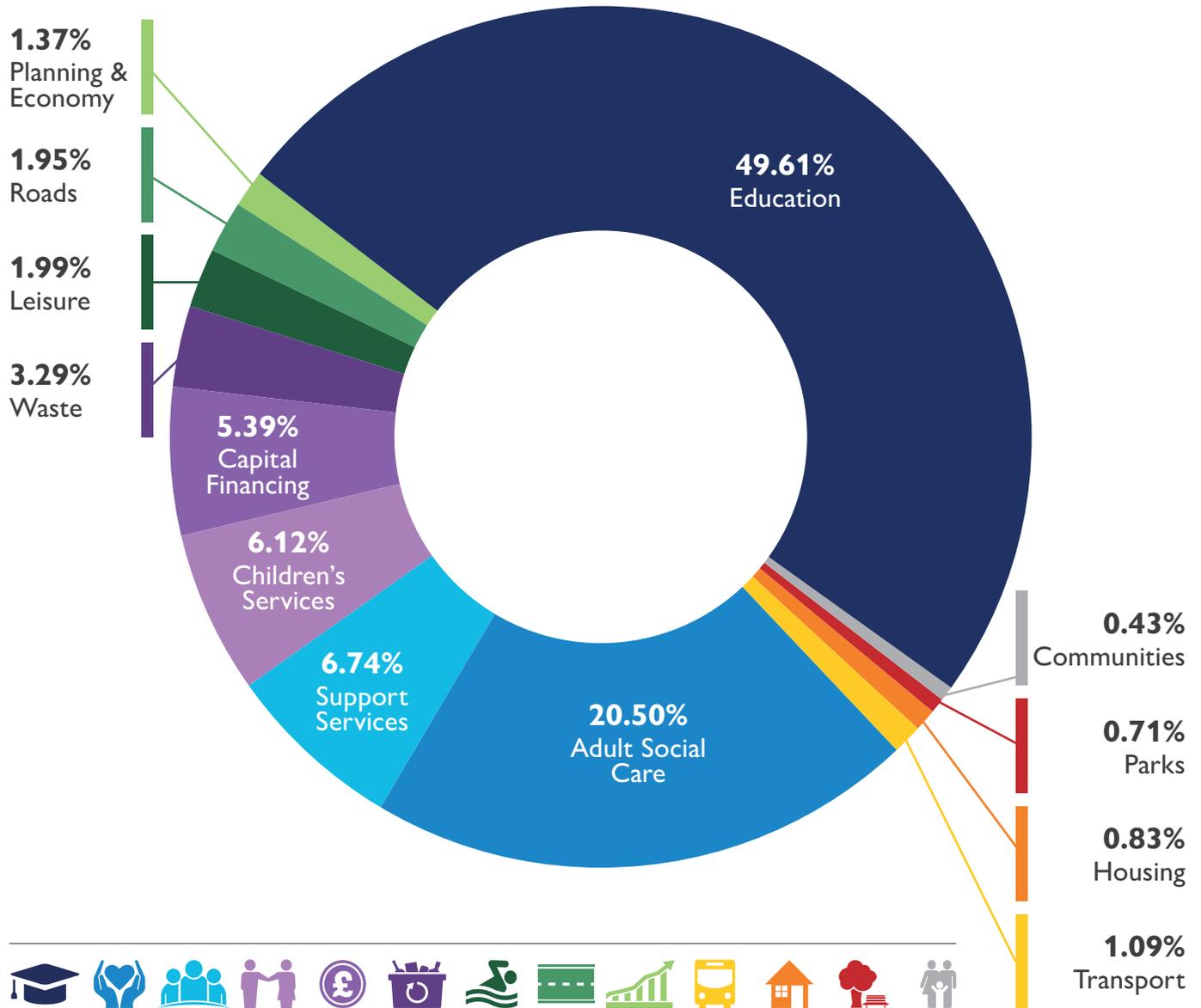
# How we spend our budget:

In February this year, the Council set its revenue budget of **£753m** for 2024/25.

This budget funds the services provided by Aberdeenshire Council.



# How our revenue budget will be allocated for 2024/2025



# How our revenue budget for 2024/25 compares to 2023/24

|   |                     | 2023/24             |        | 2024/25             |        |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|
|    | Education           | £348,632,000        | 49.03% | £373,667,000        | 49.61% |
|    | Adult Social Care   | £150,461,000        | 21.16% | £154,434,000        | 20.50% |
|    | Support Services    | £48,441,000         | 6.81%  | £50,775,000         | 6.74%  |
|    | Children's Services | £44,731,000         | 6.29%  | £46,084,000         | 6.12%  |
|    | Capital financing   | £38,341,000         | 5.39%  | £40,598,000         | 5.39%  |
|    | Waste               | £25,270,000         | 3.55%  | £24,802,000         | 3.29%  |
|    | Leisure             | £12,151,000         | 1.71%  | £14,962,000         | 1.99%  |
|   | Roads               | £9,415,000          | 1.32%  | £14,653,000         | 1.95%  |
|  | Planning & Economy  | £10,934,000         | 1.54%  | £10,301,000         | 1.37%  |
|  | Transport           | £7,517,000          | 1.06%  | £8,179,000          | 1.09%  |
|  | Housing             | £5,624,000          | 0.79%  | £6,223,000          | 0.83%  |
|  | Parks               | £5,495,000          | 0.77%  | £5,353,000          | 0.71%  |
|  | Communities         | £4,059,000          | 0.57%  | £3,236,000          | 0.43%  |
|   |                     | <b>£711,071,000</b> |        | <b>£753,266,000</b> |        |

# 2024/25 Council Tax, Water and Waste Water Charges:

Council Tax will be frozen in Aberdeenshire for 2024/25

Water and Waste Water charges have increased by 8.8%\*

| Valuation Bands      | Band | Council Tax | Water  | Waste Water | Total    |
|----------------------|------|-------------|--------|-------------|----------|
| £27,000 or under     | A    | 928.95      | 168.60 | 195.66      | 1,293.21 |
| £27,001 to £35,000   | B    | 1,083.77    | 196.70 | 228.27      | 1,508.74 |
| £35,001 to £45,000   | C    | 1,238.60    | 224.80 | 260.88      | 1,724.28 |
| £45,001 to £58,000   | D    | 1,393.42    | 252.90 | 293.49      | 1,939.81 |
| £58,001 to £80,000   | E    | 1,830.80    | 309.10 | 358.71      | 2,498.61 |
| £80,001 to £106,000  | F    | 2,264.31    | 365.30 | 423.93      | 3,053.54 |
| £106,001 to £212,000 | G    | 2,728.78    | 421.50 | 489.15      | 3,639.43 |
| Over £212,001        | H    | 3,413.88    | 505.80 | 586.98      | 4,506.66 |

The Grampian Assessor decides the valuation bands for all domestic dwellings and for setting Rateable Values on all non-domestic rate premises - [www.grampian-vjb.gov.uk](http://www.grampian-vjb.gov.uk)

The valuation bands reflect the Assessor's opinion of the property's open market value as at 1 April 1991.

\*Scottish Water are responsible for setting water and waste water charges [www.scottishwater.co.uk/charges](http://www.scottishwater.co.uk/charges)

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**<https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/council-tax/ways-to-pay/#dd>**

**or by phoning 03456 08 12 01**

Remember to have your bank account number, sort code  
and details of the account holders ready.

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