

Cathcart & District Housing Association

Cookie Notice

Use of Cookies

To make full use of the personalised features of our website, your computer, tablet or mobile phone needs to accept Cookies, as we can only provide you with certain personalised features of our Website by using Cookies.

We use Cookies for the following reasons:

- To estimate our audience size and patterns;
- To ensure that you are not asked to register twice;
- To help prevent or mitigate spammers; and
- To track navigation around our website in order to improve its usability.

Cookies are small text files containing information sent by a web server to a web browser, and stored on your computer, tablet or mobile phone when you visit certain web pages. The information is then sent back to the server each time the browser requests a page from the server. This enables the web server to identify and track the web browser.

“Session cookies” keep track of you while you navigate our website and will be deleted from your computer when you close your browser. “Persistent cookies” enable our website to recognise you when you visit, and they remain stored on your computer until deleted, or until they reach a specified expiry date. We use both “session” and “persistent” cookies on our Website. Find out more about cookies here: <https://www.aboutcookies.org/>

Cookies do not store sensitive information (for example, your name, address or payment details); they simply hold the 'key' which, once you have logged in to a Website, is associated with this information. However, if you prefer to restrict, block or delete Cookies from our website, or any other website, you can use your browser to do this. Each browser is different, so check the 'Help' menu of your particular browser (or your mobile phone's manual) to learn how to change your Cookie preferences. Most browsers allow you to reject all cookies, whilst some browsers allow you to reject just third party cookies. Blocking all cookies can have a negative impact upon the usability of many websites, including our website.

Third Party Cookies

When you visit Cathcart & District Housing Association's website, you may encounter some Cookies that are not related to our website or company. If you go on to a web page that contains embedded content, for example, from YouTube or Google Maps, you may be sent Cookies from these websites. If you 'share' our website content with friends through social networks, such as Facebook and X, you may be sent Cookies from these websites. As we have no control over these Cookies, we recommend you check the third-party websites for more information about their Cookies and how to manage them. You will have to select “YouTube/Video/Google Maps Cookies” from our Cookie Settings Pop-up.

To learn more about the Cookies on your device set by other companies, and opt out of them if you wish, please see the Network Advertising Initiative website. Find out more here: www.networkadvertising.org/choices/

Here is a list of the main Cookies used by Cathcart & District Housing Association, and what they are used for:

Name of Cookie used for ReCAPTCHA forms to help prevent or mitigate spammers	Purpose of Cookie	More Information
__Secure-1PAPISID	Targeting/Advertising	This cookie name is associated with Google which is used for targeting purposes to build a profile of the website visitor's interests in order to show relevant and personalised Google advertising.
__Secure-1PSIDCC	Targeting	This cookie is used to create a user profile and display relevant and personalised Google Ads to the user.
__Secure-1PSIDTS	Targeting	This cookie is used to create a user profile and display relevant and personalised Google Ads to the user.
__Secure-1PSID	Targeting	This cookie is used to create a user profile and display relevant and personalised Google Ads to the user.
Secure-3PAPISID	Targeting/Advertising	This cookie name is associated with Google which is used for targeting purposes to build a profile of the website visitor's interests in order to show relevant and personalized Google advertising.
__Secure-3PSIDCC	Targeting	This cookie is used to create a user profile and display relevant and personalised Google Ads to the user.
__Secure-3PSIDTS	Targeting	This cookie is used to create a user profile and display relevant and personalised Google Ads to the user.
__Secure-3PSID	Targeting	This cookie is used to profile the interests of website visitors and display relevant and personalised Google ads.
__Secure-BUCKET	HTTP security cookie	Prevents spam/abuse and ensures the operation of embedded Google / YouTube services. Not used for advertising.
__Secure-ENID	HTTP security cookie	This cookie is used by Google to prevent fraudulent login attempts. This also contains a Google user ID which can be used for statistics and marketing purposes following a successful login.

AEC	Strictly Necessary	This cookie name is associated with Google which is used to ensure that requests within a browsing session are made by the user, and not by other sites. It prevents malicious sites from acting on behalf of a user without that user's knowledge.
APISID	Targeting/Advertising	This DoubleClick cookie is generally set through the site by advertising partners, and used by them to build a profile of the website visitor's interests and show relevant ads on other sites. This cookie works by uniquely identifying your browser and device.
DV	Marketing	This cookie is used to provide ad delivery or retargeting.
HSID	Targeting/Advertising	This cookie is set by DoubleClick (which is owned by Google) to build a profile of the website visitor's interests and show relevant ads on other sites.
NID	Marketing	This cookie is used to provide ad delivery or retargeting, store user preferences.
SAPISID	Targeting/Advertising	This DoubleClick cookie is generally set through the site by advertising partners, and used by them to build a profile of the website visitor's interests and show relevant ads on other sites. This cookie works by uniquely identifying your browser and device.
SEARCH_SAMESITE	Strictly Necessary	This cookie name is associated with Google which is used to prevent the browser from sending this cookie along with cross-site requests, mitigate risks related to cross-origin information leakage, and provide protections against cross-site request forgery attacks.
SIDCC	Targeting/Advertising	This cookie carries out information about how the end user uses the website and any advertising that the end user may have seen before visiting the said website.
SID	Strictly Necessary	This is a very common cookie name but where it is found as a session cookie it is likely to be used as for session state management.
SNID	Marketing	This cookie is used to provide ad delivery or retargeting.
SSID	Targeting/Advertising	This cookie carries out information about how the end user uses the website and any advertising that the end user may have seen before visiting the said website.

Other Cookies	Purpose of Cookie	More Information
PHPSESSID	Necessary	This cookie is native to PHP applications. The cookie is used to store and identify a users' unique session ID for the purpose of managing user session on the website.