

**BARCLAYS** 

# This branch is closing – but we're still here to help

Our Halifax King Cross branch is closing on Friday 12 June 2020

Reasons for closure, and alternative ways to bank

### This branch is closing but your bank is always open

This first booklet will help you understand why we've made the decision to close this branch. It also sets out the banking services and support that will be available to you after this branch has closed.

In a second booklet, which will be available from the branch prior to it closing or online at home.barclays/ukbranchclosures, we'll share concerns and feedback from the local community. We'll also detail how we are helping people transition from using the branch with alternative ways to carry out their banking requirements.

Here are the main reasons why the Halifax King Cross branch is closing:

- The number of transactions has gone down in the previous 24 months. and additionally 76% of our branch customers also use other ways to do their banking such as online and by telephone.
- Customers using other ways to do their banking has increased by 27% since 2012
- In the past 12 months, 63% of this branch's customers have been using neighbouring branches.
- We've identified that only 111 customers use this branch exclusively for their banking

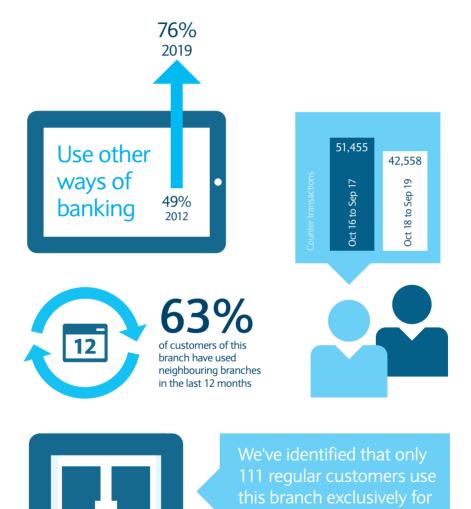


Proposals to close any branch are made by the Barclays local leadership teams and verified at a national level ahead of any closure announcement. If you have any guestions and concerns about these changes then please feel free to get in touch with Jon Clowes, your Market Director for Local East.

Email: Jon.Clowes@barclayscorp.com

### How banking is changing

Many customers are choosing to bank differently, and these changes inform our decisions



### How this branch is used

Before we make the decision to close any branch, we think carefully about how it has been used so far. We consider how many customers have been visiting, what kind of transactions they've been making, and all the other ways they've been choosing to bank with us. We also take into consideration the availability of other branches in the wider community.

### Customers

Usage in last year	Regular (3+ times)	Heavy (12+ times)	% heavy users who also use neighbouring branches
Personal	2,817	643	65%
Business & Corporate	543	227	65%

### Weekly transactions

### Personal

	Counter transactions	Cash withdrawals	Cash deposits	Cheque deposits
Oct 16 to Sep 17	755	240	403	112
Oct 18 to Sep 19	611	209	308	94
Oct 16 to Sep 17 vs Oct 18 to Sep 19	-19%	-13%	-24%	-16%

### **Business & Corporate**

	Counter transactions	Cash withdrawals	Cash deposits	Cheque deposits	
Oct 16 to Sep 17	234	17	125	92	
Oct 18 to Sep 19	207	17	117	73	
Oct 16 to Sep 17 vs Oct 18 to Sep 19	-12%	0%	-6%	-21%	

### Opening hours of Halifax King Cross

Monday	09:30-15:30
Tuesday	09:30-15:30
Wednesday	10:00-15:30
Thursday	09:30-15:30
Friday	09:30-15:30
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	Closed

### Facilities available

Counter services	Yes
Cash machines	Yes
Self service machines	Yes

### Other places you can bank locally

There are many other ways you can still bank in your local community, including nearby Barclays branches, cash machines and Post Offices.

Nearby Barclays branches							
Name	Huddersfield		Halifax		Bradford		
Postcode	HD1	2AA	HX	1 1BE	BD	BD1 1EG	
Distance (miles)	4	1.2	4.3		7.1		
Opening hours	Monday	09:30-16:30	Monday	09:30-16:30	Monday	09:30-16:30	
	Tuesday	09:30-16:30	Tuesday	09:30-16:30	Tuesday	09:30-16:30	
	Wednesday	10:00-16:30	Wednesday	10:00-16:30	Wednesday	10:00-16:30	
	Thursday	09:30-16:30	Thursday	09:30-16:30	Thursday	09:30-16:30	
	Friday	09:30-16:30	Friday	09:30-16:30	Friday	09:30-16:30	
	Saturday	09:30-14:30	Saturday	09:00-14:00	Saturday	09:00-16:00	
	Sunday	Closed	Sunday	Closed	Sunday	Closed	
Any upcoming changes to branch opening hours?	With effect from 14 April 2020 this branch will be open 08:30- 13:30 on Saturday		None		Prior to 18 March 2019, this branch was open Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri 09:00-17:00, Wed 10:00-17:00, Sat 09:00-16:00		
Branch Facilities – Counters	Yes		Yes		Yes (No counter, card issue or currency collection between Monday and Friday after 16:00)		
Branch Facilities – Self service	Yes		Yes		Yes		

Nearby free cash machines		
Location	Address	Distance (miles)
Post Office	224 King Cross Road, Halifax HX1 3JP	0.0
Tesco	Aachen Way, Haugh Shaw Road, Halifax HX1 3TU	0.4
Sainsburys	21 Park Drive, Rochdale Road, Halifax HX2 7NP	0.6

### **Nearby Post Offices**

Post Office Name	Distance (Miles)	Address	Opening hours	Banking Facilities
Kings Cross Road	0.0	224 King Cross Road, Halifax HX1 3JP	09:00-18:00 Mon-Fri 09:00-17:30 Sat Closed Sun	Yes
Highroad Well	1.1	571 Gibbet Street, Highroad Well, Halifax HX2 0AL	08:30-17:30 Mon-Fri 08:30-13:30 Sat Closed Sun	Yes
Halifax	1.1	5 Market Street, Halifax HX1 1PB	09:00-17:30 Mon-Fri 09:00-17:30 Sat 11:00-15:00 Sun	Yes

All data contained within this booklet was sourced in September 2019, and published in February 2020

### Ways to bank

We want to make staying in control of your everyday banking as easy and convenient as possible. Over the years, we've introduced many ways you can bank without having to come into a branch.

### The Barclays app

Transfer money between accounts and keep a check on your balances. If you need to, you can call us directly from the app too. The Barclays app is free to download from your app store<sup>1</sup>.

#### Online Banking

Do all your everyday banking tasks from your home computer. We use the most advanced security systems to keep your details safe and our Online and Mobile Banking Guarantee protects you from fraud. To register, just call 0345 734 5345<sup>2</sup>

#### Telephone Banking

Available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. You can hear your balance, check transactions, pay bills and transfer money. You can speak to an adviser about your banking needs too. To register, just call **0345 734 5345**<sup>2</sup>.

#### **Pingit**

Sending money in an instant with no need to share bank account details. You're automatically protected in the event of fraud as long as you've used the services correctly. The Pingit app is free to download from your app store<sup>3</sup>.

#### The Post Office

All customers can withdraw or pay in cash and check balances using their Barclays debit card and PIN at thousands of Post Office branches across the country.

All customers can also pay cheques into a Barclays account using a personalised paying-in slip and a cheque deposit envelope. You will need to allow two extra working days for cheques to reach your Barclays accounts using the Post Office.

Transaction charges for Business transactions will apply.

#### LINK cash machines

Withdraw cash, check your balance and request a receipt at any cash machine displaying the LINK sign<sup>4</sup>. You can also print off a mini statement at Barclays cash machines.



If you would like more information or help with any of the different ways you can bank with us, please speak to someone in branch or visit <a href="mailto:barclays.co.uk/ways-to-bank">barclays.co.uk/ways-to-bank</a>
If you're a business customer then visit <a href="mailto:barclays.co.uk/business-banking/ways-to-bank">barclays.co.uk/business-banking/ways-to-bank</a>

## Glossary

Glossary of terms	
Feedback from local community	May include local MPs, Councillors, Consumer Groups identified with a particular interest in the closure, or received directly from personal or business customers
Nearby branches	These are the branches listed on page 6
Exclusively for their banking	Only use the counter in branch (12 or more times in the last 3 months) and did not use online, telephone or mobile banking
Use other ways of banking	Use online, telephone or mobile banking in addition to the branch
Counter Transactions	Cheque deposits, cash withdrawals and deposits
Usage – Regular	Used an inside ATM or the Counter – 3 or more times in the last 12 months.
Usage – Heavy	Used an inside ATM or the Counter – 12 or more times in the last 12 months.
Recent or upcoming changes to branch opening hours	Any changes made in the last 12 months or future changes announced at the time of publication
Branch Facilities – Counters	Has a manned traditional style counter
Branch Facilities – Self Service	May have one or more of the following: External / internal cash machine, online banking point, quick pay point / service point or Assisted Service Counter
Nearby free cash machines	Cash machines identified nearby that are free to use, additional free to use cash machines may also be nearby, as well as cash machines that charge a usage fee
Post Office with Banking Facilities	If 'Limited' they are classified as a local or local+ Post Office, and therefore do not offer the full range of banking services that are available at other Post Offices

# Discover more at barclays.co.uk/ways-to-bank

# If you're a business customer visit barclays.co.uk/business-banking/ways-to-bank

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Calls may be recorded for quality and training purposes.

- 1 You must be aged 11-15 years and have a Barclayplus account or be aged 16 or over and have an eligible Barclays product or account. Terms and conditions apply.
- <sup>2</sup> Calls to 03 numbers are charged at the same rate as calls to 01 & 02 landlines, and will count towards any inclusive minutes you may have covering calls to landline numbers. Call charges may differ, please check with your local provider.
- <sup>3</sup> Terms and conditions apply. You must be aged 16 years or above and have a current account in the UK, and be resident in the UK, Isle of Man, Jersey or Guernsey (which can receive payments through the Faster Payments network).
- <sup>4</sup> Cash withdrawal fees may apply to some cash machines in the LINK network.

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