

Are you ready?

If you drive in Aberdeen, Dundee, Edinburgh or Glasgow you'll need to know about Low Emission Zones (LEZs).

Aberdeen's
LEZ will be
enforced from
1 June 2024

Dundee's
LEZ will be
enforced from
30 May 2024

Glasgow's
LEZ will be
enforced from
1 June 2023

Edinburgh's
LEZ will be
enforced from
1 June 2024

Here's a snapshot of what it's all about...

- LEZs restrict access for the most polluting vehicles to improve air quality. This helps protect public health within cities, making them more attractive places to live, work and visit.
- Vehicles that do not meet the emission standards set for a LEZ will be issued a penalty charge notice if they drive within the zone.

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Vehicle standards

LEZ emission standards are specified with regards to the Euro emission standards, and are as follows:

- Euro 4 for petrol cars and vans
- Euro 6 for diesel cars and vans
- Euro VI for buses, coaches and HGVs

Motorbikes and mopeds are not included in the current LEZ schemes and no restrictions will apply.

Exemptions

Certain exemptions will apply, including vehicles for disabled persons (which includes Blue Badge holders) and emergency vehicles.

Grace periods

Local grace periods now apply until enforcement begins.

- In **Glasgow**, the LEZ already applies to buses. For other vehicle types, enforcement will start on **1 June 2023** (1 June 2024 for residents within the zone)
- **Dundee** will start enforcement on **30 May 2024**
- **Aberdeen** will start enforcement on **1 June 2024**
- **Edinburgh** will start enforcement on **1 June 2024**



Check your
vehicle is
compliant

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