# Castle Hill

A new selection of quality two-bedroom apartments, available for Shared Ownership

29 homes available



# Quality homes, affordable prices

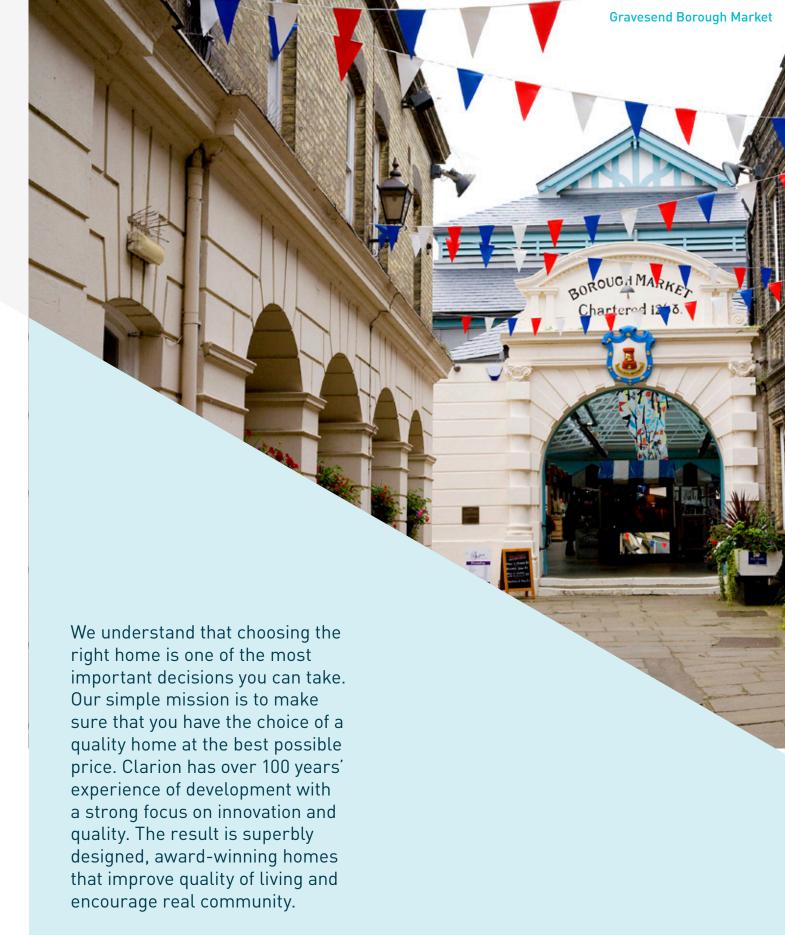
Experience the best of modern design – while enjoying both proximity to the capital and an ideal location close to the English countryside.

An attractive new range of apartments available for Shared Ownership, Castle Hill presents the ideal opportunity to acquire an elegant home in this beautiful part of Kent.

Part of the Ebbsfleet Garden City plan, Castle Hill will create a perfect mix of homes, parkland, leisure, business, retail and community resources – with London less than 30 minutes away by train, and Paris or Brussels just three hours from nearby Ebbsfleet International.

Castle Hill homes are designed for modern everyday life, combining bright contemporary interiors with flexible open-plan layouts – and each apartment also has its own private outdoor space, to increase your enjoyment of the area and improve your quality of living.

Perfect for singles, couples or young families, Castle Hill is the ideal place to make a home.





The perfect location

Ebbsfleet Garden City and its surroundings – which include the nearby towns of Swanscombe, Dartford and Gravesend – have a long and rich history going back to medieval times.

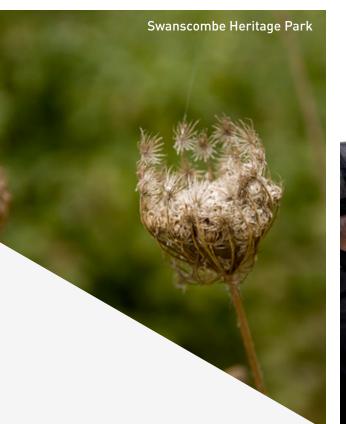
Today, the Ebbsfleet Garden City plan is transforming the area into a connected series of green neighbourhoods, villages and city parks – perfectly situated between the bustle of the capital and the Kent countryside. A new and vibrant commercial centre is taking shape around nearby Ebbsfleet International Station, which connects directly to Castle Hill in 10-15 minutes via a new footpath. This centre will be a hub for business, education, research and leisure, creating an estimated 30,000 new jobs in the next few years.

Ebbsfleet Garden City is well served for a wide range of amenities and services. A new local primary school, Cherry Orchard, has recently opened; nearby Swanscombe is also home to a further number of highly rated schools, as well as GP services (around 10 minutes' walk) and dentists (20 minutes' walk). Locally, Gravesend offers a range of department stores, supermarkets and a Farmers' market, while the famous Bluewater Shopping Centre – one of the biggest in Europe – is only three miles away, reachable by a direct bus service.

For relaxation, the area offers a range of traditional pubs such as The George and Dragon, The Sun, and The Wheatsheaf, as well as the recently opened Spring River hotel, pub and restaurant. Ebbsfleet Garden City will also redevelop the nearby River Thames for promenade walks, and the Ebbsfleet River for park spaces; other local attractions include some of the earliest archeological finds in the country on display at Swanscombe Skull Site National Nature Reserve and Heritage Park. So however you prefer to unwind, you'll never run out of things to do in this part of Kent.

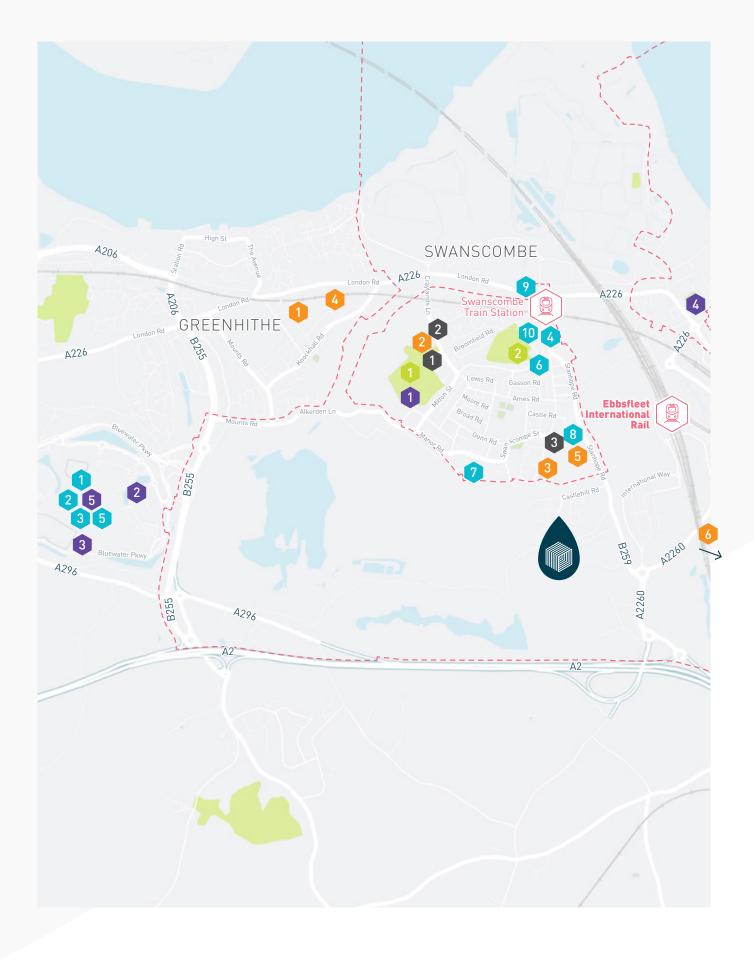


Artist in Swanscombe





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### What's nearby?

Ebbsfleet Garden City offers a wide range of amenities, including a number of schools, shops, restaurants, pubs and leisure facilities. You can also relax with a stroll in one of Swanscombe's green spaces – or visit one of the area's many attractions.



#### Schools

- Knockhall Primary School
- Craylands Primary School
- Manor Community Primary School
- Jumping Beans Pre-School Centre
- Ebbsfleet Academy
- Northfleet School for Girls



- Swanscombe Leisure Centre
- Red Dragon Kickboxing
- Swanscombe Children's Centre

### **Entertainment & attractions**

- Swanscombe Skull Site National Nature Reserve
- Pirate Cove at Bluewater
- Showcase Cinemas
- Ebbsfleet United Football Club
- Bluewater Shopping Centre



#### Food & drink

- Loch Fyne
- YO! Sushi
- Wahaca
- Swanscombe Fish Bar
- Café Rouge
- Akash Balti
- Yinks and Family Cakes
- The Sun
- The George and Dragon
- The Wheatsheaf

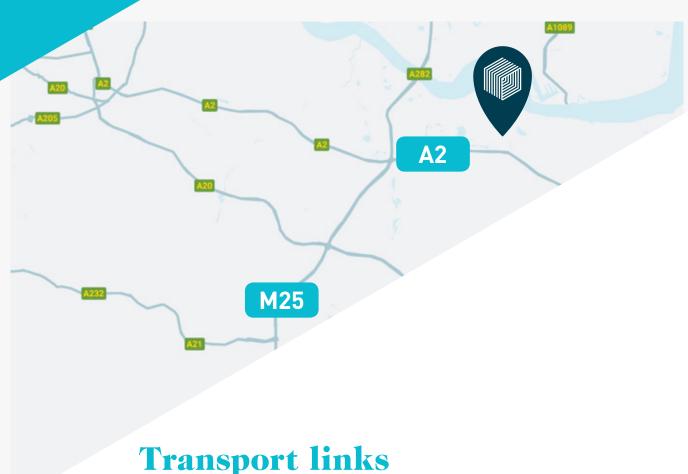


#### **Parks**

- Swanscombe Heritage Park
- Swanscombe Pavilion



Ebbsfleet Garden City



#### Ebbsfleet Garden City is well connected to London and the surrounding area.

Road links are particularly good, with the M25 and the QE2 bridge only 5 miles away for destinations around London. The nearby A2 takes you west into London and east to Rochester, Chatham, Canterbury and Dover. The A207 (London Road) is also accessible from the A226, which runs north of Swanscombe.

Regular trains run from Ebbsfleet International Station around every 15 minutes, with highspeed links to Ashford, Stratford International and London St Pancras – as well as Eurostar services to Paris and Brussels. The station is reachable via a direct footpath from Castle Hill, and is just 5 minutes' drive away. Services also run from Swanscombe station to London Charing Cross and Gravesend on the Southeastern line. Charing Cross services depart every 30 minutes or less: journey times are around an hour, calling at stations including Lewisham and New Eltham, while trains run to nearby Gravesend every 30 minutes.

The new Fastrack bus service throughout Ebbsfleet Garden City connects directly to Gravesend, Swanscombe, Bluewater (20 minutes journey time) and Dartford (30 minutes), running every 10 minutes from Ebbsfleet International. Standard local bus services are also excellent, with the 481 bus stopping near Castle Hill every 30 minutes and travelling to Bluewater, Gravesend and Riverview Park (taking around 15 minutes, 35 minutes and 1 hour respectively). From the Church stop in Swanscombe, the 455 bus also travels to Gravesend and Dartford once an hour, taking around 20 minutes.







<sup>\*</sup> Travelling times and distances are adjusted estimates based on a variety of sources, including Google Maps, TfL, and train company averages. While Clarion makes every effort to reproduce correct information from external sources, we cannot guarantee its accuracy.

### **Explore Castle Hill**

The Castle Hill development is part of a new Ebbsfleet Garden City area masterplan – a complete redesign of land south of Swanscombe to form new communities that perfectly combine transport, schools, amenities, retail, housing, offices and leisure.

Forty per cent of land is allocated for parks and other open spaces in order to create a series of linked neighbourhoods with a green and peaceful environment.

The Castle Hill neighbourhood comprises a collection of elegant, modern yet traditional homes located along Motte Lane in Lower Swanscombe. Motte Lane is accessed off Castle Hill Road, which runs west from Southfleet Road south of the town.

The entrance to Castle Hill will be framed by a large country park, and foliage is planted at intervals around the perimeter as well as throughout the neighbourhood. A park and play area is also situated just off Motte Lane, providing a fun focus for the life of the community.

Each Castle Hill apartment has a spacious balcony or terrace for your private enjoyment; parking is also available for selected units.



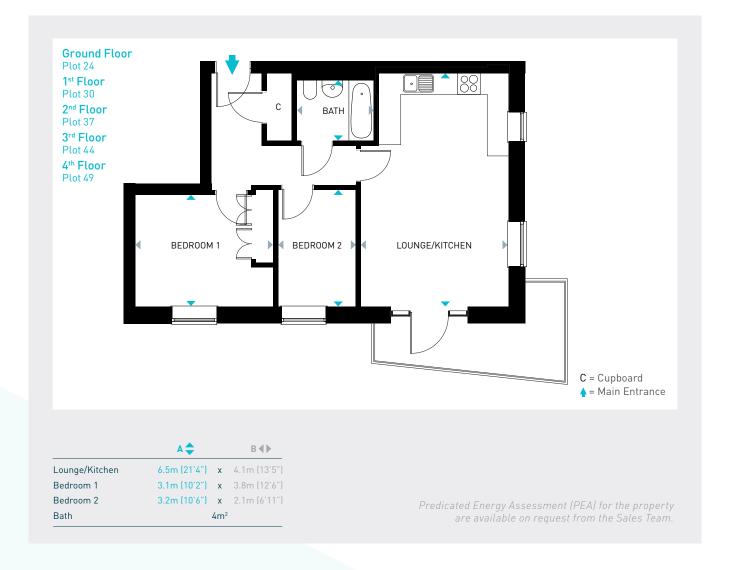
### Two bedroom apartments

#### **Plots**

24, 30, 37, 44, 49 - 60.8m2

(89) (93) (99) (105) (111) Motte Lane, Swanscombe, DA10 1AG

The focal point of these wonderful two-bedroom apartments is the bright, spacious open-plan kitchen/lounge. Featuring three separate windows for maximum daylight and a private balcony that extends around the corner of the building, it provides the perfect space for relaxation. The master bedroom is a comfortable double room with its own built-in wardrobe, adjacent to the second bedroom; and the hallway also has a large cupboard for all your storage needs.



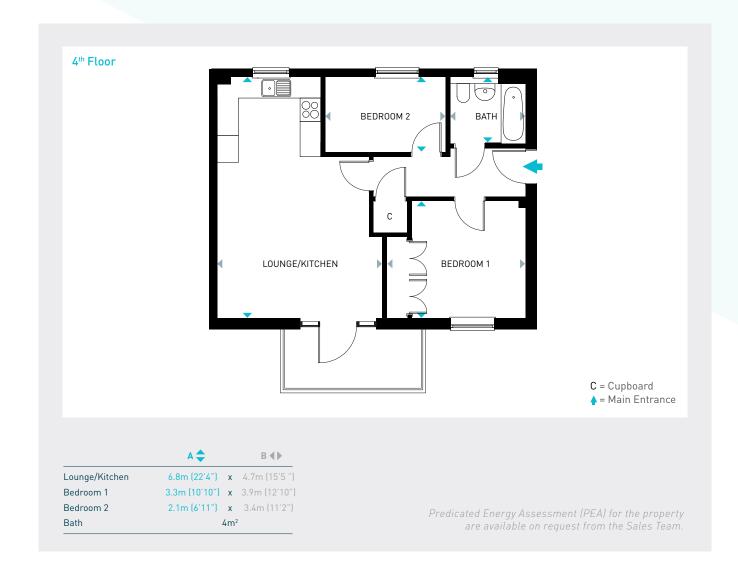
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#### Plot

48 - 60.9m<sup>2</sup>

(113) Motte Lane, Swanscombe, DA10 1AG

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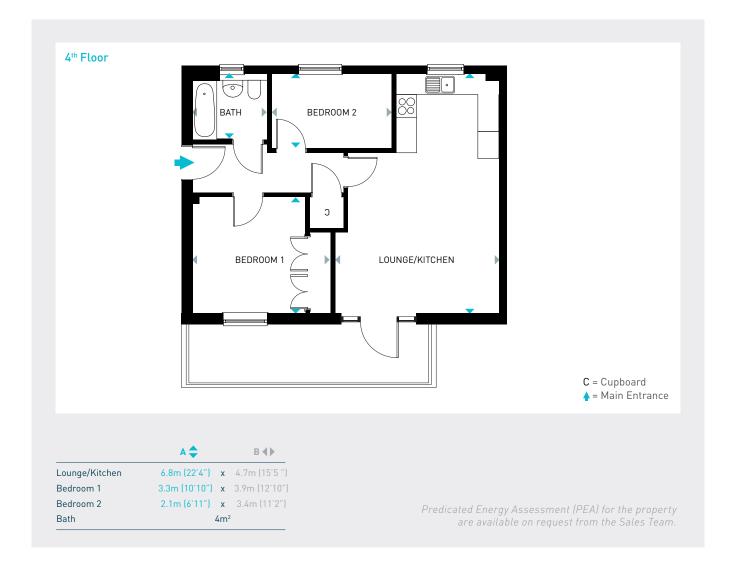


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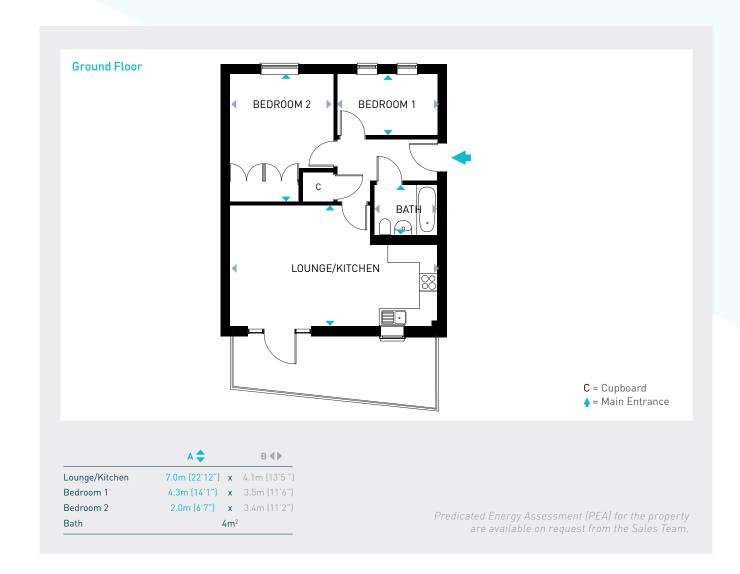
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23 - 60.8m<sup>2</sup>

(91) Motte Lane, Swanscombe, DA10 1AG

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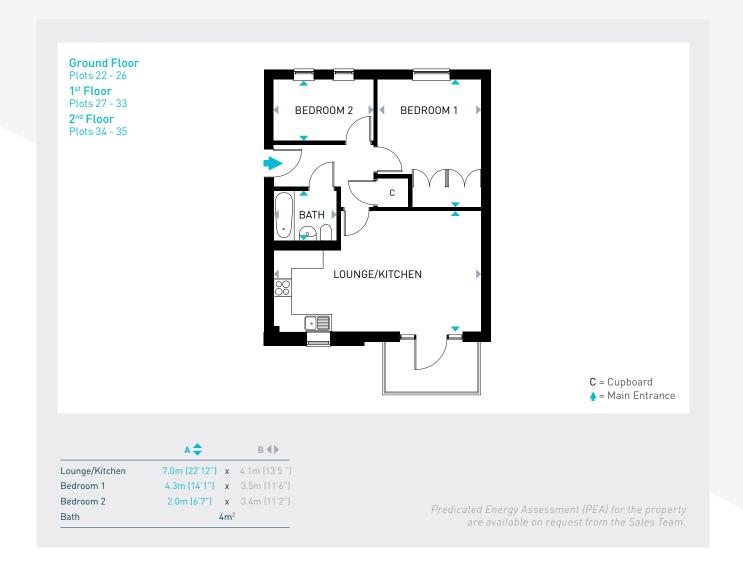


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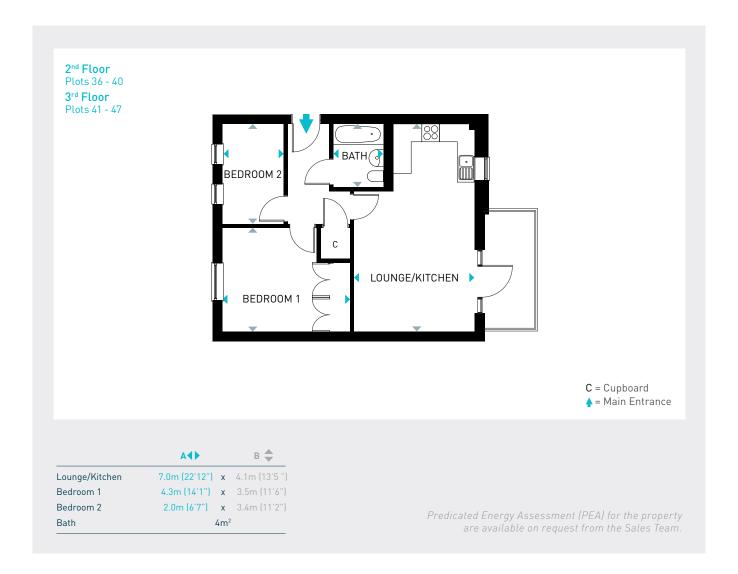


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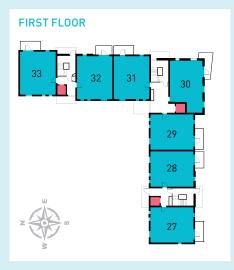


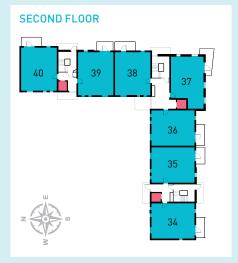
### **Castle Hill Floor Plans**

#### Clarion offers you a choice of 29 different Shared Ownership apartments at Castle Hill.

The illustrations below show the plan for each floor of Castle Hill, with the plot number of each available apartment also displayed. You can then compare each plot's location with its floor plan (shown on the preceding pages) to help choose the right apartment for you.













### **Specification**







## Castle Hill homes come with a selection of quality modern appliances, fittings and finishes.

There are fully fitted kitchen units, selected appliances and floor coverings throughout – while in the bathroom, finishings have been chosen to create a light and relaxed atmosphere.

Each property is tastefully decorated in a timeless fashion, making it easier to alter elements according to your own decorative style.

In addition to these features, there is also a communal roof terrace on the top floor for relaxation – and for your enjoyment of the neighbourhood.

#### Kitchen

- Fully fitted kitchen units and worktops
- Stainless steel oven, gas hob, and chimney hood
- Washing machine
- Integrated fridge/freezer

#### Bathroom

- Roca bath, toilet and basin
- Full-height tiling around bath and shower

#### **Finishes**

 Ceilings and walls are finished in Dulux White Emulsion

#### **Fittings**

- Fitted wardrobe in master bedroom
- BT and Sky+ points

#### Flooring

• Carpets fitted in hallways, bedrooms and lounge

#### General

- Parking to selected units
- Predicted energy efficiency rating A

<sup>\*</sup> All images shown are for illustration only and are from previous Clarion developments



### **Shared Ownership**

#### What is Shared Ownership?

Shared Ownership is an excellent way for people to take their first step onto the property ladder. You buy a share of between 25% and 75% of the property's value and pay a subsidised rent on the remaining share. A key advantage is that, as part-owner, you have a security of tenure that renting cannot offer. Over time, you can buy more of the property until you own 100%.

You will need a small deposit at the outset – generally a minimum of 5% of your share, subject to conditions – and you will need to raise a mortgage on the rest of the sum required.

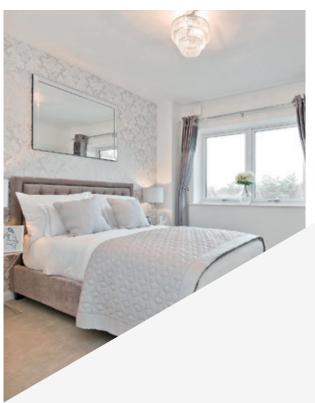
#### Am I eligible?

There are certain conditions to be eligible for a Shared Ownership property:

- Your annual household income must be no more £80,000.
- You must be unable to purchase a home suitable for your needs on the open market without assistance.
- In many cases, you must be able to demonstrate a live or work connection.
- You must not have any outstanding credit issues (i.e. unsatisfied defaults or County Court Judgments).
- You must be a first-time buyer. If you already own a home and need to move but cannot afford to, or you have equity from a recent sale, please contact us, as there are some circumstances under which you may still be eligible.

You will be asked to have a free financial assessment with a mortgage specialist to find out what share you can afford to buy. You will also be asked to complete an application form with the local Help to Buy agent. Sometimes you may need to be registered with your Local Authority. Specific criteria will be detailed on the information for each property.









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#### **Opening Times**

9am to 5pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

> **10am to 5pm** Wednesday



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