

Salaries of Members of Her Majesty's Government from 1st April 2019

Post	Entitled Salary (£) 2019	Claimed Salary (£)
Ministers who are members of the House of Commons		
• Prime Minister	79,286	75,440
• Chancellor of the Exchequer • Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster & Minister for the Cabinet Office • Secretary of State • Lord Chancellor	71,090	67,505
• Chief Secretary to the Treasury • Lord President of the Council and Leader of the House of Commons • Financial Secretary to the Treasury and Paymaster General • Parliamentary Secretary to the Treasury and Chief Whip • Treasurer of HM Household and Deputy Chief Whip • Minister of State	34,087	31,680
• Parliamentary Secretary (including any Minister described as Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, and the Economic Secretary and Exchequer Secretary to the Treasury)	24,477	22,375
• Attorney General	98,921	94,450
• Solicitor General	61,195	57,962
• Comptroller of HM Household (Government Whip) • Vice-Chamberlain of HM Household (Government Whip) • Junior Lord of the Treasury (Government Whip) • Assistant Whip	19,880	17,917
Ministers who are members of the House of Lords		
• Lord Privy Seal and Leader of House of Lords	104,360	104,360
• Minister of State	81,485	81,485
• Parliamentary Secretary (including any Minister described as Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State)	70,969	70,969
• Advocate General for Scotland	94,772	94,772
• Captain of the Honourable Corps of Gentleman-at-Arms and Lords Chief Whip	81,485	81,484
• Captain of the Queen's Bodyguard of the Yeoman of the Guard and Lords Deputy Chief Whip	70,969	70,969
• Lord / Baroness in Waiting (Government Whip)	65,625	65,625

Notes

1. In May 2010 overall remuneration of Ministers (Ministerial and Parliamentary salaries) was cut by 5% compared to the previous Government and then frozen for the duration of the 2010-2015 Parliament. Ministerial salaries (the part the Government controls) were frozen during the 2015-2017 Parliament. The MPs' salary received by Commons Ministers is set independently by the Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority (IPSA). Further details are available [here](#).

2. Claimed salaries are the amounts Ministers are paid. Entitled salaries are the amounts Ministers are eligible to in legislation.

3. The Government has continued to freeze Ministerial salaries, meaning a further reduction in real terms. Ministers waive part of their salary to enable this freeze. The exception is for Ministers in the House of Lords, who from April 2019 are able to claim their full entitled salary. This change was announced in May (see [here](#)) and brings the remuneration of Lords Ministers more closely into line with that of Commons Ministers, whose overall remuneration is subject to increase by virtue of annual changes to MPs' salaries.

4. Some ministers do not receive a salary. Unpaid Ministers in the House of Lords are entitled to claim Parliamentary allowances under the prevailing rules of Parliament.

5. This table reflects the salaries paid to different posts as at June 2019 and is subject to change, for example if a particular post was to become a Cabinet role in the future.

