

With the summer holidays approaching, check to see if you could be entitled to a Portsmouth Leisure Card.

It offers discounts of **up to 50%** at some Portsmouth City Council facilities as well as other services and attractions.

The Card **is free** and available to those who receive **means-tested benefits** living within PO1 – PO6 areas of the city. *(and some properties in PO7 qualify where these pay council tax to Portsmouth City Council).*

You can enjoy BH Live sports centres, swimming pools, golf, museums, city arts, Portsmouth Historic Dockyard, Southsea Skatepark, the Andrew Simpson Centre, discount on beach hut rental and allotments and much more. *Please note discounts do vary, and a complete listing will be sent with your Leisure Card.*

The Leisure Card is valid for 12 months and you can reapply when the card expires, if still eligible.

- **How to apply:** visit the Portsmouth City Council website, search for Leisure Card and apply online www.portsmouth.gov.uk or you can visit your local library, community centre or housing office and ask for an application form *(please bring along proof of the benefits to be checked)*

If you have any questions; call 02392 688797 or email CulturalServices@portsmouthcc.gov.uk

Eligible benefits.

- Universal credit
- Income support
- Income-based jobseeker's allowance (JSA)
- Income-related employment and support allowance (ESA)
- Housing benefit
- Council Tax Support (excludes statutory 25% single persons discount)
- Pension credit (guarantee credit element only)
- Foster carers with foster children (use the online application form and upload a signed letter from your supervising social worker as evidence)
- Children & Young Adults in Supported Accommodation – (aged 16 – 25yrs cared for by PCC - validated by their social worker or PCC sponsor's letter)
- Asylum Seekers – Please note you will be asked to reference your Home Office Number supplied by Portsmouth City of Sanctuary