

B4NTR is your local community group working with B4RN to deliver gigabit full fibre broadband to parishes in North Tyne and Redesdale.

To contact your local group head to our website: <u>B4NTR.com</u>, or search "B4NTR" on <u>Facebook</u>.

For more about B4RN, head to <u>b4rn.co.uk</u>.

For more info on government voucher funding:

Call B4RN:

01524 555887

Or email:

gbvs@b4rn.org.uk

Government Voucher Funding Sign up NOW - search "Get B4RN"

Help bring 1,000Mbps Broadband to North Tyne and Redesdale

- Government voucher funding to help suppliers install gigabit full-fibre broadband networks is available in B4NTR parishes.
- This funding helps both your property *and* your community get connected to B4RN. It's worth applying sooner than later the scheme will end in Spring 2021.
- It's worth $\pmb{\it £150}$ to residents see overleaf for full details of the installation grant, but if you do the work yourself you can pocket the cash!

How to apply - head to $\underline{b4rn.org.uk}$ and click " $\underline{Get\ B4RN}$ ", then enter your postcode and fill out the form.

What happens next?

- B4RN request the voucher through a DCMS portal (that's Department for Culture, Media and Sport) and DCMS will email you asking you to confirm that you're happy to go ahead.
- Your local dedicated coordination group work with B4RN to get you connected.
- Once service is live* B4RN claims the voucher, and DCMS will send you another email to confirm you have live service.
- DCMS then pay the voucher value direct to B4RN and B4RN pay you a £150 installation grant.
- *all residences wishing to take part in the scheme must sign up for 12 months service, but we don't apply any early exit fees if you change your mind

Installation Grant Details

As part of the Scheme B4RN will contribute a fixed grant of £150 to the beneficiary towards the installation of the required termination boxes in the property and service duct throughout your curtilage to boundary. This will be paid on completion of service delivery in conjunction with a signed 12 Month Service contract, and once DCMS have paid us the value of the voucher. You can use this to recover all or some of the cost of paying a contractor to carry out the work within your curtilage. Its down to you to negotiate the best route and most economic way of crossing your property, you can ask your local co-ordinator for help on this. You would have to meet any excess costs over and above the grant amount.