



JOIN THE BUCKS DEBATE

So What's The Debate All About?

Your County Council is facing serious reductions in funding; 25% or more over the next four years. We can't continue to do everything we do now, we need you to help us get our priorities right.

The debate is an opportunity for you to tell us:

- What you personally and your community can do
- What changes we should make to services, with less money
- Which services we should spend more or less money on

TELL US how we should spend your money

The changes will affect you, so it's important to let us know which services really matter to you. Don't wait for us, why not start talking about it with your family, friends, neighbours or a local community group – download the toolkit at www.buckscc.gov.uk/bucksdebate and let us have your ideas.

You can:

- Come along to one of our events
- Complete the speech bubbles in this leaflet and send them back to us
- Email us at: bucksdebate@buckscc.gov.uk
- Go online for more information and to read the blog at: www.buckscc.gov.uk/bucksdebate
- Write to us at – Bucks Debate, (see address overleaf)
- Phone us on 0845 3708090
- Follow us on Facebook at **Bucks Debate**

Bucks Debate Events

Date / Time	Venue
AYLESBURY VALE	
2nd Sept, 6.30pm	Royal Latin School, Buckingham, MK18 1AX
10th Sept, 7pm	Booker Park, Aylesbury, HP21 9ET
SOUTH BUCKS	
9th Sept, 7pm	Burnham Grammar, Burnham, SL1 7HG
17th Sept, 7pm	Butlers Court, Beaconsfield, HP9 1RW
CHILTERN	
6th Sept, 7pm	St Joseph's Catholic School, Chalfont, SL9 8SB
16th Sept, 7pm	Waterside Combined School, Chesham, HP5 1QU
WYCOMBE	
3rd Sept, 7pm	Great Marlow School, Marlow, SL7 1JE
20th Sept, 7pm	Princes Risborough School, HP27 0DT

Further events will be available. Check online at www.buckscc.gov.uk/bucksdebate for details.

TELL US what changes we should make to services

Think about the County Council services we provide for you and your community; which ones should we spend more or less money on?

Knowing who provides what services can be confusing, so we've listed some County Council services for you overleaf. Your district council collects your rubbish, cleans your streets, provides leisure services etc.

Which **County Council services** do you and your family **value least**?

Which **County Council services** do you and your family **value most**?

Which **County Council services** do you think your **community values least**?

You and your local community have **diverse and different needs**. In your opinion which services do they **value most**?

What ideas do you have **to help us reduce costs**?

TELL US what you and your community can do

There's great community spirit in Buckinghamshire, and you don't have to go far to hear stories of people looking after others, being good neighbours, helping their community and volunteering to run local activities etc. You could probably tell us a story or two about good neighbours!

Tell us how you could help:

Would you **cut the grass verge** outside your property?

If your **local area** needed a **clean-up**, would you help?

Would you help to run your **local library or community centre**?

If an **elderly neighbour** needed a **lift to the doctors**, would you offer?

How else could you help?

If you would like to receive a response from us, please tell us your:

Name **Tel**

Address

Email

Adult Education

Buses

Care Homes

Care Services for Vulnerable Adults

Country Parks

Fostering & Adoption

Museums & Libraries

Roads & Highways

Schools

Trading Standards

Waste Recycling

Youth Services

Your feedback is crucial to us.

We will use your ideas and suggestions to develop proposals about which services need to change and consult with you again later in the autumn.

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here.*

The Bucks Debate

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Getting your priorities right

Help us save money by replying online at:

www.buckscc.gov.uk

If you, or someone you know, is visually impaired, please contact us on 0845 3708090 to receive the leaflet in an alternative format.