| the numbercrunchers COVID-19 SUPPORT GUIDE FOR SMALL BUSINESS | Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme (CJRS) | Coronavirus Business Interuption Loan Scheme (CBILS) | Deferring VAT payments | Deferring Income Tax Payments | HMRC Time to Pay Scheme | Small Business Grant Scheme | Grant Funding £10,000 retail, hospitality and leisure | Grant Funding £25,000 retail, hospitality and leisure | Business Rates Holiday for 12 months | Statutory Sick Pay (SSP) Relief for SME's | Universal Credit |
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| Who is it for? | All UK business paying staff via PAYE | All UK businesses adversely affected by COVID-19 outbreak | UK VAT registered businesses | Self-employed, individuals paying personal tax via self- assessment | All business and individuals with outstanding tax liabilities | Self- employed/businesses with premises | Businesses in retail, hospitality or leisure sectors | Businesses in retail, hospitality or leisure sectors | Self-employed /businesses with premises | All UK business paying staff via PAYE | Self-employed; those not eligible for SSP |
| How Much? | Up to £2,500 per worker per month | Up to £5m | n/a | n/a | n/a | £10,000 | £10,000 | £25,000 | A business rates holiday period | £94.25 weekly sick pay x 2 weeks for each staff member who is sick/ self- isolating | Based on 'topping up' to minimum wage |
| What is it? | HMRC will reimburse 80% of furloughed workers wage costs | Government backed guarantee of up to 80% of facility and will cover the first 12 months interest payments Funds will be offered on attractive terms by a range for facilities, term loans, overdrafts, invoice finance and asset finance | Businesses will be given until the end of the 2020 to 2021 tax year to pay any liabilities that have accumulated during the deferral period | Tax payments due on the 31 July 2020 will be deferred until the 31 January 2021 | Tax payments due can be deferred on a payment plan | a one off cash grant to help meet ongoing business costs | a one off cash grant to help meet ongoing business costs | a one off cash grant to help meet ongoing business costs | A business rates holiday for retail, hospitality and leisure businesses in England for the 2020 to 2021 tax year | This refund will cover up to 2 weeks' SSP per eligible employee who has been off work because of COVID-19 SSP will apply from day 1 of sickness/self-ical-time. | Additional state benefit for low income earners |
| Am I elegible? | All UK business paying staff via PAYE Applies to staff that have been designated and notified as being furloughed | Your business is UK based, with turnover of no more than £45 million per year Operate within an eligible industrial sector not received de minimis State aid beyond €200,000 over last two fiscal years Be unable to meet a lender's normal lending requirements but would be considered viable in the longer-term, potentially enable a 'no' credit decision from a lender to become a 'yes' | The deferral will apply to all VAT returns submitted 20 March 2020 to 30 June 2020 | Anyone with a payment due on account in July | Anyone with outstanding tax liabilities including • self-assessment tax • corporation tax • paye/CIS liability This is assessed on a case by case basis | your business is based in England you are a small business and already receive SBBR and/or RRR you are a business that occupies property | a rateable value of under £15,000 | For businesses in these sectors with a rateable value of between £15,001 and £51,000 | your business is based in England your business is in the retail, hospitality and/or leisure sector | employers with fewer than 250 employees employee who has claimed SSP (according to the new eligibility criteria) as a result of COVID-19 | if you are on a low income or unemployed you are 18 or over |
| TNC Contact | Your payroll contact Ryan or Mollie | Howard | Jack, Gaynor | Jack | Jack, Gaynor | None, local council | None, local council | None, local council | None, local council | Your payroll contact Ryan or Mollie | Jack |
| What must you do | designate and notify employees as 'furloughed workers' submit information to HMRC about the employees that have been furloughed and their earnings through a new online portal | Contact your bank, accredited scheme partner, and the numbercrunchers who can upload your requirement to Capitalise.com | ensure all receipts in receipt bank and our queries answered asap | No action required | Contact HMRC | Make sure the business is registered for rates at your local council and that the contact details are correct | Make sure the business is registered for rates at your local council and that the contact details are correct | Make sure the business is registered for rates at your local council and that the contact details are correct | Make sure the business is registered for rates at your local council and that the contact details are correct | employers should maintain records of staff absences and payments of SSP, but employees will not need to provide a GP fit note Inform TNC payroll staff of any sickness before payroll is run | be gainfully 'self- employed' |
| How to apply | Portal not available yet | Via your bank, the numbercrunchers or other accredited scheme partner | Automatic offer, no applications required | Automatic offer, no applications required | Coronavirus Helpline Tel: 0800 015 9559 Monday to Friday, 8am to 8pm Saturday, 8am to 4pm Self Assessment Payment Helpline Tel: 0300 200 3822 | You do not need to do anything. Your local authority will write to you if you are eligible for this grant. | You do not need to do anything. Your local authority will write to you if you are eligible for this grant. | You do not need to do anything. Your local authority will write to you if you are eligible for this grant. | There is no action for you. Your local authority will write to you if you are eligible for this grant. | Automatic offer, no applications required submitted as part of RTI payroll | Online: www.gov.uk/apply- universal-credit Universal Credit helpline Tel: 0800 328 5644 |
| Timescale | Soon but 'HMRC are working urgently to set up a system for reimbursement. Existing systems are not set up to facilitate payments to employers.' | Not defined, allow 4-10 weeks as this will need support material and have a bank underwriting process | Immediate | In July 2020 | Immediate | Unspecified, will be provided shortly | Unspecified, will be provided shortly | Unspecified, will be provided shortly | April 2020 | Soon but 'the government will work with employers over the coming months to set up the repayment mechanism for employers as soon as possible' | Immediate |
| the numbercrunchers comment | This is a great move on retaining staff when there is not work to do. Lacks clarity on implementation | The borrower remains 100% liable for the whole debt. This could be a long-term fix but not a quick one | The liability is deferred and must be repaid by March 2021 Helps manage cash timings | The liability is deferred and must be repaid by 31st Jan 2021 Helps manage cash timings | The liability is deferred and must be repaid at a later date Helps manage cash timings | This is a one-off grant and will not need to be repaid | This is a one-off grant and will not need to be repaid | This is a one-off grant and will not need to be repaid | This will apply to the next tax year, great if you pay rates | This is a great help to small employers as the first 3 days are not normally covered by HMRC | Needs more, we are hoping for more anouncements on helping self- employed from HMRC |
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