



You can also complete the application and file related documentation online at www.kela.fi/omakela (in Finnish) or www.fpa.fi/mittfpa (in Swedish). More information is available at www.kela.fi/housing-benefits. You can calculate the amount of the benefit at www.kela.fi/laskurit (in Finnish) or www.fpa.fi/berakningar (in Swedish).



Please make sure to complete the form carefully. Attach all necessary documentation.

We may contact you for further information if necessary.

Send the application and any supporting documents by mail. The address is Kela, PL 10, 00056 KELA.



If you have questions, please call our customer service number (www.kela.fi/call-kela).

- i** If you have moved to Finland and you have not previously claimed benefits from Kela, also complete form Y 77e. If you are going abroad, also complete form Y 38e.

When to apply: General housing allowance can be granted from the beginning of the month preceding that in which your application is received. The allowance is always granted as of the first day of the month.

1. Applicant

Personal identity code

Family name and given name

Telephone

Address

i If you are about to move, state your new address.

Postal code

Postal district

The municipality in which the home is located

Date of moving in:

I am living in a cohabiting relationship since _____.

I am separated from my spouse since _____.

i Spouse means cohabiting spouse with whom you live together in a couple relationship or a married spouse.

Is the separation due to the end of a couple relationship?

No

Yes

Are you a student?

No

Yes. Estimated time of graduation: ____/____ (month and year)

2. Payment details

Applicant's bank account number (indicate the bank account number even if the benefit is paid out to the landlord)

Housing allowance is payable to

the applicant

the landlord

Retroactive allowance is payable to

the applicant

the landlord

Bank account number of the landlord (state the bank account number only if the benefit is payable to the landlord)

Reference number for the payment

- i** If the landlord has reported a reference number for payment of the rent, Kela can pay the housing allowance to the landlord only if you report the reference number to Kela.

3. Application and notification of changes

Which benefit do you wish to apply for?

- New housing allowance starting from _____ . ① New housing allowance means that you do not currently receive housing allowance.
- Annual review of the housing allowance because one year has past since the housing allowance was awarded or last reviewed.
- Review of housing allowance in current payment.

State what type of changes in the household have happened or will happen.

- Change in income as from _____ . Report the changed income under section 7. Household income.
- Change of residence _____ .
- Change in housing costs as from _____ .
- Change in the number of persons in the household or change of persons in the household as from _____ .
- Change in the occupancy status of your home (e.g. from rental to owner-occupied) as from _____ .
- A person in the household gains or loses eligibility for the student's housing supplement _____ .

4. Persons living in the household

① A household means the people who live permanently in the same flat or house. If several persons have rented a home under a joint rental agreement, they are considered as a communal household. If you live in a communal household, you must have a power of attorney from the other residents if you wish to apply for housing allowance on behalf of the household. Enclose the form AT 5e, Power of attorney to represent a communal household with the application.

When moving, remember to report also the changed address of your children to the Digital and Population Data Services Agency at the latest within one week of the change of address. Inaccurate address details may cause a delay in the processing of the application.

If your household includes a disabled person who needs extra living space or an assistant, provide details about this at section 11. Additional information. This information affects the amount of the housing allowance.

Personal identity code or date of birth of spouse	Name	Student (yes)	Estimated time of graduation (month and year)
1. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	/

① If there is not enough space here for the details for all household members, report their details at section 11. Additional information.

Personal identity code or date of birth of child or other person who share the home or apartment	Name	Student (yes)	Estimated time of graduation (month and year)
2. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	/
3. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	/
4. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	/
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6. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	/
7. _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	/

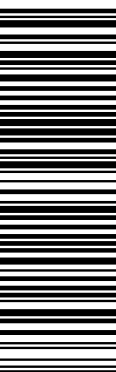
5. Residential details

My home is

- a rental or part-ownership home

Name of landlord _____

- a right-of-occupancy home
- a unit in a housing co-operative (owner-occupied home)
- a single-family home (owner-occupied home)



6. Housing costs

Amount of rent or maintenance charge EUR _____ per month starting from _____.

In addition to the rent or maintenance charge, do you pay separately for any of the following?

Water	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Heating	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Electricity	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

i If you live in a single-family home that you own, you do not have to state the upkeep costs for the home, for instance water and heating costs.

If you live in an owner-occupied home or right-of-occupancy home, do you or does a member of your household have housing loan for this home?

No Yes. See section 10. Enclosures.

Does your household have a subtenant?

No Yes

Monthly rent paid by the subtenant: EUR _____.

Subtenant's name and date of birth _____

7. Household income

i If your household receives wages and salaries or benefits, we receive information on them from the national incomes register. We also use information from the Tax Administration when assessing the income. However, we already now need information on coming incomes because they may affect the amount of housing allowance.

State the household income to its gross amount, i.e. before taxes and other deductions. Also state any tax-exempt income. Benefits received from Kela and the incomes of underage children need not be reported.

Do you or does another member of your household receive some of the following incomes?

Wage or salary

i State the wage or salary and any wage supplements. If the wage or salary varies, estimate and state the average monthly wage or salary. If there are several employers, state the details for all the employers. When needed, use section 11. Additional information.

No Yes. Specify who receives a wage or salary.

I
Name of employer _____

Employment relationship: Fixed-term _____ – _____
 Open-ended as from _____

Amount of wage or salary: EUR _____ per month.

Spouse
Name of employer _____

Employment relationship: Fixed-term _____ – _____
 Open-ended as from _____

Amount of wage or salary: EUR _____ per month.

Other household member. Specify who. _____
Name of employer _____

Employment relationship: Fixed-term _____ – _____
 Open-ended as from _____

Amount of wage or salary: EUR _____ per month.

Other household member. Specify who. _____
Name of employer _____

Employment relationship: Fixed-term _____ – _____
 Open-ended as from _____

Amount of wage or salary: EUR _____ per month.

Pension from some other country than Finland

No Yes. Specify who receives such a pension.

I
 Spouse
 Other household member. Specify who. _____

Amount of the pension per month _____

Currency _____

From which country? _____

Scholarships and grants

No Yes. Specify who receives a grant or scholarship.

I
 Spouse
 Other household member. Specify who. _____

For the period _____ – _____

Is the person receiving a grant or scholarship insured under the MYEL (Farmers') Pensions Act? No Yes

If the grant or scholarship is paid from another country, state the amount of the grant or scholarship in EUR _____ per month.

Are you or is someone else in your household self-employed?

No Yes. Specify who.

I
 Spouse
 Other household member. Specify who. _____

Name or business ID (Y-tunnus) of the company _____

The self-employed person has insurance under the Self-Employed Persons' Pensions Act (YEL) or the Farmers' Pensions Act (MYEL).

The self-employed person receives a business start-up grant as of _____.

If the self-employed person does not have insurance under the YEL or MYEL Pensions Acts or does not receive a business start-up grant, state the self-employed person's own assessment of the income EUR _____ per month.

8. Capital income

Do you or does another member of your household receive any of the following types of income?

Rental income

① State the rental income for all sources (for instance unit in a housing co-operative, single-family home or business premises). State the amount of the rent in full, i.e. without any deductions.

No Yes. Specify the source of the rental income.

A unit in a housing co-operative. Specify the recipient.

I
 Spouse
 Other household member. Specify who. _____

Address of the rented home _____

Amount of rent: EUR _____ per month.

Is a water charge included in the rent? No Yes

Maintenance charge for the home EUR _____ per month.

Are the heating costs included in the maintenance charge? No Yes

State the number of persons who live in the home. _____

A single-family home. Specify the recipient.

I
 Spouse
 Other household member. Specify who. _____

Address of the rented home _____

Amount of rent: EUR _____ per month.

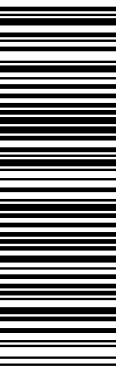
State the number of persons who live in the home. _____

Some other source. Specify the recipient.

I
 Spouse
 Other household member. Specify who. _____

State the type of source of rental income (for instance business premises). _____

Amount of rent: EUR _____ per month.



Interest income

i You can receive interest on for instance money in bank accounts or other assets.

No Yes. Specify the recipient.

I
 Spouse
 Other household member. Specify who. _____

Specify from which type of assets. _____

State the amount of money or other assets. _____

State the interest rate, or the amount of interest income in the past year. _____

Forest holdings

No Yes

Are the forest area and the municipality where the forest is located the same as in the previous tax assessment?

Yes No

State whose forest holdings have changed.

My forest holdings
 Spouse's forest holdings
 Other household member's forest holdings. Specify whose. _____

State the current forest area and the municipality where the forest holdings are located.

Equity savings account

No Yes. Specify the account holder.

I
 Spouse
 Other household member. Specify who. _____

i Submit an annual summary or equivalent statement for the equity savings account for the preceding two calendar years unless that information has previously been submitted to Kela.

Have you or has another member of your household bought or sold shares in stock or a mutual fund, other securities or cryptocurrencies in the previous 12 months?

i State all shares in stock or a mutual fund and other securities that the household members own. State who owns them, the name of the company/fund, the number and name/type of shares, and when they were purchased. You can also report the information by enclosing relevant documentation (for instance statement of the book-entry account).

No Yes. Specify who.

I

Securities:

The sale of securities continues No Yes

Spouse

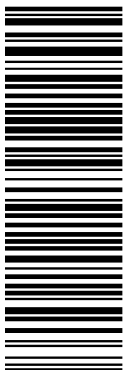
Securities:

The sale of securities continues No Yes

Other household member. Specify who. _____

Securities:

The sale of securities continues No Yes



Do you or does another member of your household receive some other type of capital income than those mentioned above?

No Yes. State the recipient, type of income and amount per month.

9. Changes in income

Will you or someone else in your household apply for unemployment allowance from the unemployment fund or from Kela?

No Yes. Specify who. _____

Do you know if the incomes or benefits that you or some other household member receives will change?

No Yes. State whose income will change, when the income will change and how. Estimate the income and state the gross amount of the income, i.e. the amount before taxes and other deductions.

10. Enclosures

① Kela receives the details on rental housing from certain landlords in electronic form. In this case, the recipient of housing allowance does not need to submit the rental agreement. You can check at www.kela.fi/rental-agreement, if we receive the details in electronic form from the landlord.

If you have submitted the relevant documentation to Kela already previously for instance for another benefit, you need not submit the same documentation again. The rental agreement is needed in reviews of housing allowance in current payment only if the terms of the rental agreement change and Kela does not receive the information from the landlord in electronic form.

Keep any receipts and documents related to your application because we may request them at a later stage, when necessary.

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Power of attorney to represent a communal household, Kela form AT 5e.

Section 6. Housing costs

Copy of the rental or right-of-occupancy agreement.

Copy of the specification of the maintenance charge.

Statement from the creditor showing the amount of housing debt or an account statement showing the loan number, outstanding amount, purpose and interest rate percentage (required for owner-occupied and right-of-occupancy homes).

Section 7. Household income

Annual summary or equivalent statement for the equity savings account for the preceding two calendar years.

Other documentation on income. Please specify. _____

11. Additional information – write the number of the section you are referring to.

Additional information on a separate sheet. Write your name and personal identity code on the sheet.

12. Signature

I declare that the information I have given is true and accurate. I will notify any changes.

Place and date

Signature and printed name of the applicant

Information obtained for the purpose of deciding the present matter may be used for other benefit-related matters, if so required under law. Any information obtained within the context of another benefit may also be used to decide the present matter.

Please contact us for more information about which outside sources we may access to obtain additional information about your circumstances and to whom we may provide such information.

