



As of 23 January 2025, please could you tell me:

1. How many allotment sites are in Wigan please? [See attached table](#)
2. Please can you give allotment waiting list data for each please? [See attached table](#)
3. What is the total number of plots on these sites and number of vacant plots. [See attached table](#)
4. How many new council allotment sites were brought into use in since 2020? Please give:
 - a. number of new sites
 - b. total number of new plots0.
5. How are people on the waiting list are kept informed of their position on the waiting list [The waiting lists are periodically reviewed, in the last 11 months, we have reviewed the waiting list at 15 allotment sites, this has reduced the waiting list by 851, this review will continue for the remainder of the allotment sites.](#)
6. Please can you provide copies of allotment inspection reports/assessments for each allotment site for the period 1st Jan 2023 - 31st December 2024. [We do not hold this information; the allotments are not inspected on a frequency-based system. Council officers monitor the condition of the allotments during general site visits.](#)
7. Please can you provide a copy of the equality impact assessment for each allotment site. [We do not hold this information.](#)
8. What is the council doing to increase allotment provision across Wigan? [The Council manages its allotment stock using a mixed economy approach, this includes directly managed sites, sites that are leased to community groups, dividing larger plots into smaller, flexible sized plots, and where possible working with developers to fund new sites. Working with and supporting community groups to lease allotment sites, securing improvement funds and bringing underused allotment land back into active use, offers significant potential to increase provision.](#)

Allotment	No Plots	No Vacant plots	Waiting list
Back Wigan Road Wigan	15	1	98
Bryn Gates Bamfurlong	19	2	83
Bryn Gates	5	1	60
Stubshaw Cross	21	2	93
Downall Green	4	0	85
Weston Street	11	1	75
Lilford Park	37	3	139
Warrington Road	43	1	44
Bickershaw	27	0	47
Plank Lane Leigh	54	1	106
Skew Bridge	11	2	89
Wright Street	1	0	0
Low Hall	6	1	88
Crompton Street	3	0	0
Wigan Road	4	1	56
Factory Street West	19	1	66
Guest Fold	28	1	95
Danes Avenue	15	0	37
France Street/ Margaret Street	9	2	106
Moor Road	11	1	76
Sandy Lane Lodge Road	3	3	22
Crooke Village	2	0	110
Ellesmere Street	4	0	111
Harper Street	4	0	1
Ormskirk Road	2	0	95
Marus Bridge	13	0	48
Poolstock Lane	10	0	102
Martland Mill	10	1	120
Princess Road	1	0	23
Osborne Road	2	0	14
Grange Street	2	0	0
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