BREXIT PARTY X





Nigel Farage is the leader of the Brexit party. If they win the general election, he will become the Prime Minister. This is what the party will do to the United Kingdom (UK). The Brexit Party's manifesto is called a 'contract' as they think that manifestos don't tell the truth.

Brexit – leaving the EU

The main thing the party wants is for the UK to leave the EU immediately, whatever happens.

They want to stop people coming from other countries who don't have permission.

They also want people to only come if they can do jobs which need more people to do them.



Economy

They say they will raise lots of money by getting money back from the EU.

They also want to take back half of the money we spend on poor people in other countries.

They will use some of this money for more roads and railways in parts of the country that need better transport.

They will make the internet free for people in poor parts of the country and will also make sure that buses and trains have the internet for people to use when they travel.



Tax and money

They say they will stop money being taken from old people after they die as they think it is not fair. This means that the money will go to the old person's family rather than the Government.

They will make petrol, gas and electricity cheaper. They will also help businesses and shops with lower taxes to help create more jobs.

Health

They want to spend more on the NHS. They say they will get more doctors and nurses to make the NHS run better. They promise that the NHS will always be free like it is now.

They want doctors' surgeries to be open all day and all night so people can get help 24 hours a day.



Crime

They want to increase police numbers, to stop high levels of bad crime.

They want to stop people who sell drugs which are against the law.

They want to make sure that gangs of bad people are stopped and also want to stop bad people using knives to hurt people.

They want to help young people to stop becoming bad and be good people instead.



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Housing

They plan to help councils get money from the Government to build more houses in more local areas.

They will spend money to make sure that there are more homes that people can afford to buy.

Environment

They will spend lots of money to help people who live by the sea to catch more fish. They say that leaving the EU will mean that people by the sea will be able to catch more fish to make more money for the UK.

They promise to plant a lot of trees to help the environment. They will stop our rubbish going to other countries to help stop pollution across the world.



Benefits

They promise to try and make the benefits system fair for everyone and will support people who have paid their taxes to get their benefits more quickly.

They also want to help some older people get their pension sooner.

Around the world

They will still work with other countries to keep us safe. But we won't be part of the same EU group.

They promise that for every £100 the Government spends to help us, they will spend £2 on making the UK safe. This would be 2% of all the money the Government spends.



Voting

They want to change the voting system to make it fairer to voters.

They would like more referendum votes so that anyone in the UK can make our laws, not just MPs.

They want to change it so that judges and people who help the Government promise not to take sides.

They only want politicians to make the decisions on things which the parties don't agree on.



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Education

They promise to help university students by making sure that the money they borrow from the bank doesn't go up each month with interest.

They will support businesses to help young people to learn how to do a job after they finish school. This is called an apprenticeship.

They say it will give parents more choice about the best schools for their children to go to.

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A core part of our work is ensuring those with learning disabilities or autism are informed – both about the news and world which surrounds them, but also about the choices they have when it comes to voting. Everyone should have the opportunity to take up their legal right to vote, but too few people with learning disabilities are doing so.

Our award-winning Easy News publication is the first-ever news magazine designed to be accessible for people with learning disabilities, while our Every Vote Counts campaign provides them with easy information on politics and how getting involved in local and national elections can directly affect their lives.

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