

HELPSHEET - RECEIVING PAYMENTS - DAILY POSTING SCREEN

Once you have invoiced your clients or sent them a request for payment for a proposed work they will be getting in touch to submit payment. They may be paying by cash or cheque, or credit card. Credit card payments can be manual or be set up to automatically register from your payment provider. You can also use the Posting screen to make an amendment to a client account.

If they are paying you by cash, cheque or manually by credit card then you will be following the process below.

LOCATING THE OPTION TO RECEIVE PAYMENTS

Head to the Clients screen and click on the Payments icon in the blue action bar.



You can either have a specific client already highlighted in the Clients grid or just select the clients once you have opened the screen. Alternatively, if you have a client account already opened you will find there is also a **Payments** icon available in the top right-hand corner of the pin panel.



Click on either of these options to open the **Daily Posting for Client Account XXXX** screen.

TAKING PAYMENTS

Make sure you have the correct client displayed in the Account Number field.



Daily Posting	for Client Account: 000801	32 - David Tannock — 🛛 🗌	×
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Telephone No	David Tannock 13 Park Lane Avenue Aberdeen SO16 8LS 079999924 david.tannock@fakemail.com	StatusNormalCurrent Balance£48.88Balance Due£48.88Float Balance£0.00P/W Balance£102.85	
Daily Posting			
Account Number	00080132 - David Tannock		
		Date 03/08/2022 ~	
Post Amount	48.88	Float Amount	0.00
Payment Type	Cash	~	
	Payment Received - Cash		
Instalment Details	View Installment	Proposed Works	00.0
Dr/Cr	Cr 🗸		
Total	48.88	Post	

Choose the **Date** that you want to mark the payment as received. For example, you may have received a cheque several days ago and you want to have the system record it on the date it arrived rather than the date you are entering it into CPL.

Daily Posting							
Account Number	00080132 - David Tannock			\sim	al 🚳	đ	
		Date	03/08/2022	~			
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The amount automatically listed in the **Post Amount** field will be the individual client's outstanding balance. Edit this amount to reflect the amount you would like to register as a payment on the client account.



Daily Posting Account Number	00080132 - David Tannock	~	al 🗞 👩	
		Date 03/08/2022 ~		- 1
Post Amount	48.88	Float Amount		0.00

If there is a Float outstanding for this client then you will also see an amount in the Float Amount field.

Daily Posting Account Number	00060052 - Doreen Shah		✓ all So	
		Date	03/08/2022 ~	
Post Amount	155.62		Float Amount	200.00
Payment Type	Cash	~		

For example, if you are taking a payment to cover the float and an outstanding balance for charges then split this to record an amount in the **Post Amount** filed and also an amount in the **Float Amount** field.

Daily Posting Account Number	00060052 - Doreen Shah V all 🗞 😭
	Date 03/08/2022 V
Post Amount	155.62 Float Amount 200.00
Payment Type	Cash 🗸
	Payment Received - Cash

These amounts will automatically be added together in the Total field in the bottom-left of the screen.



Daily Posting				
Account Number	00060052 - Doreen Shah	~	al 🧆	
		Date 03/08/2022 ~	·	
Post Amount	155.62	Float Amount		200.00
Payment Type	Credit Card - Manual	~		
	Payment Received - Credit C	Card - Manual		
nstalment Details	View Installment		Proposed Works	0.00
nstalment Details Dr/Cr			Proposed Works	0.00
nstalment Details Dr/Cr Total			Proposed Works	0.00

Choose the **Payment Type** relevant for the payment you are making.

Account Number	00060052 - Doreen Shah	Date	✓ 03/08/2022 ✓	al 🗞	F	
_ .		Date			_	
Post Amount	155.62		Float Amount			200.00
Payment Type	Credit Card - Manual	~				

If the payment, or part of the payment is for a proposed work, then click on the box with the three dots, to the right of **Proposed Works** at the bottom right of the screen.

nstalment Details	View Installment	Proposed Works	0.00
Dr/Cr	Cr 🗸	Court Ledger	
Total	608.53		Rost

This will open a screen listing all proposed works relevant for this client. To record a payment against an individual proposed work, click to place a tick against the relevant Proposed Work(s) you would like to register payment for.



n	Active Pro	posed Works			- 0	×
	Work No	Proposed Work	Payable	Paid	Outstanding 💌	To Pay
	20248	Replace Bark Mulch in Play Area	28.57	0.00	28.57	28.57
~	20241	Roof Eaves Repair	22.86	0.00	22.86	22.86
	20225	Window painting	85.71	85.71	0.00	0.00
	41	Maintenance Fund	5.92	5.92	0.00	0.00

If you wish to register the outstanding amount as being paid, click on **OK** to close the screen.

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	20223	External Redecoration	266.66	2400.00	-2133.34	0.00
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You will see the amount listed on the Proposed Works line in the bottom-right of the screen.

Instalment Details	View Installment	Proposed Work	s 51.43
Dr/Cr	Cr ~	Court Ledger	
Total	659.96		Post

The amount will also be added to the total payment you are registering against the client.

Please note that a Proposed Works payment will not reduce any outstanding client balance. Funds will be held separately in the Proposed Works Nominal until they are released in the Proposed Work itself.



If a payment was being made to a Court Ledger then this could be added separately as well.

The **Dr/Cr** field will default to **Cr** which will suit you when clients are making a payment. In this case they are making a payment which means it goes into the system and will reduce the amount of their outstanding balance.

talment Details	View Installment
Dr/Cr	Cr 🗸
Total	355.62

You would change this to **Dr** when you are making an amendment or reversing a payment. A payment may have come off the client balance incorrectly and using amend and **Dr** would allow you to rectify this and add the amount back onto their balance as outstanding. For example, if the client was on a direct debit arrangement and the bank failed to take the payment then you could add it back on here.

Once you have entered all information correctly you can click on the **Post** icon to register this payment in the system.

Payment Type	Credit Card - Manual Payment Received - Credit Card	∽ d - Manual	
Instalment Details Dr/Cr	View Installment	Proposed Works	0.00
Total	355.62		Post

The telephone and email icons allow you to confirm or update this information for the client's account in case they inform you of this whilst they are on the phone.



ccount Number	00060052 - Doreen Shah		~	al 🗞		
		Date	03/08/2022 ~			
Post Amount	155.62		Float Amount			200.00
Payment Type	Credit Card - Manual	~				

If you have additional payments to make for other clients you can click on the **all** button and this will allow you to click on the drop-down menu against the **Account Number** and select additional clients.

Account Number	00060052 - Doreen Shah			×	al 🗞	đ	
		Date	03/08/2022	~			2

Olicking on the binoculars button will open a search screen to allow you to locate additional clients by searching for them by entering their name.

Client search ×								
Search: g	irey							
Search by Balance Due								
Account No	Alternate Account No	Name	Postcode	Client Balance	Float Balance	Payment Type		
00110021		Fiona Grey	P05T C0D3	1,493.20	0.00	N		
00010662		Fiona Grey	P05T C0D3	0.00	0.00	N		
				Open Client	Selec	t		
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You can type into search field and then choose to open a client account or to select the client and register a payment against them.



INSTALMENTS

You can use the Instalments option to register a payment against an instalment plan which has already been set up on the **Credit Control** tab of the client account.

If you click on the **View Instalment** button you will see your various instalments listed and you can select one.

This will set the **Post Amount** for that instalment and you can then post this to the client's account and will mark this instalment as paid and remove it from the list.

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