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It is also available on the council website <https://tinyurl.com/3rdtrc8c>



Your front garden plays a variety of roles. It can be a place to play, to relax or to park your car. It also affects how your house and street look, provides a home for local wildlife and soaks up rainwater. More and more homeowners are paving over their front gardens to make space for cars and this can cause problems with drainage as well as loss of nature.

This new council design guide seeks to encourage homeowners to think differently about their front gardens and to park cars in a way which doesn't make local flooding worse and which can also be good for the environment.

A leaflet summarising the guide is also available through the links above

