Household of George William Frederick, Prince of Wales 1738-1760

Before his coming of age in 1756, the servants of Prince George were paid out of the revenue of, first, his father, Frederick, Prince of Wales until his death in 1751, then his grandfather, George II. In 1756 he was given his own household establishment and £40,000 out of the Civil List to support it.¹


Nursery

Governor 1749-1756

In September 1749 the governor was allotted £1,000. Between 1751 and 1755 the governor made £2,500.¹


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Sub-Governor c. 1752-1756

Between 1751 and 1755 the sub-governor made £1,000 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 5.

By 1752

Preceptor 1744-1756

By 1745, the preceptor made £500 per annum. From 1751 to 1755 his remuneration rose to £1,000 per annum, but in 156 it fell back to the earlier figure.¹

1. Chamberlayne [1745] II iii, 243; Add. MS. 33045, p. 83; Add. MSS. 37836, f. 5.

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Subpreceptor to Prince George and the Other Children 1747-1756

Between 1751 and 1755 the sub-preceptor made £500 per annum.\(^1\)

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 5.

1747 4 Dec. Jung, J. H.
By 1752 Scott, G.L.

Tutor 1750- c. 1752

1750 Nov. Scott, G. L.
1751 Apr. Stone, A.

Council and Revenue

Chancellor 1751-?

1751 Apr. Bootle, T.

Treasurer 1751-1756

The treasurer made £500 per annum.\(^1\)

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 5.

1751 Apr. Harcourt, 1\(^{st}\) Earl
1751 May Selwyn, J.
1751 Nov. Pelham, J.
By 1753 Cresset, J.

Treasurer and Receiver General 1756-1760

By the establishment of 1756 the treasurer and receiver general made £500 per annum.\(^1\)

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 9.

1756 Oct. Bathurst, Lord

Clerk to the Treasurer c. 1752-1760
By the establishment of 1756 the clerk to the treasurer and receiver general made £150 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 9.

By 1752 Mathias, V.

**Messenger to the Treasurer c. 1756-1760**

By the establishment of 1756 the messenger to the treasurer made £71 18s per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 9.

By 1756 Fryer, --
By 1760 Bathurst, R.

**Secretary 1751-1760**

According to the establishment of 1756 the secretary made £500 per annum plus an additional £200 per annum for clerks.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8.

1751 July Trelawney, J.
By 1756 Stone, A.

**German Secretary c. 1756-1760**

According to the establishment of 1756 the German secretary made £400 per annum (£300 in salary, £100 for clerks).¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 7, 8.

By 1756 Hinuber, C. H.

**Auditor General 1751-1760**

According to the establishment of 1756 the auditor general made £400 per annum.¹
1751 Apr. Montagu, C.
By 1756 Masham, S.

**Attorney General 1751-c. 1759**

1751 Apr. Bathurst, H.
By 1755 Henley, R.
By 1757 Pratt, C.

**Solicitor General 1751-c. 1757**

1751 Apr. Joddrell, P.
1751 July Henley, R.
By 1754 Yorke, C.

**Clerk 1751-?**

1751 May Barker, W.

**Chamber and Bedchamber**

**Gentleman Ushers c. 1752-1760**

In 1752 there were two gentlemen ushers at £100 per annum apiece. By the establishment of 1756 there were four at £150 per annum.¹

1. *CCR* [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 5, 8.

By 1752 Davis, G.
By 1752 Robinson, S.
By 1756 Palmer, H.
By 1756 Proctor, W.

**Pages of the Presence Chamber 1739-1760**

One page served by 1739. By 1752 there were two pages of the Presence Chamber at £80 per annum apiece. A third page served at £40 per annum from 1752 to 1754. By the establishment of 1756 they made £60 per annum apiece.¹
1. *CCR* [1752], p. 99; 1. Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

1739 17 July Smith, G.
1748 1 Jan. Eiser, J.
1751 June Barnes, J.
1751 June Niven, J.
By 1754 Chapman, R.

**Keeper of the Privy Purse 1756-1760**

1756 Oct. Brudenell, J.

**Groom of the Stole 1751-1760**

According to the establishment of 1756 the groom of the stole made £1200 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8.

1751 Apr. Chandos, 2nd Duke of
By 1756 Richmond, 8th Duke of
1756 Oct. Bute, 3rd Earl of

**Gentlemen of the Bedchamber 1751-1760**

In 1751 two gentlemen of the Bedchamber were appointed; by 1752 there were three. Between 1751 and 1755 they made £400 per annum apiece. The establishment of 1756 gives six at £500 per annum. By 1760 their number had fallen to three.¹

1. *CCR* [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 5, 8; *CCR* [1760], pp. 98-99.

1751 Bertie, Lord
1751 Downe, 4th Viscount
By 1752 Sussex, 16th Earl of
1756 Oct. Euston, Earl of
1756 Oct. Pembroke, 29th E. of

**Grooms of the Bedchamber 1751-1760**
By 1752 there were three grooms of the Bedchamber at £300 per annum apiece. From January 1753 their number fell to two. By the establishment of 1756 there were six at £400 per annum.\(^1\)

1. *CCR* [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 5, 8.

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**Page of the Bedchamber 1743-1745**

The page of the Bedchamber made £80 per annum.

1. Add. MSS. 24397, p. 204.

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**Pages of the Backstairs c. 1751-1760**

By 1752 there were four pages of the backstairs at £130 per annum apiece. By the establishment of 1756 there were five, four at £200 per annum, the fifth at £130.\(^1\)

1. *CCR* [1752], p. 991; Add. MSS. 37836, f. 5, 8v.

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By the establishment of 1756 the servant to the pages of the backstairs made £40 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8v.

By 1752 Vogeler, H.

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**Wet Nurse c. 1738-?**

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**Laundress and Seamstress c. 1752-1760**

From 1751 the laundress and seamstress made £200 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

By 1752 Goodricke, A.

**Body Laundress c. 1751-1760**

From 1751 to 1754 the body laundress made £150 per annum; thereafter this rose to £170 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

By 1751 Smith, M.

**Necessary Woman c. 1752-1760**

The necessary woman made £111 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 5, 8v.

By 1752 Palman, M.

By 1759 Brandenburgh, E.
By 1760 Brandenburgh, A.

Master of the Robes c. 1756-1760

According to the establishment of 1756 the master of the Robes made £500 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8.

By 1756 Brudenell, J.

Surgeons c. 1752-1760

In 1752 there was one surgeon at £150 per annum. By the establishment of 1756 there were two at £150 and £100 per annum, respectively.¹

1. CCR [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 7, 9.

By 1752 Hawkins, P.
By 1756 Middleton, D.

Apothecary c. 1752-1760

By 1752 Gowland, J.

Clerk of the Closet c. 1756-1760

By the establishment of 1756 the clerk of the closet made £200 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8.

By 1756 Squire, S.

German Language Master c. 1751-1756

The German language master made £300 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 7.

German Writing Master c. 1751-1756
The German writing master made £40 per annum.¹

By 1751 Andrews, T. [listed only as “Writing Master”]

**French Master 1752-1756**

The French master made £100 per annum.¹

By 1751 Droz, J. A.

**Drawing Master c. 1751-?**

By 1751 Morrison, G.
By 1751 Kirby, J.

**Dancing Master c. 1751-1756**

The dancing master made £200 per annum.¹

By 1751 Desnoyer, G.

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 7.

**Assistant to the Dancing Master c. 1751-1756**

The assistant to the dancing master made £40 per annum.¹

By 1751 Nicolai F.

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 7.

**Riding Master 1752-1756**

The riding master made £300 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 7.
By 1752

Durell, S.

**Fencing Master 1752-1756**

The fencing master made £100 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 7.

By 1752

Redman, J.

**Housekeeper c. 1751-1760**

The housekeeper made £112 plus £50 for two maids per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 7.

By 1751

Randall, E.

By 1756

Rou, L.

**Servants to the Housekeeper c. 1756-?**

By the establishment of 1756 two servants to the housekeeper made £25 per annum apiece.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 9.

By 1754

Thomas, E.

**Assistant Gentleman Porter or Watchman c. 1754-1760**

The watchman made £25 per annum.¹

By 1754 Ledlay, T.

Lamplighter c. 1756-?

By the establishment of 1756 the lamplighter made £40 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8v.

By 1756 Cator, W.

Household Below Stairs

Cofferer 1751-?

1751 May Middlesex, Earl of

Clerks of the Greencloth 1751-?

There were two clerks of the Greencloth in 1751.

1751 June Boone, D.
1751 June Cust, Sir J.

Clerk of the Household c. 1756-1760

By the establishment of 1756 four clerks of the Household made £400 per annum apiece.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 9.

By 1756 Bridgeman, H.
By 1756 Evelyn, J.
By 1756 Townshend, T.
1756 Oct. Fanshawe, S.

Clerk to the Clerks of the Household c. 1756-1760

The clerk to the clerks of the Household made £80 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 9.
By 1756

Stevenson, J.

Clerk of the Kitchen c. 1752-1760

The clerk of the Kitchen made £200 per annum.¹


By 1752

Huguenin, R.

Assistant to the Clerk of the Kitchen c. 1752-1760

The assistant or clerk to the clerk of the Kitchen made £30 between 1751 and 1756; thereafter £50 per annum by the establishment of 1756.¹


By 1752 Drosse, G.
By 1753 Porter, T.

Cook (from 1756 Master Cook) c. 1752-1760

The master cook made £80 per annum.¹


By 1752 Philpot, D.

Under-cook c. 1752-1760

The under-cook made £30 per annum.¹


By 1752 Tegetmeyer, H.

Servant in the Kitchen c. 1756-?

From 1755 the servant in the Kitchen made £25 per annum.¹

By 1756 Lamprey, R.

**Scourer c. 1756-?**

From 1754 the scourer made £25 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 9.

By 1756 Harris, G.

**Office Keeper to the Clerk of the Kitchen c. 1756-?**

By the establishment of 1756 the office keeper made £25 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 9.

By 1756 Garn, J.

**Confectioner c. 1757-1760**

By 1757 Robinson, R.

**Gentleman of the Wine Cellar c. 1752-1760**

The gentleman of the Wine Cellar made £175 per annum.¹


By 1752 Barnard, J.

**Yeoman of the Pantry and Cellar (or Ewry) c. 1752-1760**

Between 1751 and 1756 the yeoman of the Pantry and Cellar or Ewry made £76 per annum; thereafter £96 per annum.¹


By 1752 Jewest, W.
Assistant to the Yeoman of the Pantry and Cellar c. 1752-1760

The assistant in the Pantry made £30 per annum.¹


By 1752 Constant, E.

Yeoman of the Silver Scullery c. 1752-1760

The yeoman of the Silver Scullery made £80 per annum.¹


By 1752 Burt, S.
By 1755 Perry, T.

Servant in the Coffee Room c. 1756-?

Between 1751 and 1756 the servant in the Coffee Room made £30 per annum; in 1756 this was raised to £40 per annum.¹


By 1756 Hornsby, M.

Soil Carrier for Carrying Coals c. 1756

Between 1751 and 1756 the soil carrier for carrying coals made £35 per annum. By the establishment of 1756 this fell to £10 per annum.¹

Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 7, 9.

By 1756 Smith, J.

Stables

Master of the Horse 1756-1760

By the establishment of 1756 the master of the Horse made £1000 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8v.
1756 Oct. Huntingdon, 27th Earl of

Clerk of the Stables c. 1752-1760

By 1752 the clerk of the Stables made £150 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

By 1752 Car, C.

Purveyor of the Stables c. 1759-1760

By 1759 Hastings, H.

Equerries c. 1752-1760

By 1752 there were two equerries at £200 per annum apiece. By the establishment of 1756 there were four at £300 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 6, 8v.

By 1752 Carr. T.
By 1752 Carpenter, B.
By 1756 Hamilton, W.
By 1756 Bishopp, T.

Pages of Honour 1751-1760

Three pages of honour were appointed in 1751, but their number fell to two by 1752 at £150 per annum apiece.¹

1. CCR [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

1751 May Darcy, --
1751 May Prichard, T.
1751 May Stanhope, --
By 1752 Bishopp, T.
By 1752 Evelyn, G.
By 1756 Hamilton, J.
By 1756 Thomas, H.
Farrier c. 1756-?

By the establishment of 1756 the farrier made £20 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8v.

By 1756 Shaw, G.

Coachmen c. 1752-1760

By 1752 there were two coachmen at £45 per annum apiece. By the establishment of 1756 this number rose to three.¹

1. CCR [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

By 1752 Angry, --
By 1752 Coats, --
By 1753 Hoggary, --
By 1760 Bowley, T.

Postillions c. 1752-?

By 1752 there were two unnamed postillions at £20 10s per annum apiece. By the establishment of 1756 their number rose to three.¹

1. CCR [1752], p. 991; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

Helpers c. 1752-?

By 1752 there were two unnamed helpers at £20 10s per annum apiece. By the establishment of 1756 their number rose to three.¹

1. CCR [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

Chairmen c. 1752-?

By 1752 there were four unnamed chairmen at £40 per annum apiece.¹

1. CCR [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.
Footmen c. 1752-?

By 1752 there were six unnamed footmen at £41 1s per annum apiece. By the establishment of 1756 their number rose to eight.¹

1. *CCR* [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

Head Groom c. 1756-?

Between 1751 and 1756 the head groom made £50 per annum. By the establishment of 1756 this rose to £60 per annum.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, ff. 6, 8v.

By 1756 Cator, W.

Grooms c. 1752-?

By 1752 there were three unnamed grooms, rising to four at £55 10s apiece on the establishment of 1756.¹

1. *CCR* [1752], p. 99; Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8v.

Hobby Groom c. 1756-?

The hobby groom made £55 10s on the establishment of 1756.¹

1. Add. MSS. 37836, f. 8v.

By 1756 Hornsby, W.