

# UK Parliamentary general election 2005 – Party abbreviations

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The abbreviations outlined below have been developed by Professors Rallings and Thrasher at the *Local Government Chronicle* (LGC) Elections Centre at the University of Plymouth.

<b>Abbreviation</b>	<b>Party name</b>
AGS	Alliance for Green Socialism
Alt	Alternative Party
APNI	Alliance Party
Ash	Ashfield Independents
BDMB	Build Duddon and Morecambe Bridges
Bean	New Millennium Bean Party
BMG	Blair Must Go Party
BNP	British National Party
BPP	British Public Party
C Grp	Community Group
C28	Clause 28
CAP	Community Action Party
CG	Common Good
Civ	Civilisation Party
CLBH	The Community (London Borough of Hounslow)
Comm	Communist Party of Britain
Con	Conservative
CPA	Christian Peoples Alliance
Croy	Croydon Pensions Alliance
DDT	Death, Dungeons & Taxes
DHPW	Demanding Honesty in Politics and Whitehall
DLP	Democratic Labour Party
DSA	Democratic Socialist Alliance - People Before Profit
DUP	Democratic Unionist Party
ED	English Democrats
EIP	English Independence Party
Elvis	Church of the Militant Elvis Party
EPP	English Parliamentary Party
FF	Families First
FIT	For Integrity And Trust In Government
FrP	Freedom Party
FSP	Free Scotland Party
FW	Forward Wales
GBB	Get Britian Back Party
Glasnost	Glasnost
Grn	Green
IGV	Independent Green Voice
Ind	Independent
IP	Imperial Party

IPL	Independent Progressive Labour Party
IWCA	Independent Working Class Association
IWNN	Iraq War. Not In My Name
IZB	Islam Zinda Baad Platform
JP	Justice Party
KHHC	Independent Kidderminster Hospital and Health Concern
Lab	Labour
LCA	Legalise Cannabis Alliance
LCP	Local Community Party
LD	Liberal Democrat
Lib	Liberal Party
Mast	Removal Of Tetramasts In Cornwall
Max	Max Power Party
MC	Millennium Council
MCN	Motorcycle News Party
MK	Mebyon Kernow
MRLP	Monster Raving Loony Party
NACV	Newcastle Academy with Christian Values Party
NEP	New England Party
NF	National Front
NP	Northern Progress
OCV	Operation Christian Vote
OF	Open Forum
OFD	Organisation of Free Democrats
PAP	Peace and Progress
PART	Personality AND Rational Thinking? Yes! Party
PC	Plaid Cymru
PD	Progressive Democratic Party
PenP	The Pensioners Party
PHF	People of Horsham First Party
PIP	Pride in Paisley Party
PP	The Peace Party
PPS	Pensioners Party Scotland
PubP	Publican Party - Free to Smoke
PVP	Protest Vote Party
RAL	Residents' Association of London
Resp	Respect-Unity Coalition
RP	Resolutionist Party
RRL	Rock 'N' Roll Loony Party
S Alt	Socialist Alternative
SBNB	Save Bristol North Baths Party
SCP	Senior Citizens Party
SDLP	Social Democratic & Labour Party
SEA	Socialist Environmental Alliance
SF	Sinn Fein
SIP	Scottish Independence Party
SL	Socialist Labour Party
SMP	Silent Majority Party
SNHS	Safeguard the NHS
SNP	SNP

Soc	Socialist Party
SocU	Socialist Unity
SOS	S O S! Voters Against Overdevelopment of Northampton
Speaker	Speaker
SSCP	Scottish Senior Citizens Unity Party
SSP	Scottish Socialist Party
StA	St Albans Party
SU	Scottish Unionist Party
Tel	Telepathic Partnership
TEPK	Tiger's Eye - the Party for Kids
ThP	Their Party
TPC	The People's Choice! Exclusively For All
TW	Third Way
UKCI	UK Community Issues Party
UKIP	UK Independence Party
UKP	United Kingdom Pathfinders
UU	Ulster Unionist Party
VCCA	Virtue Currency Cognitive Appraisal Party
Ver	Veritas
Vote	Vote for Yourself Rainbow Dream Ticket
Wor	World
WP	Workers Party
WR	Wessex Regionalists
WRP	Workers Revolutionary Party
XX	Xtraordinary People Party
YrP	Your Party
(no label)	Candidates who gave no description

Two candidates gave descriptions which did not match with the name of a registered political party and have been coded as 'Independent':

John Allmann, Harrogate & Knaresborough  
Alliance for Change, human rights first

Ejiro Etefia, Bethnal Green & Bow  
Alliance for Change, restore people's freedoms!

A total of 32 Labour candidates, jointly sponsored by the Co-operative Party, are described in the results as 'Lab'. The following constituencies had Lab/Co-op candidates:

Basildon  
Brighton Pavillion  
Bristol North West  
Cardiff Central  
Cardiff South & Penarth  
Corby  
Dumbarton  
Edinburgh North & Leith  
Edmonton  
Feltham and Heston

Glasgow Rutherglen  
Glasgow South West  
Hackney South & Shoreditch  
Halifax  
Harrow West  
Hemel Hempstead  
Heywood & Middleton  
Huddersfield  
Ilford South  
Islwyn  
Leicestershire North West  
Liverpool Riverside  
Loughborough  
Normanton  
Plymouth Sutton  
Portsmouth North  
Preston  
Sheffield Heeley  
Stratford upon Avon  
Stroud  
West Bromwich  
Wolverhampton North East