

Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014
London Borough of Merton (Alcohol Consumption in Public Places) Order 2023
The 2023 Order discharges and replaces the London Borough of Merton
(Alcohol Consumption in Public Places) Order 2020, as extended,
with effect from 19th June 2023

Please drink responsibly



In the London Borough of Merton the consumption of alcohol so as to cause nuisance or annoyance to any other person is prohibited. It is a criminal offence to continue to drink alcohol in breach of that prohibition when asked not to do so by a police officer or other person authorised by the Council, or to fail to surrender any alcohol or container for alcohol to such persons when requested to do so.

Maximum fine: £500

It is also a criminal offence to fail to give the police or authorised person your name and address or if you give a false or inaccurate name and address. **Maximum fine: £1,000**

Failure to comply may lead to arrest and prosecution.

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