

# BROWN & CO

## KEY SFI ACTIONS 2026

Action Code	Action Details	Payment Rate (£/ha)
	Indicates actions effected by the 25% cap.	
Farmland Wildlife (arable/horticultural land)		
AHW2	Supplementary winter bird food	£732/t (max 1t per 2ha CAHL2)
AHW3	Beetle banks	£764/ha
AHW4	Skylark plots	£11/plot (min 2 plots/ha)
AHW5	Nesting plots for lapwing	£765/ha
AHW6	Basic overwinter stubble	£58/ha
AHW7	Enhanced overwinter stubble	£589/ha
AHW8	Whole crop spring cereals and overwinter stubble	£596/ha
AHW9	Unharvested cereal headland	£1072/ha
AHW10	Low input harvested cereal crop	£354/ha
AHW11	Cultivated areas for arable plants	£660/ha
CAHL1	Pollen and nectar flower mix	£739/ha
CAHL2	Winter bird food on arable and horticultural land	£648/ha (reduced from £853/ha)
CAHL3	Grassy field corners or blocks	£590/ha
AHW1	Bumblebird mix	NOW REMOVED
AHW12	Managed woodland edges on arable land	NOW REMOVED
Integrated Pest Management		
CIPM2	Flower-rich grass margins, blocks or in-field strips	£798/ha
CIPM3	Companion crop on arable and horticultural land	£55/ha
CIPM4	No use of insecticide on arable crops and permanent crops	£45/ha
CIPM1	Assess integrated pest management and produce a plan	NOW REMOVED
Nutrient Management		
CNUM2	Legumes on improved grassland	£102/ha
CNUM3	Legume fallow	£532/ha (reduced from £593/ha)
CNUM1	Assess nutrient management and produce a review report	NOW REMOVED

Farmland Wildlife (Grassland)		
GRH1	Manage rough grazing for birds	£121/ha
GRH7	Haymaking supplement	£157/ha
GRH8	Haymaking supplement (late cut)	£187/ha
GRH10	Lenient grazing supplement	£28/ha
CLIG3	Manage grassland with very low nutrient inputs	£151/ha
CLIG1	Take grassland field corners or blocks out of management	£333/ha
CIGL2	Winter bird food on improved grassland	£515/ha
SCR1	Create scrub and open habitat mosaics	£588/ha
SCR2	Manage scrub and open habitat mosaics	£350/ha
GRH6	Manage priority habitats species-rich grassland (endorsed)	NOW REMOVED
GRH11	Cattle grazing supplement (non-moorland)	NOW REMOVED
Buffer Strips		
CAHL4	4m to 12m grass buffer strip on arable and horticultural land	£515/ha
CIGL3	4m to 12m grass buffer strips on improved grassland	£235/ha
BFS1	12m to 24m watercourse buffer strips on cultivated land	£707/ha
BFS6	6m to 12m habitat strip next to watercourses	£742/ha
BFS2	Buffer in-field ponds on arable land	NOW REMOVED
BFS3	Buffer in-field ponds on improved grassland	NOW REMOVED
BFS4	Protect in-field trees on arable land	NOW REMOVED
BFS5	Protect in-field trees on intensive grassland	NOW REMOVED
Precision Farming		
PRF1	Variable rate application of nutrients	£27/ha
PRF2	Camera or remote sensor guided herbicide spraying	£43/ha
PRF4	Mechanical robotic weeding	£150/ha
PRF3	Non-mechanical robotic weeding	£101/ha
Soil Health		
CSAM2	Multi-species winter cover crop	£129/ha
CSAM3	Herbal leys	£224/ha (reduced from £382/ha)
SOH1	No-till farming	£73/ha
SOH3	Multi-species summer sown cover crop	£163/ha
SOH4	Winter cover following maize crops	NOW REMOVED
CSAM1	Assess soil, test soil organic matter and produce a soil management plan	NOW REMOVED
SOH2	Multi-species spring - sown cover crop	NOW REMOVED
Waterbodies		
WBD1	Manage ponds	£257/pond (max 3 ponds/ha)
WBD2	Manage ditches	£4/100m (both sides)

WBD3	In-field grass strips	£765/ha
WBD4	Arable reversion to grassland with low fertiliser input	£489/ha
WBD6	Remove livestock from intensive grassland during the autumn and winter (outside SDAs)	£115/ha
WBD7	Remove livestock from grassland during the autumn and winter (SDAs)	£155/ha
WBD5	Manage intensive grassland adjacent to a watercourse	NOW REMOVED
WBD8	Manage grassland to reduce nutrient levels in groundwater	NOW REMOVED
WBD9	Nil fertiliser supplement	NOW REMOVED
<b>Heritage</b>		
HEF1	Maintain weatherproof traditional farm or forestry buildings	£5/sq m
HEF6	Manage historic and archaeological features on grassland	£55/ha
HEF2	Maintain weatherproof traditional farm or forestry buildings in remote areas	NOW REMOVED
HEF5	Control scrub on historic and archaeological features	NOW REMOVED
HEF8	Maintain designed or engineered waterbodies	NOW REMOVED
<b>Moorland</b>		
UPL1	Moderate livestock grazing on moorland	£35/ha (increased from £20/ha)
UPL2	Low livestock grazing on moorland	£89/ha (increased from £53/ha)
UPL3	Limited livestock grazing on moorland	£111/ha (increased from £66/ha)
UPL5	Keep cattle and ponies on moorland supplement (min 70% GLU)	£18/ha
UPL6	Keep cattle and ponies on moorland supplement (min 100% GLU)	£23/ha
UPL8	Shepherding livestock on moorland (remove stock for at least 4 months)	£74/ha (increased from £43/ha)
UPL10	Shepherding livestock on moorland (remove stock for at least 8 months)	£102/ha (increased from £48/ha)
UPL9	Shepherding livestock on moorland (remove stock for at least 6 months)	NOW REMOVED
CMOR1	Assess moorland and produce a written record	NOW REMOVED
UPL4	Keep cattle and ponies on moorland supplement (minimum 30% GLU)	NOW REMOVED
UPL7	Shepherding livestock on moorland (no required stock removal period)	NOW REMOVED
<b>Organic</b>		
OFC1	Organic conversion - improved permanent grassland	£187/ha
OFC2	Organic conversion - unimproved permanent grassland	£96/ha
OFC3	Organic conversion - rotational land	£298/ha
OFC4	Organic conversion - horticultural land	£874/ha
OFC5	Organic conversion - top fruit	£1,920/ha



OFM1	Organic land management - improved permanent grassland	£20/ha
OFM2	Organic land management - unimproved permanent grassland	£41/ha
OFM3	Organic land management - unimproved permanent grassland	£97/ha
OFM4	Organic land management - rotational land	£132/ha
OFM5	Organic land management - horticultural land	£707/ha
OFM6	Organic land management - top fruit	£1,920/ha
OFA1	Overwinter stubble (organic land)	NOW REMOVED
OFA3	Supplementary winter bird food (organic land)	NOW REMOVED
OFA6	Undersown cereal crop (organic land)	NOW REMOVED
<b>Species Recovery and Management</b>		
SPM3	Keep native breeds on grazed habitats supplement (more than 80%)	£146/ha
SPM5	Keep native breeds on extensively managed supplement (more than 80%)	£11/ha
SPM2	Keep native breeds on grazed habitats supplement (50-80%)	NOW REMOVED
SPM4	Keep native breeds on extensively managed habitats supplement (50-80%)	NOW REMOVED
<b>Agroforestry</b>		
AGF1	Maintain very low density (30-50 trees/ha) in-field agroforestry on less sensitive land	£248.00
AGF2	Maintain low density (51-130 trees/ha in-field agroforestry on less sensitive land	£385.00
<b>Boundary Features</b>		
CHRW2	Manage hedgerows	£13/100m (one side)
BND1	Maintain dry stone walls	£27/100m (both sides)
BND2	Maintain earth banks or stone-faced hedgebanks	£11/100m (both sides)
CHRW1	Assess and record hedgerow condition	NOW REMOVED
CHRW3	Maintain or establish hedgerow trees	NOW REMOVED