



Home Office

## Form UKF

Application for registration as a British citizen by a person born before 1 July 2006 whose parents were not married

**To be used by people in the Channel Islands, Isle of Man and British overseas territories, and by people who live elsewhere and want to apply by post.**

The Home Office will use the personal information you provide to consider your application. We may also share your information with other public and private sector organisations in the UK and overseas. For more detail please see the Privacy Notice for the Border, Immigration and Citizenship system at [www.gov.uk/government/publications/personal-information-use-in-borders-immigration-and-citizenship](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/personal-information-use-in-borders-immigration-and-citizenship). This also sets out your rights under the Data Protection Act 2018 and explains how you can access your personal information and complain if you have concerns about how we are using it.

**Application for registration as a British citizen by a person born before 1 July 2006 whose parents were not married**

**Important:** Before completing this form, you should read the accompanying Guide UKF. Fill in those parts of the form that apply to your application. If there is not enough space for your answer, use a separate sheet of paper to provide additional information.

If you want help to complete your application form, you may wish to contact a competent adviser, for example a solicitor or agent registered with the Office of the Immigration Services Commissioner.

We recommend that you keep a copy of this application.

Note: Some of the information you provide on this form will be stored on a computer which is registered under the Data Protection Act. You should ensure that you understand the criteria for registration for UKF before submitting your application. Full fees cannot be returned for applications that fail. Please write in block capitals using black or blue ink. Please enter all dates as dd-mm-yyyy, for example, 21/09/2013

## 1. Personal information

1.1 Title - please select:

Other (please state)

1.2 Surname/family name (note: the name you give here will be the name shown on your certificate so please ensure it is spelt correctly and you have written it in the correct order):

[illegible]

### 1.3 Other names:

1.4 Name at birth if different from above. (If the names you have given are different or spelt differently from the name shown on your passport, please explain why on a separate sheet of paper):

[illegible]

1.5 If you are or have ever been known by any name or names apart from those mentioned above, please give details here:

[illegible]

1.6 Your present nationality:

[illegible]

1.7 National Insurance number:

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1.8 Date of birth:

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1.9 Village or town or city of birth:

1.10 Country of birth:

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1.11 Sex:

Male ☐Female ☐

1.12 Current marital status (please tick one box only):

Single/never married

Divorced or civil partnership dissolved

Married or a civil partner

Legally separated

Unmarried partner

Widowed or a surviving civil partner

1.13 Present address (you must give us any change of address in writing while we are considering this application):

[illegible]

Postcode:

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## Contact details

1.14 Daytime/mobile telephone number:

[illegible]

1.15 Evening telephone number:

[illegible]

1.16 Email address:

[illegible]

1.17 Provide your addresses for the past 5 years (continue on a separate sheet and enclose it with your application if necessary).

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To:

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1.22 If your application is approved, you will need to take part in a citizenship ceremony. If you are in the United Kingdom, the venue will normally be within a local authority area near where you live. If you want to have your ceremony in another area you should give us the details of the local authority location below.

1.23 Name:

[illegible]

1.24 Address:

[illegible]

Postcode:

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## Details of your parents

1.25 Your mother's full name:

[illegible]

1.26 Your mother's maiden name:

[illegible]

1.27 Your mother's town and country of birth:

[illegible]

1.28 Your mother's nationality:

[illegible]

1.29 Your mother's date of birth:

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1.30 Your father's full name:

[illegible]

1.31 Your father's town and country of birth:

[illegible]

1.32 Your father's nationality:

[illegible]

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[illegible]

1.34 Your grandfather's full name:

[illegible][illegible][illegible]

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[illegible][illegible][illegible]

1.40 Your grandmother's town and country of birth:

[illegible]

1.41 Your grandmother's nationality:

[illegible]

1.42 Your grandmother's date of birth:

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State how your grandmother acquired British nationality:

If this was by registration or naturalisation, give the certificate number:

[illegible]

**Title:**

If you were settled in the United Kingdom before 1 January 1983 and had been ordinarily resident in the UK for at least 5 years, please give details:

Date residence started :

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Date residence ended :

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Date you became settled (that is the date you were given indefinite leave to enter or remain in the United Kingdom):

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**Title:**

If you are a woman who married a man with the right of abode in the United Kingdom before 1 January 1983, please give details even if you are no longer married to that man.

1.43 Husband's full name:

[illegible]

1.44 Husband's date of birth:

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1.45 Husband's town and country of birth:

[illegible]



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## 2. Referees and Identity

Please write your name and date of birth on the back of a photograph of yourself. This should then be glued or pasted into the space aside.

This part of the form is to be filled in by your referees once your photograph has been affixed aside as explained above. Your referees should read the Referees and identity section of the [Nationality forms guide \(www.gov.uk/government/publications/nationality-forms-guide\)](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/nationality-forms-guide) to confirm that they are eligible. Checks will be carried out to ensure that referees meet the requirements below and their signatures are genuine, and we may contact them as part of our enquiries.

Affix passport size photo. See Guide UKF for information

Name of applicant:

2.1 One referee should be a person of any nationality who has professional standing, for example, minister of religion, civil servant, or a member of a professional body, such as an accountant or solicitor (who is not representing you with this application). The other referee must normally be a holder of a British citizen passport and either a professional person or over the age of 25.

Both should declare that:

- they are not a relative, solicitor or agent of the applicant
- they are not employed by the Home Office
- they have not been convicted of an imprisonable offence (unless that conviction can be disregarded in line with the table shown in the Good character section of the [Nationality forms guide \(www.gov.uk/government/publications/nationality-forms-guide\)](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/nationality-forms-guide))
- they have known the applicant personally for more than 3 years
- they are willing to give full details of their knowledge of the applicant
- they will advise the Home Office of any reason why the applicant should not be naturalised

### 1st Referee declaration

I declare that I am qualified to act as a referee. The photograph above is a true likeness of the applicant. I confirm each of the points in 2.1 above. I confirm that to the best of my knowledge the personal details of the applicant given on this form are correct.

2.2 Say how you know the applicant, and state your age and profession:

1st referee full name:

2.3 Sex:

Male

☐

Female

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## 2.4 Address:

[illegible]

Postcode:

If you have been at this address less than 3 years please list previous addresses on a separate sheet.

2.5 Daytime telephone number:

[illegible]

## 2.6 Email address:

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2.7 Current British citizen passport number (if any):

[illegible]

I understand that I may be liable for prosecution resulting in a penalty of up to 3 months imprisonment or a fine not exceeding £5000 or both, if I knowingly or recklessly make a false declaration.

Signature of referee:

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Date:

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## 2nd Referee declaration

I declare that I am qualified to act as a referee. The photograph above is a true likeness of the applicant. I confirm each of the points in 2.1 above. I confirm that to the best of my knowledge the personal details of the applicant given on this form are correct.

2.8 Say how you know the applicant, and state your age and profession

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2nd referee full name

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## 2.9 Sex:

Male

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Female

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## 2.10 Address

[illegible]

Postcode:

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If you have been at this address less than 3 years please list previous addresses on a separate sheet.

2.11 Daytime telephone number:

[illegible]

2.12 Email address:

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2.13 Current British citizen passport number (if any):

[illegible]

I understand that I may be liable for prosecution resulting in a penalty of up to 3 months imprisonment or a fine not exceeding £5000 or both, if I knowingly or recklessly make a false declaration.

Signature of referee:

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Date:

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3.8 If the required BRP has been returned to the Home Office, please give details of the reason it was sent to us:

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Date it was sent to us:

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go to question 3.12

3.9 If the BRP was lost please give the date this was reported to the Home Office card management service:

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3.10 If the biometric resident permit was stolen, please give the police report number, crime reference number, the police station and the date reported to the police.

Police report number:

[illegible]

Crime reference number:

[illegible]

Police station:

[illegible]

Date reported to the police:

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3.11 If the required BRP is not enclosed please give details why you are unable to provide it:

3.12 Have you had your fingerprints taken as part of a previous UK immigration application made in the UK or abroad?

No ☐ go to next question

Yes ☐ continue below

Please give the details specified below in each case. If you need more space, continue on a separate sheet and enclose it with this application form.

The name in which your fingerprints were taken	Date on which they were taken (dd/mm/yyyy)	Place at which they were taken	British diplomatic post if they were taken abroad

3.13 Do you have a medical or physical condition which may require special arrangements for your biometric features to be recorded?

No ☐ go to next question

Yes ☐ please provide us with a letter from a doctor registered with the General Medical Council (GMC) giving details of the condition and/or special needs and explaining any arrangements that may be necessary.

## Applicants under the age of 16

3.14 Are you under the age of 16 years?

No ☐ go to next question

Yes ☐ continue below

Give details of the person who will be accompanying you when you attend your Biometric information registration appointment.

Name of responsible adult:

[illegible]

Date of birth:

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Nationality:

[illegible]

Relationship to you:

[illegible]

Is this person your parent or legal guardian?

Yes ☐ go to Section 4

No ☐ continue below

Please explain why a person other than your parent or legal guardian will be accompanying you:

### 3.15 Declaration

As required by British Nationality (General) (Amendment) (2) Regulations 2014, I confirm that I wish to register my biometric information.

(If applying for a person under the age of 16), I understand that the Home Office may make enquires about any responsible adult nominated to be present when fingerprints and/or a photograph are taken.

Signature:

Date:

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## 4. Consent

For children under the age of 18 applying under section 4G it is a legal requirement that both parents consent to the application. Where one parent has died only the consent of the surviving parent is needed. The Home Secretary may also waive this requirement in exceptional cases. If only one parent has consented, please explain why at section 4.3. If it is not convenient for one of the parents to sign the form, consent can be provided in a separate letter.

### 4.1 Father's consent

I  (name of father) consent

to this application for the registration of

(name of child) as a British citizen.

signed

### 4.2 Mother's consent

I  (name of mother) consent

to this application for the registration of

(name of child) as a British citizen.

signed

4.3 If only one parent has signed please say why the other parent has not signed and provide supporting documents (see Consent to the application section of the [Nationality forms guide](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/nationality-forms-guide) [www.gov.uk/government/publications/nationality-forms-guide](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/nationality-forms-guide)).

## 5. Declaration by applicant

Read this section carefully before inserting your name clearly in box 5.1 and ticking each box at 5.2 – 5.5 to confirm the points raised.

If you meet the requirements described in this guide please sign and date the form in box 5.6. You are advised to read this guide carefully to ensure that you do satisfy all the requirements.

You must normally sign the form yourself. If you cannot sign the form you must make a mark or a fingerprint and ask one of your referees to sign saying that it is your mark or fingerprint. If the applicant is not of sound mind and you are acting on his or her behalf you should sign to indicate your responsibility for the accuracy and completeness of the information provided. You must support this by explaining, in a covering letter, who you are and why the applicant cannot act on their own behalf. Confirmation from the applicant's medical practitioner or consultant should also be provided.

If the declaration in section 6 of the form is not completed, the application will be invalid.

Warning: to give false information on this form knowingly or recklessly is a criminal offence punishable with up to 3 months' imprisonment or by a fine not exceeding £5000 or both.

(Section 46(1) of the British Nationality Act 1981, as amended).

5.1 I (full name in block letters)

declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information given in this application is correct. I know of no reason why I should not be granted British citizenship. I promise to inform the Home Secretary in writing of any change in circumstances which may affect the accuracy of the information given whilst this application is being considered by the Home Office. I understand that information given by me will be treated in confidence, but may be submitted for checking against records held by other Government departments, the Security Service and other agencies, local authorities and the police, where it is necessary for immigration or nationality purposes, or to enable these bodies to carry out their functions.

I understand that I may be liable for prosecution if I have knowingly or recklessly provided false or incomplete information.

I authorise the HM Revenue and Customs to provide the Home Office with information relevant to this application, and with any information needed to check the information I have provided. I understand that any information provided to the HM Revenue and Customs in connection with this application may be used by them for the purpose of their statutory functions.

I authorise the UK Visas and Immigration to make enquiries of

- The insolvency Service (England and Wales)
- The Accountant in Bankruptcy (Scotland)
- The Official receiver (Northern Ireland)
- Another appointed Receiver concerning my declaration of bankruptcy

5.2 I agree that the relevant body may disclose personal information obtained as part of their statutory function

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5.3 I confirm that I have read and understood Guide UKF to registration as a British citizen

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5.4 I confirm that I have enclosed the appropriate fee and payment slip

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5.5 I confirm that I have enclosed the appropriate documents

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5.6 I understand that a certificate of citizenship may be withdrawn if it is found to have been obtained by fraud, false representation or concealment of any material fact, or if on the basis of my conduct the Home Secretary considers it to be conducive to the public good.

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Please sign below once you are satisfied that you have completed the form correctly. Your application will not be valid if you do not enclose the correct fee. Fees are not fully refundable for applications that fail. You are recommended to read Guide UKF, particularly those sections on how to qualify.

Signature

Date

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