



**DIOCESE OF
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**THE CHURCH
OF ENGLAND**

BANNS OF MARRIAGE APPLICATION

One person on behalf of both may complete this form.

If the marriage is to take place in another parish, only the white boxes need to be completed. Complete all the boxes for the church where the marriage is to take place.

At least seven days' notice is required before the first reading of banns. Banns have to be read on three Sundays before the marriage.

(Section 3) If either of you will be under the age of 18 on the day of the wedding, and has not been widowed, the consent of parents or guardians is required.

(Sections 4,11,12) The Church's official rules do not permit the marriage in church of anyone who has been divorced from a person still living.

(Section 6) Include the town, county and postcode.

(Section 15) This means the Church of England parish in which you *live*. If either of you does not live in the parish where the marriage is to take place, you must arrange for the banns to be read in your own parish and obtain a banns certificate.

2 Full name <i>Block capitals</i>	3 Age at proposed date of wedding	4 Condition <i>(delete whichever does not apply)</i>	5 Rank, profession or occupation	6 Address at time of publishing banns, and phone number	7 Father's full name <i>(if deceased, add "deceased")</i>	8 Father's rank, profession or occupation
(Man)		Bachelor Widower				
(Woman)		Spinster Widow				
9 Nationality	10 Date of Birth	11 Have you been previously married?	12 If so, was the previous marriage terminated by death?	13 Have you been baptised? If so, where?	14 Since when have you lived at the address in 6 above?	15 Which is your parish church?
(Man)						
(Woman)						
16 Are you related, or connected by marriage? If so, how?	17 At which church do you wish to be married?	18 On what date?	19 At what time?	We certify that to the best of our belief the answers to the above questions are true and complete.		
(Both)				Signed _____ Signed _____ Date _____		

For clergy use

Dates for publication

Future address

Other details