

Form AN

Application for Naturalisation as a British Citizen

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Important: Before completing this form, you should read the Guide AN as well as the Booklet AN. Fill in those parts of the form that apply to your application. If there is not enough space for your answer, use page 22 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 (see page 6 of the Guide AN which accompanies this form for details). Or you may wish to use the Nationality Checking Service operated by a number of local authorities. Your Register Office will advise if one is operated in your area.

We recommend that you keep a completed 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.

Please ensure that you read the Guide AN and the Booklet AN. You should ensure that you understand the criteria for naturalisation before submitting your application. Full fees cannot be returned for applications that fail.

Please write in block capitals using black ink. Please enter all dates as dd-mm-yyyy, e.g. 21/09/2013

Please note that each individual applying for naturalisation must complete a separate application form. Therefore husbands, wives and civil partners wishing to naturalise, must complete separate forms. Family applications should include separate forms for each child, either an AN Form where the child is now an adult or an MN1 Form for a minor. We do not need applications for adults or minors who are already British.

If you are acting as responsible adult for someone who is not of sound mind and unable to make and understand their own application (see page 11 of the Booklet AN), you must take full responsibility for the accuracy of the information provided and sign the declaration on behalf of the applicant. This includes liability in law.

1. Personal Information

1.1 Please give any reference numbers used in your immigration applications.
1.2 Current passport/travel document number
1.3 Date you were given indefinite leave to enter/remain in the UK (not necessary if you are a Commonwealth citizen with right of abode in the United Kingdom). If you are an EEA national, a Swiss national or a family member of an EEA or Swiss national you should read pages 10 to 11 of the Booklet AN.
1.4 Title - please select:
Mrs Miss Other (please state)
1.5 State your name as it appears on your passport:
Surname/family name:
Other names:
If you do not have a passport, state the name used on your official documents (Home Office travel document, national identity card, biometric residence permit).
1.6 If the name stated above is not the name you use for all purposes, state:
The surname/family name that you use:
Other names used:
The reason why this is different from the name on your passport or other official documents:
You must provide evidence of this name, such as a marriage certificate, civil partnership certificate or deed poll. It is your responsibility to ensure that the information you provide is correct. Any suspicion of deception will be investigated.
We will not normally issue a certificate of registration or naturalisation in the name that is different from a person's official documents. A British passport will not be issued in a different name from the one in a person's foreign passport or travel document.
1.7 Name at birth if different from above:
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Other names:

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1.12 Village or town or city of birth:	
1.13 Country of birth:	
1.14 Sex: Male Female	
1.15 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
1.16 Present address (You must give us an considering this application).	y change of address in writing while we are
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2. Residence requirements

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3. Good Character Requirement

In this section you need to give information which will help the Home Secretary to decide whether they can be satisfied that you are of good character. Checks will be made with the police and possibly other Government Departments, the Security Service and other agencies.

Personal History (criminal convictions, war crimes, etc.)

This section asks about any criminal convictions, any civil judgements or civil penalties made against you and details of any involvement you may have had in war crimes, genocide, crimes against humanity or terrorism. If you fail to answer all of these questions as fully and accurately as possible, your application may be refused.

It is an offence under Section 46(1) of the British Nationality Act 1981 to make a statement or representation which is known to be false or is not believed to be true. Information given will be checked with other agencies.

3.1 Have you been convicted of any criminal offence in the UK or any other country?
Yes go to question 3.2 No go to question 3.3
3.2 Please give details below for each criminal conviction, starting with the most recent one. If you have received more than two convictions please photocopy this page and enclose it with this form
Note : We will carry out criminal record checks on all applicants. You must give details of all criminal convictions. This includes road traffic offences (including all drink driving offences).
Fixed Penalty Notices (such as speeding or parking tickets) do not form part of a person's criminal record and will not be considered in the caseworker's assessment of character unless:
 the person has failed to pay and there were criminal proceedings as a result; or
the person has received numerous fixed penalty notices.
Criminal conviction 1
Country where convicted
Nature of offence
Sentence given
Date sentenced DDMMYYYY

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Criminal conviction 2
Country where convicted
Nature of offence
Sentence given
Date sentenced DDMMYYYY
If you were sentenced to a period of imprisonment, what was the length of the prison sentence (in months)?
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3.3 Do you have any civil judgements against you or any civil penalty under the UK Immigration Acts?
Yes go to question 3.4 No go to question 3.5
3.4 Give details for each civil judgment or any civil penalty under the UK immigration acts, starting with the most recent one.
If you have received more than two civil judgements and/or civil penalties under the UK Immigrations Acts, please photocopy this page and enclose it with this form.
Details of judgment or civil penalty 1
Date of judgment or civil penalty
Country where judgment was made
Details of judgment or civil penalty 2

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You must answer questions 3.5 to 3.10 below even if you have answered no to question 3.1. For help in answering these questions, please see the definitions in the Booklet AN.							
3.5 Have you received any cautions (simple or any other country?	r conditional), warnings or reprimands in the UK						
Yes Give details below	No go to question 3.7						
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You must answer questions 3.7 to 3.13 below even if you have answered no to question 3.5. For help in answering these questions, please see the definitions in the Booklet AN.

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Yes	No
3.8 Have you eyet been tried in	ever been charged in any country with a criminal offence for which you have not court?
Yes	No
	peace or war have you ever been involved in, or suspected of involvement in, es against humanity or genocide?
Yes	No
3.10 Have you country?	ever been involved in, supported or encouraged terrorist activities in any
Yes	No
3.11 Have you concerned in ter	ever been a member of, or given support to an organisation which has been rorism?
Yes	No
•	ever, by any means or medium, expressed views that justify or glorify terrorist may encourage others to terrorist acts or other serious criminal acts?
Yes	No
•	ever engaged in any other activities which might indicate that you may not be rson of good character?
Yes	No
3.14 Have you	ever been declared bankrupt?
Yes	No

For the purposes of answering questions 3.7 to 3.13 please refer to the Booklet AN which provides guidance on actions which may constitute war crimes, crimes against humanity, genocide or terrorist activities.						

3.15 If you have answered yes to question 3.7, 3.8, 3.9, 3.10, 3.11, 3.12, 3.13, or 3.14 you must give further details in the space provided below. If you need more space, continue on a

separate sheet and enclose it with this form.

4. Crown Service

Please complete this section if your application is based on your Crown service, or your husband's, wife's or civil partner's Crown service, or specially designated service. If not, please go to section 5. Please note that serving members of the Armed Forces will not automatically qualify under the Crown service provision. (see Booklet AN page 20). Please tick Were you recruited In the United Your Crown service? Yes No Kingdom? Were you recruited In the United Your husband's/wife's/civil Yes No Kingdom? partner's Crown service or specially designated service? **Description of relevant** Branch/regiment etc. **Length of Crown or** Staff/service other service (dates) service where serving or personal **ID Number**

5. Referees and Identity

Please write your name and date of birth on the back of a photograph of yourself. This should then be glued 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 page 12 of the 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.									
Name of applicant:									
5.1 One referee should be a person of any nationality who has professional a minister of religion, civil servant, or a member of a professional body such a solicitor (who is not representing you with this application). The other referee a nolder of a British citizen passport and either a professional person or over the	s an accountant or must normally be the								
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 on page 17 of the Booklet AN); 									
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									
declare that I am qualified to act as a referee. The photograph above is a tru applicant. I confirm each of the points in 5.1 above. I confirm that to the best of details given on page 3 of this form are correct.									
5.2 Say how you know the applicant, and state your age and profession:									
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5.4 1st referee full name:									
5.5 Sex: Male Female									

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2nd Referee declaration I declare that I am qualified to act as a referee. The photograph on page 19 is a true likeness of the applicant. I confirm each of the points in 5.1 above. I confirm that to the best of my knowledge the details given on page 3 of this form are correct. 5.10 Say how you know the applicant, and state your age and profession:																										
5.11	5.11 Date of birth: D D M M Y Y Y Y																									
5.12 2nd referee full name:																										
5.13	Se	x:		Ма	ıle]		Fe	ma	le]													

Postcode:						
If you have been at this address for less than 3 years please list previous addresses on page 22.						
5.15 Daytime telephone number:						
5.16 Email address:						
5.17 Current British citizen passport number (if any):						
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: Date:						

5.14 Address:

Further information not covered in other sections					

6. Biometric enrolment

In accordance with British Nationality (General) (Amendment) (2) Regulations 2014 anyone applying for naturalisation or registration as a British citizen must register their biometric information. For more information about registering your biometric information, please see the accompanying guidance notes, which you must read before completing this form.

If you have a current grant of leave on a biometric residence permit (BRP), you must provide your BRP for the application to be valid and complete.

6.1	Have you been issue	ed with a BRP with a p	reviou	ous application for leave?			
Yes	go to question 6	5.2	No	go to question 6.16			
				application to be valid and complete, your ble for one of the reasons specified below.			
6.2	BRP number						
6.3	Issue date		6.4	Expiry date D M M Y Y Y Y			
6.5	Place of issue						
6.6	Nationality						
6.7	BRP enclosed? Yes	es go to 6.11		No			
If not	enclosed then please	e state the location of	biome	netric residence permit:			
Returned to Home Office go to question 6.8							
Lost		go to question 6.	.9				
Stole	en	go to question 6.	.10				
Othe	r	go to question 6.	.12				

6.8 If the required BRP has already been returned to the Home Office, please give details of the reason it was sent to us							
Date it was sent to us DDMMYYYY							
Date it was sent to us DDMMYYYYY							
6.9 If the BRP was lost please give the date this was reported to the Home Office card management service							
6.10 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							
Crime reference number							
Police station							
Date reported to the Police:							
6.11 Do you want the Home Office to retain your BRP							
Yes I confirm that I do not require evidence of my immigration status. Should I subsequently require evidence of my status, I will need to apply for a replacement BRP at my expense.							
No I confirm that if granted British citizenship I must return the BRP to the Home							
Office within 5 days of receiving the grant of citizenship and if I fail to do so I may receive a financial penalty of up to £1,000.							
6.12 If the required biometric residence permit (BRP) is not enclosed please give details why you are unable to provide it:							

If you do not submit your BRP with this application, you must return it to the Home Office no later than 5 days from the date you attended your Citizenship Ceremony or the date you were issued with a certificate of naturalisation, so that it can be securely destroyed. Details of how to return your BRP can be found in Guide AN and at www.gov.uk/biometric-residence-permits/report-problem

If you fail to return your BRP, or notify the department of the reasons for not being able to do so, you may receive a financial penalty of up to £1,000.

If you need to travel to and from the UK after being granted British citizenship you must apply for a British passport or for a certificate of entitlement to the right of abode to be placed in your foreign passport. Guidance on applying for a British passport can be found on Gov.UK. Following a grant of citizenship your BRP will be cancelled which means it may not be accepted as evidence that you are entitled to reside in the UK.

6.13	Date your fingerprints were taken:
6.14	Give details where your fingerprints were taken, including the town or city and country:
	Give details of the British diplomatic post(s) involved if the application(s) was or were abroad:
6.16 your	Do you have a medical or physical condition which may require special arrangements for biometric features to be recorded?
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.
No	
	Declaration quired by British Nationality (General) (Amendment) (2) Regulations 2014, I confirm that I to register my biometric information.
Signa	ature
	Date D D M M Y Y Y Y

7. Declaration

good.

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).	
7.1 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 of understand that information given by me will be treated in confidence, but may be submit checking against records held by other Government departments, the Security Service and agencies, local authorities and the police, where it is necessary for immigration or national purposes, or to enable these bodies to carry out their functions.	e Office. Ited for d other
I understand that I may be liable for prosecution if I have knowingly or recklessly provided or incomplete information.	false
I authorise the HM Revenue & Customs to provide the UK Visas and Immigration with any information relevant to this application, and with any information needed to check the infor I have provided. I understand that any information provided to the HM Revenue & Custom connection with this application may be used by them for the purpose of their statutory fundamental connection.	mation s in
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)	
other appointed Receiver concerning my declaration of bankruptcy	
I agree that the relevant body may disclose personal information obtained as part of their statutory function	
7.2 I confirm that I have read and understood the Guide AN and the Booklet AN	
7.3 I confirm that I have enclosed the appropriate fee and payment slip	
7.4 I confirm that I have enclosed the appropriate documents	
7.5 Where I have provided a photocopy of my spouse's or civil partner's passport, I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is a complete and full copy of that original document.	
7.6 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	

7.7 *I declare that, although I do not meet all of the naturalisation, I believe that, in view of the following Home Secretary should treat me as fulfilling those re in my case to fulfil them.	special circumstances, the
*Delete if not applicable	
Special circumstances – which requirements do you special circumstances? If you do not meet the statut are there any special circumstances why you think t application? (continue on page 22 if necessary).	tory requirements to become a British citizen
Please sign below once you are satisfied you have on not fully refundable for applications that fail. You are Booklet AN, particularly those sections on how to que	recommended to read the Guide AN and
Signature	Date
	D D M M Y Y Y Y

Supporting Documents

Your application cannot be considered without certain evidence. You should provide documents to cover each of the sections shown below that are relevant to your application, and tick to indicate the type of evidence you have enclosed. If you are concerned about submitting your original documents then you may wish to consider using the Nationality Checking Service described on page 3 of the Guide. We reserve the right to call for documents to satisfy ourselves as to their authenticity. Providing forged or fraudulent documents may result in prosecution leading to fines, imprisonment and deportation.

SECTION 1 Evidence of identity: required for all applications

- *Your passport Or
- · *National identity card Or
- *Home Office travel document Or
- · *Home Office entitlement card Or
- *Home Office ARC letter Or
- Home Office Biometric Residence Permit Or'
- · Your birth certificate Or
- *Your driving licence

*if you used one of these documents when you took the Knowledge of Life in the UK test you will be expected to use it again by enclosing it with your naturalisation application.

If the name you are currently using is different from the name on your passport or travel document you should send evidence of the change of name.

SECTION 2 Evidence of knowledge of Language and of Life in the UK: required for all applicants:

- Letter confirming success in the Life in the UK Test, stamped and signed by the Test Supervisor; and either
- Certificate showing that you have a speaking and listening qualification in English at B1 CEFR or higher, or an equivalent level qualification. If you took a test on or after 6 April 2015 write the number of your qualification at section 1.25 on page 7; or
- Certificate showing that you have obtained an academic qualification deemed by UK NARIC
 to meet the recognised standard of a Bachelor's or Master's degree or PhD in the United
 Kingdom and (i) UK NARIC has confirmed that the qualification was taught or researched
 in English or (ii) the qualification was taught or researched in the UK or a majority English
 speaking country (other than Canada); or
- If you are awaiting graduation or no longer have your certificate and cannot get a new one you must send either:
 - an original academic reference from the institution awarding the academic qualification
 that is on official letter headed paper and shows your name and the title of the award. The
 letter should also explain when the academic qualification was, or will be awarded; and
 state either the date that the certificate will be issued (if you have not yet graduated) or
 confirms that the institution is unable to reissue the original certificate of award; or

- an original academic transcript that is on official letter headed paper and shows your name, the name of the academic institution, the course title and provides confirmation of the award; or
- Your passport showing that you are a national of a majority English speaking country; or
- A letter from a medical practitioner to show that you should be exempt on the grounds of poor physical and/or mental health.

SECTION 3 Evidence of lawful residence during the 5 (or, if the applicant is married or in civil partnership to a British citizen, 3) years before the date of the application: required for applications made on the basis of residence in the United Kingdom: required for all applicants

- Your passports Or
- Letters from employers, educational establishments or other Government Departments indicating presence in UK

SECTION 4 Evidence of settlement for applicants from Switzerland or the European Economic Area or their non-EEA direct family members see pages 10 to 11 of the Booklet AN

- · Your valid passport or valid EEA national identity card as evidence of your nationality; And
- A permanent residence card issued by UKVI

Further information on how to apply for a permanent residence card and the current fee, can be found on the Gov.uk website, at this link:

www.gov.uk/browse/visas-immigration/eu-eea-commonwealth

SECTION 5 Evidence of freedom from immigration time restrictions:required for all applicants except those covered by SECTION 4 above.

- Your passport showing permission to remain permanently in the UK Or
- The Home Office letter by which you were given permission to remain permanently in the UK
- If you came to the UK as an asylum seeker you should have evidence of appeal applications
 Or
- Evidence of being freely landed

SECTION 6 Evidence of marriage for applications made on the basis of marriage or civil partnership to a British citizen.

- Your spouse's or civil partner's current passport or naturalisation/registration certificate showing that he/she is a British citizen. If you are making your application by post you can send a complete and full copy of your spouse's or civil partner's current passport. Every page of the passport must be copied including any blank pages; And
- The marriage certificate or civil partnership certificate

SECTION 7 Evidence of tax for self-employed applicants only

The most recent HM Revenue & Customs Self Assessment Statement of Account

SECTION 8 Evidence of Crown service for applications made on the basis of marriage to or civil partnership with a British citizen in Crown or designated service

• A letter from the relevant employer confirming date and place of recruitment, position held, and the extent to which it would be in the employer's interests for the application to be granted

SECTION 9 Joint applications

• Marriage or civil partnership certificate