



The Parish of Ewhurst
with Okewood & Forest Green

APPLICATION FOR A MARRIAGE giving a ‘qualifying connection’

Name:

Address:

Tel number(s):

E-mail:

Name of fiancé/e:

Proposed place and date of wedding:

I would like to be married in Ewhurst, Okewood or Forest Green and rely on a connection with the parish by virtue of **one or more** of the following:

Please complete sections 1 and 2 and whichever questions(s) in section 3 apply

SECTION 1

Please tick relevant statement(s)

I was baptised in the Parish (by a Church of England service/form of baptism)	
I have been confirmed (by a Church of England service) and my confirmation is entered in a register belonging to the Parish	
My parent or grandparent was married in the Parish by a Church of England service	
I have had my usual place of residence in the parish for at least 6 months*	
My parent has had his or her usual place of residence in the parish for at least 6 months during my lifetime*	
I have habitually attended public worship at Church of England services in the Parish for at least 6 months **	
My parent has habitually attended public worship at Church of England services in the Parish for at least 6 months during my lifetime**	

*** This can apply whether or not you or your parent(s) are still resident in the parish**

**** This can apply whether or not you or your parent(s) are still attending worship in the parish**

Note: For this purpose a parent means:

- parent of either a legitimate or an illegitimate child; or
- an adoptive parent (this requires legal adoption); or
- a person "who has undertaken the care and upbringing" of another person.

SECTION 2

Does any of the information on which you are relying to show your connection with the parish give a name for you which is different from the one you have used on this form; or give the surname for any parent or grandparent of yours which is different from your surname as set out on this form?

Yes / No

If yes, please:

Give the previous/other name(s)	
Explain how the difference has arisen	
If the reason for the difference between the names is that you have changed your name, explain when and how the change(s) took place and provide any documentary information (e.g. adoption certificate, marriage certificate, deed poll for change of name)	

SECTION 3

- ***Please answer only the questions which relate to the connection(s) you have ticked in section 1.***
- *Please give exact dates, places, names etc if possible – if not, please give as much information as you can*

My connection is that I was baptised in either St Peter and St Paul Ewhurst, St John the Baptist, Okewood or Holy Trinity, Forest Green

When were you baptised?	
What documentary or other information do you have for this? <i>(Please submit any copy of an entry in the baptism register, baptism certificate or other documents with this form)</i>	

My connection is that I have been confirmed (by a Church of England service) and my confirmation is entered in a register belonging to St Peter and St Paul Ewhurst, St John the Baptist, Okewood or Holy Trinity, Forest Green

When were you confirmed?	
Where were you confirmed?	
Who prepared you for confirmation?	
What documentary or other information do you have as regards the registration of your confirmation? <i>(Please submit any copy of an entry in the confirmation register, certificate etc or other documents with this form)</i>	

My connection is that my parent or grandparent was married in either St Peter and St Paul Ewhurst, St John the Baptist, Okewood or Holy Trinity, Forest Green

When did the marriage take place?	
Please give names of the parties to the marriage, and state how the relevant party/parties are related to you.	
What documentary or other information do you have for this? <i>(Please submit a copy of the relevant entry in the marriage register, marriage certificate or other documents with this form)</i>	

My connection is that I have had my usual place of residence in the Parish for at least 6 months

Please give

Each address at which you have been resident in the parish and the relevant dates.	
What documentary or other information do you have for the above? <i>(Please submit the documents with this form)</i>	

My connection is that my parent has had his or her usual place of residence in the Parish for at least 6 months during my lifetime

Please give:

Each address at which a parent of yours has been resident in the parish.	
The name(s) of the parent(s) resident there.	
The dates between which that address is/was his/her/their usual place of residence.	
What documentary or other information do you have for the above? <i>(Please submit the documents with this form)</i>	

My connection is that I have habitually attended public worship at Church of England services at either St Peter and St Paul Ewhurst, St John the Baptist, Okewood or Holy Trinity, Forest Green for at least 6 months.

When did you begin to attend public worship habitually in the parish?	
If you no longer do so, when did you cease to do so?	
How often did you attend?	
What types of services did you attend?	
What documentary or other information do you have for the above? <i>(Please submit the documents with this form)</i>	

My connection is that my parent has habitually attended public worship at Church of England services at either St Peter and St Paul Ewhurst, St John the Baptist, Okewood or Holy Trinity, Forest Green for at least 6 months during my lifetime.

When did your parent(s) begin to attend public worship habitually in the parish?	
If that is no longer the case, when did it cease?	
Please give his/her/their name(s) and his/her/their address(es) over that period	
How often did they worship in the Parish?	
At what types of services?	
What documentary or other information do you have for the above? <i>(Please submit the documents with this form)</i>	

I confirm that the information and answers given in and supplied with this form are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed

Date