

Pupil Ethnic Monitoring Questionnaire

Dear Parent/Guardian

All schools are required by the Department for Education to collect information on pupils' ethnic background. Parents/Guardians of all pupils are being asked to tick one box on this form.

Our ethnic background describes how we think of ourselves. This may be based on many things, including, for example, our skin colour, language, culture, ancestry or family history. Ethnic background is not the same as nationality or country of birth.

It is recommended that young people over the age of 11 years old have the opportunity to decide their own ethnic identity. Parents/Guardians are asked to support or advise those children aged over 11 in making this decision, wherever necessary. Pupils aged 16 or over can make this decision for themselves.

Please study the list below carefully and tick one box only to indicate the ethnic background of the pupil or child named. Should you not wish an ethnic category to be recorded please tick the box at the end of the questionnaire. Please also tick whether a parent/guardian or pupil filled in the form.

Pupil's Full Name: _____

This form has been completed by: Parent/Guardian or Pupil

White	
English	Greek Cypriot
Scottish	Gypsy
Welsh	Roma
Cornish	Other Gypsy/Roma
Other White British	Kosovan
Irish	Portuguese
Traveller of Irish Heritage	Turkish
Albanian	Turkish Cypriot
Bosnian-Herzegovinian	White Eastern European
Croatian	White Western European
Greek	White Other

Asian or Asian British			
	Indian		Sri Lankan Sinhalese
	Pakistani		Sri Lankan Tamil
	Bangladeshi		Sri Lankan Other
	African Asian		Other Asian
	Nepali		

Mixed/Dual Background			
	White/black Caribbean		Asian/Other
	White/black African		Black/Other
	White/Pakistani		Chinese/Other
	White/Indian		White/Any Other
	White/Any other Asian background		Other mixed background

<u>Black or Black British</u>	
	Caribbean
	African
	Any other black background

Chinese	
	Chinese

Any Other Ethnic Group			
	Afghan		Kurdish
	Arab other		Latin/South/Central American
	Egyptian		Lebanese
	Filipino		Malay
	Iranian		Thai
	Iraqi		Vietnamese
	Japanese		Any other ethnic group

I do not wish an ethnic background category to be recorded.

Please return this form to the school within 4 weeks.