

CADET APPLICATION TO JOIN

Thank you for your enquiry regarding your child joining the VCC as a cadet. Please complete this form and once received by us we will acknowledge receipt and provide an estimated joining date. Use BLOCK capitals or type.

Please tick which unit in the VCC you wish to join:

HMS Collingwood RNVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	HMS Excellent RNVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	HMS Sultan RNVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>
Arbroath Division RMVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chivenor Division RMVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gosport Division RMVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lympstone Division RMVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	Plymouth Division RMVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>	Portsmouth Division RMVCC	<input type="checkbox"/>
Band of the RMVCC Gosport	<input type="checkbox"/>	Band of the RMVCC Plymouth	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unknown or Unsure	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please provide information about the child wishing to join:

Child's Surname	<input type="text"/>	Child's Forenames	<input type="text"/>
Child's Date of Birth	<input type="text"/>	Child's Gender	<input type="text"/>
Home Address	<input type="text"/>	Home Telephone Number	<input type="text"/>
		Home Postcode	<input type="text"/>
Child's Ethnicity <i>optional</i>	<input type="text"/>	Child's Religion <i>optional</i>	<input type="text"/>

We ask about ethnicity and religion so we can monitor our equality, diversity and inclusion but if you would rather not say please enter NIL.

Please provide information about one of the child's parents or guardians*:

Surname	<input type="text"/>	Forenames	<input type="text"/>
Relationship to Child	<input type="text"/>	Mobile Telephone Number	<input type="text"/>
Home Address	<input type="text"/>	Home Telephone Number	<input type="text"/>
		Home Postcode	<input type="text"/>
Occupation	<input type="text"/>		
Email Address	<input type="text"/>		

* The parent or guardian named above will be regarded as the child's principal point of contact and next of kin. The VCC will assume that the person named above has obtained all necessary permissions from any other parent or guardian for the child to join the VCC. If the child does not live with both parents/guardians then the Principal Parent or Guardian named above should be the person with whom the child normally resides.

Please provide details for the child's other parent or guardian (if applicable):

Surname	<input type="text"/>	Forename	<input type="text"/>
Relationship to Child	<input type="text"/>	Mobile Telephone Number	<input type="text"/>
Email Address	<input type="text"/>		

Principal Parent or Guardian authorising this application:

Signature	<input type="text"/>	Date Signed	<input type="text"/>
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Information on this form will be treated in strictest confidence. Medical information will be asked for if the applicant attends recruit induction to join the VCC to help ensure the continued health, safety and welfare of cadets during training and activities. Please refer to our website for our safeguarding, privacy and diversity & inclusion policies.



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Does the applicant play a musical instrument and would like to be considered for Direct Entry into one of our Bands? The applicant may have to undergo an audition if wishing to pursue this option, and this is dependent upon location.

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	Please Provide Details About Instruments and Current Playing Standard
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Please tick if any immediate family member is or has been a member of any of the following (including Reserve Forces):

Ambulance Service	<input type="checkbox"/>	British Army	<input type="checkbox"/>	HM Coastguard	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fire Service	<input type="checkbox"/>
Police Service	<input type="checkbox"/>	Royal Air Force	<input type="checkbox"/>	Royal Navy or RFA	<input type="checkbox"/>	Royal Marines	<input type="checkbox"/>
RNLI or Merchant Navy	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other Service	<input type="checkbox"/>				

Please tick if the child has ever been a member of any of the following youth organisations:

Army Cadet Force	<input type="checkbox"/>	Boys Brigade or Girl Guides	<input type="checkbox"/>	Combined Cadet Force	<input type="checkbox"/>
RAF Air Cadets	<input type="checkbox"/>	Scouts, Air Scouts or Sea Scouts	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sea Cadet Corps	<input type="checkbox"/>
Volunteer Cadet Corps (other unit)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other Youth Organisation	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Please provide below any other information in support of this application or provide further details relating to a previous question:

Please tick to show how you found out about the Volunteer Cadet Corps:

Leaflet or Poster	<input type="checkbox"/>	Used to be a Cadet	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recommendation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Website	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Media	<input type="checkbox"/>	TV, Radio or Newspaper	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other	<input type="checkbox"/>		

All information provided will be treated in strict confidence. The VCC does not pass details of applicants or their parents/guardians to any external organisations but may hold data on a database hosted by the MOD. A copy of our Data Protection Policy is available upon request. Some details will be made available to VCC staff for the purposes of management and safeguarding.

If you require any assistance in completing this form or have any questions regarding the application process or the VCC in general please contact the VCC unit to which you are applying. Once completed, please return this form to the Administration Officer at the VCC unit your child wishes to join. Details of unit post and email addresses are available from www.volunteercadetcorps.org.

Once received, your application form will be processed and your child called to join when your chosen unit has a vacancy (and once your child has reached the age of 9 if they are below that age at the time of application). Details of the Induction Night will be emailed to the Principal Parent/Guardian so please keep us updated with any change in contact details.

Office Use Only:

Comments	<input type="text"/>		
Date Application Form Received	<input type="text"/>	Date Child Invited to Join	<input type="text"/>

Please visit www.volunteercadetcorps.org for more details about the VCC and the address to send your application form to. You can also email your application to your chosen unit. If you have any questions please contact us at hq@volunteercadetcorps.org or call us on 023 9254 7495. You don't have to wait until your child is aged 9 to apply.



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