



Beit Klal Yisrael Liberal Synagogue

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

To be filled out by every individual seeking membership, whether joint or single application

Full Name _____

Address

_____ **Postcode** _____

Tel. (day and eve) _____

e-mail _____

Date of Birth _____ Marital Status

Hebrew name, if any _____

Previous Synagogue Affiliation, if any _____

Spouse or partner's name _____

N.B. if your spouse or partner is applying for membership, he/she must complete a separate form

Spouse or partner's religion _____

Children (under 21)(please give names and ages) _____

Please tick one of the following:

FULL MEMBERSHIP I affirm that I am Jewish and over 18 years of age, and apply for full membership of the Synagogue.

STUDENT MEMBERSHIP I affirm that I am Jewish and am currently in full-time education. I understand that the student membership does not include burial rights.

FRIEND – Either: A) I am not Jewish, but would like to affiliate to the synagogue.
B) I am not Jewish but my partner is, would like to affiliate and want to be part of the burial scheme.

C) I am Jewish but do not wish to join as a full member at present.

I agree to comply with the conditions of membership as laid down in the Constitution and Rules of the Synagogue.

SIGNED _____ **DATE** _____



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CURRENT MEMBERSHIP FEES (please make cheques payable to BKY)

Full Membership, individual*	£320 per annum, including funeral fund subscription (concession £190 unemployed £80)
Friend, individual	£255 per annum, No burial or voting rights (concession £185, unemployed £60)
Student Membership	£ 25 per annum, Voting Rights but no burial rights
Newsletter	£ 25 per annum for newsletter and e-mail list only

**If you would like full membership but do not require burial rights or cannot afford the above rates, please contact the BKY Treasurer c/o the post box to request the appropriate reduction in annual fees.*

I enclose my cheque for £_____ for the membership year of April to March
(which includes an additional donation to the synagogue's work of _____)

I would like to pay by standing order, please send me the necessary forms.

Do you have anything you wish to discuss with the rabbi? (e.g. planned marriage, impending birth of child, instructions in the event of your death, etc) Y / N

If you wish, give details here: _____

POINTS TO NOTE

1) Full Membership Subscription is inclusive of the following items:

- **Basic Subscription** This charge is set against the operating costs of the Synagogue.
- **Congregational Assessment** A percentage of the Synagogue's income which is paid over to Liberal Judaism who are representative of the constituent synagogues and their members. This includes payment for the Leo Baeck College – Centre for Jewish Education
- **Jewish Joint Burial Society (JJBS)** Full details of burial/cremation and funeral schemes are supplied separately. Please note that new applications wishing to join the Synagogue after the age of 50 will be asked to pay an additional entry fee to the burial scheme. The amount varies in relation to the age at the time of joining. Non-Jewish partners of Full Members can be buried by the JJBS. Please speak to our Membership Secretary to arrange this or if you need more information about any aspect of the JJBS.
- **Voting Rights.** Only Full Members and Students are entitled to vote at General Meetings of the Synagogue and to be elected to the Council, or stand for election as an Honorary Officer.

- 2) Student Members/Friends/Newsletter Subscribers are not covered for any Funeral / Burial / Cremation Costs
- 3) Fees are billed on, and are payable from, the first day of April each year. If any member fails to pay their account within 6 months the Synagogue reserves the right to suspend or terminate membership. No suspension or termination will take place without prior notification to you.