

This is not a marriage certificate
Information for Marriage Certificate

Date of Marriage:			
Where the Marriage will take place:			
Total amount of Dowry: Breakdown of Dowry: How much offset against jewellery and clothing? How Much to be paid cash? How much to be paid on demand?			
Bridegroom	Full Name		Direct Tel: <input type="text"/>
	Date of Birth		
	Address		
	Nationality		Profession <input type="text"/>
	Fathers name		
Has the bridegroom been married before	If yes please provide details on how the previous marriage was ended. If divorced: Has Islamic divorce taken place: Has divorce been grant in an English court:		
Bride	Full Name		Direct Tel: <input type="text"/>
	Date of Birth		
	Address		
	Nationality		Profession <input type="text"/>
	Fathers name		
Has the bride been married before	If yes please provide details on how the previous marriage was ended. If divorced: Has Islamic divorce taken place: Has divorce been grant in an English court:		
Wakil	Full Name		
	Address		
	Wakil is usually the guardian of the bride. Father or older brother		
Witness 1	Full Name		Witness 2
	Address		
Information supplied by:		Mobile Number:	

Please ensure that all spellings are correct and that all addresses have postcodes. To correct spelling after certificates have been issued will incur a charge of £25.00

To be able conduct a Nikah Ceremony we need to be able to establish:

- ✓ The identity of the bride and the bridegroom
- ✓ That both the bride and the bridegroom are free to marry
- ✓ That the bride and the bridegroom are entering into a marriage of their own free will
- ✓ That the bridegroom is giving a Mahr which has been agreed by both parties

If for any reason we are not able to establish the above we will **not conduct a Nikah Ceremony.**

1. Establishing Identity

To establish the identity of the bride and the bridegroom please supply of the following:

- ✓ Original valid passport
- ✓ A valid Photo Driving License

If a passport or photo driving license is not available we may accept other photo ID. Please contact the Masjid on 0161 652 2793 to discuss possible alternatives.

2. Establishing whether someone is free to marry

If someone has been married before and wishes to marry again we need to see proof that the previous marriage has been dissolved. If the previous marriage ended with a divorce than you need to provide divorced certificate to be able to proceed further. If the previous marriage ended with passing away of the partner then you will need to provide a death certificate to be able to proceed further.

3. Entering the marriage of your free will

For a Nikah to be valid in Islam both parties have to enter the marriage of their free will. In addition to both parties providing a signed statement saying they are entering a marriage of their free will we may need to speak to both parties and their guardians to seek further confirmation. It is therefore essential that telephone contact numbers are provided so that we can speak to both parties directly as required.

4. Mahr

Mahr is a gift from the bridegroom to the bride. The bride has exclusive right to the Mahr and has absolute discretion as to how she uses it. Please tell us what amount of Mahr has been agreed so that it can be recorded in the marriage certificate.

5. Costs

Please make a non-refundable donation to the Masjid around the following:

- Nikah Ceremony at Central Masjid £100
- Nikah within Oldham (with you providing transport for the Imam) £150
- Nikah within Greater Manchester (with you providing transport for the Imam) £200
- Nikah outside Gt Manchester (with you providing transport for the Imam) £250

Donation is payable at the time when notice is being given. Payment can be made by cheque, cash or online. A ceremony will not be booked until full payment has been received.