

5.1 How well do you know the person interviewed?

5.2 Describe briefly what you know of his/her faith and religious practice
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5.3 Please give details of Pre-nuptial preparation received from sources other than yourself.
(e.g. SMC, FOCCUS, Engaged Encounter, Marriage Helpers):
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5.4 Are you satisfied that he/she is free to marry? YES / NO

5.5 Are you satisfied that he/she understands and accepts the concept of marriage as outlined in Section 4? YES / NO

5.6 Are you satisfied that he/she is capable, with the help of God, of assuming and carrying out the essential demands and responsibilities of Marriage? YES / NO

5.7 Please give any other relevant comment on the character of the person interviewed or on his/her suitability for marriage:
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Signed.....

Date & Place

6. PERMISSIONS & DELEGATIONS FROM THE PARISH

6.1 DELEGATION (*Where the Marriage is to take place before one who is not the Parish Priest, Assistant Priest or Deacon*)

I hereby (sub)delegateto assist at the above Marriage.

Signature of Priest/Deacon.....Date.....

6.2 PERMISSION TO MARRY OUTSIDE THE PROPER PARISH OF EITHER SPOUSE
(*i.e. In a parish where neither party has the residence qualifications required by c. 1115*)

I, the undersigned, being a priest/deacon assigned to the parish where the above marriage is to take place, do hereby affirm that I am satisfied that permission has been granted for the marriage to be celebrated in this parish.

(N.B. This should be established in writing from the parish of residence of one of the parties)

Signature of Priest/Deacon..... Date

3.4 Have you ever been ordained to the Priesthood or Diaconate or consecrated in the Religious Life?

YES / NO

3.5 Are you related to your proposed spouse by blood or marriage?

YES / NO

4. YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF MARRIAGE

4.1 The following statements express the teaching of the Church with regard to the institution of Marriage. Do you accept these statements as expressing your own understanding of Marriage?

4.1.1 By the Marriage Covenant, a man and a woman establish between themselves a partnership of their whole life. YES / NO

4.1.2 By its very nature Marriage is ordered to the well-being of the spouses and to the procreation and upbringing of children. YES / NO

4.1.3 The essential properties of marriage are unity and indissolubility. (This means that the marriage bond is a perpetual and exclusive one which binds you to be faithful to each other until death and that the Marriage bond cannot be dissolved by any purely human authority.) YES / NO

4.1.4 Marriage was instituted by God in the order of creation and between the baptised it has been raised by Christ the Lord to the dignity of a Sacrament. YES / NO

4.1.5 From a valid Marriage, there arises between the spouses a bond which by its nature is perpetual and exclusive. Each spouse has an equal duty and right to those things which belong to the partnership of married life. YES / NO

4.1.6 Parents have the most grave duty and the primary right to take care as best they can for the physical, social, cultural, moral and religious education of their offspring. YES / NO

4.2 Do you then clearly understand and intend to accept what the marriage partnership entails
1. in relation to your love and support for one another &
2. in relation to children and their upbringing? YES / NO

4.3 What was the result of your discussion with your partner concerning the responsibilities of Marriage?

I HEREBY DECLARE THAT THE ANSWERS I HAVE GIVEN ABOVE ARE TRUE

(SIGNED)

Signature of Priest/Deacon.....

Date

Place

2. INFORMATION ON YOUR BACKGROUND

2.1 Date and Place of Birth in.....

2.2 Father's Name

Mother's Name née

2.3 Date and Place of Baptism in

According to the Rites of

2.4 Date and Place of Confirmation.....in.....

2.5 Do your parents support your decision to marry?

2.6 How long have you lived at your present address?.....

Please state any previous addresses where you have lived for more than six months since you were 16 years of age, and how long you lived there.

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2.7 Your Address after Marriage

2.8 Your occupation

3. YOUR FREEDOM TO MARRY

If the answer to question 3.2 or Question 3.4 is affirmative, then all relevant documents (i.e., Marriage Certificate, Divorce Certificate, Death Certificate of Previous Spouse, Decree of Nullity or Dissolution, Decrees of Dispensation) must be presented by the proposed spouse. These should be photocopied and the copies filed with this Pre-Nuptial Enquiry Form.

3.1 Are you entering this marriage of your own free will? YES / NO
i.e. without any pressure on you from parents, partner or anyone else to marry at this time

3.2 Have you ever contracted a religious or civil Marriage? YES / NO

If so, please give details of any and all previous marriages:

a. The name of your spouse(s)

b. The place and date of your marriage(s)

c. Have you received a decree of civil divorce? YES / NO

If so, please state when and where.....

d. Have you received a decree of nullity or dissolution from a Church Tribunal? YES / NO

If so, please state when and where

3.3 Do you have any natural obligations towards another party or children arising from a previous union? YES / NO

If the answer to 3.3 is "yes", are you fulfilling those obligations? YES / NO

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DIOCESE OF PAISLEY PRE-NUPTIAL ENQUIRY FORM

1. THE MARRIAGE TO BE CELEBRATED

1.1 YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS

NAME

ADDRESS

RELIGION AGE

TELEPHONE NUMBER

E-MAIL ADDRESS

1.2 YOUR PROPOSED SPOUSE

NAME

TELEPHONE NUMBER

How long have you known each other?

1.3 THE PLACE AND DETAILS OF YOUR PROPOSED MARRIAGE

1.3.1 We propose that our marriage be celebrated in

Church in.....on

in the Diocese of

1.3.2 Which District Registrar must be informed?

1.3.3 Please give the name and address of the person who will act as your witness

Name

Address

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