

Child Travel Consent Letter UK

Prepared with reference to the Children Act 1989 and Immigration & Border Force guidance

This letter confirms that the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) named below give consent for the child named below to travel as set out in this letter. This letter is intended to assist with enquiries by immigration, border, or airline officials and does not itself constitute a legal document required by statute, but is commonly requested for a child travelling without both parents or legal guardians.

1. PARTICULARS OF THE CHILD

Full name:

Date of birth: Nationality:

Passport number: Passport country of issue:

Home address:

2. PARTICULARS OF THE CONSENTING PARENT(S) / GUARDIAN(S)

Every person with parental responsibility for the child who is not travelling should complete and sign this section, in keeping with the principle that decisions affecting a child are ordinarily made jointly by those holding parental responsibility under the Children Act 1989.

Parent/Guardian 1 full name:

Relationship to child: Contact telephone number:

Address:

Parent/Guardian 2 full name:

Relationship to child: Contact telephone number:

Address:

3. PARTICULARS OF THE ACCOMPANYING ADULT (IF ANY)

Complete this section where the child is travelling in the company of an adult who is not a parent or legal guardian.

Full name of accompanying adult:

Relationship to child: Passport number:

Contact telephone number:

Accompanying adult's home address:

4. TRAVEL DETAILSDeparture date: Return date: Destination country/countries: Purpose of travel: Airline / carrier and flight or booking reference: **5. CONSENT AND AUTHORISATION**

I/We, being the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) with parental responsibility for the child named above, hereby give my/our full consent and permission for the said child to travel to the destination stated above, in the company of the accompanying adult named above (where applicable), and confirm that I/we hold parental responsibility for the child in accordance with the Children Act 1989.

6. EMERGENCY CONTACT AND MEDICAL INFORMATIONEmergency contact name: Telephone number:

Relevant medical information (allergies, conditions, medication):

7. SIGNATURES

This letter should be signed by every parent or legal guardian named in Section 2. Many airlines and border authorities also expect this letter to be accompanied by a copy of the signing parent's or guardian's passport or photographic identification, and recommend that it be signed shortly before the date of travel.

Signature of Parent/Guardian 1: Date: Signature of Parent/Guardian 2: Date: **8. IMPORTANT NOTES**

This letter is provided for practical assistance when a child travels without one or both parents or legal guardians. Requirements vary between airlines, carriers, and the immigration or border authorities of the destination and transit countries, and this letter does not guarantee entry or passage. Where there is a court order restricting a child's travel, or a dispute between those holding parental responsibility, separate legal advice should be sought before travel is arranged.