

COVENTRY

EU SETTLEMENT SCHEME

FAQS

1. What is the EU Settlement Scheme?

- The UK Scheme to **help EU/EEA citizens** and family members to **secure** their **right to stay in the UK** and **access** to **benefits, healthcare** and **pensions**

2. Who should apply?

- All **EU/EEA citizens** apart from Irish nationals and those who have acquired British Citizenship (unless applying on behalf of family members)
- **Adults** may need to **apply on behalf of children, family members** or **carers**
- Family members include spouse, civil partner, partner, child, grandchild or great-grandchild, dependent parent, grandparent, great-grandparent, dependent relative
- EU/EEA citizens with permanent residence. EEA citizens who were previously granted Indefinite Leave to Remain don't have to apply, but may wish to do so as proof of residence
- See **full list of nationalities** on **page 2**

3. Why apply?

- **New rules** will **apply to all EEA nationals who arrive in the UK on or after 1 January 2021**
- All **EEA nationals in the UK** before 1 January 2021 **must apply before 30 June 2021** to **ensure** that they **remain** in the **UK lawfully**

4. How long do I have to apply?

- The EU Settlement Scheme closes **30 June 2021**

5. What is the process to apply? What do I need?

- **There are only 3 requirements:**
 1. **Proof of identity** and nationality (passport, ID card, residence card/permit etc.)
 2. **Proof of length of residency** in UK (address, National Insurance number, bank statement, P60/P45, bills etc.)
 3. Undergo a **criminality check**

6. How can I access support and advice?

- **There is FREE, independent and confidential support available to anyone. This includes:**
 - i. Application support and advice
 - ii. Document retrieval, evidencing residency etc.
 - iii. Support in accessing services
 - iv. Free legal advice
 - v. Information sessions
 - vi. Digital support

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