

# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

For applicants 16 or over

<b>Surname/ Family name</b>			<b>Title</b>	*Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms
	<b>Other names</b>			
<b>Home address</b>				
				<b>Post code</b>
<b>Daytime phone</b>			<b>Evening phone</b>	
<b>Date of birth</b>	/	/	← We must have your date of birth for legal reasons	
<b>National Insurance No</b>	← This information is optional, but helpful			
<b>Employment status</b> <i>*Delete those that do not apply</i>	*Employed	*Unwaged (eg homemaker, carer)	*Living on benefits	
	*Retired	*Full-time student	*Other	
<b>Name of Employer</b>				
<b>Your workplace address</b>	Only complete if you work in Cheshire West and Chester but do not live in the Cheshire West and Chester area			
	Postcode			
<b>How do you plan to save?</b> <i>✓ all that may apply</i>	At a membership centre <input type="checkbox"/>	By Standing Order direct from your bank <input type="checkbox"/>		
	By PayPoint card <input type="checkbox"/>	By deduction from your wages <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>How did you hear about the Credit Union?</b> <i>✓ all that may apply</i>	From friends/family <input type="checkbox"/>	From another member <input type="checkbox"/>	From a talk <input type="checkbox"/>	
	From a leaflet <input type="checkbox"/>	From newspaper article <input type="checkbox"/>	From the WCCU website <input type="checkbox"/>	
	From a home delivery leaflet <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Please give details)		
<b>To which ethnic group do you consider you belong?</b>	White British <input type="checkbox"/>	Black/Black British <input type="checkbox"/>	Asian/Asian British <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Insurance beneficiary details</b>	West Cheshire Credit Union offers members free life cover against outstanding loan balances and savings (limitations relating to age and pre-existing medical conditions may apply). Please nominate a person to receive these benefits if a claim has to be made.			
<b>Name of person you wish to benefit from the policy</b>				
<b>Address of this person</b>		<b>Post Code</b>		
<b>Relationship to you</b>		<b>Telephone</b>		
I the undersigned do nominate the above named as my beneficiary, to receive any money due under life and savings insurance plans of the West Cheshire Credit Union.				
I hereby apply for membership of and agree to abide by the rules of West Cheshire Credit Union. I declare that the information given by me on this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that a non-returnable membership fee of £5 will be deducted from my first payment into the credit union, to cover administration costs etc.				
I have no objection to my details being kept on a computer database (in accordance with the Data Protection Act). I understand that my details will be kept confidential and not passed to any other organisation.				
I agree to allow West Cheshire Credit Union to verify electronically my identity and address in order to comply with money laundering regulations.				/ /
				<b>Signature</b>
				<b>Date</b>

Please read the information overleaf

Collector use		Initial payment (inc entrance fee)	£	Office use	
Entrance fee paid?	Yes / No			Date received	
		Processed by		Received by	
				Date processed	
Comments				Membership No	

<b><u>Who can join?</u></b>	Anyone, over 16 years of age, who lives, works, studies or volunteers in the area of Cheshire West & Chester Council can become a member of West Cheshire Credit Union.  <b>If you are under 16 you can be a junior saver</b> ( please ask for details)
<b><u>How do I join?</u></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fill in the application form overleaf</li> <li>• Complete a standing order form or payroll deduction form if this is the way that you are going to save</li> <li>• A one-off £5 membership fee must accompany your application form, either cash or cheque payable to West Cheshire Credit Union</li> <li>• You must keep £1 in your savings account to keep it open</li> </ul>
<b><u>Return your application form to:</u></b>	<b>WEST CHESHIRE CREDIT UNION LTD</b> <b>HENRY PLACE</b> <b>NEWTOWN</b> <b>CHESTER</b> <b>CH1 3HY</b>

<b><u>OR</u></b>	<b>Take your application form to your nearest membership centre listed below:</b>
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**Blacon, CDHT Housing Office,  
The Parade**  
Friday 10.00am – 12.00pm

**Newton, Kingsway Coffee Shop**  
Friday 10.00am – 12.00pm  
(1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday)

**Lache Community Centre**  
Monday 7.00pm - 8.00pm

**West Cheshire Credit Union Office**  
Henry Place, Newtown, Chester  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday  
10.00am – 1.00pm

**Advice and Money Link**  
Ellesmere Port Market  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday  
10.00am – 1.00pm  
Saturday 10am – 12pm

**Any questions please ring 01244 399006**

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