



## Cotham School Further Student Information

- Our ethnic background describes how we think of ourselves. This may be based on many things, including, for example, our skin colour, language, culture, ancestry or family history. **Ethnic background is not the same as nationality or country of birth.**
- The Information Commissioner (formerly the Data Protection Registrar) recommends that young people aged over 11 years old have the opportunity to decide their own ethnic identity. Parents or those with parental responsibility are asked to support or advise those children aged over 11 in making this decision, wherever necessary. Pupils aged 16 or over can make this decision for themselves.
- Any information you provide will be used solely to compile statistics on the school careers and experiences of pupils from different ethnic backgrounds, to help ensure that all pupils have the opportunity to fulfil their potential. These statistics will not allow individual pupils to be identified. From time to time the information will be passed on to the Local Education Authority and the Department for Education to contribute to local and national statistics. The information will also be passed on to future schools, to save it having to be asked for again.

**Student Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Tutor Group** \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity	Please ✓ one box
<b>White</b>	
British	
Irish	
Traveller of Irish heritage	
Gypsy/Roma	
Eastern European	
Western European	
Any other white background	
<b>Mixed/Dual background</b>	
White and Black Caribbean	
White and Black African	
White and Asian	
Any other mixed background	
<b>Asian or Asian British</b>	
Indian	
Pakistani	
Bangladeshi	
Any other Asian background	
<b>Black or Black British</b>	
Caribbean	
Somali	
Other Black African	
Any other Black background	
<b>Chinese</b>	
<b>Any other ethnic background</b>	
I do not wish an ethnic background category to be recorded	

Religion	Please ✓ one box
Buddhist	
Christian	
Hindu	
Jewish	
Muslim	
Sikh	
Other	
No religion	
I do not wish a religion to be recorded	

	Please complete
<b>Country of birth</b>	
<b>Nationality</b>	
<b>Date of arrival in UK, if this is not the country of birth</b>	

## Language

What is the student's first language? \_\_\_\_\_

A first language is any language a child was exposed to during early development and continues to be exposed to in the home or in the community. If a child was exposed to more than one language (which may include English) during early development, a language other than English should be recorded, irrespective of the child's proficiency in English

Which languages are spoken at home by the student?

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## Student Status

**Please provide evidence, if you tick any of the boxes below.**

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Please tick if the student has:

Asylum Seeker Status  Refugee Status  Traveller Status

A Parent or Carer who is a Service Personnel designated as Personnel Category 1 or 2

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This information was provided by: Parent/Carer  Student

Signature of the person who completed the form \_\_\_\_\_

Date:

**Please return this form to the school.**