

Prohibited Marriages

A man cannot marry any of the persons in the first column

A woman cannot marry any of the persons in the second column

Mother	Father
Daughter	Son
Father's mother	Father's father
Mother's mother	Mother's father
Son's daughter	Son's son
Daughter's daughter	Daughter's son
Sister	Brother
Father's sister	Father's brother
Mother's sister	Mother's brother
Brother's daughter	Brother's son
Sister's daughter	Sister's son
Adoptive mother or former adoptive mother	Adoptive father or former adoptive father
Adoptive daughter or former adoptive daughter	Adoptive son or former adoptive son
Mother of former wife, until the death of both the former wife and the father of the former wife	Father of former husband, until after the death of both the former husband and the mother of the former husband
Former wife of son, until after the death of both his son and the mother of his son	Former husband of daughter, until after the death of both her daughter and the father of her daughter

Marriage to the following is not allowed until both parties are aged 21 or over, and then only if the younger party has not at any time before attaining the age of 18 been a child of the family in relation to the other party:

Daughter of former wife	Son of former husband
Former wife of father	Former husband of mother
Former wife of father's father	Former husband of father's mother
Former wife of mother's father	Former husband of mother's mother
Daughter of son of former wife	Son of son of former husband
Daughter of daughter of former wife	Son of daughter of former husband

If in doubt, contact a Council Registrar