

Family Law: Pricing

Fixed Fees

All fees are agreed upon in advance to ensure clarity and transparency. No VAT is applied.

Divorce

- **Uncontested Divorce (Applicant): £450**

Covers preparing and managing all necessary steps for an uncontested divorce, including guidance throughout the Divorce Application, drafting the Conditional Order, and Final Order.

- **Contested Divorce (Respondent): £150**

Assistance with completing the Response Form and advising on Conditional and Final Orders.

- **Contested Divorce: Initial Consultation & Advice – £120**

Includes an initial consultation to assess your case, provide tailored advice, and outline potential next steps.

Fixed Fee: From £500 (depending on the complexity of the case, agreed upon before proceeding).

***Note:** This pricing covers procedural guidance, document preparation, and general advisory support. Fees do not include court representation.*

For detailed financial negotiations or child arrangement matters, additional fees will apply and will be agreed upon separately based on the complexity of the case.

Orders

Consent Order - £300

This service is for drafting a Consent Order based on an agreement already reached, either through mediation or other mutual discussions. It ensures the agreement is formally recorded and legally binding.

This service includes:

- **Drafting the Consent Order** in line with your instructions and ensuring it complies with legal requirements.

- **Providing clear guidance** on how to review, sign, and lodge the order with the Court.
- **Advising on the Court process**, including required forms and documentation.
- **Preparing and submitting** the necessary supporting documents to accompany the Consent Order.
- **Handling Court queries** related to the Consent Order and making any required amendments based on their feedback.
- **Ensuring clarity** on the Court's role in approving the agreement and addressing any procedural concerns.

This service does not include:

- Negotiation or mediation of the agreement terms.
- Advice on the fairness or suitability of the agreement reached.
- Representation in Court hearings if required by the Court.

Consent Order Plus Statement of Information and Pension Sharing Annex - £400

This fee is based on a clear financial agreement already reached between parties and requires an accurate and up-to-date pension valuation (CETV). If multiple pension schemes are involved, additional fees may apply, which will be agreed upon in advance.

This service includes:

- **Drafting the Consent Order based on your instructions** in line with your instructions and ensuring it complies with legal requirements.
- **Completing the Statement of Information (SOI) and Pension Sharing Annex (PSA)** where required.
- **Providing the final Consent Order, SOI, and PSA** to you along with instructions for lodging these documents with the Court.

This service does not include:

- Negotiation or mediation regarding the terms of the agreement.
- Advice on the fairness or suitability of the financial arrangement.
- Corrections resulting from inaccurate or incomplete pension valuations.
- Representation in court hearings if additional clarification or attendance is required.

Child Arrangements Order - £250

A Child Arrangements Order sets out where a child will live, who they will spend time with, and how contact will be managed. This service provides assistance in preparing the required documents to ensure your application is clear, accurate, and ready for submission to the court.

Note: This service does not include court representation, attendance at hearings, or negotiation with the other party.

Agreements

All fees outlined below cover document drafting, advisory support, and procedural guidance. They do not include negotiation. If negotiation is required, further fees will apply and will be agreed upon in advance based on the complexity of the case.

1. Separation Agreement - £250

A Separation Agreement is a formal legal document that outlines the terms agreed upon by both parties to address their financial and personal arrangements following a separation.

2. Parental Responsibility Agreement - £200

A Parental Responsibility Agreement is a legal document that grants an individual, such as an unmarried father or step-parent, legal rights and responsibilities for a child. It ensures clarity over parental roles and obligations.

3. Pre/Post-Nuptial Agreement

A Pre/Post-Nuptial Agreement is a formal legal document outlining how assets and finances will be managed in the event of separation or divorce. This option is suitable when both parties have already agreed on the terms.

a. Non-negotiated Agreement - £400

Note: Additional expert reports and complex asset management are not included.

b. Negotiated Agreement – From £600

This option includes drafting the Pre/Post-Nuptial Agreement and facilitating discussions to help both parties reach a mutually acceptable agreement.

Note: Additional expert reports and complex asset management are not included.

4. Cohabitation Agreement

A Cohabitation Agreement outlines financial and personal arrangements for unmarried couples living together. It provides clarity on how assets and responsibilities are shared.

a. Basic Agreement - £250

b. Complex Agreement – From £500

This service covers more detailed financial arrangements for unmarried couples, including cases involving multiple assets or unique financial considerations.

Please note: Not all agreements are automatically legally binding in England and Wales. However, if they are fair, properly executed, and both parties have obtained independent legal advice, they are likely to be upheld by the Family Court.