

### FSC Membership Application

Four easy steps to become a FSC member and support our work to inspire young people to understand and experience the natural world: **1. Complete your personal details** (in BLOCK CAPITALS please) **2. Decide on method of payment** **3. Make a Gift Aid declaration** (if applicable) **4. Return the completed form to Field Studies Council, Freepost SY 567, Shrewsbury SY4 1ZY**

#### 1. Personal Details

Title	Forename	Surname
Address		
County	Postcode	Telephone
Email address		

#### 2. Payment Details

**I wish to become an FSC Member and pay the annual membership fee of £36.**

Please select method of payment

- I enclose a cheque for the sum of £36 made payable to **Field Studies Council Ltd**
- Instruct my Bank/Building Society to pay by Direct Debit (please complete below)

#### Instruction to your bank or building society to pay by Direct Debit



Please fill in the whole form using a ball point pen:

##### Name and full postal address of your bank or building society

To: The Manager	Bank/building society
Address	
Postcode	

##### Name(s) of account holder(s)

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##### Bank/building society account number

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##### Branch sort code

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##### Service user number

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##### Reference (please leave blank)

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##### Instruction to your bank or building society

Please pay Field Studies Council Direct Debits from the account detailed in this Instruction subject to the safeguards assured by the Direct Debit Guarantee. I understand that this Instruction may remain with Field Studies Council and, if so, details will be passed electronically to my bank/building society.

Signature(s)
Date

#### 3. Gift Aid

*Increase the value of your subscription by 25%*

I confirm that I am a taxpayer and would like Field Studies Council to treat all donations I have made since 6 April 2011, and all donations I make from the date of this declaration, as Gift Aid donations, so that Field Studies Council can reclaim the tax until I notify you otherwise.

I understand I must pay an amount of income tax and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the amount of tax that all the charities that I donate to reclaim through Gift Aid, in the tax year.

Full name of taxpayer	Signature	Date
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## Welcome to Field Studies Council

### About Us

Field Studies Council, FSC, is the only environmental education charity dedicated solely to providing informative and enjoyable opportunities for people of all ages and abilities to discover, explore, be inspired by, and understand the natural environment.

*FSC believes that the more we know about the world around us the more we can appreciate its needs and protect its diversity and beauty for future generations.*

### Our Members

FSC members support our work to inspire young people to understand and experience the natural world including the wider benefits that a greater appreciation of nature can bring. All of your membership subscription provides financial support for young people to take part in an FSC experience through FSC Kids Fund, Bursary Fund, Young Darwin Scholarship or other similar initiatives.

### Member Information

A welcome pack will be sent to you by post within 2-3 weeks of receipt of your application. You will receive a membership card that is renewed annually. We produce a members' magazine *FSC Magazine* twice a year and you will also receive access to an exclusive members' preview of the annual leisure learning and professional development programme.

### Direct Debit

You will be sent reminders for your annual renewal. Direct Debits are in your control and can be altered at any time to suit your circumstances.

### Gift Aid

If you are a UK tax payer please sign the Gift Aid declaration. This means that we can reclaim tax from your membership subscription and any subsequent donations - at no additional cost to you.

For more information visit [www.field-studies-council.org](http://www.field-studies-council.org)

## Thank you for your support

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### The Direct Debit Guarantee



This Guarantee is offered by all banks and building societies that accept instructions to pay Direct Debits

- If there are any changes to the amount, date or frequency of your Direct Debit Field Studies Council will notify you 3 working days in advance of your account being debited or as otherwise agreed.
- If you request Field Studies Council to collect a payment, confirmation of the amount and date will be given to you at the time of the request
- If an error is made in the payment of your Direct Debit, by Field Studies Council or your bank or building society, you are entitled to a full and immediate refund of the amount paid from your bank or building society
- If you receive a refund you are not entitled to, you must pay it back when Field Studies Council asks you to
- You can cancel a Direct Debit at any time by simply contacting your bank or building society. Written confirmation may be required. Please also notify us.