

FORM OF APPLICATION

To the Director of Education

I wish ~~do not wish~~ to have my name registered so that my child/children may be sent to a safer area under the scheme for further evacuation which is now being prepared.

Name Mr Doris Fowler

Address 4 Hawthorn Street

Ardwick M/c

Date 20/5/1940
B.M.

Name of child(ren)	Age	School now attended (if any)	School attended last July
<u>Charles</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Bank Meadow</u>	<u>Bank Meadow</u>
<u>Dorren</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Deserete Manchester 3</u>	
		<u>Byrom Street Schools</u>	
		<u>Escorton Debt</u>	

If you wish your children to be registered you should sign the following undertaking:—

I undertake to see that my child/children is/are sent with the school party if evacuation is ordered, and I intend to leave him/them in the receiving area to which he/they is/are sent until the party returns.

Signature Doris Fowler

* Strike out whichever does not apply.



EVACUATION

THE GOVERNMENT HAVE DECIDED THAT IF THERE ARE AIR RAIDS YOU WILL HAVE ANOTHER CHANCE OF SENDING YOUR CHILDREN AWAY.

THIS TIME THE CHILDREN WILL NOT GO UNTIL AIR RAIDS MAKE IT NECESSARY.

THE NEW SCHEME WILL BE FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN WHO WERE AT SCHOOL LAST JULY, OR WHO HAVE REACHED THE AGE OF FIVE SINCE. IT APPLIES TO NO OTHERS.

NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO REGISTER YOUR CHILDREN FOR EVACUATION. FILL UP THIS PAPER AND RETURN IT AT ONCE.

You are free to make up your mind, but you must MAKE UP YOUR MIND NOW. It is your duty to do so for the sake of your children. The authorities cannot make their plans at all if they do not know how many they have got to provide for.

If you want any help or there is anything you do not understand go to the nearest school, where you will either be able to get help or you will be told where you can.

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ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

The Clerk to the Authority,

Evacuation Dept.,

Byrom Street Schools,

Deansgate, Manchester, 3.

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CITY OF MANCHESTER EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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*Registrations for
Evacuations*

June 1940

THE PRINCIPAL TEACHER,

INFANTS' DEPARTMENT,

BANK MEADOW MUNICIPAL SCHOOL,

PIN MILL BROW,

ARDWICK,

MANCHESTER, 12.

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Manchester Education Committee,
BANK MEADOW SCHOOL.
JUNIOR MIXED DEPARTMENT.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.



To the Parent or Guardian of

*FLORENCE WARD
4 SPRING GARDENS
ARDWICK*

Manchester 12

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THIS CANCELS ALL PREVIOUS NOTICES.

MINISTRY OF HEALTH MEMORANDUM EV. 8.

Notice to Parents of Children Registered for Evacuation.

Evacuation will not be ordered until air raids have taken place or it is clear that they are going to begin. It is not necessary to start evacuating all the big cities on the same day. For instance, Newcastle might be evacuated before it was necessary to evacuate London, or it might happen the other way round. Parents should therefore wait until instructions are given for evacuating your own town.

WHEN THE CHILDREN SHOULD REPORT FOR EVACUATION:—

IF EVACUATION WERE ORDERED THE ANNOUNCEMENT WOULD BE MADE BY WIRELESS, AND THE DAY WOULD BE STATED ON WHICH DAY EVACUATION WOULD BEGIN.

Parents should read the notices which will be displayed on all school notice boards, and will be the day on which evacuation will take place from the school concerned, and the time by which children must report for evacuation on that day.

WHERE THE CHILDREN SHOULD REPORT.

The general rule will be that a child will be evacuated from his or her own school, but parents of children attending different elementary schools may have their children evacuated together by sending them to the elementary school attended by the eldest child.

The children will be taken to areas which the Government believe to be safer than the evacuating areas. No part of the country can be said to be absolutely safe, the children will have a better chance outside crowded cities. It is not possible to move all the children to places where they are unlikely to see anything of the war. The numbers to be moved are far too large for this, but the Government think that all the places to which children will be sent will be safer than the towns from which they will come. You must remember that evacuation is a precaution against air attacks and that air attacks on land have not yet taken place in this country.

The children will be accompanied by teachers in school parties.

Cleanliness.—After evacuation had taken place last September complaints were made by householders receiving areas that some of the children were not clean. You will wish to be sure that this cannot be done about your own child and to do everything possible to make sure that he goes away with clean clothes, clean hair, and clean body. Children from the cleanest homes sometimes have the misfortune to get lice in their hair which they pick up from other children and, if you are at all doubtful about your child's head, it will be a wise precaution to comb it thoroughly with a small-tooth comb. Every mother will wish her child to be clean and tidy at his new home in a state in which he will be gladly welcomed.

Clothes and Equipment.—When evacuation is ordered your child should bring with him the following things:—
Gas mask. Change of underclothing. Spare stockings or socks. Toothbrush.
Identity card. Night clothes. House shoes or plimsolls. Comb.
Ration book. Handkerchiefs. Warm coat or mackintosh. Towel.
Food for the day.

Children should wear his warmest and thickest boots or shoes. The child's clothes should, if possible, be packed in a haversack or haversack which he can carry on his back so as to leave his hands free, rather than in a suitcase. The luggage must not be more than the child can carry. The other clothes that he will need can be carried in a suitcase.

Ration Books and Identity Cards.—Be sure your child has his ration book with him. If pages of his book have been deposited with retailers ask for their return and pin the pages in the ration book. If the child leaves before the pages have been recovered, forward them to your local Food Office.

The ration book and the identity card should be securely packed in the child's luggage and not given to anyone to hold.

If you want any further information ask the Head Teacher at the school from which you wish your child to be evacuated.

Information Offices,
1, Piccadilly, Manchester.

March, 1940.
Revised May, 1940.

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School _____
MANCHESTER
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I wish to register my child
Elizabeth Murphy for
evacuation.

N^o NKTA.90.6

Signed:—

M^{rs} Murphy.
58 Birch St.

Date of birth 7. 3. 34.

How family will be billeted
to M^{rs} Hawley
Lane side (fish chip shop)
Church Lane

207. 100 M.

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School _____
MANCHESTER
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I wish to register my son
George Craddock for
evacuation (N^o LFLG 171. 5)

Signed:—

G Craddock
23 Stinsworth St
Strawick
M^{rs}

(3. 6. 40)

Date of Birth 1. 8. 33
Evacuated with sister at Carl S

207. 100 M.

