



## Getting Started with Family History

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Bespoke Family History research with reports and/or trees, Research packages, One to One tuition, Support with DNA discoveries, Look ups in Archives, Talks on various family history topics.



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### Website

### Description

### Cost

<https://www.gro.gov.uk>

BMD certificate ordering

Free to search, certificates cost

<https://www.freebmd.org.uk>

Transcribed Civil Registration index of births, marriages and deaths for England and Wales

Free – transcription of index

<https://www.freereg.org.uk>

Transcribed records from parish registers, non-conformist records and other relevant sources in the UK.

Free – transcription of index

<https://www.ancestry.co.uk>

Main paid website.

Subscription

<https://www.findmypast.co.uk>

Great paid website, depends on where your family are from

Subscription

<https://www.myheritage.com>

Good paid website if have lots of non UK family

Subscription

<https://www.thegenealogist.co.uk>

Beautiful website for obscure resources, maps and best census images.

Subscription

<https://www.familysearch.org/en/>

Website sponsored by Jesus Church of Latter Day Saints.

Free, need to set up an account

<https://www.wikitree.com>

Grow an accurate single family tree that connects us all

Free

<https://www.findagrave.com>

The graves of ancestors, memorial transcriptions & photos

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(owned by Ancestry)



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<a href="https://www.scotlandspeople.gov.uk">https://www.scotlandspeople.gov.uk</a>	Scottish records	Pay per view  Need to set up account
<a href="https://probatesearch.service.gov.uk">https://probatesearch.service.gov.uk</a>	Wills/probate Govt. site	£1.50 per will .pdf email
<a href="https://genealogysupplies.com">https://genealogysupplies.com</a>	Broad range of family history research material, software, books, binders, and much more. software and data CDs	Purchase archive materials etc.
<a href="https://maps.nls.uk/geo/explore/side-by-side">https://maps.nls.uk/geo/explore/side-by-side</a>	Best maps ever, not just Scotland	Free, but copyright rules apply.
<a href="https://www.familysearch.org/en/wiki/">https://www.familysearch.org/en/wiki/</a>	Look up for information as to how to locate documents etc.	Free
<a href="https://www.genuki.org.uk">https://www.genuki.org.uk</a>	Library of genealogical information the UK & Ireland.	Free
<a href="https://www.british-history.ac.uk">https://www.british-history.ac.uk</a>	Collection volumes of primary and secondary content relating to British and Irish history	Free
<a href="https://www.lwmfhs.org.uk">https://www.lwmfhs.org.uk</a>	London Westminster & Middlesex Family History Society	From £12 per year  Virtual & live branch meetings/talks
<a href="https://www.hertsfhs.org.uk">https://www.hertsfhs.org.uk</a>	Hertfordshire Family History Society	From £9 per year Virtual & live branch meetings/talks
<a href="https://www.mackiev.com/ftm">https://www.mackiev.com/ftm</a>	Family Tree Maker software	Price: £79.95 (£49.95 upgrade)
<a href="https://www.family-historian.co.uk">https://www.family-historian.co.uk</a>	Family Historian software	Price: £59.95 (20–30 per cent upgrade discount)
<a href="https://www.rootsmagic.com">https://www.rootsmagic.com</a>	Roots Magic software	Price: £29.95-£59.95 (£19.95 upgrade)
<a href="https://www.sog.org.uk">https://www.sog.org.uk</a>	Library & Archive, online & actual library.	Annual membership from £54 per year Great on line classes
<a href="https://www.familyhistoryfederation.com">https://www.familyhistoryfederation.com</a>	Family history societies	Free list

