

CITY OF BARRIE MARRIAGE LICENCE REQUIREMENTS

Marriage Act, Section 35-(1) Every person who knowingly makes any false statement in any document required under this Act, in addition to any other penalty or punishment to which he may also be liable, is guilty of an offence and on conviction is liable to a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 or to imprisonment for a term of not more than one year, or to both.

PLEASE READ BEFORE COMPLETING THE MARRIAGE LICENCE APPLICATION

HOURS/ LOCATION:	Service Barrie, 70 Collier Street, 1 st Floor, Barrie, Ontario Monday to Friday - 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Appointments are encouraged at (705) 726-4242 .
FEE:	\$145.00 payable by Cash, Debit, VISA and/or MasterCard.
AGE REQUIREMENTS:	Applicants must be 18 years of age and over. Applicants 16 and 17 years of age require parental consent. The form "Consent of Parent or Guardian to Marriage" must be completed and signed by both parents/guardians. Please enquire at the Legislative and Court Services Office for further information.
IDENTIFICATION:	TWO (2) PIECES of original identification are required for both applicants confirming name, date of birth and signature: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Birth Certificate or Record of Landing or Permanent Residence Card or Canadian Citizenship Card accompanied with2) Government issued photo identification (i.e. Driver's Licence or Ontario Health Card with photo) or Ontario Photo ID Card. <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> Valid Passports are acceptable on their own and do not require a second piece of identification.
PREVIOUS MARRIAGES:	If either applicant is a widow or widower, the applicant is not required to produce a death certificate to obtain a Marriage Licence. Divorced in Canada: An original or court-certified copy of one (1) of the following documents is required to apply for a Marriage Licence: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Certificate of Divorce;• FINAL Decree; or• FINAL Judgement (Divorce Judgement is not acceptable). Out-of-Country Divorces: Divorces granted outside of Canada are required to apply to the provincial government to obtain an authorization to remarry in Ontario. This process can take up to four (4) weeks. For further information, please contact the Legislative and Court Services Office at (705) 739-4204 or Service Ontario at 1-800-461-2156.
INTERPRETERS:	If an interpreter is required, it is the responsibility of the applicant(s) to provide one.
EXPIRY DATE AND LICENCE VALIDITY:	A Marriage Licence is valid anywhere in Ontario for a period of three (3) months from the date of issue.
MARRIAGE CEREMONY:	It is the responsibility of the applicants to make arrangements to have the marriage ceremony performed. To access lists of officials, visit www.Ontario.ca or call Service Ontario at 1-800-461-2156.
PROCESSING TIME:	The approximate issuing time is 30 minutes.