ST MARY'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE:

YOUR CHILD'S NAME:

YOUR CHILD'S CLASS:

FIRST LANGUAGE SPOKEN

The School Census 2009 asks schools to make sure that a child's 'first language' is recorded, to provide an accurate picture of linguistic diversity in schools and also to provide information about an important aspect of each individual child, many of whom are bilingual.

Please let us know if your child was brought up to speak a language other than English, and continues to be exposed to this language at home or in the community. If your child uses another language as well as English, we would like to know which language this is.

Some children no longer use their first language, and this means either parents or the child will have to decide which language you prefer to have recorded.

PLEASE TICK ONE BOX

AFK	Afrikaans	GRE	Greek	PAT	Pashto/Pakhto
AKA	Akan/Twi-Fante	GUJ	Gujarati	PRS	Persian/Farsi
ALB	Albanian/Shqip	HIN	Hindi	POL	Polish
ARA	Arabic	IGA	Igala	POR	Portuguese
ARM	Armenian	ITA	Italian	RMN	Romanian
ASR	Assyrian/Aramaic	JPN	Japanese	RME	Romany/English Romanes
BNG	Bengali	KAS	Kashmiri	RUS	Russian
BNGS	Bengali (Sylheti)	KCH	Katchi	SCB	Serbian/ Croatian
BIK	Bikol	KNK	Konkani	SHO	Shona
BSL	British Sign Language	KOR	Korean	SNH	Sinhala
BUL	Bulgarian	KUR	Kurdish	SLO	Slovak
ВМА	Burmese/Myanma	LTV	Latvian	SOM	Somali
CCE	Caribbean Creole English	LIN	Lingala	SPA	Spanish
CCF	Caribbean Creole French	LIT	Lithuanian	SWA	Swahili/Kiswahili
CWA	Chichewa/Nyanja	LGA	Luganda	SWE	Swedish
CHI	Chinese	LUO	Luo	TGL	Tagalog/Filipino
CZE	Czech	MAK	Makua	TAM	Tamil
DAN	Danish	MLY	Malay/Indonesian	TEL	Telugu
PRSD	Dari Persian	MLM	Malayalam	THA	Thai
DUT	Dutch/Flemish	MLT	Maltese	TRI	Traveller Irish/Shelta
ENG	English*	MAR	Marathi	TUR	Turkish
FIN	Finnish	MSC	Mauritian/Seychelles Creole	UKR	Ukrainian
FRN	French	NDB	Ndebele	URD	Urdu
GAA	Ga	NEP	Nepali	VIE	Vietnamese
GAE	Gaelic/Irish	NOR	Norwegian	CYM	Welsh/Cymraeg
GER	German	PNJ	Panjabi	YOR	Yoruba

If your child's first language is not listed, please tell us here