

Parish of St John Vianney Catholic Church

West Green



Once completed, this form should be returned to  
either the Candidate to be confirmed  
or direct to:

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**ST. JOHN VIANNEY**



**CONFIRMATION SPONSOR**

INFORMATION BOOKLET  
AND CONSENT FORM

To be invited to be a Confirmation Sponsor is always a great honour, and at the same time it brings with it certain responsibilities.



The role of the Confirmation Sponsor involves much more than simply standing behind the Candidate as the bishop confirms. It is the beginning or the continuation of a lasting relationship of mentoring and guidance.

The prayers and support of the Sponsor are an important part of preparation for Confirmation, and helps the Confirmation Candidate live his or her baptismal promises both before and after Confirmation.

The Church asks the Sponsors to become actively involved in the life and spiritual growth of the Candidate and parents by:

- Giving an example of Christian living
- Encouraging them to be faithful members of the Church
- Praying for them

This means that a Sponsor should be a person who is in regular contact with, and is involved in the life of the family of the Candidate to be confirmed.

You should only accept the invitation to be a Sponsor if you are sincerely prepared to accept these responsibilities. To be a Sponsor, you also need to be:

- Over 18 years of age
- Baptised and Confirmed in the Catholic Church
- Living according to the Catholic faith

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
have been asked to be a Confirmation Sponsor for

\_\_\_\_\_  
I am aware of the responsibilities of a Sponsor and with the help of God; I am willing to accept them.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Details (Please Print)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

Date & Place of Baptism: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date & Place of Confirmation: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please ask your Priest to countersign this document

The above is a Roman Catholic known to me      Yes / No

The above is a regular practising Roman Catholic      Yes / No

Priest's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Priest's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Parish Stamp