

Membership form (1st April 2026 – 31st March 2027)

1) Your details: PLEASE USE BLACK INK

Full Name:	_____	Title:	_____
Email*:	_____		
Address:	_____		

Postcode	_____	Telephone:	_____

2) Fees and how to pay

Annual membership includes a fee paid to our umbrella organization, the u3a Third Age Trust for administrative services, member benefits, online learning opportunities, and some insurance. Their quarterly magazine (Third Age Matters or TAM) is optional at £4.20/year.

Annual fees per person:
(Tick one only)

- Membership, without TAM = **£10**
- Membership with TAM = **£14.20**
- Membership if joining after 31st December = **£6**
- Member of another u3a joining ONE Woodspring Group = **Free**
- Member of another u3a, access to all our Groups = **£6**

How to pay

- Bank transfer to Woodspring u3a, sort code 54-30-06, account 34318836 (preferred method)
Please use your **full name** as reference (do not put u3a subs)
- Cheque to 'Woodspring u3a'. Post to us at the address overleaf
- Cash – exact money only, in an envelope with this form – address overleaf

3) Member information (all policies available on <https://woodspring.u3asite.uk/documents>)

Code of conduct: All members are expected to:

- Act in the best interests of the u3a
- Treat everyone with dignity and respect regardless of their age, gender, ability, race, cultural background, sexual orientation or religious belief
- Maintain a respectful attitude towards the opinions of others
- Abide by the u3a policies and procedures
- Advise the committee of any change in personal contact details

Please turn page over to sign this form

Privacy Policy summary

As a member of Woodspring u3a the information you supply will be stored securely and used:

- to communicate with you as a u3a member
- to share with group leaders for those groups of which you are a member
- to send you general information about the Third Age Trust, the national organisation to which u3as are affiliated
- for the direct mailing list for Third Age Trust magazines (Third Age Matters) and the company who oversee the distribution of Trust magazines for those who choose to subscribe
- for group leaders: the phone and email details you supply will be used to provide members and potential members with a contact point for enquiries about your group

If you resign or fail to renew, your electronic records will be deleted within 1 month and paper records within 3 months. You can request that your data are not to be used for any of the above purposes at any time by contacting the Membership Secretary (details below).

4) Gift Aid Declaration:

You could boost your donation by 25p of Gift Aid for every £1 of the eligible portion of your membership fee. Gift Aid is reclaimed by the charity from the tax you pay for the current tax year.

In order to Gift Aid your donations you must tick the box below:

Yes I want to Gift Aid my current and future donations. I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax in the current tax year than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations it is my responsibility to pay any difference.

No I do not want to Gift Aid my donations

Please notify Woodspring u3a if you want to cancel this declaration, you change your name or home address, or no longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains

5) Your signature:

I apply for membership of Woodspring u3a and confirm that I will abide by the membership Code of Conduct above.

Bank transfer made or Cheque enclosed or Cash enclosed

Signature:

Date:

Please sign and return this form to the Membership Secretary:

Dr Sarah Hewlett, 16 Longacre, Clevedon, BS21 7YX (01275 876199)

Or scan/photograph and email to s.hewlett103@gmail.com

Once your application and fee have been received, we will confirm your membership number.

Woodspring u3a Registered Charity 12155278. Full information at www.u3asites.org.uk/woodspring

Information about the national u3a can be found at www.u3a.org.uk/