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Clarification for the Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) Application Form and Notes for academic year 2022/23 for Ukraine Schemes

A new residence question for Ukraine Schemes has been added to printed versions of the EMA Application Form and Application Notes from 24 July 2022.

If you have been granted leave to enter or remain under a Ukraine Scheme and have a previous copy of the form, you should complete question 5.17 on page 18 and state you have been granted Refugee Status.

Page 17 of the updated application form, Section 5, question 5.17 now says -

5.17 Have you been granted leave to enter or remain under a Ukraine Scheme?

By Ukraine Scheme we mean:
- the Ukraine Family Scheme;
- the Homes for Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme; or
- the Ukraine Extension Scheme.

☐ **No** – go to **5.18**

☐ **Yes** – Home Office reference number

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Date latest status granted
Day – Month – Year
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Date this status is due to expire
Day – Month – Year
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Have you lived outside the UK and Islands since your latest status was granted?

☐ **No** – go to **Section 7**

☐ **Yes** – go to **6.2**

Page 22 of the updated application form, Section 6, question 6.2 now says -

"If you have been granted:

- leave to enter or remain under a Ukraine Scheme;

only provide address history from when you received the status."

You only need to provide up to a maximum of 3 years. An extra bullet point has been added to advise this on the downloadable version of the form.

Page 15 of the updated application notes, Section 5, question 5.17 - you should send the evidence requested for Ukraine Schemes which now says -

"Ukraine Schemes - If you have been granted leave to enter or remain under a Ukraine Scheme, you will have received an immigration status document from the UK Home Office confirming this.

Please send your Biometric Residence Permit, or your passport with a vignette, or your passport with your 'permission to travel' document.

We will only use your Biometric Residence Permit or 'permission to travel' document to validate your identity and residency status, no other data from it will be used or stored.