

**Barnardo's Family History Service**  
**Organisations helping people trace**  
**Family in the armed forces**



This is a chargeable service.

**ARMYRECORDS/RAF/RFC/RNAS/  
Records/ Royal Navy/ Merchant Navy  
(Pre 1921)**

The National Archives  
Record Enquiries  
Ruskin Avenue  
Kew, Richmond  
Surrey  
TW9 4DU  
Tel: 020 8876 3444  
[www.nationalarchives.gov.uk](http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk)

**ARMY RECORDS (Post 1921) & NAVY RECORDS & R.A.F RECORDS**

Service Personnel and Veterans Agency  
Norcross  
Thomton Cleveleys,  
Lancashire  
FY5 3WP

Email: [Veterans.help@spva.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:Veterans.help@spva.gsi.gov.uk)

[www.veterans-uk.info/servicerecords/servicerecords.html](http://www.veterans-uk.info/servicerecords/servicerecords.html)  
Free Veterans helpline: 0800 169 2277

The Army Records Office may also have records of Commonwealth Forces and other forces who fought under British Command e.g. Polish Air Force records.

\* MOD advise that they only hold 40% of the original records. The remaining 60% were lost during World War II.