

**THE EMIRATES FA CUP
SEASON 2018-2019
LIST OF EXEMPTIONS**

44 CLUBS EXEMPT TO THIRD ROUND PROPER

AFC Bournemouth	Fulham FC	Queens Park Rangers FC
Arsenal FC	Huddersfield Town FC	Reading FC
Aston Villa FC	Hull City	Rotherham United FC
Birmingham City FC	Ipswich Town FC	Sheffield United FC
Blackburn Rovers FC	Leeds United AFC	Sheffield Wednesday FC
Bolton Wanderers FC	Leicester City FC	Southampton FC
Brentford FC	Liverpool FC	Stoke City FC
Brighton & Hove Albion FC	Manchester City FC	Swansea City FC
Bristol City FC	Manchester United FC	Tottenham Hotspur FC
Burnley FC	Middlesbrough FC	Watford FC
Cardiff City FC	Millwall FC	West Bromwich Albion FC
Chelsea FC	Newcastle United FC	West Ham United FC
Crystal Palace FC	Norwich City FC	Wigan Athletic FC
Derby County FC	Nottingham Forest FC	Wolverhampton Wanderers FC
Everton FC	Preston North End FC	

48 CLUBS EXEMPT TO FIRST ROUND PROPER

Accrington Stanley FC	Doncaster Rovers FC	Oxford United FC
AFC Wimbledon	Exeter City FC	Peterborough United FC
Barnsley FC	Fleetwood Town FC	Plymouth Argyle FC
Blackpool FC	Forest Green Rovers FC	Port Vale FC
Bradford City FC	Gillingham FC	Portsmouth FC
Bristol Rovers FC	Grimsby Town FC	Rochdale AFC
Burton Albion FC	Lincoln City FC	Scunthorpe United FC
Bury FC	Luton Town FC	Shrewsbury Town FC
Cambridge United FC	Macclesfield Town FC	Southend United FC
Carlisle United FC	Mansfield Town FC	Stevenage FC
Charlton Athletic FC	Milton Keynes Dons FC	Sunderland AFC
Cheltenham Town FC	Morecambe FC	Swindon Town FC
Colchester United FC	Newport County AFC	Tranmere Rovers FC
Coventry City FC	Northampton Town FC	Walsall FC
Crawley Town FC	Notts County FC	Wycombe Wanderers FC
Crewe Alexandra FC	Oldham Athletic FC	Yeovil Town FC

24 CLUBS EXEMPT TO FOURTH ROUND QUALIFYING

AFC Fylde	Dagenham & Redbridge FC	Havant & Waterlooville FC
Aldershot Town FC	Dover Athletic FC	Leyton Orient FC
Barnet FC	Eastleigh FC	Maidenhead United FC
Barrow AFC	Ebbsfleet United FC	Maidstone United FC
Boreham Wood FC	FC Halifax Town	Salford City FC
Braintree Town FC	Gateshead FC	Solihull Moors FC
Bromley FC	Harrogate Town FC	Sutton United FC
Chesterfield FC	Hartlepool United FC	Wrexham FC

44 CLUBS EXEMPT TO SECOND ROUND QUALIFYING

AFC Telford United	Curzon Ashton FC	Nuneaton Borough FC
Alfreton Town FC	Darlington FC	Oxford City FC
Altrincham FC	Dartford FC	Slough Town FC
Ashton United FC	Dulwich Hamlet FC	Southport FC
Bath City FC	East Thurrock United FC	Spennymoor Town FC
Billericay Town FC	Eastbourne Borough FC	St Albans City FC
Blyth Spartans AFC	FC United Of Manchester	Stockport County FC
Boston United FC	Gloucester City FC	Torquay United FC
Brackley Town FC	Guiseley AFC	Truro City FC
Bradford (Park Avenue) FC	Hampton & Richmond Borough FC	Wealdstone FC
Chelmsford City FC	Hemel Hempstead Town FC	Welling United FC
Chester FC	Hereford FC	Weston Super Mare FC
Chippenham Town FC	Hungerford Town FC	Woking FC
Chorley FC	Kidderminster Harriers FC	York City FC
Concord Rangers FC	Leamington FC	

72 CLUBS EXEMPT TO FIRST ROUND QUALIFYING

AFC Hornchurch	Harlow Town FC	Redditch United FC
Banbury United FC	Harrow Borough FC	Royston Town FC
Barwell FC	Hednesford Town FC	Rushall Olympic FC
Basford United FC	Hendon FC	Scarborough Athletic FC
Basingstoke Town FC	Hitchin Town FC	South Shields FC
Biggleswade Town FC	Kettering Town FC	St Ives Town FC
Bishop's Cleeve FC	Kings Langley FC	St Neots Town FC
Bognor Regis Town FC	King's Lynn Town FC	Stafford Rangers FC
Brightlingsea Regent FC	Kingstonian FC	Staines Town FC
Burgess Hill Town FC	Lancaster City FC	Stalybridge Celtic FC
Buxton FC	Leatherhead FC	Stourbridge FC
Chesham United FC	Leiston FC	Stratford Town FC
Coalville Town FC	Lowestoft Town FC	Tamworth FC
Dorchester Town FC	Margate FC	Taunton Town FC
Dorking Wanderers FC	Marine FC	Tiverton Town FC
Enfield Town FC	Matlock Town FC	Tonbridge Angels FC
Farnborough FC	Merstham FC	Warrington Town FC
Farsley Celtic FC	Merthyr Town FC	Weymouth FC
Folkestone Invicta FC	Metropolitan Police FC	Whitby Town FC
Frome Town FC	Mickleover Sports FC	Whitehawk FC
Gainsborough Trinity FC	Nantwich Town FC	Wingate & Finchley FC
Gosport Borough FC	Needham Market FC	Witton Albion FC
Grantham Town FC	North Ferriby United FC	Workington AFC
Halesowen Town FC	Poole Town FC	Worthing FC

**Due to the restructuring of The FA National League System which has affected Step 3 and 4, there will be 16 Step 3 Clubs that are not exempt to the First Round Qualifying and will instead enter the Competition in the Preliminary Round. These Clubs will be the 16 lowest ranked newly promoted Step 3 Clubs based on their points per game (PPG) from the 2017-2018 season.*

136 CLUBS EXEMPT TO PRELIMINARY ROUND

AFC Dunstable	Didcot Town FC	Northwood FC
AFC Rushden & Diamonds	Droylsden FC	Ossett United FC
AFC Sudbury	Dunstable Town FC	Paulton Rovers FC
AFC Totton	East Grinstead Town FC	Peterborough Sports FC
Alvechurch FC	Egham Town FC	Phoenix Sports FC
Ashford Town (Middx) FC	Evesham United FC	Pontefract Collieries
Ashford United FC	Faversham Town FC	Potters Bar Town FC
Atherton Collieries FC	Felixstowe & Walton United FC	Prescot Cables FC
Aveley FC	Fleet Town FC	Radcliffe FC
Aylesbury FC	Frickley Athletic FC	Ramsbottom United FC
Aylesbury United FC	Glossop North End FC	Ramsgate FC
Bamber Bridge FC	Grays Athletic FC	Romford FC
Barking FC	Great Wakering Rovers FC	Salisbury FC
Barnstaple Town FC	Greenwich Borough FC	Sheffield FC
Barton Rovers FC	Gresley FC	Sittingbourne FC
Beaconsfield Town FC	Hanwell Town FC	Skelmersdale United FC
Bedford Town FC	Haringey Borough FC	Slimbridge AFC
Bedworth United FC	Hartley Wintney FC	Soham Town Rangers FC
Belper Town FC	Hastings United FC	South Park FC
Bideford AFC	Hayes & Yeading United FC	Spalding United FC
Blackfield & Langley FC	Herne Bay FC	Stamford AFC
Bowers & Pitsea FC	Hertford Town FC	Stocksbridge Park Steels FC
Brentwood Town FC	Heybridge Swifts FC	Street FC
Brighouse Town FC	Horsham FC	Sutton Coldfield Town FC
Bristol Manor Farm FC	Hyde United FC	Swindon Supermarine FC
Bromsgrove Sporting FC	Hythe Town FC	Tadcaster Albion FC
Bury Town FC	Kempston Rovers FC	Thame United FC
Cambridge City FC	Kendal Town FC	Thamesmead Town FC
Canvey Island FC	Kidlington FC	Thatcham Town FC
Carlton Town FC	Kidsgrove Athletic FC	Tilbury FC
Carshalton Athletic FC	Larkhall Athletic FC	Tooting & Mitcham United FC
Chalfont St Peter AFC	Leek Town FC	Trafford FC
Chasetown FC	Lewes FC	Uxbridge FC
Cheshunt FC	Lincoln United FC	VCD Athletic FC
Chipstead FC	Loughborough Dynamo FC	Waltham Abbey FC
Cinderford Town FC	Maldon & Tiptree FC	Walton Casuals FC
Cirencester Town FC	Mangotsfield United FC	Ware FC
Cleethorpes Town FC	Market Drayton Town FC	Welwyn Garden City FC
Clitheroe FC	Marlow FC	Westfield FC
Coggeshall Town FC	Marske United FC	Whyteleafe FC
Colne FC	Mildenhall Town FC	Wimborne Town FC
Colwyn Bay FC	Molesey FC	Winchester City FC
Corby Town FC	Moneyfields FC	Witham Town FC
Corinthian Casuals FC	Mossley AFC	Yate Town FC
Cray Wanderers FC	Newcastle Town FC	
Dereham Town FC	North Leigh FC	

**Due to the restructuring of The FA National League System which has affected Step 3 and 4, there will be 18 Step 4 Clubs that are not exempt to the Preliminary Round and will instead enter the Competition in the Extra Preliminary Round. These Clubs will be the 18 lowest ranked newly promoted Step 4 Clubs based on their points per game (PPG) from the 2017-2018 season.*