

**THE WOMEN'S FA CUP
SEASON 2025-26
LIST OF EXEMPTIONS**

12 CLUBS EXEMPT TO FOURTH ROUND PROPER (Women's Super League)

Arsenal Women FC	Everton FC Women	Manchester City Women FC
Aston Villa Women FC	Leicester City Women FC	Manchester United Women FC
Brighton & Hove Albion Women FC	Liverpool FC Women	Tottenham Hotspur FC Women
Chelsea FC Women	London City Lionesses LFC	West Ham United Women FC

12 CLUBS EXEMPT TO THIRD ROUND PROPER (Women's Championship)

Birmingham City Women FC	Durham Women FC	Portsmouth FC Women
Bristol City Women FC	Ipswich Town FC Women	Sheffield United FC Women
Charlton Athletic Women FC	Newcastle United Women FC	Southampton FC Women
Crystal Palace Women FC	Nottingham Forest Women FC	Sunderland AFC Women

24 CLUBS EXEMPT TO FIRST ROUND PROPER (Women's National League Premier Division)

AFC Bournemouth Women	Halifax FC Women	Plymouth Argyle Women FC
AFC Wimbledon Women	Hashtag United FC Women	Real Bedford Women FC
Billericay Town Women FC	Hull City Ladies	Rugby Borough Women FC
Burnley FC Women	Lewes FC Women	Sporting Khalsa Women FC
Cheltenham Town Women FC	Liverpool Feds WFC	Stoke City FC Women
Derby County FC Women	Loughborough Lightning Women FC	Watford FC Women
Exeter City Women FC	Middlesbrough FC Women	West Bromwich Albion Women FC
Gwalia United FC	Oxford United Women FC	Wolverhampton Wanderers Women FC

48 CLUBS EXEMPT TO THIRD ROUND QUALIFYING (Women's National League Division 1)

Abingdon United Women FC	Doncaster Rovers Belles LFC	Northampton Town FC Women
Actonians Women FC	Dulwich Hamlet FC Women	Norton & Stockton Ancients FC Ladies
AFC Sudbury Women	Durham Cestria LFC	Norwich City Women FC
Ascot United Women FC	Fulham FC Women	Notts County Women FC
Barnsley Women's FC	Huddersfield Town Women FC	Peterborough United Women FC
Blackburn Rovers Women FC	Keynsham Town Ladies FC	Portishead Town Ladies FC
Boldmere St Michaels Women FC	Kidderminster Harriers Women FC	Queens Park Rangers FC Women
Bournemouth Sports Ladies FC	Leaffield Athletic Ladies FC	Sheffield FC Women
Bridgwater United Women FC	Leeds United Women FC	Stockport County LFC
Bristol Rovers Women's FC	Lincoln United Women FC	Stourbridge FC Women
Cambridge United Women FC	London Bees WFC	Sutton Coldfield Town Ladies FC
Chatham Town Women FC	Luton Town Ladies FC	Swindon Town Women FC
Cheadle Town Stingers WFC	Maidenhead United Women FC	Worcester City Women FC
Chesham United FC Women	Marine Academy Plymouth LFC	Worthing FC Women
Chester-Le-Street Town Ladies FC	Milton Keynes Dons FC Women	Wythenshawe Women FC
Chorley Women FC	Moneyfields FC Women	York City Ladies FC

93 CLUBS EXEMPT TO SECOND ROUND QUALIFYING (Tier 5)

AEK Boco Ladies FC	Aylesford LFC	Brunsmear Athletic AFC Women
AFC Fylde Women	Badshot Lea Ladies FC	Burton Albion LFC
AFC Portchester Ladies	Barking Women FC	Bury FC Women
AFC St Austell Ladies	Beaconsfield Town FC Women	Chesterfield Ladies FC
Alnwick Town Ladies FC	Bishops Lydeard Ladies AFC	Coundon Court FC Ladies
Alvechurch Women FC	Bolton Wanderers Women FC	Coventry Sphinx Ladies FC
Anstey Nomads Women FC	Bowers & Pitsea Ladies FC	Crewe Alexandra Women FC
Ashford Town (Middx) FC Women	Bradford City AFC Women	Curzon Ashton FC Women
Athletico London Women FC	Brentford FC Women	Dartford FC Women

Darwen FC Women	Mancunian Unity Women FC	Solihull Moors Women FC
Dorking Wanderers Women FC	Mansfield Town Ladies FC	South Shields Women FC
Dussindale & Hellesdon Women FC	Millwall Lionesses LFC	Southampton Women's FC
Ebbsfleet United Women FC	Newhaven LFC	Spennymoor Town Ladies FC
Enfield Town Ladies FC	Ossett United Ladies FC	Sport London e Benfica Ladies FC
FC United of Manchester Women	Oxford City Women FC	St Albans City Women FC
Fleet Town FC Women	Ponteland United Women FC	Stamford AFC Women
Fleetwood Town Wrens LFC	Poole Town Ladies FC	Stevenage FC Women
Forest Green Rovers Women FC	Port Vale Women FC	Sunderland West End Ladies FC
Frampton Rangers LFC	Poulton Victoria Ladies FC	Sutton United Women FC
Gainsborough Trinity Women FC	Pucklechurch Sports Ladies AFC	Thornaby FC Women
Gloucester City Women's AFC	Reading FC Women	Torquay United Women FC
Haringey Borough Women's FC	Redditch Borough Women FC	Tranmere Rovers Women FC
Harpenden Town Women FC	Rotherham United Women FC	Wallsend BC Women FC
Harrogate Town AFC Women	Royston Town Women FC	Watford Ladies FC
Hednesford Town Ladies FC	Saltash United Women FC	Wellingborough Town Ladies FC
Hutton FC Women	Saltdean United FC Women	West Didsbury & Chorlton Women FC
Ilminster Town LFC	Sherborne Town Ladies FC	Winchester City Flyers FC Ladies
Leek Town Women FC	Shifnal Town Ladies FC	Woodley United LFC
Lincoln City Women FC	Sholing Women FC	Wroxham FC Women
Loughborough Foxes Vixens LFC	Shrewsbury Town Women FC	Wycombe Wanderers Women FC
Lye Town Ladies FC	SJR Worksop Women FC	York RI AFC Women

160 CLUBS EXEMPT TO FIRST ROUND QUALIFYING (Tier 6)

Accrington Stanley Women FC	Chelmsford City Women FC	Havant & Waterlooville Women FC
AFC Crewe Women	Chester FC Women	Haywards Heath Town Women FC
AFC Greenwich Borough Women	Chesterfield FC Women	Hereford FC Women
AFC Stoneham Ladies	Cirencester Town Ladies FC	Hereford Pegasus FC Ladies
AFC Telford United Ladies	Clapton Community FC Women	Herne Bay FC Women
AFC Varsity Women	Cleethorpes Town Ladies FC	Hertford Town Women FC
Altrincham FC Women	Coalville Town Women FC	Histon FC Ladies
Andover New Street Ladies FC	Colchester United Women FC	Hitchin Belles Women FC
Applodore Women FC	Colney Heath FC Ladies	i2i International Soccer Women FC
Arnold Eagles Women FC	Consett AFC Ladies	Ilkley Town AFC Women
Asfordby Amateurs Ladies FC	Corsham Town Women FC	Kidlington Youth Ladies FC
Ashford United Ladies FC	Crusaders Ladies FC	Kingfisher Women FC
Ashmount Leigh Ladies FC	Denham United Ladies FC	Knowle Ladies FC
Ashton Town Ladies FC	Downend Flyers Ladies FC	Leatherhead FC Women
Atherton LR Ladies FC	Droitwich Spa Ladies FC	Leeds Modernians Women FC
Basford United Ladies FC	Dronfield Town Women FC	Leicester City Ladies FC
Bath City Women FC	Dunstable Town Ladies FC	Lichfield City Women FC
Beaumont Park Women FC	Dunton & Broughton United Ladies FC	Long Eaton United LFC
Belper Town Ladies FC	Eastbourne Borough FC Women	Long Itchington Women FC
Bemerton Heath Harlequins Ladies FC	Farnborough FC Women	Lower Hopton AFC Ladies
Bexhill United Ladies FC	Farnham Town Women FC	Macclesfield FC Women
Biggleswade United Women FC	FC Farsley Women	Manchester Laces Ladies FC
Birtley Town Ladies FC	FC St Helens Women	Mangotsfield United Women FC
Bitton AFC Ladies	Feniton Women's FC	Melbourne Dynamos Ladies FC
Blackpool FC Girls & Ladies	Frimley Green FC Women	Millmoor Juniors FC Ladies
Bognor Regis Town Women FC	Fulbourn Bluebirds WFC	Milton United FC Ladies (Berks & Bucks)
Brackley Town Ladies FC	Gateshead Rutherford AFC Ladies	Montpelier Villa Women FC
Brantham Athletic FC Ladies	Grimsby Town Women FC	Morecambe FC Women
Bromley FC Women	Hackney Women's FC	Mossley Hill Athletic Women FC
Bromsgrove Sporting Ladies FC	Halesowen Town FC Women	MSB Woolton LFC
Bursledon Ladies FC	Handsworth Ladies FC	Mulbarton Wanderers Women FC
Cambridge City Women's FC	Hartlepool United Ladies FC	Nantwich Town FC Women
Camden Town Women FC	Haslingden Girls & Ladies FC	Needham Market Women FC
Chasetown FC Women	Hastings United Women FC	Netherton United LFC

New Bradwell St Peter Ladies FC
Newark Town Ladies FC
Newcastle Town FC Women
Newmarket Town LFC
Newport Pagnell Town Women FC
Nottingham Trent University Women FC
Nursling & Shirley Women FC
Park View AFC Women
Paulton Rovers Ladies FC
Penn & Tylers Green Ladies FC
Penrith AFC Ladies
Pilkington FC Women
Preston North End FC Women
Radcliffe FC Women
Redcar Town Ladies FC
Redditch United Women FC
Richmond & Kew FC Women
River City Women & Girls FC
Rochdale AFC Women
Rossington Main Ladies FC

Royal Wootton Bassett Town Women FC
Rugby Town Women FC
Runcorn Linnets Ladies FC
Salford City Lionesses LFC
Sevenoaks Town Ladies FC
Shaftesbury Ladies FC
She Can Play Panthers Ladies FC
Sheffield Wednesday Ladies FC
Sherwood FC Women
Sleaford Town Ladies FC
Soccer Elite Academy Women FC
Solihull Sporting Ladies FC
Southend United Ladies FC
Stanground Cardea Sports Ladies FC
Stanway Pegasus Ladies FC
Steyning Town Community Women FC
Stockton Town Ladies FC
Telford Town Ladies FC
Thetford Town Ladies FC
Thrapston Town FC Women

Tilehurst Panthers Women FC
Toby Ladies FC
University of Nottingham Women's FC
Walsall FC Women
Walsall Wood Ladies FC
Warrington Town Women FC
Washington FC Women
Wells City Ladies FC
West Bridgford Colts Ladies FC
Weston Super Mare AFC Women
Weymouth FC Women
Whitchurch Alport Women FC
Whitchurch Ladies FC
Wigan Athletic Girls & Ladies FC
Wimborne Town FC Women
Wirral Phoenix Ladies FC
Wormley Rovers Ladies FC
Yeovil Town Women FC