

Apprentices Registers 1710-1760

The County Registers records the names of apprentices and their masters. The registers record the payment of duties on apprenticeship indentures, which came into force on 1 May 1710 as a result of an act of Parliament the previous year. Duty was liable on all indentures at the rate of 6d in the £ on premiums of £50 and under, and 1s. in the £ on larger sums, and was paid at

either Devizes or Salisbury. Duty was normally payable by the master or mistress, except in cases where an apprentice was placed out at public charge or charity. Some Wiltshire apprentices were placed outside Wiltshire in neighbouring counties, and apprentices from other counties were sometimes placed in Wiltshire. Information contained in the register generally includes: Apprentice's name, parentage, abode and parent's occupation; master's name, employment and abode; date of indenture; term of apprenticeship, if other than 7 years; premium paid. Later entries do not always include so much information.

NAME OF CANDIDATE		PARENTS NAMES							
SURNAME	GIVEN NAMES	SURNAME	FATHER	MOTHER	MOTHER MAIDEN NAME	NOTES ABOUT PARENTS & OTHER INFORMATION			
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NAME OF MASTER		OCCUPATION	!			INDENTURE DETAILS			
SURNAME	GIVEN	OR INDUSTRY	ADDRESS OF MASTER			INDENTORE DETAILS			
	NAMES					DATE		PREMIUM	DURATION
						YEAR	DATE	FKEINION	DUNATION
Ingram	Sarah	Mantua-Maker	Salisbury			1756	01-Nov	£10	4 years