

# Welcome



**Thank you for applying  
to North Ayrshire  
Council to find out  
more about Adoption.**

This pack should provide you with some of the information you require to help you make an informed decision about whether Adoption is right for you and your family at this time.

The pack gives a brief description of what it means to adopt a child, why children need to be adopted, who these children are, and what support you will receive once approved as an adopter.

It also includes information on who can adopt, how you can apply to us to become an adopter, and what the process involves.

**We hope you find the  
information helpful.**