

Children's files, Fairbridge Farm School

1938 – 1973

To access these records:

Please contact the Care Leaver Records Access Unit, Community Services:

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Website: <https://www.facs.nsw.gov.au/families/out-of-home-care/about-out-of-home-care/were-you-in-out-of-home-care>

Records Location

These records are held by [Department of Communities and Justice, State Government of New South Wales \(2019 - current\)](#)

Details

The following information is contained on the files: name of child; child's date of birth, and in some cases a Certificate of Birth; religion; education and scholastic ability; character; illnesses; name of mother (if known); name of father (if known); and where child came from. Following the child's arrival at the Fairbridge Farm School, the information kept on the file would include: school records; an index to letters to and from the child; and medical and dental records. In some cases there is information about employment placements.

Quantity: 900 files (approx.)

Access Conditions

Access to these records is restricted. People wishing to access restricted records can either contact their nearest Community Services Centre to apply or they can post the information; an application form must be completed together with proof of identity provided..

More info

Organisations in these records

Related Organisations

- [Fairbridge Farm Schools \(1935 - 1973\)](#)
- [Fairbridge Farm School, Molong \(1938 - 1973\)](#)
- [Fairbridge Foundation \(c. 1973 - c. 2016\)](#)

Fairbridge Foundation held the Children's files, Fairbridge Farm School until 2017.

Date: 1973 - 2017