



2026 ECB Media Accreditation Application Requirements

1. Proof of published work

All applicants must provide proof of relevant (cricket and/or other sports) published work, which must be from the last **3 years**. You can provide any of the following:

- A PDF with links to your work
- A PDF of screenshots of articles/images/publications
- Scanned copies of newspaper articles/images

****Please ensure your proof of work includes a clear date of publishing and your name.****

2. Letter of Endorsement

A Letter of Endorsement is much like a reference. All letters of endorsement **must** include contact details of the author and be on headed paper.

If you are employed by an agency/publication/media outlet: a letter from your editor (or equivalent) stating your employment for the 2026 season.

If you are freelance: a letter/s from a recent editor/s (or equivalent) stating your previous employment.

We will **not** accept the following:

- a letter written by the applicant themselves
- emails from editors (or equivalent), or screenshots of email correspondence

3. Headshot

Your headshot should be much like a passport or license photo (except you can smile!). Please ensure your headshot:

- is current (within the last **18 months**)
- is a true likeness to your current appearance
- is a good quality, clear image
- has a plain, pale background
- is taken looking straight ahead at the camera

Headshots will **not** be accepted if:

- you are wearing sunglasses or a hat
- the image is poor quality
- your headshot has a filter applied
- the image is black and white

****Your application will not be accepted if you do not provide a suitable headshot****

4. Public Liability Insurance (PHOTOGRAPHERS ONLY)

All photographers must show proof of Public Liability Insurance. PLI must:

- be current for the 2026 season
- cover for an amount not less than £5million for any one occurrence and not less than £20million in aggregate and free from any restrictions or exclusions in respect of their activities at the venue

5. Further Documentation (OPTIONAL)

It is not compulsory, however you may upload further evidence to support your application if you wish. Relevant further documentation could include:

- Summary of relevant past employment/contracts (or CV)
- Contact details of additional referees
- Further proof of published work
- Any other documentation relevant to your application