

SOUTH KOREA

VISA REQUIREMENTS

All passengers making use of the Visas International Johannesburg and Durban offices to sign “Standard Trading Conditions form” – [click here](#)

All passengers making use of the Visas International Cape Town office to sign “Standard Trading Conditions form” – [click here](#)

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- Valid passport (must be valid for six months) plus copy
- One fully completed application form with the applicants’ signature
- One recent passport size colour photograph
- Detailed itinerary
- Original police clearance certificate.

Special requirements for Tourists

- South African employment letter
- Confirmation of hotel reservation
- Six months recent bank statements

NB: In the case of staying with family or friends in Korea:

- Letter from Korean residents’ employer
- Invitation letter from Korean resident (no emails)

Special requirements for Business

- South African business letter
- An official letter of invitation from the relevant person or company in Korea. The contact person, phone number, address and purpose of business must appear on the letter of invitation which must be on an original letterhead from the company in Korea
- Business history for the last 3 years
- Certified copy of the company's registration papers and proof of tax payment
- Police Clearance Certificates from the passenger's country of birth

Minors

- Certified parental consent is required for persons under 18 years of age if they are not travelling with a parent or legal guardian, OR if they are travelling with one parent only

Processing Time

- 3-5 working days

NB: South African passport holders at present do not require visas for tourism purposes, however it is advisable to contact the consulate when travelling for business purposes