

STUDENT VISA CHECKLIST
LIST OF REQUIREMENTS FOR A STUDENT VISA

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| 1. Original Passport valid for a minimum of 6 months from date of return and having at least 3 visa pages. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Signed online application form submitted to correct INDIAN MISSION. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. 2 passports sized colored photographs conforming to photo specifications. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Return airline reservation with detailed itinerary. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Certified Copy of the passport. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. Proof of residence in South Africa, such as utility bill for South Africans & Foreign nationals. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. Proof of financial standing (one of the below):
*Guarantee Letter from foreign organization to bear the cost of the applicants stay in India.
*Sponsorship letter undertaking to bear all cost of applicant's study/stay in India.
*Undertaking from a family member pledging financial support along with copy of their recent bank statement
With a positive balance. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 8. Applicants of Indian Origin require proof of surrendered documentation (if previous nationality was Indian). | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. Proof of payment. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 10. Processing time met – MINIMUM 5 DAYS for South African Nationals, MINIMUM 7 DAYS for Foreign Nationals
and MINIMUM 6 – 8 WEEKS for applicants of PAKISTANI, BANGLADESHI AND NIGERIAN ORIGIN | <input type="checkbox"/> |

STUDY DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

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| 11. Letter of admission from recognized school/college/university or educational institute in India. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 12. Invitation letter from the university/college/school in India stating the details of the program course, location,
duration etc. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 13. Registration certification from the institute in which the applicant is going to study at. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 14. Proof of qualifications required to pursue study/course in India. | <input type="checkbox"/> |

MINORS

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| 1. Signed consent letter from both parents authorizing minor to travel. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Certified copy Unabridged Birth certificate. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Certified copies of parents proof of identification. | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Students applying for theological / Islamic studies would only be issued with a visa after clearance from the Ministry of Home Affairs (New Delhi).

FOREIGN NATIONALS (NON SA PASSPORT HOLDERS)
(FOREIGNERS ARE ADVISED TO APPLY IN HOME COUNTRY):

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| 1. Foreign National Form (can be obtained At VFS Centres). | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Certified copy of valid permit/visa or permanent residence. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Motivational letter from foreigners residing in SA for less than 2 years. | <input type="checkbox"/> |

IF APPLICANT HAS DUAL NATIONALITY

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| 1. A Declaration of holding of holding a second passport | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. A certified copy of second passport | <input type="checkbox"/> |

3. In case there is a valid Indian visa in the second passport both passports must be submitted in order to cancel the existing visa.

PLEASE NOTE:

1. There should be two signatures on the form one is on first page below photograph and second is on next page below declaration.
2. Please use passport number as reference on payments
3. Please select the Indian mission as per jurisdiction below

JURISDICTION	PROVINCES
JOHANNESBURG	GAUTENG, LIMPOPO, NORTH WEST & MPUMALANGA PROVINCES
CAPE TOWN	WESTERN & NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCES
DURBAN	KWA-ZULU NATAL, FREE STATE & EASTERN CAPE PROVINCES

PLEASE NOTE ANY ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS MAY BE REQUESTED BY THE MISSION AT ANY GIVEN TIME

I hereby certify that I have submitted a complete application and that I know and accept the minimum processing times required for my visa application

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

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