

TOURIST VISA CHECKLIST

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS ARE NOT ELEGIBLE FOR A TOURIST VISA

*Certain professions require a “journalist visa” The sectors of activity concerned by this requirement are cinema, television, media, writing, publishing, press, photography, communication and advertising. (this list is non –exhaustive). Please refer to the Journalist Visa Checklist.

*Applicants going to India for voluntary work in NGO’s or associations should refer to the Employment Visa Checklist

*Applicants accompanying parents or spouse holding an OCI/PIO card or Indian passport should apply for an Entry Visa

*Applicants accompanying parents or spouse holding an Employment Visa should apply for an Employment Dependent Visa

*Pakistani Nationals should apply for a Visitor Visa

LIST OF DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR A TOURIST VISA

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| 1. Original Passport valid for a minimum of 6 months and having at least 2 blank pages | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. 2 passports sized colored photographs conforming to Indian Government norms as per specifications | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Online application form submitted to the correct Indian Mission | <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/ FICA document for South Africans & Foreign nationals | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. 3 months bank statement of applicant with applicants name | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 8. Applicants of Indian Origin require proof of surrendered documentation (if previous nationality was indian) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. Original proof of payment | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 10. Processing time met – MINIMUM 5 DAYS for SA Nationals, MINIMUM 7 DAYS for Foreign Nationals and MINIMUM 6 – 8 WEEKS for applicants of PAKISTANI, BANGLADESHI AND NIGERIAN ORIGIN | <input type="checkbox"/> |

LIST OF ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS

IF APPLICANT IS A MINOR

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

IF APPLICANT IS FOREIGN NATIONAL (NON SOUTH AFRICA PASSPORT HOLDERS)

N.B: FOREIGN NATIONALS ARE ADVISED TO APPLY FROM HOME COUNTRY

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| 1. Foreign National Form (can be obtained at all VFS Centres). | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Certified copy of valid permit/visa or permanent residence | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Motivational letter from foreigners 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 in the second passport both passport s must be submitted in order to cancel the existing visa | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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 a reference on payments.
3. Please select the Indian mission as per the jurisdiction mentioned below.

JURISDICTION	PROVINCES
JOHANNESBURG	GAUTENG, LIMPOPO, NORTH WEST & MPUMALANGA PROVINCES
CAPE TOWN	WESTERN & NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCES
DURBAN	NATIONAL KWAZULU NATAL, FREE STATE & EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE

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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