



Visitor visa (subclass 600)

Tourist stream application checklist - CHINA

You need to provide documents to support your application for this visa. We can make a decision using the information you provide when you lodge your application. It is in your interest to provide as much information as possible with your application.

We encourage you to lodge your application online via [ImmiAccount](#) as you can create, submit, pay for and manage your visa application.

If you are lodging your application online, please ensure that you upload good quality, colour scans of supporting documents in the correct orientation where possible. If you attach low quality scanned documents this may lead to delays or the refusal of your application.

If you are lodging your application at an Australian Visa Application Centre (AVAC), please provide colour copies of original documents. Do not include original documents unless we specifically ask for them.

Important:

- Please provide an email address on the application form as this is the easiest way to communicate with you.
- It is important to check your junk email regularly to ensure that emails from the Visa Processing Office have not accidentally been sent to your junk folder.

Forms and Fees	
Application form - you must provide a fully completed application form. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• You can apply for this visa online using ImmiAccount, available at: http://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Visa/Immi OR <ul style="list-style-type: none">• You can apply for this visa by completing <i>Form 1419 Application for a Visitor visa—Tourist stream</i> and lodging it at an AVAC. Form 1419 is available at http://www.border.gov.au/Forms/Documents/1419.pdf	<input type="checkbox"/>
Visa Application Charge – you must pay the correct Visa Application Charge.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Personal and identity documents	
Passport <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Please provide two colour scans/copies of the bio-data page of your current passport.• If this is your first visit to Australia, please also provide a colour scan/copy of the back page of your passport (if signature page) and all pages containing a visa, stamp or signature.	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
National Identity card <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Please provide a colour scan/copy of both sides of your national ID card.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Photographs <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Please provide a colour scanned passport sized photograph. <i>N.B. If you are lodging with an AVAC, please provide one passport sized photograph attached to the front of your application form</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Family evidence <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Please provide a scan/copy of your family registration booklet (hukou); and• A completed <i>Form 54: Family Composition</i> in both English and Chinese. Form 54 is available at http://www.border.gov.au/Forms/Documents/54.pdf	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>

Documents to show you are a genuine visitor	
<p>Financial evidence (only required if this is your first visit to Australia)</p> <p>Please provide evidence of your personal financial status and capacity to support yourself in Australia. This may include but is not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A copy or scan of your bank deposit books or bank statement showing your savings history and/or salary over a period of time. • A copy or scan of payslips from your employer. • A copy or scan of your retirement pension book. • Other evidence of funds or assets. 	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Evidence of your current employment/occupation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employees: If you are employed, please provide an employment letter showing your position and salary, length of employment, leave approval and the name and contact details of the person providing the letter. • Business owners: If you own a business, please provide a copy of your business licence. • Students: Please provide evidence of your enrolment. 	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other information	
<p>If you are under 18 years of age, visiting family/friends or travelling on a group tour, please provide additional information as outlined below.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lodger's details [AVAC LODGEMENTS ONLY]	
<p>If you are lodging this application on behalf of another person, please include this checklist with the application and provide the following details:</p> <p>Full name: Date of Birth:</p> <p>Mobile number: PRC ID card or Passport number:</p> <p>Signature:.....</p>	
<p>Official use: PRC ID card or passport sighted by AVAC staff.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS IF APPLICABLE

Children Under 18 Years

Family groups travelling together should lodge all applications together where possible. If lodging online, please select the relevant option for 'Group Processing' in ImmiAccount.

All children under 18 years: please provide the following documentary evidence of the child's relationship to their parents or legal guardian(s):

- A scan/copy of the child's original birth certificate, showing names of the child and both parents. Notary birth certificates are not acceptable. ☐
- A scan/copy of the parents' marriage certificate (if applicable). ☐
- A colour scan/copy of both parents' National ID cards. ☐

Note: If the information on the certificates is incomplete or inconsistent, other official documents may be requested.

For children travelling without one or both parents or legal guardians: please provide:

- A colour scan/copy of each non-travelling parent's ID card. ☐
- Form 1229 (see below) or signed written authorisation by the non-travelling parent(s) advising: ☐
 - Their agreement to permit their child to travel
 - The approximate date and duration of travel
 - Whether a single visit or multiple trips are permitted
 - Their contact information.

See: Form 1229 Consent form to grant an Australian visa to a child under the age of 18 years

<http://www.border.gov.au/Forms/Documents/1229.pdf>

For children staying in Australia with someone other than a parent, legal guardian or relative: please provide a declaration of support signed by the person responsible for that child in Australia. ☐

See: Form 1257 Undertaking declaration <http://www.border.gov.au/Forms/Documents/1257.pdf>

Visiting family/friends

If you are visiting family or friends in Australia and **this is your first visit to Australia**, please provide:

- The full name and contact details for your inviter ☐
- A copy of your inviter's Australian passport or Australian visa ☐

If a friend or relative in Australia is supporting your visit financially, please provide the following evidence in addition to the above evidence of your personal financial status:

- A letter of invitation from your friend or relative outlining the support they will provide ☐
- Evidence that they have the capacity to support your stay ☐

Applicants travelling on group tours

Organisers of group tours should lodge all applications for the group together where possible. If lodging online, please select the relevant option for 'Group Processing' in IMMIAccount.

Please provide:

- A covering letter from the organizer. ☐
- The full itinerary of the tour. ☐
- A list of all participants. ☐