

Visitor visa (subclass 600)

Tourist stream (Study Tour)

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 <u>ImmiAccount</u> 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.

Organisers of group tours should lodge all applications for the group together where possible. If you are lodging applications for a study tour group online, you can assist us to process the applications more efficiently by:

- Selecting the relevant option for 'Group Processing' in ImmiAccount when lodging the applications.
- Giving the group a clear name which identifies it as a study tour, for example: "Study Tour ABCSCHOOL – 01JAN2017"

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 accidently been sent to your junk folder.

Forms and Fees	
 Application form - you must provide a fully completed application form. You can apply for this visa online using ImmiAccount, available at: http://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Visa/Immi OR You can apply for this visa by completing Form 1419 Application for a Visitor visa—Tourist stream and lodging it at an AVAC. Form 1419 is available at http://www.border.gov.au/Forms/Documents/1419.pdf 	
Visa Application Charge – you must pay the correct Visa Application Charge.	
Personal and identity documents	
 Passport 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. 	

Photographs Please provide a colour scanned passport sized photograph. N.B. If you are lodging with an AVAC, please provide one passport sized photograph attached to the front of your application form. Family evidence Please provide a scan/copy of your family registration booklet (hukou); and A completed Form 54: Family Composition in both English and Chinese. Form 54 is available at http://www.border.gov.au/Forms/Documents/54.pdf Documents to show you are a genuine visitor Financial evidence: please provide evidence of your parents' financial capacity.	
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Children Under 18 Years	
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:	
To be provided by the organiser	
 A letter from the school in China confirming each applicant is enrolled in their institution, and including contact details of the organiser. An invitation letter from the institution in Australia including: 	
 Contact details of the Australian inviter Details of the trip Details of accommodation arrangements. 	
Lodger's details [AVAC LODGEMENTS ONLY]	
If you are lodging this application on behalf of another person, please include this checklist with the application and provide the following details: Full name:	