

  CROATIA - SCHENGEN VISA CHECKLIST PRIVATE (FRIENDS OR FAMILY) VISIT		ZA
1	VISA APPLICATION FORM: must be digitally completed, printed and signed by the applicant or a parent / legal guardian on behalf of minors (under the age of 18).	
2	PASSPORT: issued within the last 10 years, with expiry date a minimum of 3 months after the departure from Croatia and/or Schengen Area, containing at least 2 empty pages. Passport to be submitted with the application.	
3	PHOTOCOPY OF THE CURRENT PASSPORT: personal data page and all used pages.	
4	ONE COLOUR PASSPORT PHOTO (35x45mm) with white background, not older than 3 months.	
5	NON-SOUTH AFRICAN APPLICANTS RESIDING IN SOUTH AFRICA: Valid South African temporary or permanent residence permit: original permit (sticker) in the passport, or a certified copy of permanent residence permit document. Temporary permits must be valid for at least three months after the planned return from the Schengen Area. Permanent residents must add RSA ID Book (certified true copy).	
6	TRAVEL HEALTH INSURANCE to cover possible expenses for medical assistance, hospitalization and repatriation, with the minimum coverage of EUR 30 000 valid for all Schengen Area Member States, for the whole duration of stay.	
7	MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION: reservation of return air travel ticket with dates and flight numbers specifying entry and exit from the Schengen Area. Modes of transport in or between Schengen States (boat, train, car, bus). If traveling by car, car rental agreement and driver's license.	
8	PROOF OF THE PURPOSE OF STAY IN CROATIA: Letter of Guarantee by Natural Person: in original or a photocopy if the original has been deposited at the Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs in Croatia. Guarantor must enclose proof of permanent source of income for the last three months or adequate proof of available funds in a bank. Immediate family members of Croatian, EEA and Swiss citizens must enclose a Birth or a Marriage Certificate (photocopy and the original), together with a photocopy of the passport or ID card of the Croatian, EEA or Swiss citizen. Originals are returned.	
9	PROOF OF PROFESSIONAL OR STUDENT STATUS: evidence of employment stating position, length of service, salary. If self-employed: certification from RSA Companies and Intellectual Property Commission or RSA Revenue Service. Students: letter from school/ university certifying the student status of the applicant. Retirees: proof of pension.	
10	PROOF OF SUFFICIENT FUNDS: stamped bank statement (last 3 months, in original). 70 EUR (ZAR equivalent) per day of the estimated stay in Croatia; 30 EUR per day of the estimated stay in Croatia if a third-country national has paid an organized tourist package (accommodation and transportation included in the package).	
11	MINORS AND PERSONS DEPRIVED OF LEGAL CAPACITY: application to be submitted by a parent / legal representative. For minors the birth certificate and both parents' certified copies of IDs or passports must be attached. If minor travels alone: certified consent by both parents; if minor travels with only one parent, the other parent must give a certified consent. If only one parent has guardianship of the minor, relevant court documents must be presented. For persons deprived of legal capacity, the relevant court papers must be attached.	

Declaration:

I have been informed that an application without a complete set of documents according to above mentioned checklist may result in rejection of my visa application. The Embassy of Croatia reserves the right to request additional supporting documents.

Date: _____

Applicant's Signature: _____

VFS Officer's Signature: _____