



New Zealand Checklist – Tourism/Visiting family and friends

- Immigration New Zealand reserves the right to request additional information in the course of assessing an application and to retain information and documents on file.
- If you provide false or misleading information your application may be declined.
- Passengers must complete a New Zealand Traveler Declaration (NZTD). They can
 complete it digitally at https://www.travellerdeclaration.govt.nz/ or via the NZTD mobile
 app. The earliest they can submit their NZTD is 24 hours before departure to New
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| Applicants Full Name: | |
| Passport Number: | |
| Email Address: | |
| Requirements | |
| Copy of passport | |
| Copy of previous visas – if applicable | |
| Copy of previous New Zealand visa | |
| Digital photo (if not attached to application form) | |
| Copy of applicants SA ID document | |
| Proposed travel itinerary from a travel agent; Emails will not suffice, official document required. Please DO NOT purchase your flights until your visa has been approved. Our visa has been approved. | |
| Invitation letter – For Applicants visiting family and friends; an invitation letter from the host is required, confirming names, dates and accommodation. The invitation letter must clearly identify the host and the invitee, the purpose of the visit and the length of stay. For Tourists: hotel reservation confirmations (without payment). It should clearly state names of applicants, check in and check out dates. | |
| <u>Copy of the inviter's passport</u> Non-New Zealand citizens hosting must show valid permission to stay in the country. | |
| Employment letter: confirming start date, approved leave, and return dates. | |
| Proof of funds: 3 months current account bank statements are required. If you have accommodation reservations/visiting family and friends, you will need to have 400NZD available for each person for each month you are in NZ. Credit cards are not accepted alone. Savings accounts can be added for extra support. If you are being sponsored locally: A formal letter is required confirming they will be sponsoring you, following a copy of their 6 months bank statements and copy of ID. If you are being sponsored fully by your inviters: The INZ1025 form will need to be completed by the inviter and stamped by a person who is authorized to take statutory declaration. This will need to follow confirmation in the invitation letter as well as 6 months bank statements and a copy of the sponsors ID. If you are being sponsored and you are over the age of 18; you are still required to provide your personal bank statements for 3 months | |