



**SOUTH AFRICAN EMBASSY
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Application for Visas – Study, Exchange Programme

Please print the BI-1738 form **and to be completed only when you are at the Embassy** in **BLACK INK** and to be submitted personally to the Embassy with the following:

1. One (1) recent passport photograph colour.
2. An official letter confirming provisional acceptance at the learning institution in SA and confirmation letter from the learning institution in Norway

If it is for an exchange programme, copy of an agreement between the two institutions must be submitted.

3. Proof of funds (e.g. Signed and stamped copy of Bank Statement or confirmation from the bank). If financed or sponsored by a company/ institution a confirmation letter should be submitted.
4. Proof of accommodation (.e.g. hotel or rented apartment or house)
5. proof of medical cover renewed annually for the period of study with a medical scheme registered in terms of the Medical Schemes Act, 1998 - see <https://www.medicalschemes.com/MedicalSchemes.aspx> for full list of registered medical schemes in the Republic of South Africa which are accepted for the visa application);
Medical cover by Norwegian / overseas health insurance companies is not accepted.

6. NOTE: For students that going to stay for less than 90 days – Norwegian Medical cover is accepted

7. Flight details
8. Medical certificate in respect of the applicant and all members accompanying the applicant. **N/A FOR VISA LESS THAN 90 DAYS**
9. Radiological report (A radiological report should not be required in respect of children under the age of 12 years or pregnant women). **N/A FOR VISA LESS THAN 90 DAYS**
10. Police clearance certificates in respect of all applicants 18 years and older, in respect of all countries where person(s) resided one year or longer. **N/A FOR VISA LESS THAN 90 DAYS**
11. Birth certificate (unabridged) where relevant to prove parenthood.
12. Marriage certificate where applicable.
13. **In the case of a learner under the age of 18 years** – *an abridged birth certificate and proof of consent from both parents or legal guardian who has been issued with a court order granting full or specific parental responsibilities and rights or legal guardianship of the learner;*
14. The passport should be valid for not less than 30 days after the expiry of the intended visit. At least two unused pages should be available.
15. Receipt of proof of payment of NOK 455 to be transferred to the Embassy's AC 1503 15 38189



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16. Applicants must please indicate whether the passport will be collected from the Embassy. If the passport is to be returned by mail (registered mail) the applicant is requested to forward a self addressed **stamped registered envelope**. Please forward a separate envelope for each passport. The postage fee per passport is between kr 185 to kr 200 for A5 and kr 235 for A4 size envelope.

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ONLY AFTER the application forms and ALL the necessary supporting documents have been received, Consular Section will proceed with the application. From this date, the processing period will be eight (8) weeks

NOTE: Each application is processed on merit and therefore at times may require additional information/documentation.