Visa Requirements

South Africa Tourist Visa

Stay Period : N/A
Validity : N/A
Processing Time : 25 to 40 Days

Indian nationals wishing to obtain a visa for South Africa can apply via the South African embassy in New Delhi or the consulate in Mumbai, depending on their regional jurisdiction. VFS Global oversees the visa application process in India, serving as the intermediary for submitting applications. Additionally, applicants must meet South African authorities' specific criteria, including, for instance, providing original bank statements printed on bank letterheads (as e-statements, digital copies are not permissible). All such documentation should be furnished to VFS Global to ensure a seamless and prosperous visa application.

Embassy/Consulate/Jurisdiction Details

Consulate General of Republic of South Africa, Mumbai
Address: 9th Floor Urmi Estate, 95, Ganapatrao Kadam Marg, Lower Parel, W, Maharashtra 40001 Tel: 2495-0494 / 2498-0097 Tel: 2496-5996 / 2495-5176 After Hours Emergency Number:+91 987 079 9973 Visa consul email : motloungs@dirco.gov.za

VISA FEE – RS.6000 APPROX

Visa forms & Other formats

1. visitors-visa-application-form-dha-84-form-11 (valid occupations - Salaried)
2. South Africa (Mumbai Salaried) Cover Letter (valid occupations - Salaried)
3. Tourist Visa Cover Letter (Mumbai Jurisdiction) (valid occupations - Salaried)
4. South Africa (Mumbai Self Employed) Cover Letter (valid occupations - Self Employed)

Required Documents

1. Accommodation Proof - Confirmed Hotel Booking Reservation Voucher or any other accommodation proof

2. Airline Ticket - Confirmed Return Airline Ticket

3. Cover Letter - A covering letter, written on A4 plain paper if employed or on company letterhead if self-employed, signed by the applicant, should be addressed to the Visa Officer at the respective embassy/consulate where your application gets submitted. This letter should include the following details:1) Your name and address.2) Passport number.3) The duration and purpose of your intended travel to the Schengen member state or states. Additionally, the cover letter should specify how you plan to finance your trip, whether through your own funds or sponsorship. If you have a sponsor, you should explain your personal relationship with them and the reason for their sponsorship. You may also provide an overview of your itinerary. If you are unable to submit any of the required documents, please provide reasons for the absence and suggest alternative documents that you have submitted. Most importantly, your cover letter should convey your intention to return to your home country after your visit.

4. Marriage Certificate - If the spouse's name is not endorsed on the passport, you are required to provide a marriage certificate.

5. No Objection Letter From Company with travel date original with seal and signature.

6. Original Bank Statement For South Africa - Last 03 month’s bank statement signed and stamped by the bank with a balance in INR 60000 for Delhi and Mumbai) Required original Indian bank statement on bank letterhead with stamp and signature and no Passbook, e-statements, Net banking copies will be accepted

7. Passport Back Image - Clear Scanned Copy Of Passport Back Image

8. Passport Copy Of Parents - Copies of the passports of both parents (or legal guardian) in case if the traveler is a minor(ApplicableFor - Minor)

9. Passport Front Image - Original Passport along with color copy issued within the last 10 years and with at least 6 months validity after the scheduled return, with at least two blank pages needs to be submitted. Handwritten passports and passports with observations regarding the front page (bio data) cannot be accepted. Also submit a clear scanned copy of passport front image and back image.

10. Passport Size Photograph - Provide recent passport-size photographs with a matte or semi-matte finish, ensuring 60% to 80% face coverage. Please do not wear glasses or any headgear, and ensure your head is bare. The background should be plain white, without any borders, and the photograph should measure 35mm x 45mm in size.

11. Personal ITR - Personal ITR copy for last 3 years(Applicable For - Self employed, Salaried)

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13. Salary Slip - Latest 3 months' salary slips with company stamp & signature(Applicable For - Salaried)

14. South Africa DHA 84 Form - Fully completed visa application form – 11 (DHA-84) – must be completed in black ink and block letters. Application form-11 (DHA-84) must be signed by the applicant and signature should match the signature on the passport.

15. Travel Itinerary - A travel itinerary explaining day wise schedule for the entire trip duration

16. Yellow Fever Vaccine Certificate - Yellow Fever Vaccine Certificate issued from authorized list of hospitals in India as notified by Ministry of Health. A Yellow fever vaccination certificate is valid for 10 years, beginning 10 days after vaccination. Vaccination shot thus needs to be taken accordingly.

If Minor:

1. Affidavit From Parents For Minor - In case the minor is travelling with either of the parents, affidavit from the other parent.(Applicable For - Minor)

2. Birth Certificate - Birth Certificate issued by relevant government authorities in case the traveler is minor(Applicable For - Minor)

3. Bonafide Certificate - Bonafide Certificate From School/College/University(Applicable For - Student

4. Student Identity Card Copy - A copy of the identity card issued by the educational institution where the student is currently enrolled.(Applicable For - Student)

If Self Employed:

1. Company Bank Statement For Last 6 Months - Latest 6 months updated company current account bank statement with bank stamp & signature on each page.(Applicable For - Self employed)

2. Company Incorporation Certificate - Business Registration Documents like company incorporation certificate or COI, GST Certificate (all pages).(Applicable For - Self employed)

3. Company ITR - Company ITR for last 3 years(Applicable For - Self employed)

If Invited:

1. Invitation Letter (For Visiting Family Or Friends) - Invitation letter from invitee(Applicable For - Sponsorship From Visiting Country)

2. Invitee Bank Statement - Latest 6 months updated personal bank statement of the invitee(Applicable For - Sponsorship From Visiting Country)

3. Invitee Bank Statement From South Africa - South African Bank Statement must have the stamp & sign by SA POLICE as well as SA BANK (Applicable For - Sponsorship From Visiting Country)

4. Invitee Identity Proof - Invitee Identity Proof such as invitee Passport and Visa Copy / Residence Permit Copy.(Applicable For - Sponsorship From Visiting Country)

5. Invitee Residence Proof - Residence proof of invitee such as latest utility bill or lease agreement(Applicable For - Sponsorship From Visiting Country)

6. Invitee Salary Slip - Salary slip of invitee from last 3 months.(Applicable For - Sponsorship From Visiting Country)

If Sponsored:

1. Original Sponsorship Letter - If the sponsor is from the country you are visiting , then the consulate requires an original sponsorship letter from invitee.(Applicable For - Sponsorship From India)

2. Sponsor Bank Statement - Latest 6 months updated personal bank statement of the sponsor(Applicable For - Sponsorship From India)

3. Sponsor Identity Card - Identity card of sponsor(Applicable For - Sponsorship From India)

4. Sponsor ITR Proof - Sponsor’s personal last 3 years ITR copy Or company ITR copy if sponsor is self-employed.(Applicable For - Sponsorship From India)

5. Sponsor Occupation Proof - Sponsor's salary slip with stamp from last 3 months or Shop Act/MOA/AAO/Partnership Deed In English in case if sponsor is self-employed.(Applicable For - Sponsorship From India)

Please Note:

- Verification cases could take longer depending on the Embassy/ Consulate.
- Embassy/ High Commission may ask for any additional documents.
- The applicable visa fee in Indian Rupees is as per the current exchange rate. The same is subject to change without notice.
- Visa fee and service charges are not refunded if your application is refused by the Embassy/ Consulate.
- The issuance of visa is the whole and sole prerogative of the concerned

Consulate/Embassy of the sovereign state over which we do not have any control. We merely act as a document delivery agent between the customer and the concerned Embassy/ Consulate and shall in no way be responsible for any delay or refusal in the issuance of visa by the respective Embassy/ Consulate.