

Document Checklist to be submitted with Estonian visa application

Mandatory documents for all applicants irrespective of the purpose of travel	
	Completed and signed visa application form . All boxes must be filled in.
	Original and signed passport : The passport must be valid for at least three months after your departure from the Schengen area. It must contain at least two spare visa pages and cannot be older than ten years.
	Passport sized photo compliant to ICAO standards and not older than six months
A. Family member of EU, EEA or CH citizen covered by Directive 2004/38/EC applying for Schengen visa	
	Copy of passport of EU/EEA/CH citizen Proof of family ties with EU/EEA/CH citizen (e.g. marriage certificate)
	Flight tickets which clearly show that the applicant will accompany or join the EU/EEA/CH citizen, otherwise a visa fee applies.
B. Additional documents when applying for a Schengen visa	
	Proof of travel medical insurance with a minimum cover of EUR 30,000 in each of the following subcategories: urgent medical treatment, hospitalisation, medical repatriation, repatriation of mortal remains. Please provide only the certificate of insurance. The insurance must be valid throughout all Schengen countries and for the entire duration of your stay . Insurance provided by your university/employer: letter from university/employer stating the purpose and period of travel as well as confirmation that you will be covered by the insurance for the whole trip along with the certificate of insurance. The insurance must meet the requirements as mentioned above.
	Reservation of return, round-trip or onward flight tickets
	Proof of financial means in the country of residence: bank statements for the last three months showing sufficient funds to cover stay in the Schengen area. If sponsored by a private host, that should be clearly stated in the invitation letter.
	Proof of residence in Australia (lease/rental agreement, council rate notice or land purchase documents)
	Proof of visa status in Australia (VEVO Check) (not applicable for Australian citizens) The VEVO must state your current passport number and must show that your Australian visa is valid for multiple entries to Australia until at least three months after your departure from the Schengen area.
	If travelling to a third country after leaving the Schengen area which is not your home country or country of residence, visa or other entry permit for the country of destination (if applicable).
Additional documents depending on the purpose of visit when applying for a Schengen visa:	
Schengen visa for tourism or visiting family/friends	
	Booking confirmation of an organised trip including a detailed itinerary, or a written explanation of the planned itinerary
	Proof of accommodation for entire stay in the Schengen area: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • document from the establishment providing the accommodation or any other appropriate document indicating the accommodation envisaged • if staying with a private host: signed invitation letter stating period of stay, purpose of stay and relationship to applicant together with a copy of host's passport
Schengen visa for Business, conference, study, cultural/religious/political event:	

	<p>Official invitation letter from a firm, host organisation, educational establishment or an authority to attend meetings, conferences, educational courses, university semesters abroad or events, containing detailed information concerning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • address and contacts of the inviting entity • name and position of the countersigning person • purpose and duration of stay • person or entity who will bear the travel and living costs (if applicable)
	<p>For employees: documents proving your employment status (e.g. contract, pay slips, letter from employer)</p> <p>If self-employed: proof of business registration</p> <p>For students: signed letter from university written on company letter head paper, confirming enrolment, the payment of your tuition fees or/and any scholarships as well as the purpose and duration of stay</p>
Minor applicants travelling without legal guardian(s) or travelling with only one legal guardian	
	Letter of consent of both parents or legal guardian(s) either through a notarised certificate or a form signed at the time of application
	Copy of birth certificate of the minor
	Copy of passport of the authorising parental authority or legal guardian
C. Additional documents when applying for a long-stay (D) visa	
	Proof of financial means. Applicant must prove that he or she has sufficient financial means according to the purpose of stay
	Proof of visa status in Australia (VEVO Check) (not applicable for Australian citizens) The VEVO must state your current passport number and must show that your Australian visa is valid for multiple entries to Australia until at least three months after your departure from the Schengen area
	Travel medical insurance which guarantees payment of any costs related to applicant's medical treatment due to illness or injury during the validity of the visa. As a rule, travel medical insurance must be valid for the whole period of requested visa. If applicant will be covered with Estonian health insurance (<i>Haigekassa</i>) after arrival to Estonia, travel medical insurance must cover only the period until Estonian health insurance (<i>Haigekassa</i>) insurance becomes valid. For example – if person applies visa for short-term employment, travel medical insurance must cover travel period and additionally first 14 days of working;
Additional documents depending on the purpose of visit when applying for a Schengen visa:	
Employment	
	Confirmation from the employer with registration of short-term employment
Joining a family member in Estonia	
	Proof of relationship unless the relationship has been registered in Estonia
	Copy of passport of the family member
	Written explanation about the plans to live in Estonia
Study	
	Confirmation of the educational institution about admission of the applicant; exchange student presents also confirmation from local educational institution, where applicant studies
Visa for teleworking (digital nomad visa)	
	Documents proving that the applicant continues:

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • working for an employer registered in a foreign country with whom he/she has a contractual relationship or • business activities for a company registered in a foreign country in which he/she has holdings or • providing services mainly to customers whose place of business is in a foreign country and with whom he/she has a contractual relationship;
	Documents proving the applicant's legal income during six months before the submission of the application and showing the size, regularity and sources of the income. Currently the monthly income threshold is 4,500 euros;
	Description of studies and job history (CV).
Start-up business	
	Printout of the decision of the Estonian Startup Committee
Working Holiday Visas	
	A return travel ticket or sufficient funds with which to purchase such a ticket;
	Written explanation of the initial plan regarding the visit