



Malta High Commission, Accra

Visiting Family Visa

Dear Applicant

Your application and documentation will be delivered to the Embassy and your case will be processed by the Embassy as soon as possible. The High Commission only accepts documents in English. Documents in other languages will not be accepted.

Name of applicant

Missing Document(s)	Type of document
	Application form duly completed and signed.
	One recent (less than six months old) passport-size photograph in colour with good resemblance (3.5cm / 4.5cm).
	Current passport should be valid for at least three months beyond the intended duration of stay in the Schengen area. The passport must have at least two blank pages to affix the visa. Copies of passport pages must be in colour.
	Previous passports (if any) + coloured copies of bio page(s) and previous Schengen visas and stamps.
	Invitation letter issued by the host in Malta. The letter must specify applicant's name, address, relationship with the reference (proof to be attached), duration of stay & which cost will be covered by host.
	Overseas travel medical insurance valid for all Schengen countries. The insurance has to cover the applicant for the entire duration of the stay in the Schengen area and must cover for at least 30,000 EUR for all risks, e.g., accident, illness, medical emergency evacuation, etc.
	Flight reservations for round trip. If applicant is traveling to several Schengen states, proof of intra-Schengen flight reservation, train itinerary or car rental.
	Evidence of host's status in the Schengen area: passport bio page and documentation of residence.
	Proof/justification of relationship with host (e.g., relevant birth and marriage certificates, divorce certificates, photos/communication with host, etc. – certificates need to be original).
	Request for Family Reunification Letter issued by Identity Malta if the family member intends to spend more than 90 days in Malta.
	Proof of social ties to home country (marriage certificate, birth certificates of children, etc. if relevant).
	In case of minors (< 18 years) traveling: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the minor is traveling with only one parent, written consent of the other parent or guardian, except in cases of a parent having sole custody or guardianship of the minor. Documentation of custody must also be provided.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the minor travels alone (without parents), written consent (including contact details) from both parents or guardians having custody of the minor. • A photocopy of both parents' passports. If not, copies of the ID cards (with signature) of the parents. • Birth certificate for the minor <p>Note: If minor traveling with one parent. All the above documents of the other parent required.</p>
	<p>Evidence of source of financial support/means of subsistence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Original personal bank statement showing movements in the last three months and duly stamped and signed by the bank. <p>Please note that ALL applicants have to provide proof of pocket money in their own name even if their trip is fully sponsored:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If applicant is employed: pay slips for the last three months, employment contract, bank statement for account through which salary is paid. • In case applicant is the proprietor/owner of the company: company registration documents, company's bank statement, tax clearance receipt, etc. are required
	<p>If employed: Introductory letter from employer printed on company's letter head and leave letter, if applicable If student: Introductory letter from School printed on school's letterhead, school ID, admission letter and academic transcripts if relevant</p>

The document(s) highlighted above are missing.

The High Commission requests you to hand in the missing/required documentation within 5 days from today. If the High Commission has not received the documentation by this deadline, the High Commission will decide on the case based on the present information.

I understand that I must provide above missing documentation to VFS within 5 days. Signature date below counts as day one of five.

You can hand in the missing documentation in person to VFS. Please remember to state your passport number and your full name.

Please note that you could still be asked for additional documents and/or may be called for an interview at the Embassy.

Kind regards,
Malta High Commission, Accra, Visa Section.

Applicant's Signature

Passport No.

Date