



# **APPLY NOW** for your **UK Student visa!**

## How to apply

1. **Apply as soon as you get your CAS** reference number from your university to avoid delays. Apply on [Gov.uk/student-visa/apply](https://www.gov.uk/student-visa/apply).
2. **Prepare your supporting documents** (see 'supporting documents' section)
3. **Choose your application service** – Standard (15 working days), Priority (5 working days), Super Priority (next working day)
4. **Wait for your email** inviting you to book an appointment at a Visa Application Centre
5. **Wait** for your decision.

## Supporting documents

### What you need

- Confirmation of Acceptance of Studies (CAS) number from your university
- Valid Passport/Travel Document

### You may also need

- Proof of parental or guardian consent (under 18s)
- TB test certificate (if applicable)
- ATAS certificate (if applicable)
- Proof of English language proficiency
- Proof of finances

Find out more: [Gov.uk/student-visa/documents-you-must-provide](https://www.gov.uk/student-visa/documents-you-must-provide)

## Helpful reminders

- You should **decide which type of visa service you would like in advance** (standard or a priority service) as you can't change this later.
- You can **book a visa appointment at any of the centres near you**.
- **Provide a supporting letter explaining any gaps in your studies e.g. if you have been in employment**
- **Check your emails regularly** (including junk/spam folders) in case UKVI have tried to contact you.
- **Wait for an email to confirm when your passport is ready to collect** after a decision is made.
- **Do not travel to the UK** before you have received the visa in your passport, or before the visa start date.



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