



# CHECKLIST

## REQUIRED DOCUMENTS FOR A RE-ENTRY VISA

The application form must be completed, and **ORIGINALS** of the following provided:

- Valid passport or travel document.
- Relevant fee - Postal Order/Bank Draft only.
- GNIB registration card If aged 16 or older.
- 2 passport photographs - see Table below.
- Additional documents depending on the applicant - see Table.

<b>CHILDREN UNDER 5</b> (not attending primary school)	<b>CHILDREN AGED 5 TO 16</b> (attending primary school and above as dependants)	<b>STUDENTS</b> (attending college / school)	<b>ADULTS</b>
Original Birth Certificate with translation by certified translation company.	Original Birth Certificate with translation by certified translation company.	Garda (GNIB) Registration card with: <b>Stamp 2</b> A letter from college (no more than one week old) stating the title and duration of your course, and confirming a <b>minimum</b> attendance of 80%. A re-entry visa will not be granted if attendance is less than 80%	Garda (GNIB) Registration card with: <b>Stamp 1</b> Original Work Permit or Hosting Agreement if applicable.
A letter no more than one week old from a Doctor/GP that the child is registered and attending their practise.  Pre-school/Creche/Montessori letters are <b>NOT</b> accepted.	A stamped letter no more than one week old from the child's school confirming attendance.  Letter of acceptance/confirmation of a place in the Secondary School if the child is moving from primary to Secondary School.  During Summer Holidays - a letter from the School prior to closure stating the child is returning to the school for the new term together with the end of year report card.	A letter from college (no more than one week old) stating the title and duration of your course, and confirming a <b>minimum</b> attendance of 80%. A re-entry visa will not be granted if attendance is less than 80%  If leaving the State during the school/college term, the letter should also include the date of departure and the date you will resume your studies.  <b>Stamp 2A</b> A letter confirming attendance from the School is required if attending second level education, or the applicant is a parent/guardian or spouse of a student.	<b>Stamp 1A</b> Original letter from Association you are training with along with a letter from your Employer and/or College.  <b>Stamp 1G/Stamp 5 &amp; Stamp 6</b> No further documents required.  <b>Stamp 3</b> No further documents required if in Ireland as a dependant.  A letter is required from the relevant organisation if residing in Ireland on volunteer/missionary permission.  <b>Stamp 4</b> No further documents required if the holder of a valid stamp 4.  Spouse of an Irish National must provide the original <i>Civil/State</i> Marriage Certificate with official translation and the original Irish passport of their spouse  Spouse of an EU National must provide the original Marriage Certificate, copy of spouse bio data page of their EU passport and letter from the Department of Justice and Equality granting same.  Any relevant permission letter from the Department of Justice and Equality.
Two Irish Passport standard photographs, one of which must be officially stamped by the Doctor/GP on the back.	Two Irish Passport standard photographs, one of which must be officially stamped by the School on the back.	Two Irish Passport standard photographs.	Two Irish Passport standard photographs.

## PLEASE NOTE THAT A VISA OFFICER MAY ASK FOR FURTHER DOCUMENTS WHERE NECESSARY

### PHOTOGRAPHS

- Standard colour passport photographs with a **BRIGHT WHITE** background.
- **NO MORE** than 6 months old printed on photographic paper, sharp and clear with face covering 70-80% of the photograph.
- Head coverings, headwear or hair bands are **NOT** permitted unless for religious or medical reasons.
- Sunglasses are not permitted. Prescription glasses may be worn as long as they are clear glass and the eyes are visible. Please ensure there are no reflections from the lenses.
- Adopt a neutral expression with both eyes open and looking directly into the camera.

### RE-ENTRY VISA FEES

You may apply for two types of re-entry visa. There is also an additional administration fee for emergency applications. The fees are:

VISA TYPE	FEE
SINGLE	€60
MULTIPLE	€100
EMERGENCY APPLICATION	€160 (Single fee plus €100 administration fee)

- Payment is by Postal Order or Bank Draft **ONLY** made payable to the **Department of Justice and Equality**.
- No excess payments over the specified fees can be accepted.
- Certain categories of applicant are exempt from Re-entry visa fees. Please see [www.inis.gov.ie](http://www.inis.gov.ie) for details.

*Postal Applications should be sent **BY REGISTERED POST ONLY** to: The Re-Entry Visa Processing Office, Irish Naturalisation and Immigration service (INIS), Department of Justice & Equality, 13-14 Burgh Quay, Dublin 2*

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