

Proposed fees and immigration levy rates

Explanatory note – To determine the total cost an applicant will need to select the fee in the Band that applies and combine it with the amount identified in the Immigration Levy column. For example when applying under the Residence - Family category while in New Zealand the total cost will be \$1250 (Band A fee of \$970 + Immigration Levy of \$280).

Application	Fee Band (NZ\$)*			Immigration Levy (NZ\$) The amounts in this column are in addition to the fee amount.
	Band A New Zealand (GST inclusive)	Band B Pacific	Band C Rest of World	
Residence class visa				
Skilled Migrant Category	1,890	1,620	2,505	580
Investor Plus (Investor 1 Category)	4,280	4,165	4,165	580
Investor (Investor 2 Category)	4,280	4,165	4,165	580
Entrepreneur Residence Category	3,340	3,340	3,340	580
Residence from Work Category	970	—	—	580
Family Category	970	970	1,670	280
Parent Retirement Category	3,340	3,340	3,340	280
Samoan Quota scheme	740	720	—	—
Pacific Access Category	805	785	—	280
Refugee Family Support Category	605	595	835	—
Any other residence category	970	970	1,670	See below[^]
Applications for:				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a permanent resident visa (by a person holding resident visa or who previously held a resident visa) 	190	190	190	—
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a grant of second or subsequent resident visa 	190	190	190	—
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a variation of travel conditions on a resident visa 	190	190	190	—
Expression of Interest under Skilled Migrant Category				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hard copy 	680	680	680	—
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online 	530	530	530	—
Expression of Interest under Parent Category				

• Hard copy	440	440	440	—
• Online	345	345	345	—
Expression of Interest under Investor (Investor 2) Category				
	620	620	620	—
Registration under Pacific Access Category				
• First year's registration	75	75	75	—
• Second and subsequent year's registration	30	30	30	—
Temporary visa – visitor visa				
Visitor visa				
• Hard copy	151	116	151	14
• Online	151	116	151	14
Temporary Retirement Category visitor visa#	3,340	3,340	3,340	14
Group visitor visa - per person				
• Approved Destination Status (China) – offshore only	—	—	40	10~
• Other group visitor visa	70	70	70	10~
Temporary visa – student visa				
Student visa				
• Hard copy	260	205	280	17
• Online	233	178	253	17
Student visa (submitted by education provider with which INZ has an MOU)	100	—	—	17
Temporary visa – work visa				
Work visa - Silver Fern Job Search	260	260	260	38
Work visa - Partnership/Work to Residence				
• Hard copy	375	375	375	38
• Online	355	355	355	38
Entrepreneur Work Visa	3,340	2,820	3,340	38
Work visa - working holiday scheme				
• Hard copy	170	—	170	38
• Online	170	—	170	38

Work visa - working holidaymaker extension	170	-	170	38
Work visa - other				
• Hard copy	280	240	280	38
• Online	260	220	260	38
Temporary visa – related matters				
Reconsideration of decision to decline temporary visa	195	-	-	-
Limited visa				
Limited visa - student	260	205	280	17
Limited visa – work recognised seasonal employer	280	240	280	10
Limited visa – other	170	135	170	14
Transit visa				
Transit visa	145	145	145	-
Transit visa – group Chinese nationals (per person)	85	-	85	-
Other matters – applications or requests by employers and organisations				
Request by employer for approval in principle to recruit overseas workers	400	-	-	-
Approval in principle to recruit foreign crew of fishing vessels	5,115	-	-	-
Request for supplementary seasonal employment approval in principle	260	-	-	-
Recognised Seasonal Employer status	870	-	-	-
Agreement to recruit under Recognised Seasonal Employer instructions	230	-	-	-
Labour hire company accreditation (under Essential Skills instructions)				
• First year's accreditation	1,775	-	-	-
• Second and subsequent year's accreditation	500	-	-	-
Reconsideration of application from labour hire company	195	-	-	-
Employer accreditation (under Talent Work instructions)				
• First year's accreditation	1,775	-	-	-
• Second and subsequent year's accreditation	500	-	-	-
Reconsideration of application from employer for accreditation	195	-	-	-

Entertainment industry accreditation (under Specific Purpose or Events instructions)				
• First year's accreditation	1,775	-	-	-
• Second and subsequent year's accreditation	500	-	-	-
Other matters - general				
Special direction	195	195	195	-
Residence class visa granted under section 61	870	-	-	-
Temporary entry class visa granted under section 61	365	-	-	-
Variation of conditions on a temporary entry class visa	170	170	170	-
Call-out fee where office is opened outside normal working hours in order to process immigration matter	290	290	290	-
Registration under Refugee Family Support Category	90	-	-	-
Confirmation of immigration status	110	110	110	-
Transfer fee where visa stamp or label transferred from one passport or certificate of identity to another	110	110	110	-
Endorsement indicating New Zealand citizenship				
• First endorsement indicating New Zealand citizenship	135	135	135	-
• Second or subsequent endorsement indicating New Zealand citizenship	85	85	85	-

*The receiving office is determined by an applicant's country of citizenship.

Dependent children cannot be included in a Temporary Retirement Category visitor visa application.

^ An immigration levy is not payable on some resident visa applications. For applicants applying under the Employees of Relocating Businesses Category the immigration levy is \$580. For applicants applying under Pitcairn Islanders the immigration levy is \$280.

~The immigration levy for group visitor visas is \$10 per applicant.

The immigration levy is not payable by applicants who apply for a permanent resident visa.