Apply for a Tier 4 General visa from outside of the UK.

This guidance is to be used alongside the Tier 4 General visa application form for applications made outside of the UK.

This guidance is provided to be used when completing the visa application form only. Applicants should thoroughly read the Tier 4 General guidance for full details of the eligibility and requirements for a Tier 4 General application.

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-on-application-for-uk-visa-as-tier-4-student

This guidance shows many of the questions you may be asked in the Tier 4 General application form. However you may see different questions/additional questions depending on your personal circumstances.

For further information please see the Gov.uk webpages

https://www.gov.uk/browse/visas-immigration

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Read the Tier 4 Policy Guidance.
Prepare all of the required documents
https://www.gov.uk/tier-4-general-visa

Complete the application form and pay.
Make an appointment at a visa application centre.
https://www.gov.uk/tier-4-general-visa/apply

Attend your appointment.
Wait for the decision of your visa application.

The below guidance is for the Tier 4 General visa application form from overseas.
The questions you may see on the form may differ from below as it is dependant on your details and your answers.

Apply online at https://www.gov.uk/tier-4-general-visa

Click here to enter the application form

Apply outside the UK
You must apply online for a Tier 4 (General) student visa.

You’ll need to have your fingerprints and photograph taken at a visa application centre to get a biometric residence permit as part of your application.

You’ll have to collect your biometric residence permit within 10 days of when you said you’d arrive in the UK (even if you actually arrive at a later date).

You may be able to get your visa faster or other services depending on what country you’re in - check with your visa application centre.

Confirm your visa type
Confirm what type of visa you want to apply for from the options below. If you are not sure, use the check if you need a UK visa tool, or see the visas and immigration guidance pages for information.

- Short-term student visa
- Tier 4 (General) student visa
- Tier 4 (Child) student visa
- Tier 4 student visa (for Chevening, Marshall and Commonwealth scholars)

Select Tier 4 (General) student visa.

OR

If you are a Chevening, Marshall or Commonwealth scholar select the bottom option.

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Select your location
Enter the country in which you are making your application

Enter the country where you will be making your visa application. This should usually be your normal country of residence.

Apply for a UK visa - Japan
You must be able to attend an appointment at one of the visa application centres listed below.

- Osaka
- Tokyo

I can go to an appointment at one of these visa application centres
I cannot go to an appointment at one of these visa application centres
Are you a diplomat, official, or exempt from immigration control?

You will need to confirm that you can attend one of the listed application centres. This example is someone who is applying in Japan.
If you cannot go to one of the listed centres you will be asked to choose to attend a centre in another country.

Tier 4 (General) student visa
Use this form to apply for a Tier 4 (General) student visa.
You cannot add family members (dependants) to this application. You must complete a separate form for your dependants.

Before you apply
Before you start your application, read the guidance on:
- eligibility
- how to apply and required documents
- fees

How long it takes you to complete the application will depend on your particular situation. You will be able to save your application and come back to it at another time if you need to.
If you are inactive for 25 minutes you will be automatically logged out.

Click apply now

Please note that you must complete a separate form for your dependants.

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Register your email

Enter an email address and password so you can save your answers. You will then be emailed a unique link to let you log back in to your application at a later point, if needed.

Throughout your application, you can select the option to ‘Return to this application later’ in order to re-send the link to your latest saved application.

Email address

Create a password
Your password must be 8 characters or longer and include a letter and a number or symbol.

Repeat your password

Save and continue

You will need to enter an email and password to access the form.

Once you have done this you will be emailed a link to the application form. You will only be able to access the form again using the link emailed to you.

Your name

What is your name, as shown in your current passport or travel document?

Given names

Family name

I am not sure how to enter my name

Save and continue

Enter in your given names and family names as shown in your passport.

If you don’t have a given name and a family name click ‘I am not sure how to enter my name’.

Any other names

Are you now or have you ever been known by another name?
This includes your maiden name and other names you use or have used in the past.

Yes  No

Save and continue

If you have ever been known by another name you should select ‘yes’. You will then be asked for more information. You will need to give details of any other names.

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**Your Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies**

Do you have a Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) number?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies reference number

Save and continue

If you are starting a new course you will receive your new CAS from the relevant admissions team within 10 days of your offer becoming unconditional firm, but no more than 3 months before the start of your programme.

Enter your unique CAS number here

**Your home address**

Home address

Town/City

Province/State

Postal code (if applicable)

Country

Save and continue

Enter your home address for where you live now.

**Your phone numbers**

Telephone number

Add another telephone number

Save and continue

Enter your current phone number.

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Living at your home address

How long have you lived at this address?

Answer these questions about your home address as given in the last question.

What is the ownership status of your home?

- I own it
- I rent it
- I live with my family
- Other

Save and continue

Your gender and relationship status

What is your gender, as shown in your passport or travel document?

- Male
- Female
- Unspecified

What is your relationship status?

Save and continue

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Your nationality, date and country of birth

You must enter all the nationalities you hold.

Country of nationality

+ Add another nationality?

Date of birth
For example, 23 12 1976
Day Month Year

Country of birth

Place of birth
Tell us your place of birth as shown in your passport

Save and continue

If you are a dual national you should enter in any other nationalities here.

Your passport

⚠️ You must use your passport or travel document to complete this section.

Passport number or travel document reference number

Place of issue
This will be a city or province.

Issue date
For example, 31 01 2010
Day Month Year

Save and continue

You should copy this information from your current valid passport which you will be using to enter the UK.

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Another passport or travel document
Do you have another passport or travel document?
This might be:
• a passport issued by another country
• an older passport which has expired but which contains more information about your travel history

☐ Yes ☐ No

National identity card
Do you have a national identity card?
This is the identity card issued by your national government. Please select ‘No’ if your country does not issue national identity cards or you do not have your card.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Your immigration status
What permission do you have to be in China?
☐ I have a temporary visa
☐ I am a permanent resident
☐ I do not have a visa and I am not a permanent resident

Your planned travel information
Date you plan to arrive in the UK
For example, 23 12 1976
Day Month Year

How long do you intend to stay in the UK?
For example, 2 years 4 months

Save and continue

If you have another passport or an expired passport you should answer yes. You will then be asked further details. You will need to enter details for any additional or expired passports.

If you select yes you will be asked for further information which you can find on your national identity card.

If you select the first or third option you will be asked for further information.

Remember, you are only able to enter the UK up to one month before your course start date and within the dates given on your visa if granted.

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Spoken language preference

We may have to talk to you about your application. Which language would you prefer to use?

- English
- Other

Save and continue

Study as a Tier 4 (Child) student

Have you studied in the UK as a Tier 4 (Child) student?

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

English language assessment

Are you coming to the UK to study at a higher education institution?

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

These questions are asking you how you meet the English language requirement. You can find this information on your CAS. When you answer ‘yes’ to the relevant question, you will not see the other questions.

Short-term study

Are you attending a short-term study abroad programme in the UK as part of a university course in the USA?

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

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**Degree from an English speaking country**
Have you studied an academic course in a majority English speaking country that is equivalent to a UK degree or above?

- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No

Save and continue

**Study of English as a foreign language**
Are you applying to study a course on English as a foreign language?

- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No

Save and continue

**English language test**
Have you passed an approved English language test?

Check the list of approved English language tests.

- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No

Save and continue

These questions are asking you how you meet the English language requirement.  
You can find this information on your CAS.  
When you answer ‘yes’ to the relevant question, you will not see the other questions.

**People financially dependent on you**
Does anyone rely on you for financial support?  
Include both those travelling with you and those who are not.  
This could include:

- children under 18  
- children over 18 who live with you at home  
- children who you look after all the time  
- older relatives who need you for accommodation or other support

- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No

Will these dependants be included in my application?

Save and continue

You must give information about your dependants here. They will also need to apply separately if they want to live in the UK with you.

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About your dependant

You should use your dependant’s passport, if they have one, to complete this section.

Given names

Family name

Date of birth
For example, 23 12 1976
Day Month Year

Does this person currently live with you?

Yes No

Is this person travelling with you to the UK?

Yes No

Save and continue Cancel

You will be asked to fill in this page for each dependant whether or not they are travelling with you.

Each dependant who will be coming to the UK at the same time as you will need to complete their own form at https://visas-immigration.service.gov.uk/apply-visa-type/dependant

Read the dependant guidance before applying at https://www.gov.uk/tier-4-general-visa/family-members

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Give details about your first parent

Give details about 2 of your parents.

What if I do not have my parent’s details?

What is this person’s relationship to you?

- Mother
- Father
- Stepmother
- Stepmfather

Given names

Family name

Date of birth

For example, 23 12 1976

Day   Month   Year

Country of nationality

Have they always had the same nationality?

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

You will be asked to give details about two of your parents.

Click ‘What if I do not have my parent’s details’ if you only have the details of one parent.

Family who live in the UK

Do you have any family in the UK?

This includes:

- immediate family such as spouse, civil partner, parents or children
- grandparents or grandchildren
- your spouse or civil partner’s family
- your child’s spouse, civil partner or partner
- your partner, if you have lived with them for 2 out of the last 3 years

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

If you select ‘yes’ you will be asked for details of your relative and details of their permission to be in the UK.

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Travelling as part of an organised group

Will you be travelling to the UK as part of an organised group?
This include travel companies or sports, work, or study groups.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Save and continue

Travelling with another person

Will you be travelling in the UK with someone who is not your partner, spouse, or dependant?

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Save and continue

Accommodation in the UK

Have you already made arrangements for where you are going to stay in the UK?

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Save and continue

Accommodation plans in the UK

Where do you plan to stay in the UK?
Give as much detail as you can · such as in a hotel, with friends or in private housing.

Maximum of 500 characters

Save and continue

If you have not made arrangements for where you are planning to stay (for example you have not yet been given University accommodation) you will be asked for whether you plan to stay.

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### Accommodation in the UK

Tell us about where you plan to stay in the UK. You will be able to add another place on the next page.

- **Where are you planning to stay in the UK?**
  - If you are staying with friends, other relatives, or in another person’s home, give their full name.
  - [ ]

- **I am not sure how to enter details about my stay**

Enter the address for where you are staying:

- **This must be in the UK.**
  - [ ]

- **Email**
  - [ ]

- **Town/City**
  - [ ]

- **Postcode**
  - [ ]

- **When will you arrive there?**
  - For example, 23 12 1976
  - **Day**
    - [ ]
  - **Month**
    - [ ]
  - **Year**
    - [ ]

- **When will you leave there?**
  - **Day**
    - [ ]
  - **Month**
    - [ ]
  - **Year**
    - [ ]

### UK travel history

How many times have you been to the UK in the last 10 years?

- [ ] Zero
- [ ] Once
- [ ] 2 to 5 times
- [ ] 6 or more times

Save and continue

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### Your past visit to the UK

**What was the reason for your visit?**
- [ ] Tourism
- [ ] Business
- [ ] To study
- [ ] Transit
- [ ] Other reason

**Date of visit**
- [ ] [ ]
- [ ] [ ]

**How long was your visit?**
- [ ] [ ]

**Save and continue**

**Return to this application later**

**Show and edit answers**

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**Details of previous medical treatment in the UK**

**Where did you go for your previous medical treatment in the UK?**
- [ ] Accident and Emergency (A&E) at a hospital
- [ ] To a doctor, clinic or hospital for non-emergency treatment

**Name of hospital or doctor’s surgery**

**Address**
- [ ] [ ]

**Town/City**

**Postcode**

**Date of medical treatment**
- [ ] [ ]

**Were you told that you had to pay for your medical treatment?**
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

**Did you pay the full amount?**
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

**Save and continue**

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**Medical treatment in the UK**

**Have you ever been given medical treatment in the UK?**
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

**Save and continue**

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**UK leave to remain**

Have you applied for leave to remain in the UK in the past 10 years?  
☐ Yes  ☐ No  

What is leave to remain?

Save and continue

Leave to remain is a visa application made from within the UK.

**National Insurance number**

Do you have a National Insurance number?  
This does not include any temporary National Insurance numbers that have expired.  
☐ Yes  ☐ No

What is your current National Insurance number?  
For example, QQ 12 34 56 C

Why did you get a National Insurance number?

Maximum of 500 characters

Save and continue

A National Insurance number is something you will have applied for if you have previously worked in the UK.

**International travel history**

How many times have you visited the following places in the past 10 years?  
- Australia  
- Canada  
- New Zealand  
- USA  
- Schengen area

☐ Zero  
☐ Once  
☐ 2 to 5 times  
☐ 6 or more times

Save and continue

If you have visited any of these places in the last 10 years you will be asked for further details.

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Travel history

Do not include visits to the UK, USA, Canada, Australia, New Zealand or the Schengen area.

Have you visited any other countries in the past 10 years?

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

Problems with immigration to the UK

Have you ever been:

- refused a visa for the UK
- deported from the UK
- removed from the UK
- required to leave the UK
- refused entry at the UK border

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

Problems with immigration to countries other than the UK

Have you ever been:

- refused a visa for any country other than the UK
- deported from any country other than the UK
- removed from any country other than the UK
- required to leave any country other than the UK
- refused entry at the border of any country other than the UK

Give details of any time you were refused a visa or had to leave a country (other than the UK) for any reason.

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

If you select yes you will be asked for further details.

If you select yes, you will be asked for further information.

If you select yes, you will be asked for further information.

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War crimes

In either peace or war time have you ever been involved in, or suspected of involvement in, war crimes, crimes against humanity, or genocide?

War Crimes are grave breaches of the Geneva Conventions committed during an armed conflict. This includes an internal armed conflict and an international armed conflict.

The types of acts that may constitute a war crime include:
- wilful killing
- torture
- extensive destruction of property not justified by military necessity
- unlawful deportation
- the intentional targeting of civilians
- the taking of hostages
- Crimes against humanity
- Acts committed at any time (not just during armed conflict) as part of a widespread or systematic attack, directed against any civilian population with knowledge of the attack. This would include offences such as murder, torture, rape, severe deprivation of liberty in violation of fundamental rules of international law and enforced disappearance of persons
- Genocide
- Acts committed with intent to destroy, in whole or in part, a national, ethnic, racial or religious group

This guidance is not exhaustive. The full definitions of war crimes, crimes against humanity and genocide can be found in Schedule 8 of the International Criminal Court Act 2001 at legislation.gov.uk. It is your responsibility to satisfy yourself that you are familiar with the definitions and can answer the questions accurately.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Save and continue

Terrorist activities

Have you ever been involved in, supported or encouraged terrorist activities in any country?

Terrorist activities are any act committed, or the threat of action designed to influence a government or intimidate the public and made for the purposes of advancing a political, religious or ideological cause and that:
- involves serious violence against a person
- may endanger another person’s life
- creates a serious risk to the health or safety of the public
- involves serious damage to property
- is designed to seriously disrupt or interfere with an electronic system

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Save and continue

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Terrorist organisations
Have you ever been a member of, or given support to, an organisation which has been concerned in terrorism?

An organisation is concerned with terrorism if it:
- commits or participates in acts of terrorism
- prepares for terrorism
- promotes or encourages terrorism (including the unlawful glorification of terrorism)
- or is otherwise concerned in terrorism

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Save and continue

Terrorist views
Have you, by any means or medium, expressed views that justify or glorify terrorist violence or that may encourage others to commit terrorist or other serious criminal acts?

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Save and continue

Your previous employers
Tell us about work for the following types of organisation.
Include information for any paid or unpaid work for the types of organisation below. You can select more than one option.

☐ Armed Forces (including compulsory national or military service)
☐ Government (including Public or Civil Administration and compulsory national service)
☐ Media organisations
☐ Security organisations (including police and private security companies)
☐ Judiciary (including work as a judge or magistrate)

Or
☐ I have not worked in any of the jobs listed above.

Save and continue

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**Sponsor licence number and address**

This information is on your Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) statement, or contact your sponsor to get their licence number.

- What is your sponsor licence number?
  - CTK52NU0

- Sponsor’s address
  - Level 2 King’s Gate
  - Newcastle University

- Town/City
  - Newcastle Upon Tyne

- Postcode
  - NE1 7RU

**Newcastle University’s sponsor licence number is CTK52NU0**

**The sponsors address is Level 2, King’s Gate, Newcastle University, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 7RU**

**Place of Study**

Will you be studying at a school or higher education institution?

- [ ] School
- [x] Higher education Institution

**Newcastle University is a Higher Education Institution**

**Primary site of study**

Is this the site where the majority of your study will take place?

- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

**You should select ‘no’.
You can find your primary site of study on your CAS.**

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UCAS details

Did you apply for your course through UCAS?
- Yes
- No

What is your UCAS personal identification number?

What is UCAS?

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The Universities and Colleges Admissions Service is used by undergraduate students when applying to UK Universities.

If you applied through UCAS select yes and enter your ID number.

If you applied directly to the University select no.

Academic Technology Approval Scheme (ATAS)

Students of certain sensitive subjects, knowledge of which could be used in programmes to develop weapons of mass destruction or their means of delivery, will need to apply for an ATAS certificate before they can study in the UK. You can find out if you need an ATAS certificate here.

Do you need to obtain permission from the ATAS?
- Yes
- No

What is your Academic Technology Approval Scheme (ATAS) reference number?

This is the reference number on the ATAS clearance certificate issued to you by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

You should check your offer letter to see whether you require permission from the Academic Technology Approval Scheme (ATAS).

If you do, you should apply as early as possible, applications can take 20 working days.

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/academic-technology-approval-scheme

Save and continue
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Future official financial sponsor

Will you be receiving money from an official financial sponsor for your continuing studies?
- Yes
- No

What is an official financial sponsor?

If you are being wholly sponsored by an official financial sponsor how will you prove this?
- My Tier 4 sponsor has confirmed this information on my CAS
- Letter of official financial sponsorship
- I am not being wholly sponsored

An official financial sponsor is where your home government, the British Council, an International organisation, International company, University or UK independent school is paying your tuition fees and/or cost of living.

If you are receiving financial sponsorship you will require an original sponsor letter which meets the Tier 4 General Policy Guidance.

Save and continue  Cancel

Maintenance funds

You must show that you have enough money to cover your course fees and living costs. Read the guidance document to find out how much money you need to show and what documents you can use as evidence.

Are all of the maintenance funds required for this application in a bank account with your name on it?
- Yes
- No

You are only able to use financial evidence in your name or your parents names.

Are you relying on money held in an account under your parent(s) or legal guardian(s) name?
- Yes
- No

If the financial evidence is in your parents’ name(s) you will also be required to submit a letter of consent from your parents and evidence of your relationship. You should check the Tier 4 General policy guidance for requirements.

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**Course information**

Name of sponsor institution (school/college/university)
Newcastle University

Course name

Qualification you will get

This is the level of the qualification you will receive at the end of your course. If you are unsure about the level of your qualification, find out what qualification levels mean here or ask your sponsor institution.

Course start date
Provide the start date of your main course, but do not include any 'pre-sessional' course you may be attending. Enter date in the format DD MMM YYYY.

Course end date

Are you going to be a student union sabbatical officer?

Yes  No

Save and continue
Return to this application later
Show and edit answers

**Accommodation payments**

Have you or your parent(s)/legal guardian(s) already paid any money to your sponsor for accommodation? This is only money paid to your sponsor. For example, this does not include money paid to a private landlord or housing organisation.

Yes  No

How much has been paid?

How can you prove this amount has been paid?

My sponsor has confirmed this information on my CAS
Receipts

You can find your course information on your Confirmation of Acceptance of Studies (CAS).

If you have been given a joint CAS for a pre-sessional course and a 12 month master’s course the Home Office have advised that for technical reasons that you enter the start date of the master’s course here. The start date of the master’s course will be 24.09.2018 (for September start).

Please find further information on the Tier 4 pilot scheme at https://www.ncl.ac.uk/international/visa/tier4-pilot/#overview

If you have paid Newcastle University money towards your accommodation select ‘Yes’ and enter how much up to a maximum £1265.00.

This only applies if you have paid for and are staying in Newcastle University owned accommodation. Does not include managed sites such as Liberty Plaza.

If you are not staying in Newcastle University accommodation or have not paid select ‘No’.

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Course fees

What are your course fees for your first year?
If your course is shorter than 12 months, state the total course fee. This information is on your Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) statement. Alternatively, you can contact your sponsor for this information.

£

Have you or your parent(s) or legal guardian(s) already paid any of your course fees?
Please select No if your course does not have a fee.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

How much has been paid?

£

How can you prove this amount has been paid?

☐ My sponsor has confirmed this information on my CAS  ☐ Receipts

Save and continue

Additional information about your application

If you needed to add more information about your application but were not able to, you can write it here.

If there is no further information you want to add, click the 'Save and continue' button.

Add further details:

Maximum of 1,000 characters

Save and continue  Cancel

Your CAS should show your course fees and how much of these you have paid, if any.

If you pay more towards your course fees after receiving your CAS you will need to contact the relevant admissions team as your CAS will not update automatically.

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Check your answers
Check the information below before you continue to the next section.

Here you will see a list of your answers. Check these carefully before continuing.

Differentiation Arrangement
Do you want to submit your application under the differentiation arrangement? You are a national of a differentiation arrangement country. You do not need to provide evidence of your money or qualifications with your application. You will need to provide them if asked.

- Yes
- No

Save and continue

Certain nationals may receive this question. Please see details of the differential arrangement at https://www.ukcisa.org.uk/Information--Advice/Visas-and-Immigration/Tier-4-eligibility-and-requirements#layer-5347

Documents
Mandatory documents
These documents are mandatory and you must provide them as part of your application. Tick the box to agree that you will provide each document:

- The passport or travel document for Kay Broadhurst from Japan

You will need to tick that you agree to provide all of the documents listed here.

Please note that this is an example list, each student will receive their own list depending on how they have answered the questions in the application.

Other documents
If you do not provide these documents, your application may be delayed or refused.

- Letter to prove official financial sponsorship
- If you provided any qualification documents to your sponsor for them to issue your CAS, you must submit these documents (originals and translations). For example, you might have sent your sponsor your original certificate of qualification or transcript of results.

Your checklist will have a list of other documents you might want to send in. You can print off the checklist and appointment details when you have finished your application.

Tuberculosis test results
You may need to be tested for tuberculosis (TB). If your test shows that you do not have TB, you will be given a certificate which is valid for 6 months from the date of your x-ray. Include this certificate with your UK visa application. Check if you need to get tested.

You may need to be tested for tuberculosis. Check at https://www.gov.uk/tb-test-visa before submitting your application.

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Check your answers
Check the information below before you continue to the next section.

Differentiation arrangement
Do you want to submit your application under the differentiation arrangement? No

Documents
Mandatory documents
- The passport or travel document for Kay Broadhurst from Japan

Other documents
- Letter to prove official financial sponsorship
- If you provided any qualification documents to your sponsor for them to issue your CAS, you must submit these documents (originals and translations). For example, you might have sent your sponsor your original certificate of qualification or transcript of results.

Continue

Declaration
By sending this application, you confirm that to the best of your knowledge and belief the following is correct:

• the information relating to your application
• your supporting documents

Also, the application will be processed according to the privacy policy and terms and conditions.

If false information is given, your application will be refused and you may be banned from the UK and prosecuted.

I accept the above

Immigration Health Surcharge (IHS)
You must pay your Immigration Health Surcharge (IHS) before you can complete your visa application. You will pay your IHS on another website, then return to this site to complete and pay for your application.
If you are exempt, you will still need to get a reference number from the IHS website.
Your IHS reference number will automatically be included on your application once you pay and return to this site.

Your answers will be locked when you go to the IHS website, even if you do not pay your IHS straight away. If you need to make any changes to your answers you must do so now.
Check your answers

Go to IHS website

Save and continue

You should only pay for the IHS and application fee when you are ready to apply and have prepared all of your supporting documents.

You can only apply within three months of your course start date.

The date of application is the date you pay the application fee.

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After paying the Immigration Health Surcharge you will then see the following questions.

**Collecting your biometric residence permit (BRP)**

You must collect your biometric residence permit (BRP) within 10 days of arriving in the UK. This is a card that shows your right to be in the UK.

- Collect from a UK Post Office
- Collect from an alternative location

You should select ‘Collect from a UK Post Office’.

Newcastle University is not an alternative location. We are unable to provide an ACL code.

Enter the Post Code NE1 7RU. Your BRP collection location should then show Post Office – Barras Bridge.

This will be where you will collect your BRP card from on arrival in Newcastle.

You should then continue with your application. Read through the instructions carefully as you complete the application for the next steps.

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