



# ENGLISH STUDIES DUBAI

## Student Visa Service

### PROCESSING OF A NEW STUDENT VISA

#### Applying from Outside the United Arab Emirates (UAE)

ES Dubai is able to provide international students and non-resident students with a sponsored student visa, enabling them to study and reside in the UAE.



ES Dubai will provide international students with Student Visitor Visa ES Dubai sponsored visas, which are given for a period of up to 6 months, and are only available for students who enrol on a full-time basis in courses longer than 12 weeks.

For students studying programs between 1 to 11 weeks on a full-time basis, ES Dubai will process the application for a tourist visa.

### SHORT TERM STUDENT VISA

Visas for students enrolled in short courses will be processed under the Education Visitor Visa category. These visas are also renewable if students desire to extend their study period with the school.

**Processing time:** 1 to 2 weeks

**Visa length:** 90 days, renewable once at the school for a further 90 days, for a total of 180 days.

#### Requirements to apply:

- Completed application form
- High-resolution passport copy (passport should have a validity of 6 months when applying at the time of application)
- High-resolution passport photo
- Payment of visa fees to the school

#### What happens when the visa is approved?

- Once approved, students are issued a digital Student Entry Permit which they print and take with them to show immigration upon departure in their home country.
- Upon arrival in the UAE, students need to show the Student Entry Permit to the immigration officer, who will stamp the permit with the entry date.
- The Student Visitor Visa does not get stamped in the passport.

It is recommended that students apply as soon as possible as delays may result in not being able to enrol for the chosen date. The school also encourages students to buy their flight tickets after obtaining the visa entry.

## Can my visa get rejected?

If your visa is refused, all fees will be refunded except non-refundable charges (registration fees, bank charges, courier fees and visa charges).

Although visa rejections are uncommon, the school cannot guarantee a student visa will be granted. Most rejection cases happen on the basis of security, as all applications undergo a security check by UAE government authorities, which is outside the school's control.

## What happens when I finish my course?

As your sponsor in this country, you are only allowed to keep your visa with us for the period of your studies plus the holiday allowance. Once your course is finished, you must arrange your return flights, change visa status, or renew your studies at ES in which case you can keep your visa.

For more visa advice, please contact us at [admissions@esdubai.com](mailto:admissions@esdubai.com)

## Student **visa fees**

Visa	Price
3 Months Student Visa	US\$ 340
6 Months Student Visa	US\$ 680

## Short term **visa fees**

Visa	Price
Thirty (30) days Tourist Visa	US\$ 137
Ninety (90) days Tourist Visa	US\$ 384

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