Visa information

Important Visa information for international students

(Not applicable for Hong kong, Macau and China)

BEFORE ARRIVAL

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VISITOR VISA	Resident Visa
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VISITOR VISA EXTENSION	RESIDENT VISA → ARC
\wp Entry with a Visitor Visa for more than 60 days without	\wp After enter Taiwan, Resident Visa holders are required to apply
extension. Visitor Visa holders can apply for extension within 15	Alien Resident Certificates (ARC) within 15 days.
days before the duration of expired.	
℅ Required documents:	• Passport
One application form	• Resident Visa
• Original passport	Admission permit of enrollment
• Proof of registration and class schedule from an approved	Proof of residence in Taiwan
university language center	• 2-inch color photo that is front-facing, above the waist, and
• Attendance records (the first time extension does not need	without wearing a hat and taken within the past 2 years.
to hand in the attendance records) (original-within 3 months	• A student ID card with the current semester registration
before)	stamp or a school attendance certificate (for enrolled
$\not\!$	students).
Immigration Agency service center.	Application procedure
	• The applicant shall sign up for a new account to apply for an
	alien residence certificate at " <u>Online Application System for</u>
	Foreign Students, Overseas Chinese Students, Mainland
	China, Hong Kong, and Macau Students without Registered
	Household in the Taiwan Area" of the National Immigration
	Agency.
	• After the applicant fills out the required fields, scans and
	uploads the required documents, he/she shall wait for
	approval. Once the application has been approved, the
	applicant shall pay the certificate fee by online ATM, virtual
	account payment the e-government payment platform or
	other ways within 5 working days.
	ho To collect the certificate:
I	• First-time entry applicants (received but not yet enrolled):
1	The electronic residence certificate valid for 6 months will
	be ready for download as soon as the applicant pays the fees
	through the online system. After completing school
1	enrollment but before the residence certificate expires, the
	applicant shall apply for a residence extension as well as

replacement with an alien residence certificate (ARC). The required documents are passport, original electronic

facing, above the waist, and without wearing a hat and taken within the past 2 years (same specification as for the National Identity Card).
First-time entry applicants (enrolled): The alien residence certificate will be ready for the applicant to collect at a National Immigration Agency service center 3 working days after the applicant pays the fees online. Please present the payment receipt when collecting the certificate.
Non-first-time entry applicants: The alien residence certificate will be ready for the applicant to collect at a National Immigration Agency service center 3 working days after the applicant pays the fees online. Please present the payment receipt when collecting the certificate.
Non-first-time entry applicants: The alien residence certificate will be ready for the applicant to collect at a National Immigration Agency service center 3 working days after the applicant pays the fees online. Present the payment receipt when collecting the certificate (the old certificate

☆ Certificate fees:

must be returned).

Application fees are NT\$1,000 (each one year) for foreign students, The one-year residence restriction does not apply to university scholarship recipients approved by the Ministry of Education.

residence certificate, and a 2-inch color photo that is front-

VISITOR VISA -> RESIDENT VISA

🔗 Visitor Visa Holders who decide to stay exceed 180 days after arrival must change into Resident Visa and then apply for ARC.

 \bigotimes Required Documents for the application of changes visa:

- <u>One application form</u>
- 2-inch color photo
- Passport (original & copy)
- Resident Visa (original & copy)
- Admission letter & student ID & Proof of registration and class schedule from an approved university language center
- <u>Medical certificate</u> issued within 3 months (please go to the approved hospitals, refer to the website of <u>the Department of</u> Disease Control of the Ministry of Health and Welfare for Inspection Items and Medical Examination Hospitals).

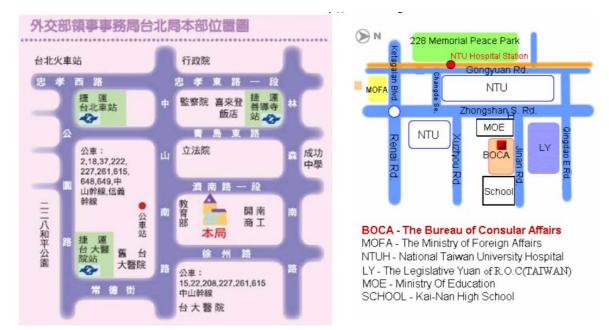
& Location: Bureau of Consular Affairs

分 Fees: NT 2,200 元

PApplying Visitor Visa, Visitor Visa change to Resident Visa and Resident Visa,

please refer to following information

- 🔗 Address: 3-5F. No2-2, Jinan Road Sec. 1, Zhongzheng District, Taipei, Taiwan
- ℅ Website: : <u>http://www.boca.gov.tw</u>
- ☆ TEL: +886-2-2343-2888
- 🔗 Map:



Change Resident Visa to ARC, extension of ARC or modification, please refer to following information

- ${\rm shifthand} \ {\rm Immigration} \ {\rm Agency}$
- Conline application: website: <u>https://coa.immigration.gov.tw/coa-frontend/student/entryPlang=en</u>
- Address: No.15, Guangzhou Street, Zhongzheng District, Taipei, Taiwan
- SWebsite: <u>http://www.immigration.gov.tw/</u>
- ☆ TEL: +886-2-2388-9393
- ☆ Map:

