Home Office

Table with further detail of indicative charges for 2015/16

Function	Method of calculation	Fees category	Current fee 2014/15	Indicative Fee[2] 2015/16	Maximum amount
Entry clearance or leave to remain as a visitor					
Entry clearance as a visitor for a period of six months or less	Fixed fee	Visit visa < 6 months	£83	£85	£85
Entry clearance as a visitor for a period of between six and twelve months	Fixed fee	Extended student visit visa (6-11 month English language concession)	£150	£162	£162
Entry clearance as a visitor for a period of more than twelve months	Annual rate	Visit visa < 2 years	£300	£324	£162 p.a.
		Visit visa < 5 years	£544	£588	
		Visit visa <10 years	£737	£737	
Leave to remain in the UK as a visitor.	Fixed fee	Leave to remain for another purpose	£601	£649	£649
Entry clearance, leave to enter, leave to remain					
Entry clearance, limited leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK as a sponsored worker, where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of three years or less.	Fixed fee	Tier 2 general, ICT - long term staff, sport & MoR (overseas), where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of three years or less	£514	£564	£651
		Tier 2 ICT - short term staff, graduate trainee & skills transfer (overseas), where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of three years or less	£428	£445	
		Tier 2 shortage occupation (overseas) where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of three years or less	£428	£428	
		Tier 2 general, ICT - long term staff, sport & MoR (in country) where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of three years or less	£601	£651	
		Tier 2 ICT - short term staff, graduate trainee & skills transfer (in country), where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of three years or less	£428	£445	
		Tier 2 shortage occupation (in country) where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of three years or less	£428	£428	
Entry clearance, limited leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK as a sponsored worker, where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of more than three years.	Fixed fee	Tier 2 general, ICT - long term staff (overseas) where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of more than three years	£1,028	£1,128	£1,302
		Tier 2 shortage occupation (overseas) where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of more than three years	£856	£856	
		Tier 2 general, ICT long term (in country) where a certificate of sponsorship has been issued for a period of more than three years	£1,202	£1,302	
		Tier 2 shortage occupation (in country) where a certificate of sponsorship	£856	£856	

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		has been issued for a period of more than three years			
Entry clearance, leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK as an unsponsored worker for a period of three years or less.	Fixed fee	Tier 1 post-study work (overseas) dependant	£518	£559	£1,736
		Employment LTR outside PBS standard	£601	£649	
		Residual FLR IED standard	£601	£673	
		Media representative (overseas)	£514	£535	
		Representative of an overseas business (overseas)	£514	£535	
		Representative of an overseas business (in country)	£1,093	£651	
		Tier 1 general (in country) dependant	£1,607	£1,736	
		Tier 1 general (overseas) dependant	£874	£944	
		Tier 1 entrepreneur (in country)	£1,093	£1,180	
		Tier 1 investor (in country)	£1,093	£1,500	
		Tier 1 exceptional talent (in country)	£1,093	£562	
		Tier 1 graduate entrepreneur (in country)	£422	£456	
		Tier 1 exceptional talent extension	£1,093	£562	
		Tier 1 entrepreneur (overseas)	£874	£944	
		Tier 1 investor (overseas)	£874	£1,500	
		Tier 1 exceptional talent (overseas)	£874	£562	
		Tier 1 graduate entrepreneur (overseas)	£310	£335	
Entry clearance, leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK as an unsponsored worker for a period of more than three years.	Fixed fee	Tier 1 entrepreneur (in country)	£1,093	£1,180	£1,500
		Tier 1 investor (in country)	£1,093	£1,500	
		Tier 1 exceptional talent (in country)	£1,093	£562	
		Tier 1 exceptional talent extension	£1,093	£562	
		Tier 1 entrepreneur (overseas)	£874	£944	
		Tier 1 investor (overseas)	£874	£1,500	
		Tier 1 exceptional talent (overseas)	£874	£562	
Entry clearance, leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK as a student.	Fixed fee	Tier 4 (overseas)	£310	£322	£439
		Tier 4 (in country)	£422	£439	
Entry clearance, limited leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK where the	Fixed fee	Settlement	£885	£956	£2,141
		Settlement - other dependant relative	£1,982	£2,141	

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route under or the basis upon which that leave is given may ... lead to a grant of indefinite leave to remain in the UK.		Settlement - refugee dependant relative	£378	£592[1]	
Entry clearance, leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK for any other purpose.	Fixed fee	Other visa	£289	£324	£1,224
		Private medical treatment (overseas)	£289	£162	
		Single-entry visa to replace BRP (overseas)	£72	£81	
		Tier 5 temporary work (overseas)	£208	£225	
		Tier 5 (in country)	£208	£225	
		Tier 5 (overseas)	£208	£225	
		Leave to remain	£601	£649	
		Retired person of independent means	£1,093	£1,224	
Indefinite leave to enter or indefinite leave to remain in the UK.	Fixed fee	Indefinite leave to remain	£1,093	£1,500	£2,141
		Indefinite leave to enter the UK as the dependant of a member of the armed forces under Appendix Armed Forces to the Immigration Rules.	£1,093	£1,500	
		Settlement - other dependant relative	£1,982	£2,141	
Immigration documents					
Document recording biometric information.	Fixed fee	BRP/ replacement BRP	£40	£45	£45
Transfer of conditions	Fixed fee	Transfer of conditions (in country)	£107	£183	£260
		Vignette transfer (overseas)	£109	£122	
		No time limit	£104	£260[1]	
An immigration employment document	Fixed fee	Work permit technical changes	£22	£25	£25
Approval letter	Fixed fee	Approval letter from a competent body in respect of an application for Tier 1 exceptional talent	£437	£281	£281
Transit visa.	Fixed fee	Transit visa – direct airside transit visa	£30	£30	£56
		Visitor in transit	£54	£56	
Travel document not including a passport.	Fixed fee	Certificate of travel - adult	£246	£382[1]	£382
		Certificate of travel - child	£157	£244[1]	
		Convention travel document - adult	£69	£72[1]	
		Convention travel document - child	£46	£46[1]	

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European residence document.	Fixed fee	European residence document (registration certificate, document certifying permanent residence, residence card, derivative residence card, permanent residence card)	£55	£65[1]	£65
Any other letter or document (not including a passport) confirming a person's identity and immigration or nationality status, or setting out any conditions attendant on such status, or confirming that the person is not a British citizen.	Fixed fee	Certificate of entitlement	£289	£324	£324
		Nationality right of abode	£144	£223[1]	
		Work permit technical changes	£22	£25	
Copy, or replacement, or amended version, of any of the documents specified above.	Fixed fee	Work permit technical changes	£22	£25	£382
		BRP/ Replacement BRP	£40	£45	
		Transfer of conditions	£107	£183[1]	
		Transit visa - direct airside transit visa	£30	£30	
		Visitor in transit - landside	£54	£56	
		Certificate of travel - adult	£246	£382[1]	
		Certificate of travel - child	£157	£244[1]	
		Convention travel document - adult	£69	£72[1]	
		Convention travel document - child	£46	£46[1]	
		European residence document (registration certificate, document certifying permanent residence, residence card, derivative residence card, permanent residence card)	£55	£65[1]	
		Certificate of entitlement	£289	£324	
		Vignette transfer fee	£109	£122	
		No time limit	£104	£260[1]	
Electronic Visa Waiver.	Fixed Fee	N/A	N/A	N/A	£15
Administration					
Administration of any test a person is required to take for the purposes of an application or claim in connection with immigration or nationality.	Fixed fee	Life in the UK test	£50	£50	£50
Taking a record of a person's biometric information.	Fixed fee	In country biometric enrolment	£19.20	£19.20[1]	£19.20

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The review on request of a decision in connection with immigration or nationality.	Fixed fee	Nationality reconsideration	£80	£80	£80
		Administrative review	£80	£80[1]	
Processing of an application or claim which is subsequently rejected as invalid, or is withdrawn by the applicant prior to a decision being issued.	Fixed fee	N/A	N/A	£80	£80
Sponsorship[1]					
A sponsor licence, or renewal of such licence.	Fixed fee	Tier 2 large sponsor licence	£1,476	£1,476	£1,476
		Tier 2 small sponsor licence	£536	£536	
		Tier 4 sponsor licence	£536	£536	
		Tier 5 sponsor licence	£536	£536	
		Highly trusted sponsor licence	£536	£536	
Allocation of a certificate of sponsorship.	Fixed fee	Tier 2 COS	£184	£199	£199
		Tier 5 COS	£14	£21	
Allocation of a confirmation of acceptance of studies.	Fixed fee	Tier 4 CAS	£14	£21	£21
Any change to a sponsor's status under the Immigration Rules.	Fixed fee	Add Tier 2 to an existing Tier 4 &/or Tier 5 licence (large sponsor)	£940	£940	£940
Issuing of a plan, under the Immigration Rules, with which a sponsor must comply in order to achieve a particular status, or to remain on the register of licensed sponsors maintained by the Secretary of State under the Immigration Rules.	Fixed fee	Sponsor action plan	£1,476	£1,476	£1,476
Permission for a person with leave to enter or remain in the UK to change their sponsor or course of study.	Fixed fee	Tier 4 - permission to change sponsor	£160	£179	£179
Optional premium customer services for sponsors.	Fixed fee	Premium sponsor scheme - Tiers 2 & 5 (large sponsor)	£25,000	£25,000	£25,000
		Premium sponsor scheme - Tiers 2 & 5 (small sponsor)	£8,000	£8,000	
		Premium sponsor scheme - Tier 4	£8,000	£8,000	
Consular Services					

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The exercise of a consular function in connection with immigration or nationality.	Per hour	Call out/ out of hours fee	£130	£130	£130
The acceptance or processing of an application or claim in connection with immigration or nationality at consular premises.	Fixed fee	N/A	N/A	£80	£80
Receiving, preparing or forwarding documents where such activity is conducted at consular premises.	Fixed fee	Receiving, preparing and forwarding documents	£115	£115	£115
Optional premium services					
Arrangements for expediting the processing (or any element of the processing) of an application or claim in connection with immigration or nationality	Fixed fee	Priority visa service - settlement	£300	£360	£600
		Priority visa - non-settlement	£100	£120	
		Super priority visa service	£600	£600	
		Application in person (premium service centre)	£400	£400	
		Priority postal	£300	£300	
The expedited return to the applicant of documents where these have been provided by the applicant in the course of making an application or claim in connection with immigration or nationality.	Fixed fee	Passport pass-back	£40	£40	£40
Arrangement of an appointment for the purposes for making an application or claim in connection with immigration or nationality in person, either at an office of the Home Office, at consular premises or at any other place	Fixed fee	Appointment booking fee (premium service centre)	£100	£100	£100
The acceptance or processing of a claim or application, or the provision of a service or process in connection with immigration or nationality at a place other than an office of the Home Office, where this is done in the UK.	Fixed fee	Super premium service	£6,000	£7,000	£7,000
The acceptance or processing of a claim or	Fixed Fee	User-pay visa application centre	£59	£80[1]	£80

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application, or the provision of a service or process in connection with immigration or nationality at a place other than consular premises, where this is done outside the UK.		International contact centre - live chat	£4.00	£4.00[1]	
The provision of a service in connection with immigration or nationality by a representative of the Secretary of State, or a contractor, or any person appointed by or acting on behalf of the Secretary of State outside office hours.	Fixed fee	Prime-time visa application centre appointment	£50	£50	£50
		In-UK prime time appointment	TBC	TBC	
Arrangements for expediting the entry of passengers into, or transit through, the UK.	Fixed Fee	Registered traveller - yearly subscription	£50	£50	£50
		Registered traveller - registration of new documents	£20	£20	
		Fast track	N/A	TBC[1]	
Arrangements for the provision of immigration officers or facilities at a control port in addition to those (if any) required to provide a basic service.	Per hour	N/A	N/A	TBC[1]	£150
The provision of advice or assistance in relation to functions in connection with immigration or nationality.	Per minute	International contact centre - helpline	£1.37	£1.37[1]	£1.37
Operation of a scheme enabling members to access a range of premium services in connection with immigration or nationality.	Fixed fee	N/A (new provision for a product that offers a wide range of services, similar to those offered to GREAT Club members)	N/A	TBC	£10,000
Nationality					
Naturalisation as a British citizen or a British overseas territories citizen.	Fixed fee	Naturalisation	£826	£925	£925
		Naturalisation British overseas territory citizens	£661	£740	
Registration as a British citizen, a British subject, a British protected person, a British overseas citizen or a British overseas territories citizen.	Fixed fee	Nationality registration - adult	£743	£833	£833
		Nationality registration - child	£669	£749	
		Nationality registration – British overseas territory citizen, British overseas citizens, British Subjects, British protected persons - adult	£595	£666	
		Nationality registration - British overseas territory citizen, British overseas citizens, British Subjects, British protected persons - child	£536	£599	
Registration of a declaration of renunciation	Fixed fee	Renunciation of nationality	£144	£223[1]	£223

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of British citizenship, British overseas citizenship, British overseas territories citizenship or of the status of British subject, British National (Overseas) or British protected person.					
Amendment of a certificate of registration or naturalisation as a British citizen.	Fixed fee	Nationality correction to certificate	£85	£162[1]	£162
Arrangement of a citizenship ceremony.	Fixed fee	The arrangement of a citizenship ceremony (including the administration of a citizenship oath and pledge at the ceremony).	£80	£80	£80
Administration of a citizenship oath, or oath and pledge, where not administered at a citizenship ceremony.	Fixed fee	The administration of a citizenship oath, or oath and pledge where the oath, or oath and pledge, are not administered at a citizenship ceremony or by a justice of the peace.	£5	£5	£5
Issuing a document confirming that a person has the right of abode in the UK.	Fixed fee	Nationality right of abode	£144	£223[1]	£223
Supply of a certified copy of a notice, certificate, order, declaration or entry given, granted or made under the 1981 Act, any of the former nationality acts, or the 1997 Act.	Fixed fee	Status letter	£85	£162[1]	£162
		Non-acquisition letter	£85	£162[1]	
Copy, or replacement, or amended version of any of the documents specified above.	Fixed fee	Nationality reissued certificate	£85	£162[1]	£162

Notes:

[1] Fees set in line with estimated 2015 unit cost or other reference point

[2] Definitions and fee amounts are subject to change in the Fees Regulations 2015