



Home Office

**Table with further detail of  
indicative charges for 2015/16**

| Function  | Method of calculation | Fees category  | Current fee 2014/15 | Indicative Fee <sup>2</sup> 2015/16 | Maximum amount |
|---|-----------------------|--|---------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>Entry clearance or leave to remain as a visitor</b>  |                       |  |                     |                                     |                |
| 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           |
| <b>Entry clearance, leave to enter, leave to remain</b>   |                       |  |                     |                                     |                |
| 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                              |                |
| 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 exceptional talent (overseas)                  | £874                | £562                                | £1,500         |
|  |                       | Tier 1 graduate entrepreneur (overseas)               | £310                | £335                                |                |
|  |                       | 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 exceptional talent extension                   | £1,093              | £562                                |                |
|  |                       | Tier 1 entrepreneur (overseas)                        | £874                | £944                                |                |
| Entry clearance, leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK as a student.   | Fixed fee             | Tier 1 investor (overseas)                            | £874                | £1,500                              | £439           |
|  |                       | Tier 1 exceptional talent (overseas)                  | £874                | £562                                |                |
| Entry clearance, limited leave to enter or limited leave to remain in the UK where the   | 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 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
| 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                              |                |
| <b>Immigration documents</b>   |                       |   |                     |                                     |                |
| 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 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
| 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 <sup>1</sup>                   | £382           |
|  |                       | Certificate of travel - child   | £157                | £244 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
|  |                       | Convention travel document - adult  | £69                 | £72 <sup>1</sup>                    |                |
|  |                       | Convention travel document - child  | £46                 | £46 <sup>1</sup>                    |                |

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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 <sup>1</sup>                    | £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 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
|   |                       | 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 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
|   |                       | Transit visa - direct airside transit visa   | £30                 | £30                                 |                |
|   |                       | Visitor in transit - landside  | £54                 | £56                                 |                |
|   |                       | Certificate of travel - adult  | £246                | £382 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
|   |                       | Certificate of travel - child  | £157                | £244 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
|   |                       | Convention travel document - adult   | £69                 | £72 <sup>1</sup>                    |                |
|   |                       | Convention travel document - child   | £46                 | £46 <sup>1</sup>                    |                |
|   |                       | European residence document (registration certificate, document certifying permanent residence, residence card, derivative residence card, permanent residence card) | £55                 | £65 <sup>1</sup>                    |                |
|   |                       | Certificate of entitlement   | £289                | £324                                |                |
|   |                       | Vignette transfer fee  | £109                | £122                                |                |
|   |                       | No time limit  | £104                | £260 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
| Electronic Visa Waiver.   | Fixed Fee             | N/A  | N/A                 | N/A                                 | £15            |
| <b>Administration</b>   |                       |  |                     |                                     |                |
| 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 <sup>1</sup>                 | £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 <sup>1</sup>                    |                |
| 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            |
| <b>Sponsorship<sup>1</sup></b>  |                       |  |                     |                                     |                |
| 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                              |                |
| <b>Consular Services</b>  |                       |  |                     |                                     |                |

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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           |
| <b>Optional premium services</b>   |                       |  |                     |                                     |                |
| 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 <sup>1</sup>                    | £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 <sup>1</sup>                  |                |
| 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 <sup>1</sup>                    |                |
| 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 <sup>1</sup>                    | £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 <sup>1</sup>                  | £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        |
| <b>Nationality</b>  |                       |   |                     |                                     |                |
| 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 <sup>1</sup>                   | £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 <sup>1</sup>                   | £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, 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 <sup>1</sup>                   | £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 <sup>1</sup>                   | £162           |
|  |                       | Non-acquisition letter   | £85                 | £162 <sup>1</sup>                   |                |
| Copy, or replacement, or amended version of any of the documents specified above.  | Fixed fee             | Nationality reissued certificate   | £85                 | £162 <sup>1</sup>                   | £162           |

Notes:

<sup>1</sup> Fees set in line with estimated 2015 unit cost or other reference point

<sup>2</sup> Definitions and fee amounts are subject to change in the Fees Regulations 2015