



Financial Undertaking for a Student

Supporting information for an application for a student visa/permit



About the information you provide

The information about you on this form is collected to determine your eligibility to be a guarantor for a student.

So that we can confirm that you have sufficient funds to be a guarantor you must either:

- provide bank statements (original, or certified copies) for the previous three months, or
- ask your bank to complete 'Section E: Bank confirmation'.

If you are completing the form for a student who is already in New Zealand, you must provide evidence that you are a New Zealand citizen or resident (a certified copy of your New Zealand passport or your residence permit/returning resident's visa in your passport).

When you have completed sections A–D of the form, and your bank has completed 'Section E: Bank confirmation' if necessary, please return it to the student.

The main recipient of the information is Immigration New Zealand, Department of Labour, but it may also be shared with other Government agencies, which are entitled to this information under applicable legislation.

The address of Immigration New Zealand is PO Box 3705, Wellington, New Zealand. **This is not where the application should be sent.**

The collection of the information is authorised by the Immigration Act 1987 and the Immigration Regulations made under that Act. The supply of the information is voluntary, but if you do not supply it then the application may be declined.

Any person who is in New Zealand has a right to access the information about them held by Immigration New Zealand and to ask for any of it to be corrected if they think that is necessary.

When filling in this form, please print clearly in English using **CAPITAL LETTERS**.

The guarantor (the person giving the financial undertaking) must complete sections A, B, C and D.

Section A

Student's details

A1 Student's name as shown in passport

Family/last name

Given/first name(s)

A2 The student is applying for a student visa/permit for a stay in New Zealand of

years months

Section B

Guarantor's details

B1 Name

Family/last name

Given/first name(s)

Address

Telephone (daytime)

Telephone (evening)

Fax

Email



Section C Financial undertaking

C1 Length of financial undertaking [] months (up to a maximum of 12 months).

i Please note that this form can only be used to cover a maximum period of 12 months. If the student named above is applying for a student visa/ permit for longer than 12 months, and you wish to continue acting as their guarantor, you will need to complete another Financial Undertaking for a Student form before the end of the 12-month period.

C2 Tick the boxes below to show that you agree and undertake to accept responsibility for the student named on this form for the length of financial undertaking given above, for:

- a. maintenance at the rate of NZ\$10,000 per year or part thereof, and
- b. any costs of repatriation.

C3 Do you confirm that you hold sufficient funds in your bank account to act as a guarantor for the student named on this form for the length of financial undertaking given above?

Yes No

C4 Have you attached bank statements for the previous three months as evidence? Yes No

C5 Are you currently in New Zealand? Yes. Go to **C6**. No. Go to 'Section D: Guarantor's declaration'.

C6 Are you a New Zealand citizen/resident? Yes No

If you are a New Zealand citizen or resident you must provide evidence.

Section D Guarantor's declaration

I understand the questions and contents of this form, and the information I have provided is true and correct.

I confirm that the funds held in my bank account are my own and have not been borrowed or loaned from a third party for the purposes of this financial undertaking.

I authorise the bank to disclose my personal details and information, including my transaction history, to Immigration New Zealand, Department of Labour, if requested.

I understand that if I make any false statements, or provide any false or misleading information or have changed or altered this form in any way, I may be committing an offence and be liable to prosecution and imprisonment.

Signature of guarantor

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Date [D | D | M | M | Y | Y | Y | Y]

Section E Bank confirmation

The guarantor's bank must complete this section, if the guarantor has not provided bank statements for the previous three months.

Name of bank

Branch

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This bank confirms that the person providing this financial undertaking has an account with this bank and has sufficient funds as at the date of the signature below:

- a) to make available NZ\$10,000 per year or part thereof in New Zealand for the student named on this form, and
- b) to make available any costs of repatriation for the student named on this form.

The bank accepts no obligation or liability in respect of these funds.

Signature of bank officer

Official stamp of bank

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Date [D | D | M | M | Y | Y | Y | Y]

Full name of bank officer

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