

You can apply via our [Online E-Visa Application](#) form.

Visas Zone offers a meet and greet service at the Cape Town and Johannesburg Lodgement Centre. Speak to your Consultants to set up an appointment.

Visas Zone has launched an e-visa application portal through its website to help streamline certain visas. It is a user-friendly online visa portal process for many nationals, and the main objective is to save you time! The process consists of the applicant completing the online questionnaire and submitting it to us for processing! Visas Zone also provides payment on the applicant's behalf and after completion, deliver your passport with visa to a home or office address! Submit the online form and the below documents to any of our offices for processing:

All Chinese visas are issued for a maximum stay of 30 days irrespective if it is single, double or multiple entry visas. Single or double entry visas will only be issued to first time travelers.

Original & Copy of valid South African resident permit if you are foreign passport holder.

A Valid Passport that is valid for 6 months after the date of return, a Copy of the passport bio-data page, and at least two consecutive open pages after the visa.

Photocopies of all previous Chinese visas.

Application form - all foreign passport holders need to complete the additional form.

Complete travel history form in detail. Information on the planned visit : arrival and departure dates, place(s) to be visited, financial source of expenses, etc.;

Two color passport-size photos. 1. Taken on a white background 2. Hair behind both ears 3. T-shirt to be in any other color but white

Employment Letter confirming travel dates, host company and visiting person. The traveller's full name, ID and passport number must be stipulated.

Proof of residence - utility bill.

Air ticket booking(round trip), hotel reservation in relevant cities in China and daily itinerary, or invitation letter issued by a relevant entity or individual in china which contain:

Accommodation - Confirmation of a hotel booking in a form of a voucher or a formal invite from the individual in China, the invite must contain the full details of the applicant (full name, gender, date of birth, etc.) in formation on the planned visit (arrival and departure dates, place(s) to be visited and information of the inviting entity or individual (name, contact telephone numbers, address, official stamp, signatures of the legal representatives of the inviting individual). Copy of the Chinese ID of the person who is signing the invitation letter, plus FULL passport details that include full name, date of birth, date of issue and expiry date of the passport).

Travel insurance - Visa letter (one-page document) only for Discovery Health, Regent, Momentum, Chartis, Absa, TIC, Axa, Ace, Ojah, Europaische Reiserversicherung, Wiener Versicherung. Ensure the following: It must contain the logo on the insurer and name of the applicant. Otherwise, each applicant must submit a copy of the insurance policy stating, name, days covered, amount up to a minimum of 30,000 Euros or equivalent. The visa will be issued according to days covered by insurance.

Minors: If travelling with children under the age of 18 an original plus certified copy of the unabridged birth certificate is required including one parent applying in person at the Consulate (Visas Zone offers a meet and greet service at the Consulate)

Processing time is up to 15 business days.

Multiple one year visas cannot be processed urgently; these applications may be referred to the Chinese Immigration Department for approval and generally takes more time to process.

Costs - Kindly contact any of our offices for a detailed quotation.

Visas Zone charge a service fee.

Prices may vary.