

## What Documents are required when applying for Turkish Touristic Visa?

[www.visa.gov.tr](http://www.visa.gov.tr)

**Please prepare the following documents for visa applications before visiting the Turkish Consulate General in London.**

**1. Visa application form**

Please fill in the form ([www.visa.gov.tr](http://www.visa.gov.tr)) in capital letters with correct information (Applicant's parents' names must be filled). The original signed copy should be submitted at the visa interview. Visa applicant should visit the Consulate in person with filled and printed visa application form.

**2. Passport / Travel document**

Applicant's passport should be valid for minimum 6 months, starting from the date of arrival to Turkey and contain at least two blank pages.

**3. One (1) Photo**

Photo (Passport size, biometric and taken within the last six months) should be uploaded online. Another copy of the same photo should be submitted at the visa interview in person.

**4. Travel Health Insurance**

Prior to application, travel health insurance for Turkey should be obtained. Insurance dates must cover the traveller's stay in Turkey. This document should be uploaded online and original copy should be submitted at the visa interview to the Consulate General.

**5. Round-trip Flight Itinerary**

A copy of the round trip airline reservation with correct passenger details and correct dates should be submitted. This document should be uploaded online and original copy should be submitted at the visa interview to the Consulate General.

**6. Proof of Accommodation.**

A signed invitation letter, the host's ID Copy and proof of address (such as utility bill, tenancy contract etc.) should be submitted, if the applicant will stay at family member/friend's home in Turkey.

Hotel reservation document in the name of the applicant should be submitted. Hotel reservation dates should be in compliance with flight dates.

This document/s should be uploaded online and original copy should be submitted at the visa interview to the Consulate General.

**7. Proof of Occupation**

- For workers, an original, recent, signed and dated letter from the employer on official letterhead or last three original pay slips should be submitted.
- For students, an original, recent, signed and dated letter from the UK school/University on official letterhead should be submitted.
- For self-employed applicants, a letter from a solicitor/accountant verifying self-employment should be submitted.
- For applicants working for a family, most recent P60 Document and pay slips along with employment letter should be submitted.
- For applicants receiving benefits/pensions, the recent HMRC benefit/pension letter or online confirmation page is required. Document/s must show the amount of benefit/ pension.
- For unemployed applicants who are financially supported by spouse/adult child, please provide in original and a copy of spouse/adult child's employment/accountant letter, bank statement, passport and marriage/birth certificate (and certified translation if required).

Above-mentioned document/s should be uploaded online and original copy should be submitted at the visa interview to the Consulate General.

#### 8. **Proof of financial funds for your trip to Turkey**

In accordance with application date, please submit last two months' UK bank statement showing at least £400 balance. In stays more than 10 days in Turkey, in addition to £400 last balance, applicant should have £40/day in the bank.

This document should be uploaded online and original copy should be submitted during the visa interview to the Consulate General. Please note that cash is not acceptable as proof of financial funds.

#### 9. **Visa Requirements for Children under 18**

- All children under 18 are required to appear in person at the Consulate with both parents for all types of visa application.
- Original Birth certificate of the minor and its English translation, if required.
  - In case of not possessing original birth certificate for minor, applicant should apply to his/her home country's Embassy/Consulate in London to obtain an official document showing parents' names
  - UK Travel Document holders should apply to Home Office (if not to home country's Embassy/Consulate in London) to obtain an official document showing child's parents' names, (i.e. Home Office benefit letter or any Home Office document showing parents' and minor's name together).
- Children's Visa Application Form should be signed by both parents.
- When only one of the parents has full custody over the child, Custody Court Order (Court order establishing custody or guardianship) should be submitted.
- If one parent is absent during the application, a Consent Letter from the absent parent signed by the UK Solicitor and "Apostilled" by UK Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) (<https://www.gov.uk/get-document-legalised>) is required.
- If one parent is deceased, Official Death certificate is required.
- In cases where minor is adopted or foster cared, Adoption Degree or Foster Care official documents are required.

- ✓ *Please always bring the originals and copies of all supporting documents. Digital copies (i.e. mobile phone screenshots) are not accepted.*
- ✓ *Only cash payments are accepted.*
- ✓ *Please upload the necessary documents (in PDF format) online. Do not upload irrelevant documents, images or pictures.*
- ✓ *If applicant requests the passport to be posted back to his/her address, please bring a 'self-addressed, pre-paid, Special Delivery envelope' from the Post Office.*
- ✓ *All supporting documents should be dated within 60 days of application date.*
- ✓ *If necessary documents are not submitted on the day of appointment, unfortunately it will be required to schedule a new appointment.*
- ✓ *Documents printed from websites/e-mail should clearly show the website address, link or URL.*