

Detail Information for Supporting Documents

- If Police certificate is required for the visa application, applicant must enclose both police certificates which are issued by government authority from their origin country and from their current residence country (United Kingdom). Both documents must be authenticated by our Taiwan Oversea offices.
- For UK police certificate, the TRO only accepts certificate issued by the ACRO Criminal Records Office.
- Health certificate must be issued within 3 months by a UK or Taiwan hospital. Please download the health certificate and have your GP to complete all required examinations. If there is any examination your GP is unable to complete, they may refer you to an available hospital or consult with NHS.
- UK marriage, birth, and police certificate must be legalised by the UK Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) before submitting to the TRO.

Purpose	Visitor Visa (Less than 6 months)	Resident Visa (Over 6 months)	Note
Tourism	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hotel Booking with applicant's name 2. Travel Plan : day by day 3. If employed, please provide an employment letter issued within one month 	Not Applicable	
Business	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Original UK company letter 2. Invitation letter from Taiwanese company –a photocopy is acceptable 3. Hotel booking with applicant's name 	Not Applicable	If applying multiple entry visa, please specify the date of next visit on both company letters
Visiting Family	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Documents proving family relationship, such as household registration, marriage, and birth certificate etc. 2. A photocopy of family's passport and ARC if applicable-a photocopy is acceptable 3. Invitation letter with date and signature-a photocopy is acceptable 4. Hotel booking with applicant's name, if not staying with family 	Not Applicable	Invitation letter must address to this office and with applicant's nationality, full name, date of birth, passport no., duration of stay, and letter's writer's full name, contact tel. no., email address, home address, and relationship (kinship) with applicant.

Visiting Friend	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Invitation letter with the date and signature-a photocopy is acceptable 2. A photocopy of invitation letter writer's passport and visa/ARC- a photocopy is acceptable 3. Hotel booking with applicant's name, if not staying with friend 4. Travel plan-day by day 	Not Applicable	Invitation letter must address to this office and with applicant's nationality, full name, date of birth, passport no., duration of stay, and letter's writer's full name, contact tel. no., email address, and residential address in Taiwan.
Studying Mandarin course	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Original school admission letter and one photocopy 2. Study plan signed and dated by applicant and should include motivation for Mandarin learning. * If applying a multiple entry visa, please include reason and travel schedule. 	<p>Applicant who has been awarded scholarship by Ministry of Education/Foreign Affairs for six months or more should apply a resident visa.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Original School admission letter and one photocopy 2. Original scholarship certificate issued by MOE or MOFA for 6 months or more 3. Study plan signed and dated by applicant and should include motivation for Mandarin learning. 4. Health certificate* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visitor visa holder can apply a resident visa in Taiwan after complete 4 months course. Please visit Bureau of Consular Affairs' website for more information. • Resident visa is only for applicant who has been awarded scholarship for 6 months or more by MOE/MOFA • Original certificates will be returned after submission
Exchange Student	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Official letter (公文) issued by university in Taiwan 2. Admission letter issued by university in Taiwan 3. Original school letter issued within 1 month by UK university to confirm applicant is a current student and will be taking on the exchange programme. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Official letter (公文) issued by university in Taiwan 2. Admission letter issued by university in Taiwan 3. Original school letter issued within 1 month by UK university to confirm applicant is a current student and will be taking on the exchange programme. 4. Health certificate* 5. Police certificate*may be required 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resident visa is only available for exchange programme for 6 months or more • Exchange programme includes elective course
Foreign Student	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Original school admission letter and one photocopy 2. Original degree certificate and transcript of applicant's highest education and one photocopy 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Original school admission letter and one photocopy 2. Original degree certificate and transcript of applicant's highest education and one photocopy 3. Health certificate* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For University degree only, such as Bachelor, Master, and PhD degree. • Original certificate will be returned after submission.

<p>Attending Training</p>	<p>For training period less than 6 months</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Original and one photocopy of permission issued by the related government authority. 2. Confirmation letter from the organisation/company in Taiwan. 	<p>For training period more than 6 months</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Original and one photocopy of permission issued by the related government authority. 2. Confirmation letter from the organisation/company in Taiwan. 3. Health certificate* 4. Police certificate* may be required 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training period is based on the permission issued by related government authority. • Training include in any organisation, such as hospital, school, private sector etc.
<p>Dependent Visa for Taiwanese citizen's family</p>	<p><u>For Spouse</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Taiwanese citizen's household registration document (戶籍謄本) issued within 3 months with marriage registration information • If haven't register marriage in Taiwan, please provide UK marriage certificate legalised by FCO* 2. A photocopy of Taiwanese citizen's TW passport (ID page only) 	<p><u>For Spouse</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Taiwanese citizen's household registration document (戶籍謄本) issued within 3 months with marriage registration information 2. A photocopy of Taiwanese citizen's TW passport (ID page only) 3. Health Certificate* 4. Police Certificate*- ACRO Criminal Records 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marriage certificate issued in other countries must be authenticated by Taiwan oversea office. • For resident visa application, applicant must have already completed marriage registration with local registry office in Taiwan, applicant's country of origin, and country where got married. • Minor must not have acquired Taiwanese citizenship.
<p><u>For Minor (under 20 years old)</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. UK birth certificate with both parents' names and legalised by FCO* 2. A photocopy of Taiwanese citizen's TW passport (ID page only) 3. Taiwanese citizen's household registration document (戶籍謄本) issued within 3 months. 	<p><u>For Minor (under 20 years old)</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. UK birth certificate with both parents' names and legalised by FCO* 2. A photocopy of Taiwanese citizen's TW passport (ID page only) 3. Taiwanese citizen's household registration document (戶籍謄本) issued within 3 months. 4. Health Certificate* 		

Employment	Applicant		
	Original and one photocopy of Work Permit issued by related government authority with permitted work period less than 6 months.	Original and one photocopy of Work Permit issued by related government authority with permitted work period more than 6 months.	Employment including white collar worker/Entertainer/Internship/Charity work/Giving lectures etc.
	Applicant's Dependent		
	<u>For Spouse</u> 1. UK Marriage certificate legalised by FCO* 2. Sponsor's copy of work permit 3. Sponsor's photocopy of passport and ARC with at least another 6 months validity	<u>For Spouse</u> 1. UK Marriage certificate legalised by FCO* 2. Sponsor's copy of work permit 3. Sponsor's photocopy of passport and ARC with at least another 6 months validity 4. Health certificate*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health certificate is exempt from : 1. Child under 6 years old 2. Applicant and sponsor are both from countries which are eligible for visa exempt entry programme to Taiwan.
<u>For Minor (under 20 years old)</u> 1. UK Birth certificate with both parent's name and legalised by FCO* 2. Sponsor's copy of work permit 3. Sponsor's photocopy of passport and ARC with at least another 6 months validity	<u>For Minor (under 20 years old)</u> 1. UK Birth certificate with both parent's name and legalised by FCO* 2. Sponsor's copy of work permit 3. Sponsor's photocopy of passport and ARC with at least another 6 months validity 4. Health Certificate*		