Sightseeing / Visiting friends or relatives

*Please do NOT staple/clip/tape/use tabs or sticky notes on documents.

Requirements

1. Passport



- Original passport and one photocopy of its face page
- Valid until travel to Japan and return to Australia or home country
- At least 2 spread blank visa pages
- Not damaged

2. A valid Australian visa (VEVO)



- Visa status confirmation from the Visa Entitlement Verification
 Online (VEVO) system issued up to the day before the submission date. Check conditions online (VEVO)
- *" Visa Grant Notice Letter" is NOT acceptable.
- *Bridging visa A holders need to obtain **Bridging visa B** in prior to apply for a Japanese visa.
- *If you hold a tourist/visitor visa, we DO NOT accept your application.
- * If your Australian visa is linked to your previous/old passport, please update and link it to your current passport.

3. Visa application form



- Duly completed and signed by the applicant.
- You must answer all the questions. If there is nothing to write for a particular question, please write "None" or "N/A".
- *Russia, CIS countries and Georgia nationals need to submit 2 visa application forms.

4. Passport standard photo (4.5cm*3.5cm or 2in*2in size)



- It must be taken within last 6 months.
- Printed on glossy photo paper.
- **DO NOT use any filter/editor** such as smoothing skin, removing moles, wrinkles or scars, slimming your face shape, etc.
- DO NOT wear glasses or colour lenses.
- Plain white background only.
- No Shadows on image and background.
- Face centred and looking at the camera straight on; not tilted in any direction.
- Have a neutral facial expression with both eyes open and mouth closed.
- No reversed (mirrored) photo.
- Follow the Photo requirements (DFAT)
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5. A copy of E-ticket or flight details



- Complete flight itinerary, starting from Australia, and returning to Australia or your home country, including any stops in other countries. (e.g., Melbourne-China-Japan-China-Melbourne)
- Flight itinerary need to include;
 - ✓ Traveller's name
 - ✓ Departure & arrival dates and time
 - ✓ Flight number
- *If you do not plan to come back to Australia, all the flights to your home country is required.
- *We are not responsible for tickets, which are unusable due to delay or denial of visa.

6. Travel schedule including your accommodation and activities



*If you travel with a tour-group, tour confirmation with applicant's name and tour itinerary issued by a tour agent are necessary.

7. Proof of sufficient travel funds of visa applicant



- Current bank statement/proof of balance
 - ✓ Issued within a month recent
 - ✓ Your full name
 - ✓ Current residential Address (VIC, SA or TAS)
 - ✓ Have sufficient travel funds

*If you are minor with no bank statement or do not have much money, alternatively, the following documents (with English translation if necessary) will be acceptable.

- Partner's bank statement & Marriage Certificate
- Parent's bank statement & Birth Certificate

8. If you visit your friends/relatives residing in Japan



- An invitation letter from the person
 - *Including the person's name, signature and address.
- A copy of his / her passport photo page
- A proof of residential address such as a Japanese driver's licence
- A copy of Japanese resident card (back & front)
 - *If the person is non-Japanese.