

Immigration Services

Our immigration team has extensive experience in advising on all aspects of UK immigration and citizenship. We provide a personalised, efficient and pragmatic approach to a wide range of clients, including high net worth and ultra-high net worth individuals, their families and their business. Below is a list of some of the most popular applications we are able to assist with, along with average costs for each application type.

The work we undertake is multi-jurisdictional and complex. Because the services we offer are bespoke, the following fees should be referenced as a guide only.

- Tier 1 Investor (investing a minimum £2 million in approved UK qualifying investments) – £12,000-£25,000.
- Tier 1 Entrepreneur (establishing, joining or taking over a business in the UK) – £15,000-£25,000.
- Tier 1 Exceptional Talent (visas for leaders in the field of science, humanities, engineering, medicine, digital technology or the arts) – £5,000-£15,000.
- Tier 4 Student – £4,000-£7,000.
- Tier 5 Youth Mobility Scheme (for 18-30 year olds with certain nationalities) – £3,000-£7,000.
- Representative of an overseas business – £6,000-£10,000.
- UK Ancestry – £5,000-£8,000.
- Family based applications for Spouse, Civil Partner, Unmarried Partner or Child of a British person or settled person (five-year route to settlement) – £7,000-£15,000
- Dependant elderly relatives – £8,000-£20,000.
- Visit visas (business and tourism) – £3,000-£5,000.
- Settlement on the basis of 5 years residence in the UK – £5,000-£15,000.
- Settlement on the basis of 10 years long residence in the UK – £5,000-£15,000.
- Applications for British citizenship/registration – £5,000-£15,000.
- Applications for EU nationals and their family members - £3,000-£7,000.

All figures stated above exclude VAT unless specifically stated. In all cases we will provide you with an individual fee based on your circumstances once we have received full details from you.

Please also be aware that the fee ranges provided assume that you have no discretionary elements to your application, no negative immigration history, no civil or criminal convictions or pending convictions, no non-compliance with the Immigrations Rules and that your application is not time sensitive.

We would ordinarily charge on a fixed-fee basis, which will vary depending on the seniority and experience of the lawyers who will assist you with your immigration requirements. Our hourly rates range from £150 to £300 plus VAT for our non-partner fee earners and £400 to £500 plus VAT (if applicable) for partners. Please note that these rates may be varied.

Our legal fees will always reflect the estimate given unless new or unforeseen factors arise. If this happens, we will provide a revised estimate of our legal fees. If we are required to undertake more work and additional time is spent working on a case, our legal fees will increase.

We can provide a bespoke estimate of the likely fees of an application once we have more information and specific circumstances.



Disbursements

We will also charge for disbursements that we pay on your behalf. This may include costs such as translation fees and courier fees and can typically range from £30 to £500.

There will also be the costs of the Home Office fees and the appointment costs which are set by the Home Office's commercial partner and will be payable by you directly. The Home Office's fees vary depending on the kind of application and the duration of the visa, and the appointment costs will vary depending on where and how the application will be submitted and whether a priority service for expedited determination is being utilised. Home Office fees are subject to change.

As well as the Home Office application fees, appointment submission costs, Immigration Health Surcharge costs and any required translation or courier costs, applicants may also incur costs for the following (please note, however, that the below is not an exhaustive list of all possible costs and they do not apply to every type of application):

- Criminal Record Certificate
- Evidence of English
- Tuberculosis Testing
- Subject Access Request
- Life in the UK Test

What services are included?

The work will involve:

- Taking your initial instructions and discussing particular circumstances in detail and confirming whether this is the most appropriate application to make and what other options may be available;
- providing advice about the requirements of the relevant rules and whether the criteria is met;
- if certain criteria are not met, whether this can be overcome and how;
- providing a detailed strategy, relevant time frames, details of documents required to support the application and details of the application process;
- considering the supporting evidence provided and drafting the application form;
- where necessary, helping obtain further evidence including bank letters, bank statements etc.;
- preparing the application for submission including booking your appointment to submit your biometrics and application bundle;
- drafting a detailed letter of representations setting out how you meet the requirements for a visa to be granted to you;
- providing you with advice and instructions in respect of submitting your application and assisting to prepare you for an interview (if required);
- providing advice about the outcome of the application and instructions for complying with your immigration conditions.

How long will my application take?

We cannot guarantee how long the Home Office will take to process your application. Please read the current processing times [here](#) .

The time taking preparing your application will depend on the complexity of your case and how quickly we receive the required supporting evidence from you.

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Our immigration team advises on all types of UK immigration applications. If the service you require is not listed above, please contact the immigration team and we will provide you with a quotation for your individual case. The fees above do not include the costs of any appeals.

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