

OVERVIEW RESIDENCE PERMIT FOR STUDY (TEV)

If your personalized results on [Pathfinder](#) showed “Residence Permit for Study (TEV)” please see this simplistic overview of the specific immigration procedure applicable to you:



1. SEND DOCUMENTS AND PAYMENTS TO AUAS IMMIGRATION AFFAIRS

AUAS Immigration Affairs sends out an immigration procedure e-mail with the required steps that you need to take. After you have sent all necessary documents and payment, your file will be send to the Dutch Immigration and Naturalization Service (IND).



2. IND PROCESS

The IND will process and evaluate your file and this can take several weeks. Unfortunately AUAS does not have any influence on their processing time. After the IND approved your application you will be informed accordingly by AUAS Immigration Affairs.



5. COLLECT YOUR ENTRY VISA AT THE DUTCH EMBASSY OR CONSULATE

In order for you to travel to the Netherlands you will need an entry visa. After you receive the ‘IND approval e-mail’ from AUAS Immigration Affairs you can contact the Dutch embassy or consulate in your country to make an appointment.

You always need to visit the Dutch embassy or consulate in your home country, unless you have a residence permit for another country. Not all embassies and consulates can process entry visas and in some countries there are no Dutch embassy or consulate. In this case you need to visit a Dutch embassy in another country.



3. TRAVEL TO THE NETHERLANDS

After you received your entry visa you can travel to the Netherlands. Please make sure your passport is valid for at least 6 months after you enter the Netherlands. AUAS is looking forward to welcome you at the AUAS Arrival Day(s)!



4. UNDERGO TUBERCULOSIS TEST (IF NECESSARY)

Students from some nationalities need to undergo the tuberculosis test within 5 days of arrival in the Netherlands. For more information please see the “TB Test Document” which is included in the immigration procedure e-mail.



6. COLLECT YOUR RESIDENCE PERMIT & SEND A COPY TO AUAS

AUAS Immigration Affairs will inform you when and where you can collect your residence permit card. Please send a copy to AUAS Immigration Affairs.



7. STUDYING AND RESIDING LEGALLY IN THE NETHERLANDS

After you completed all steps outlined above you are studying and residing legally in the Netherlands for the duration of your stay plus an additional 3 months. Your residence permit card will also act as a Dutch ID card.