

DO I NEED A VISA AND/OR RESIDENCE PERMIT?

Once you have decided to study at HAS University of Applied Sciences, you will need to prepare for your stay in the Netherlands. Please follow the steps below to find out if a visa and/or residence permit is needed.

1. DO YOU HAVE A EUROPEAN NATIONALITY?

YES

NO

NO VISA/RESIDENCE PERMIT REQUIRED

2. ARE YOU CURRENTLY STUDYING AT A EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY?

YES

NO

3. ARE YOU CURRENTLY STUDYING IN 1 OF THE FOLLOWING COUNTRIES:
DENMARK, IRELAND, (ICELAND), (LIECHTENSTEIN), NORWAY, SWITZERLAND OR UNITED KINGDOM?

YES

NO

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Please check the [Visa Factsheet](#) for further procedures

4. DO YOU HAVE A VALID RESIDENCE PERMIT FOR STUDY PURPOSES IN THE EU-COUNTRY YOU'RE CURRENTLY STUDYING IN?

YES

NO

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YOUR RESIDENCE PERMIT IS ALSO VALID IN THE NETHERLANDS. YOU'LL NEED TO INFORM THE DUTCH IMMIGRATION AND NATURALISATION SERVICE (IND) THAT YOU'RE COMING TO STUDY AT HAS UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES.

ARE YOU FROM ARGENTINA, AUSTRALIA, CANADA, HONG KONG, NEW ZEALAND OR SOUTH KOREA?

If you are an exchange student from 1 of these countries and you don't have a residence permit with study purposes of an EU-country you can apply for a so called Working Holiday Visa.

More information about this type of visa and the application can be found [on the website of the Dutch Immigration Service](#).

We therefore need to receive the following documents from you:

- An [Authorization form](#) signed by you. Through this form you authorize HAS to inform IND that you're coming to study at HAS for an exchange.
- A copy of your passport (all stamped and/or written pages). Your passport needs to be valid for the duration of your stay in the Netherlands.
- A copy of your residence permit (RP) from the EU-Country you're currently studying in. The RP needs to be valid for the duration of your stay in the Netherlands.
- An [Antecedents Certificate](#) completed and signed by you.
- A copy of your health insurance with coverage in the Netherlands
- A bank statement to prove sufficient financial means (€5295,- per semester)