

Applying for a visa to study at **ONCAMPUS Amsterdam**

Information for MVV students*

STEP 1

Meet all conditions of the programme and receive a Certificate of Enrolment from **ONCAMPUS Amsterdam**.

STEP 2

Receive an invitation by email to register on the University of Amsterdam's online system.

STEP 3

Upload the required documentation

- All passport pages (passport valid for at least three months)
- Proof of health insurance
- Proof of financial means - €925 x 12 months = €11.100 You or your sponsor(s) will be able to provide a bank statement to show that you have enough funds.
- Proof that you have paid (a part of) the tuition fees. The tuition fees will have to be transferred to **ONCAMPUS Amsterdam**.
- Payment of € 210 (cost of visa)

STEP 4

The University of Amsterdam applies for an entry visa (MVV) (also called "provisional residence permit") and the student residence permit** on your behalf. UvA will send your documents to the Dutch Immigration Department (IND).

STEP 5

The University will contact you by email to confirm your visa has been approved by the IND. You can now make an appointment with the Embassy/Consulate to collect it.

STEP 6

Within 1 – 3 weeks the Embassy/Consulate will tell you when your visa will be ready. You can go and collect the visa in your own country/country of residency. Please note that you may need to do an interview with the embassy/consulate and that they have the right not to give out the visa even though it has been approved by the IND earlier.

STEP 7

You use the MVV to enter the Netherlands. On arrival, the University will let you know when to collect your residence permit.

Chinese students

If you are Chinese, but not Hong Kong, Macau or Taiwan Chinese, you need to obtain a NUFFIC certificate. You can apply for this as soon as you receive your Certificate of Enrolment from **ONCAMPUS**.

1. Apply for your certificate online at [the NUFFIC website](#)
2. Upload the following documentation:
 - a. IELTS or TOEFL
 - b. Transcripts
 - c. Copy of passport/ID card.
3. NUFFIC will send a copy of your certificate to the University of Amsterdam.
4. The University will upload the required details to your online application.

POST STUDY WORK OPPORTUNITIES

After graduation from the University of Amsterdam, students have the opportunity to spend a period of up to twelve months in the Netherlands to find a job as a highly skilled migrant. The student will be able to extend their visa for 12 months. This is called the "Orientation Year". For more information, visit the [website](#)



* All non-EU students except students from Japan, SouthKorea, USA, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, UK and Monaco.

** The student will be issued with a visa for 4 years and 3 months from the start of their Foundation programme. The student will need to meet the progression requirements to keep their study visa.