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FELTOM VISA FLOWCHART

This infographic is in support of the official Malta Identità Central Visa Unit guidelines as of August 2024

1 SHORT TERM STUDENTS

up to 90 days
existing procedure

A

Visa required students need to apply with the local embassy/mission

Book and pay current process as per country

B

90 day visa exemption

Enter MALTA as a student with documents not exceeding 90 days in Schengen area

Simple booking confirmation, school letter and **return flight ticket**

2 LONG TERM STUDENTS

105 days and longer
new procedure

A

Country requiring pre-arrival study visa (as of 01 March 2024)

B

Country with 90 day visa exemption (as of 01 May 2024)

Apply for long term visa prior to arrival.
VFS Appointment booking by the school, agent or student.
Approx 6-8 weeks from time of appointment to visa approval/rejection.

Appointment fee is **€100** or **€150** depending on the urgency of the appointment.
PLUS VFS admin fee upon submission.
Follow Identita checklist for details

- Standard service **€100** Appointment 3 weeks from date
- Extended service (Express) **€150** First available appointment
- Courier service **€150** Available only in selected countries

Go to VFS office with **appointment letter, printed documents** and **passport**.
VFS service fees applicable (subject to local VFS centre)

VFS submits documents to **Central Visa Unit, Identita**

- **Accepted** → Return of passport and visa to applicant subject to service requested at the appointment with the VFS
- **Rejected/refused** → Make an Appeal

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