

# Entry Visa Checklist



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Email ID		Mobile no.	



**Use black ink only whilst completing your Application Form and Checklist.**  
**Check mark all requirements below that are complied with.**  
**Sign at the end of each page of the Checklist.**

**Entry to BLS International Services Canada Inc., Indian Visa Application Centers (VAC):**

1. Due to the limited size of VACs, attorneys (those accompanying applicants), relatives, drivers, or friends are not allowed in the VAC.
2. An applicant may however, bring one person to assist him/her if he or she is elderly, disabled, or a minor child.
3. Applicants should bear in mind that they may stand outside the facilities for their turn, please dress according to weather conditions on the day of your visit.

**Important:**

1. If you cannot visit the VAC, it is recommended that you use the postal service to submit your application.
2. Alternatively, to book a pickup and/or drop via FedEx, visit <http://www.blsindia-canada.com/vas/>
3. Foreign visitors to Canada cannot apply for Indian visa services in Canada.

<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Online Application Form:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- An Entry visa can be applied for <b>1 year or 5 years</b> only.</li> <li>- Application must be completed and submitted online.</li> <li>- Visit: <a href="http://indianvisaonline.gov.in/visa/">http://indianvisaonline.gov.in/visa/</a> and select 'Online Visa Application Registration.'</li> <li>- Be sure to select the correct Indian mission based on the place where you reside in Canada, and the mission's jurisdiction.</li> <li>- Mission jurisdiction can be viewed at: <a href="http://www.blsindia-canada.com/entryvisa.php">http://www.blsindia-canada.com/entryvisa.php</a></li> <li>- After submission online, no changes can be made. In case of an error, please register afresh online.</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Photograph:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- One photo of size 51mm x 51 mm. Paste this on Page 1 of the Application Form.</li> <li>- Photo <b>must</b> be compliant with specifications; refer to: <a href="http://www.blsindia-canada.com/vas.php">http://www.blsindia-canada.com/vas.php</a></li> <li>- You can avail of this service at the VAC; go to: <a href="http://www.blsindia-canada.com/vas.php">http://www.blsindia-canada.com/vas.php</a></li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Signatures:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Sign at Page 1, inside the box, below your photo, and at Page 2.</li> <li>- Minor Applicants (Below 18 Years):                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Signature must match with the valid passport.</li> <li>o If a minor cannot sign, using only black or blue ink, apply left hand thumb impression for boys &amp; right for girls at Pages 1 &amp; 2.</li> <li>o In this case, both parents must also sign below the applicant's signature, at Page 2.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<p><b>Documents:</b> Provide photocopies <b>unless otherwise stated</b>; attach the following valid documents in photocopies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Provide copies for <b>all the documents on LETTER size paper</b>.</li> <li>- All photocopies have to be self-attested</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Canadian Passport (Original):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Must be valid for at least 190 days.</li> <li>- Must have at least two blank/unstamped pages.</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Additional documents for Non-Canadian Passport:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 'Additional Form to be filled by Foreign/Non-Canadian Nationals' – duly completed and signed.</li> <li>- Download at: <a href="http://www.blsindia-canada.com/entryvisa.php">http://www.blsindia-canada.com/entryvisa.php</a></li> <li>- Proof of Valid work status in Canada: Valid PR Card, Work Permit or Student Permit.</li> <li>- Proof of address in Canada: Driver's License, Bank Statement or Utility Bill (The latter two must be less than 6 months old).</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Additional documents for Former Indian National Applying for a Visa:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Cancelled Indian passport</li> <li>- Landing Paper</li> <li>- Surrender of Indian Nationality certificate (if issued by an Indian Mission).</li> <li>- If your Landing Paper indicates/Family category, provide a letter from the Refugee Board CIC indicating that you have never applied for a refugee status in Canada</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>If Application is Based on Parent's legal Status in India:</b> Documents of the parent with Copies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- If parents are Indian nationals:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Indian passports – both parents</li> <li>o Proof of work status in Canada – PR Card or Work Permit (The latter must be valid for at least 6 months)</li> </ul> </li> <li>- If parents are of Indian origin:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Cancelled Indian passports and Landing Papers – both parents</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Proof of work status in Canada – PR Card or Work Permit (The latter must be valid for at least 6 months)</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Minor Applicant (Below 18 Years):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Minor Consent Form – duly completed and signed by both parents</li> <li>- Download at: <a href="https://www.blsindia-canada.com/forms/HCI-CGI_Minor%20consent%20form.pdf">https://www.blsindia-canada.com/forms/HCI-CGI_Minor%20consent%20form.pdf</a></li> <li>- Statement of Live Birth (Birth Certificate mentioning parents' names, and your date and place of birth)</li> <li>- Both Parents Copy of Proof of address</li> <li>- Both parents copy of valid passports</li> <li>- Minor travelling without parents:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Notarized Affidavit indicating consent to travel. Both parents to sign.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- If either parent is out of the country whilst applying, that parent to provide the following in addition:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Minor Consent Form – duly completed and signed.</li> <li>○ Notarized Affidavit indicating consent to spouse to travel with minor.</li> <li>○ Notarized photocopy of passport from Notary Public.</li> <li>○ <b>Online visa application duly signed at Page 2.</b></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>If Application is Based on Spouse's Legal Status in India:</b> Documents of the spouse/parents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>If application is based on spouse being an Indian national:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Indian passport</li> <li>○ Landing Paper</li> <li>○ Proof of work status in Canada – PR Card or Work Permit.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- <b>If application is based on spouse being of Indian origin:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Canadian/Foreign passport</li> <li>○ Cancelled Indian passport</li> <li>○ Surrender of Indian Nationality certificate</li> <li>○ Landing Paper</li> <li>○ If your Landing Paper indicates FC/Family category, provide a letter from the Refugee Board CIC</li> </ul> </li> <li>- <b>If application is based on spouse holding an Employment visa:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Current passport</li> <li>○ Indian Employment visa (Copy of validity pages)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Fees:</b> Refer to fee schedule at: <a href="http://www.blsindia-canada.com/entryvisa.php">http://www.blsindia-canada.com/entryvisa.php</a></p> <p><b>Mail In Applications:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Enclose a certified cheque/ DD/PO in favor of 'BLS International Services Canada Inc.' to include:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ HCI Visa Fee.</li> <li>○ ICWF Consular Surcharge Fee.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- Enclose a <b>separate</b> certified cheque/ DD/PO in favor of 'BLS International Services Canada Inc.' to include:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ BLS Processing Fee.</li> </ul> </li> <li>- Add: Return Courier charges.</li> </ul> <p><b>Walk In Applicants:</b> In cash or by debit card only</p>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Proof of Address(Photocopy) -Bank Statement/Utility Bill/Rent Agreement/Driving License</p>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Entry Visa and Surrender cannot be applied simultaneously</b></p>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>Notarized Affidavit for Change in Appearance</b></p>

The above guidelines are defined by the High Commission of India, Canada, for consular services for India, and must be strictly followed. The High Commission of India, Canada Information and Application Centre will not accept applications which do not meet above guidelines. They also reserve the right to ask for a personal interview. BLS International Services Canada Inc. have no say on whether you will be granted a visa/passport/PIO card/OCI card for India, as this is entirely the prerogative of the High Commission of India, Canada. The Mission may also request for additional documentation at any time during or after the submission of the application.

Undertaking: I certify that my documents are arranged in the order given at the Checklist above. I have been informed that any insufficiency in documentation as mentioned in the Checklist may lead to a delaying the processing/rejection of my application.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Checklist for Ottawa jurisdiction only.Rev. 4.0**