

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT NIGERIAN VISA

Depending on the purpose of your journey to Nigeria, there are different types/classes of visas that are available to match your need. Generally, a person not a citizen of Nigeria, planning to travel to Nigeria, whether for the purpose of visit, tourism, study, work or reside permanently, must first obtain a Nigerian Visa. <u>Read more on Nigerian Visa Categories</u>...

Click here to check if you are exempted from entry visa to visit Nigeria

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Certain citizen of a foreign country may be eligible to visit Nigeria without a visa provided they falls within the categories of persons exempted based on visa free, waiver, reciprocity and bilateral agreements.

List of countries whose citizens may enter Nigeria without Visa are:

a. ECOWAS Free Movement Protocols

Country	Maximum Period of Stay Without Visa
1. Benin Republic	90 days
2. Burkina Faso	90 days
3. Cape Verde	90 days
4. Cote D'Ivoire	90 days
5. The Gambia	90 days
6. Ghana	90 days
7. Guinea	90 days
8. Guinea Bissau	90 days
9. Liberia	90 days
10. Mali	90 days
11. Niger Republic	90 days
12. Senegal	90 days
13. Sierra Leone	90 days
14. Togo	90 days

Entry Conditions for ECOWAS Member States – F1A

- i. must hold valid travel document to enter Nigeria;
- ii. must enter Nigeria through a recognised entry point;
- iii. must have means of sustenance while in the country;
- iv. must not be in the category of Prohibited Immigrants;
- v. must possess return ticket if travelled by air;
- vi. must possess International Health Certificate; and



vii. free entry for maximum of 90 days/not valid for employment.

b. VISA Abolition Agreement – F1B

Country	Maximum Period of Stay Without Visa
1. Republic Cameroon	90 days
2. Chad Republic	90 days

Entry Conditions for Visa Abolition Agreement – F1B

- i. must hold valid travel document to enter Nigeria;
- ii. must enter Nigeria through a recognised entry point;
- iii. must have means of sustenance while in the country;
- iv. must possess return ticket if travelled by air;
- v. must not be in the category of Prohibited Immigrants;
- vi. free visa entry for maximum of 90 days, is only valid for visit and not for residency or employment purposes; and
- vii. relevant visa for residency, employment or business purposes must be obtained.

c. Visa Waiver for International Organisations – F1C

Holders of **Official Travel Documents (Laissez Passer)** from the following International Organisations on official assignments only may visit Nigeria without visa provided they meet certain entry conditions:

Organisation	Maximum Period of Stay Without Visa
1. United Nations Organisation (UN);	90 days
2. African Union Commission (AU);	90 days
3. ECOWAS Commission; and	90 days
4. African Development Bank (AfDB)	90 days

Entry Conditions for Visa Waiver for International Organisations – F1C

- i. Must hold Official Travel Document;
- ii. Visa-free entry valid for maximum of 90 days; and
- iii. Return ticket.



d. Reciprocity Visa Waiver Agreement Countries – F1D

Citizens of the following countries holding Diplomatic or Official Passport can travel to Nigeria without visa based on Bilateral/Multilateral agreement on the Principle of Reciprocity and certain entry conditions:

Organisation	Eligible Travel Document	Maximum Period of Stay Without Visa
1. Brazil	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
2. Venezuela	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
3. Kenya	Diplomatic Passport Only	90 days
4. China	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
5. Cuba	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
6. Sudan	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
7. Namibia	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
8. South Africa	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
9. Mauritius	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
10. Singapore	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
11. Turkey	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
12. Tanzania	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
13. Rwanda	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days
14. Ethiopia	Diplomatic or Official Passport	90 days

Entry Conditions for Reciprocity Visa Waiver Agreement Countries – F1D

- i. must hold Diplomatic or Official travel document;
- ii. Visa-free entry valid for maximum of 90 days;
- iii. Visa-free entry not valid for employment;
- iv. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds/means of sustenance while in the country; and
- v. Return ticket.



While some foreign nationals may be exempted from entry visa for short visit to Nigeria, holders of Passports of African Union Countries can be issued short visit visa for business and tourism purposes at the point of arrival without pre-approval. Others can obtain e-Visa for short visit purposes with pre-approval letter known as electronic Travel Authorization Letter (eTAL).

Generally, foreign citizens who are not exempt from entry visa must obtain their visas at the appropriate Nigeria Embassy, High Commission or Consulate closest to applicant's country of residence or via Pre-Approval e-Visa System for Nigerian Visa.

NIGERIAN VISA CATEGORIES

Before applying, visa applicants must first decide which kind of visa (and status of residence) to apply for according to the purpose of their visit to Nigeria. The category of visa you must obtain is defined by Immigration Act and Nigeria VISA Policy, and relates to the purpose of your travel. Nigerian visas are divided into the following categories:

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Short Visit Visa (SVV) – F

Temporary Residence Visa (TRV) – R

Permanent Residence Visa (PRV) – N

Short Visit Visa (SVV) – F

Short Visit Visas allow eligible travelers to visit Nigeria for a period not exceeding three months (90 days) for the purpose. This can be issued with the right of single or multiple entries. Short visit visas are divided into various types/classes based on purpose of journey. Available visa classes for short visit to Nigeria are as tabulated below:

Visa Class/Code
<u>F2A</u>
<u>F3 (F3A, F3B)</u>
<u>F4 (F4A, F4B, F4C)</u>
F5A
<u>F6 (F6A, F6B)</u>
F7A
F7B



Medical Tourism	<u>F7C</u>
Religious Tourism	<u>F7D</u>
Sports Visa	<u>F7E</u>
Artist/Entertainer/Musician Visa	<u>F7F</u>
Study Tour	<u>F7G</u>
Academic Exchange Programme	<u>F7H</u>
International Cultural Exchange Visa	<u>F7I</u>
Humanitarian Services Visa	<u>F7J</u>
Emergency/Relief Work Visa	<u>F7K</u>
Staff of INGO Visa	<u>F7L</u>
Staff of NGO	<u>F7M</u>
Temporary Work Permit	<u>F8A</u>
Returning holders of other national Passports who are Nigerians by Birth	<u>F9A</u>

Temporary Residence Visa (TRV) – R

Temporary Residence Visas are classes of visas that allows foreign nationals reside in Nigeria on a temporary basis, for the purpose of employment, establishment, schooling, internship, and accompanying employed migrants, students or diplomats as dependants. Available visa classes for Temporary Residence in Nigeria are as tabulated below:

Purpose of Travel	Visa Class/Code
Temporary Work (6 months)	<u>R11</u>
Accredited Diplomat, Accompanying spouse and Dependants	<u>R1 (R1A, R1B, R1C, R1D, R1E)</u>
Employment (Expatriate), Accompanying spouse and Dependants	<u>R2 (R2A, R2B, R2C, R2D, R2E)</u>
Employment (Expatriate - Free Zone), Accompanying spouse and	<u>R3 (R3A</u> , <u>R3B</u> , <u>R3C</u> , <u>R3D</u> , <u>R3E</u>)



Dependants	
Employment - Expatriate (Government Official), Accompanying spouse and Dependants	<u>R4</u> (<u>R4A</u> , <u>R4B</u> , <u>R4C</u> , <u>R4D</u> , <u>R4E</u>)
Employment (INGO), Accompanying spouse and Dependants	<u>R5 (R5A</u> , <u>R5B</u> , <u>R5C</u> , <u>R5D</u> , <u>R5E</u>)
Employment (Cleric), Accompanying spouse and Dependants	<u>R6 (R6A, R6B, R6C, R6D, R6E)</u>
Student and Accompanying Spouse	<u>R7</u> (<u>R7A, R7B</u>)
Academic Exchange Programme and Accompanying Spouse	<u>R8 (R8A, R8B)</u>
Interns	<u>R9A</u>

Permanent Residence Visa (PRV) – N

Permanent Residence Visas allow certain class of individuals to obtain permanent residence status in Nigeria. It is a long-time residence visa. Type/Class of Permanent Residence are as tabulated below:

Purpose of Travel	Visa Class/Code
Spouse of Nigerian Citizens	<u>N1A</u>
Nigerian by Birth who Renounced Nigerian Citizenship	<u>N2A</u>
Spouse of 'Nigerians by Birth' who Renounced Nigerian Citizenship	<u>N2B</u>
Investors	<u>N3 (N3A, N3B, N3C, N3D, N3E)</u>
Highly Skilled Immigrant	<u>N4A</u>
Retirement Visa	<u>N5 (N5A, N5B)</u>
Accompanying Spouse and Dependants of Permanent Resident	<u>N6 (R6A, R6B, R6C, R6D)</u>



F2A – Diplomatic Visa (Non-accredited Diplomat)

F2A Visa is a single-entry short visit visa for non-accredited Diplomats who wish to visit Nigeria for official business.

Non-accredited Diplomats means:

- a. visiting government officials who are not accredited to Nigeria; or
- b. foreign government officials on government business in Nigeria.

F2A – Eligibility

F2A visa is available to the following categories of persons:

- i. Non-Accredited Diplomats who are on a short visit to Nigeria not exceeding 90 days. They are not permitted to work. Example include:
 - a. visiting Diplomats;
 - b. visiting government officials; and
 - c. visiting security personnel on government business.
- ii. Temporary Work Diplomats who are on a temporary duty tour within the Embassy:
 - a. Embassy Staff;
 - b. Attaches; and
 - c. Security personnel.

F2A – Requirements

- i. Visa Application form.
- ii. Diplomatic or Official (Service) Passport only. See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph; (See specification here)
- iv. Note Verbale/Diplomatic Note from Foreign Ministry of applicant's home country

F2A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F2A visa at the Nigerian Mission or at designated Nigeria Visa Application Centre in the country of residence.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 90 days
- iv. F2A Visa is not permitted for employment and stay beyond 90 days for non-accredited Diplomats.
- v. F2A Visa permits temporary work not exceeding 90 days within the Embassy for Temporary Work Diplomats.

F2A – Fees

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F2A visa is issued gratis.



F3 – Transit Visa	Ð
F3A – Transit Without Visa	÷
F3B – Transit Visa	÷

F3A Visa is a classification for transfer/direct transit passengers not staying beyond 48 hours. The direct transit passenger requires no visa.

F3A – Eligibility

- i. Direct transit traveler;
- ii. Crew members to enable rotation/changeover of crew members for sea vessels or international airlines scheduled to depart Nigeria territorial waters or airspace within the validity of Transit without visa in line with international convention guiding maritime and airspace operations

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F3A – Requirements

- i. Valid travel document. See specification here
- ii. Onward ticket.

F3A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Transit passenger is permitted to connect flight to the next destination, transfer/direct transit;
- ii. Transit passenger is not permitted to go outside the airport; and
- iii. Duration of permitted stay for transit passenger is 48 hours

F3A – Fees

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F3B – Transit Visa

F3B Visa is a Transit Visa that allow transit passengers with onward ticket to the next destination and crew members for sea vessel or international airline to pass through Nigeria before proceeding on the onward journey.

F3B – Eligibility

- i. Transit Passengers who have onward ticket to the next destination where entry is guaranteed but wishes to enter Nigeria before proceeding on the onward journey; and
- ii. Crew members of joining sea vessels or international airlines scheduled to depart Nigeria territorial waters or airspace for a foreign port within the validity of Transit visa in line with international convention guiding maritime and airspace operations.

F3B – Requirements



- ii. A Travel Document. See specification here ;
- iii. Crew member certificate (crew members only);
- iv. Advance provision of General Declaration (GEN DEC) (crew members only);
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here</u>);
- vi. Evidence of visa fee payment, where applicable; and
- vii. Onward ticket to the next destination

F3B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F3B visa at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in the country of residence or through e-Visa visa system. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).

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- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 7 days.
- iv. F3B Visa is not permitted for work and stay beyond 7 days.
- v. F3B Visa is valid for only 7 days from the date of issue.
- vi. Visa fee is as stated under table of fees.

F3B – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee

F4 – Business Visa	\bullet
F4A – Business (Single Entry) Visa	•
F4B – Business (Multiple Entry) Visa	•
F4C – Business (Frequently Travelled Executives) Visa	•

F4A – Business (Single Entry) Visa

F4A Visa is a Single-Entry Business Visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for short business needs.

F4A – Eligibility

F4A Visa is available to foreign nationals who wish to visit Nigeria for short business needs, such as attending:

- i. business discussions;
- ii. meetings;
- iii. conferences;
- iv. seminars;
- v. contract negotiations;
- vi. marketing;
- vii. sales;

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- viii. procurement of Nigerian goods/services;
- ix. trade Fairs; and
- x. job interviews.

F4A – Requirements

- i. Visa Application form;
- ii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- iv. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- v. Evidence of return ticket;
- vi. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- vii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds.

F4A – Application Procedure and other Conditions



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- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F4A visa at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence or through e-Visa system (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 30 days single entry only.
- iv. F4A Visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F4A Visa is valid for not more than 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days if processed through the e-Visa Channel.

F4A – Fees

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F4B – Business (Multiple Entry) Visa

F4B Visa is a Multiple-Entry Business Visa issued to foreign nationals on RECIPROCITY basis for the purpose of regular short business visits to Nigeria.

F4B – Eligibility

F4B Visa is available to Citizens of countries who offer similar multiple entry business visa to Nigerian citizens. Such multiple entry business visits may include for the purpose of attending:

- i. business discussions;
- ii. meetings;
- iii. conferences;
- iv. seminars;
- v. contract negotiations;
- vi. marketing;
- vii. sales;
- viii. procurement of Nigerian goods/services;
- ix. trade Fairs; and
- x. job interviews.

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F4B – Requirements

i. Visa Application form;

- ii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- iv. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- v. Evidence of return ticket;
- vi. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria;
- vii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds; and
- viii. Acceptance of Immigration Responsibility by host.

F4B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F4B visa at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 90 days per journey (multiple entry) within 2 years period from the date the visa is granted so long as the passport remains valid.
- iv. Number of years to be granted for multiple entry business visa is subject to RECIPROCITY and passport validity.
- v. F4B Visa is not permitted for employment.
- vi. F4B Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

F4B – Fees

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F4C – Business (Frequently Travelled Executives) Visa

F4C Visa is a Business Visa for frequently travelled executives or business persons of international repute with investment of up to USD250,000 in Nigeria.

F4C – Eligibility

F4C Visa is available to Frequently Travelled Executives or business persons of international repute with investment up to USD250,000 in Nigeria and wishes to visit Nigeria for the purpose of attending:

- i. business discussions;
- ii. meetings;
- iii. conferences;
- iv. seminars;
- v. contract negotiations;
- vi. marketing;
- vii. sales;
- viii. procurement of Nigerian goods/services; and
- ix. Trade Fairs.

F4C – Requirements



- ii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- iv. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- v. Evidence of return ticket;
- vi. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria;
- vii. Evidence of investment in Nigeria worth USD250,000 through CBN or relevant agency.

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F4C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F4C visa through VoA, e-Visa Channels or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in the country of residence. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 90 days and allowed for MULTIPLE ENTRY within the 90 days period.
- iv. F4C Visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F4C Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission, 14 days through e-Visa and immediate for Visa on Arrival.

F4C – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee

F5A – Tourism Visa

F5A Visa is issued to foreign nationals seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of tourism in Nigeria.

F5A Visa is available to foreign nationals wishing to visit Nigeria for the purpose of tourism only.

F5A – Requirements

- i. Visa Application form;
- ii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- iv. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- v. Evidence of return ticket;
- vi. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- vii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds



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F5A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- Submit required documents for F5A visa through VoA, e-Visa Channels or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 30 days single entry only.
- iv. F5A Visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F5A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission, 14 days through e-Visa and immediate for VoA.

F5A – Fees	÷

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F6A Visa is issued to foreign nationals seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of social visit to family and friends in Nigeria. It is a single-entry visa permitted for social visit only.

F6A – Eligibility

F6A Visa is available to foreign nationals wishing to visit Nigeria for the purpose of social visit to family and friends.

F6A – Requirements

- i. Visa Application form;
- ii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- iv. Invitation letter from family/friend in Nigeria attached with copy of Nigerian Passport data page OR copy of residence permit and passport data page if sponsored by a non-Nigerian;
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment, where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria;
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds.

F6A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F6A visa at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F6A Visa is not permitted for employment.



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- v. F6A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.
- vi. Visa fee is as stated under table of fees.

F6A – Fees

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F6B – Visiting (Multiple Entry) Visa

F6B Visa is a Multiple Entry Visiting Visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of social visit to family and friends, based on RECIPROCITY.

F6B – Eligibility

F6B Visa is available to all foreign nationals wishing to visit Nigeria for the purpose of social visit to family and friends only.

F6B – Requirements

- i. Visa Application form;
- ii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- Passport data page OR copy of residence permit and passport data page if sponsored by a non-Nigerian;
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment, where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds.

F6B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F6B visa at the Nigerian Mission/VAC only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 90 days per journey (multiple entry) within 2 years period from the date the visa is granted so long as the passport remains valid.
- iv. Number of years to be granted for multiple entry business visa is subject to RECIPROCITY and passport validity.
- v. F6B Visa is not permitted for employment.
- vi. F6B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

F6B – Fees

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F7A – Journalist Visa

F7A Visa is issued to foreign nationals seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of media and journalism. It is a single-entry visa

F7A – Eligibility

F7A Visa is available to all foreign nationals wishing to visit Nigeria for the purpose of media and journalism only.

F7A – Requirements

- i. appropriate clearance from the Federal Ministry of Information and Culture;
- ii. visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

F7A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for F5A visa through e-Visa System or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 30 days single entry only.
- iv. F5A Visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F5A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission, 14 days through e-Visa

F7A – Fees

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F7B – Cleric Visa

F7B Visa is issued to religious officials seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of religious services like preaching, religious seminar and religious conference. It is a single-entry visa.

F7B – Eligibility

F7B Visa is available to CLERICS only.

F7B – Requirements

- i. Letter of invitation from religious body in Nigeria;
- ii. visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;

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- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

F7B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F7B visa at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in the country of residence only.

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- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7B Visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F7B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.
- vi. Visa fee is as stated under table of fees.
- vii. F7B Visa is subject to security clearance by appropriate authority in Nigeria through SHQ.

F7B – Fees

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F7C – Medical Tourism Visa

F7C Visa is Visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of receiving medical care. It is a single-entry visa

F7C – Eligibility

F7C Visa is available to:

- i. person(s) in need of medical attention; and
- ii. person(s) accompanying medical patient(s).

F7C – Requirements

- i. Letter from Health Care Provider in Nigeria;
- ii. visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria;
- viii. Evidence of deposit for the medical care required; and
- ix. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds



F7C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F5A visa through e-Visa System or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7C Visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F7C Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

F7C – Fees

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F7D – Religious Tourism Visa

F7D Visa is issued to religious faithful, adherents or followers who wish to visit Nigeria for the purpose of attending religious activities, programmes or pilgrimage. It is a single-entry visa.

F7D – Eligibility

F7D Visa is available to:

- i. religious faithful;
- ii. religious adherents; and
- iii. religious followers

F7D – Requirements

- i. Letter from Health Care Provider in Nigeria;
- ii. visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria;
- viii. Copy of Host's valid international data page.

F7D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- vi. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- vii. Submit required documents for F5A visa through e-Visa System or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- viii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- ix. F7D Visa is not permitted for employment.
- x. F7D Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

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F7D – Fees

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F7E – Sports Visa

F7E Visa is a Sports Visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of sporting activities. It is a single-entry visa.

F7E – Eligibility

F7E Visa is available to:

- i. sports men/women;
- ii. sports officials; and
- iii. organised sports supporters club

F7E – Requirements

- i. letter from Federal/State Ministry of Sports;
- ii. sport event schedules/fixtures;
- iii. visa Application form;
- iv. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vi. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vii. Evidence of return ticket;
- viii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria;
- ix. Copy of Host's valid international data page.
- F7E Application Procedure and other Conditions
 - i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
 - ii. Submit required documents for F7E visa through e-Visa System or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
 - iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
 - iv. F7E Visa is not permitted for employment.
 - v. F7E Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

F7E – Fees

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F7F – Artist(e)/Entertainer/Musician Visa

F7F Visa is issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of performance as an artist(e), entertainer or musician. It is a single-entry visa.

F7F – Eligibility

F7F Visa is available to performing artist(e)s and entertainers such as:

- i. musicians;
- ii. actors;
- iii. comedians;
- iv. dancers;
- v. DJs;
- vi. models;
- vii. video vixens; and
- viii. entertainers.

F7F – Requirements

- i. invitation letter from event organiser;
- ii. visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria;

F7F – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F7F visa through e-Visa System or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7F Visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F7F Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

F7F – Fees

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F7G – Study Tour Visa

F7G – Eligibility

F7G Visa is issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of study tour. It is a singleentry visa.

F7G Visa is available to Students, Scholars, Course Participants on a study tour.
F7G – Requirements

Letter from approved Institution in Nigeria
Visa Application form;
A Travel Document. See specification <u>here;</u>
Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here);</u>
Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
Evidence of return ticket;
Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria;
Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

F7G – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F7G visa through e-Visa System or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7G Visa is not permitted for employment or schooling.
- v. F7G Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

F7G – Fees

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F7H – Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) Visa

F7H Visa is an Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) Visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of academic exchange programme. It is a single-entry visa.

F7H – Eligibility

F7H Visa is available to Students, Scholars, Course Participants on an AEP.

F7H – Requirements

- i. Letter from approved Institution in Nigeria
- ii. Visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);



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- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here ii. Submit required documents for F7I visa through, e-Visa system or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC
- in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa here).
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7I Visa is not permitted for employment or schooling.

cultural exchange programme.

- i. Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with relevant government agency;
- ii. Visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;

F7I – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and

viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;

- the purpose of cultural exchange activities. It is a single-entry visa.

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F7I – International Cultural Exchange Visa

F7I Visa is an International Cultural Exchange Visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for

F7I is available to citizens of countries with which Nigeria has Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on

F7I – Eligibility

F7I – Requirements

- Visa.
- in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa here).
- vi. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- vii. Submit required documents for F7H visa through e-Visa System or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC

- - viii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.

 - ix. F7H Visa is not permitted for employment or schooling. x. F7H Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-

F7H – Fees

v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable; vi. Evidence of return ticket;

F7H – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds





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v. F7I Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

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F7I – Fees

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F7J – Humanitarian Services Visa

F7J Visa is a Humanitarian Services Visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of humanitarian services. It is a single-entry visa.

F7J – Eligibility

F7J is available to humanitarian workers

F7J – Requirements

- i. Letter (MoU from National Planning Commission or other relevant agencies);
- ii. Visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

F7J – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F7J visa through, e-Visa system or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7J Visa is not permitted for employment or schooling.
- v. F7J Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

F7J – Fees

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F7K – Emergency/Relief Work Visa

F7K Visa is an Emergency/Relief Work Visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of emergency or relief work. It is a single-entry visa.

F7K is available to Emergency and Relief workers.

F7K – Requirements

F7K – Eligibility

- i. letter or request from relevant government agency;
- ii. Visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

F7K – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- Submit required documents for F7K visa through VoA, e-Visa system or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7K Visa is not permitted for employment or schooling.
- v. F7K Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

F7K – Fees

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F7L – Staff of INGO Visa

F7LVisa is issued to staff of International Non-Governmental Organisations seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of INGO activities. It is a single-entry visa.

F7L – Eligibility

F7L is available to Staff of INGOs to perform INGO related activities.

F7L – Requirements

- i. MoU between Government of Nigeria and the INGO;
- ii. Letter of Invitation from the National Planning Commission in favour of the INGO;
- iii. Letter of invitation by INGO in Nigeria
- iv. Visa Application form;



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- v. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- viii. Evidence of return ticket;
- ix. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- x. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds
- F7L Application Procedure and other Conditions

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- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F7L visa through e-Visa system or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7L Visa is not permitted for employment or schooling.
- v. F7L Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

F7L – Fees

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F7M – Staff of NGO Visa

F7M Visa is issued to staff of Non-Governmental Organisations seeking to visit Nigeria for the purpose of NGO activities. It is a single-entry visa.

F7M – Eligibility		

F7M is available to Staff of NGOs

F7M – Requirements

- i. Letter of invitation by NGO in Nigeria
- ii. Visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

F7M – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F7M visa through e-Visa system or at the Nigerian Mission/VAC in country of residence as applicable. (see countries eligibility for e-Visa <u>here</u>).
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.
- iv. F7M Visa is not permitted for employment or schooling.



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v. F7M Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days through the e-Visa.

F7M – Fees

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F8A – Temporary Work Permit Visa

F8A Visa is a single entry visa issued to experts invited by corporate bodies for short period of time for the purpose of providing specialized skilled services.

F8A – Eligibility

F8A is available to:

- a. Experts invited by corporate bodies for the purpose of providing specialised skilled services such as:
 - i. after sales Installation;
 - ii. commissioning;
 - iii. upgrading;
 - iv. Maintenance;
 - v. Repairs of equipment and machinery;
 - vi. Training /capacity building for Nigerian staff; and
 - vii. Audit of machinery/ equipment and financial records.
- b. Crew members joining sea vessels or international airlines to attend to vessel, equipment/machinery within the validity of F8A visa in line with international convention guiding maritime and airspace operations.

F8A – Requirements

- i. Visa Authority Letter (pre-approval letter);
- ii. Visa Application form;
- iii. A Travel Document. See specification here
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Crew member certificate (crew member only);
- vi. professional operating licence (crew members only);
- vii. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- viii. Evidence of return ticket;
- ix. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- x. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

F8A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Applicant must submit required documents for F8A visa via email <u>twp@immigration.gov.ng</u>, for Comptroller General's approval. Visa is only issued at the Nigerian Mission.
- iii. duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry only.



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- iv. F8AVisa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F8A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission;

F8A – Fees

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F9A – Returning Holders of other National Passports who are Nigerians by Birth Visa

F9A Visa is a class of visa issued to 'Nigerians by Birth' who are holders of other National Passports and wish to visit Nigeria with the other National passport for the purpose of social and business visits.

F9A – Eligibility

F9A Visa is available to Nigerians by birth (as defined by Section 25 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended)) holding other National Passports.

F9A – Requirements

- i. Visa Application form;
- ii. A Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- iv. Proof of Nigerian citizenship (Parent's passport data page and copy of Birth Certificate for minors);
- v. Evidence of visa fee payment where applicable;
- vi. Evidence of return ticket;
- vii. Evidence of hotel reservation/host address in Nigeria; and
- viii. Evidence of sufficient funds without recourse to public funds

F9A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for F9A visa at the Nigerian Mission/VAC, through e-Visa System or VoA platform.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is 90 days single entry or multiple entry based on reciprocity within 2 years period from the date the visa is granted so long as the passport remain valid. Number of years to be granted for multiple entry is subject to reciprocity and passport validity.
- iv. F9A Visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. F9A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission or 14 days e-Visa channel and immediate for VoA channel.

F9A – Fees

F9A is issued gratis



R11 Visa applicants must submit the following requirements via twp@immigration.gov.ng:

- i. formal application for R11 Visa from the Employer/Institution accepting; Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letters of Offer of Appointment and Acceptance of Offer;
- iii. Educational qualifications and Curriculum Vitae; and
- iv. Copy of travel document passport data page.
- v. Company profile*
- vi. Certificate of Incorporation*
- vii. CAC 2 & 7*
- viii. Evidence of existing contract or purchase / importation of machinery or equipment
- ix. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- x. Duly completed visa application form.
- * These requirements are for first time applications only

Note: Successful online payment is NOT AN APPROVAL for TWP

Temporary Residence Visa (TRV) Categories

R11 – Temporary Work Permit (6 months) Visa

R11 Visa is a multiple entry Temporary Work Permit Visa issued to experts seeking to take up temporary employment in Nigeria on invitation by corporate bodies for the purpose of providing specialized skilled services.

It is a multiple entry visa with six months maximum length of stay (non-renewable), obtainable only at the Nigerian Mission in the applicant's country of residence after the approval of the Comptroller General of Immigration.

R11 – Eligibility

R11 Visa is available to:

- a. Persons wishing to obtain employment in Nigeria on a temporary basis for the purpose of providing specialised skilled services such as:
 - i. after sales Installation;
 - ii. commissioning;
 - iii. upgrading;
 - iv. Maintenance;
 - Repairs of equipment and machinery; ν.
 - vi. Training /capacity building for Nigerian staff; and
 - vii. Audit of machinery/ equipment and financial records.
- b. Crew members joining sea vessels or international airlines to attend to vessel, equipment/machinery within the validity of R11 visa in line with international convention guiding maritime and airspace operations.

R11 – Requirements

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Submit the following requirements at the Mission in the applicant's country of residence:

- i. Visa Authority Letter (pre-approval visa letter);
- ii. Travel Document; See specification here;
- iii. Passport Photograph. (See specification here);
- iv. Crew member certificate (crew member only);
- v. Professional operating licence (crew members only);
- vi. Letters of Offer of Appointment and Acceptance of Offer;
- vii. Educational qualifications along with the original duly attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or Ministry of Education of the applicant's country and Curriculum Vitae;
- viii. Evidence of visa fee payment, where applicable; and
- ix. Evidence of financial support (means of sustenance).

R11 – Application Procedure and other Conditions

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- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R11 visa via <u>twp@immigration.gov.ng</u> for Comptroller General's approval, visa is then issued at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is six (6) months multiple-entry, to be undertaken within the 6 months period granted from the date of issue provided the passport still remains valid;
- iv. R11 visa is permitted for temporary employment for a period of 6 months non-renewable;
- v. R11 Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission;

R11 – Fees

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R1 (A-E) – Accredited Diplomat, Accompanying Spouse and Dependants	•
R1A: Accredited Diplomat	÷
R1B: Spouse of Accredited Diplomat Visa	Ð
R1C: Dependant (Minor) Accredited Diplomat Visa	Ð
R1D: Dependant (18 yrs & above) of Accredited Diplomat Visa	÷
R1E: Dependant (Aged Parents - 65yrs & above) of Accredited Diplomat Visa	Ð

R1A: Accredited Diplomat Visa

R1A Visa is a class of visa issued to Accredited Diplomats in Nigeria. The visa allows holders to perform Diplomatic activities or work in Nigeria as an Accredited Diplomat. Specific activities or work to be performed must be governmental in nature and character.



R1A – Eligibility

R1A Visa is available to Accredited Diplomats.

R1A – Requirements

- i. Note verbal/Diplomatic from home country;
- ii. Diplomatic Passport. See specification here;
- iii. Visa application form; and
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R1A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for R1A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years (renewable).
- iv. R1A visa is permitted for Diplomatic activities/ Work in Nigeria as Accredited Diplomats.
- v. R1A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R1A – Fees

R1A visa is issued gratis.

R1B: Spouse of Accredited Diplomat Visa

R1B Visa is a class of visa issued to spouse of accredited Diplomats in Nigeria, as accompanying spouse

R1B – Eligibility

R1B Visa is available to Spouse of Accredited Diplomats to Nigeria only.

R1B – Requirements

- i. Note verbal/Diplomatic from home country;
- ii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Visa application form; and
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Evidence of Marriage (copy of marriage certificate)

R1B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application here
- ii. Submit required documents for R1B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R1B visa is not permitted for employment except where there is an MoU
- v. R1B Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission;

R1B – Fees

R1B visa is issued gratis.

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R1C: Dependant (Minor) of Accredited Diplomat Visa

R1C Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are Minors accompanying accredited Diplomats to Nigeria.

R1C – Eligibility

R1C Visa is available to dependants who are MINORS (sons/daughters) accompanying accredited Diplomats to Nigeria.

R1C – Requirements

- i. Note verbal/Diplomatic from home country;
- ii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iii. Visa application form; and
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R1C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application here
- ii. Submit required documents for R1C visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R1C visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R1C Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R1C – Fees

R1C visa is issued gratis.

R1D: Dependant (18 yrs & above) of Accredited Diplomat Visa

R1D Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are 18 years and above accompanying accredited Diplomats to Nigeria.

R1D – Eligibility

R1D Visa is available to dependants who are 18 years & above unmarried sons/daughters accompanying accredited Diplomats to Nigeria.

R1D – Requirements

- i. Note verbal/Diplomatic from home country;
- ii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Visa application form; and
- Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here</u>);

R1D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

i. Complete online visa application here

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- ii. Submit required documents for R1D visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R1D visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R1D Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R1D – Fees

R1D visa is issued gratis.

R1E: Dependant (Aged Parents - 65yrs & above) of Accredited Diplomat Visa

R1E Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are aged parents (65 years and above) accompanying accredited Diplomats to Nigeria

R1E – Eligibility

R1E Visa is available to dependants who are aged parents (65 year & above) accompanying accredited Diplomats to Nigeria.

R1E – Requirements

- i. Note verbal/Diplomatic from home country;
- ii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iii. Visa application form; and
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R1E – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application here
- ii. Submit required documents for R1E visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R1E visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R1E Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R1E – Fees

R1E visa is issued gratis.

R2 (A-E) – Employed (Expatriate), Accompanying Spouse and Dependants	\bullet
R2A: Employment Visa (Expatriate)	Ð
R2B: Spouse of Expatriate Visa	Ð
R2C: Dependant (Minor) Expatriate Visa	Ð
R2D: Dependant (18 yrs & above) of Expatriate Visa	Ð
R2E: Dependant (Aged Parents - 65yrs & above) of Expatriate Visa	÷

R2A: Employment Visa (Expatriate)

R2A Visa is a class of visa issued to EXPATRIATES seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of taking up employment in Nigeria, based on expatriate quota position.

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R2A – Eligibility

R2A Visa is available to employed migrants (expatriates) on valid quota position.

R2A – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R2A Visa from the Employer / Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iii. Visa application form; and
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Expatriate Quota Approval;
- vi. Certificate of Incorporation/ evidence of business permit (where applicable);
- vii. Letters of Offer of Appointment and Acceptance of Offer;
- viii. Educational qualifications (along with the original copy duly attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or Ministry of Education of the applicant's country) and Curriculum Vitae; and
- ix. Extract of Board Resolutions for CEO, MDs and GMs.

R2A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R2A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years which is renewable;
- iv. R2A visa is permitted for employment and residence;
- v. R2A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission;

R2A – Fees

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R2B: Spouse of Expatriate Visa

R2B Visa is a class of visa issued to spouse accompanying employed expatriate placed on quota in Nigeria.

R2B – Eligibility

R2B Visa is available to spouse of employed Expatriates on quota.

R2B – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R2B Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vi. Evidence of Marriage (copy of marriage certificate)

R2B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R2B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R2B visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. R2B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R2B – Fees

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R2C: Dependant (Minor) of Expatriate Visa

R2C Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are Minors accompanying employed expatriate on quota.

R2C – Eligibility

R2C Visa is available to dependants who are MINORS (sons/daughters) accompanying employed expatriates on quota to Nigeria.

R2C – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R2C Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

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R2C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R2C at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R2C visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R2C Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R2C – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

R2D: Dependant (18 yrs & above) of Expatriate Visa

R2D Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are 18 years and above accompanying employed Expatriate on quota.

R2D – Eligibility

R2D Visa is available to dependants who are 18 years & above unmarried sons/daughters accompanying employed expatriate on quota.

R2D – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R2D Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here</u>);

R2D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R2D at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R2D visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R2D Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R2D – Fees

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R2E: Dependant (Aged Parents - 65yrs & above) of Accredited Diplomat Visa

R2E Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are aged parents (65 years and above) accompanying employed expatriate on quota.



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R2E – Eligibility

R2E Visa is available to dependants who are aged parents (65 year & above) accompanying employed expatriate on quota.

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R2E – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R2E Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R2E – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R2E at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R2E visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R2E Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R2E – Fees

R3A – Eligibility

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

R3 (A-E) – Employment Visa - Expatriate (Free Zone), Accompanying Spouse and Dependants	Ð
R3A: Employment Visa – Expatriate (Free Zone)	+
R3B: Spouse of Expatriate – Free Zone Visa	Ð
R3C: Dependant (Minor) of Expatriate – Free Zone Visa	Ð
R3D: Dependant (18 yrs & above) of Expatriate – Free Zone Visa	Ð
R3E: Dependant (Aged Parents - 65yrs & above) of Expatriate – Free Zone Visa	Ð

R3A: Employment Visa – Expatriate (Free Zone)

R3A Visa is a class of visa issued to EXPATRIATES seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of taking up employment within FREE ZONES in Nigeria.

R3A Visa is available to expatriates employed	I to work within Free Zones in Nigeria.
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R3A – Requirements

i. Formal application for R3A Visa from the Employer / Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility;

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- ii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iii. Visa application form; and
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Free Zone Authority letter;
- vi. Letters of Offer of Appointment and Acceptance of Offer;
- vii. Educational qualifications (along with the original copy duly attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or Ministry of Education of the applicant's country); and
- viii. Extract of Board Resolutions for CEO, MDs and GMs.

R3A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R3A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years which is renewable;
- iv. R3A visa is permitted for employment and residence as Expatriate within Free Zones in Nigeria;
- v. R3A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission;

R3A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R3B: Spouse of Expatriate - Free Zone Visa

R3B Visa is a class of visa issued to spouse accompanying employed expatriate working within Free Zones in Nigeria.

R3B – Eligibility

R3B Visa is available to spouse of Expatriates employed to work within Free Zones in Nigeria.

R3B – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R3B Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vi. Evidence of Marriage (copy of marriage certificate)

R3B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for R3B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;

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- iv. R3B visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. R3B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R3B – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

R3C: Dependant of Expatriate -Free Zone (Minor) Visa

R3C Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are Minors accompanying expatriates employed to work within Free Zones in Nigeria.

R3C – Eligibility

R3C Visa is available to dependants who are MINORS (sons/daughters) accompanying employed to work within Free Zones in Nigeria.

R3C – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R3C Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R3C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R3C at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R3C visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R3C Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R3C – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

R3D: Dependant of Expatriate-Free Zone (18 years and above) Visa

R3D Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are 18 years and above accompanying expatriate employed to work within the Free Zones in Nigeria.

R3D – Eligibility

R3D Visa is available to dependants who are 18 years & above unmarried sons/daughters accompanying expatriates employed to work within Free Zones in Nigeria.

R3D – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R3D Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R3D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R3D at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R3D visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R3D Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R3D – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R3E: Dependant of Expatriate-Free Zone (Aged Parents 65yrs and above) Visa

R3E Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are aged parents (65 years and above) accompanying expatriates employed to work within Free Zones in Nigeria.

R3E – Eligibility

R3E Visa is available to dependants who are aged parents (65 year & above) accompanying expatriates employed to work with Free Zones in Nigeria.

R3E – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R3E Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R3E – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for R3E at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R3E visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R3E Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.





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R3E – Fees

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R4 (A-E) – Employment Visa - Expatriate (Government Official), Accompanying Spouse and Dependants	÷
R4A: Employment Visa – Expatriate (Free Zone)	÷
R4B: Spouse of Employed Expatriate (Government Official) Visa	Ð
R4C: Dependant (Minor) of Employed Expatriate (Government Official) Visa	÷
R4D: Dependant (18 Years and above) of Employed Expatriate (GO) Visa	÷
R4E: Dependant (Aged Parents - 65 years and above) of Employed Expatriate (GO) Visa	Ð

R4A: Employment Visa – Expatriate (Free Zone)

R4A Visa is a class of visa issued to EXPATRIATES seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of taking up employment with the Federal, State or Local Government in Nigeria as Government Officials.

R4A – Eligibility

R4A Visa is available to expatriates employed by Government as Government Officials (GO) in Nigeria including foreign technical experts coming to Nigeria in pursuance of a bilateral agreement between Nigeria and foreign government.

R4A - Requirements

- i. Formal application for R4A Visa from the Employer (Government) / Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iii. Visa application form; and
- iv. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- v. Letters of employment by the Government and Acceptance of Offer;
- vi. Educational qualifications (along with the original copy duly attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or Ministry of Education of the applicant's country) and curriculum vitae.

R4A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R4A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years which is renewable;
- iv. R4A visa is permitted for employment as Government Official in Nigeria.
- v. R4A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

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R4A – Fees

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R4B: Spouse of Employed Expatriate (Government Official) Visa

R4B Visa is a class of visa issued to a spouse of an expatriate accompanying an expatriate employed as a GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL in Nigeria.

R4B – Eligibility

R4B Visa is available to spouse of Expatriates employed by government as Government Official in Nigeria.

R4B - Requirements

- i. Formal application for R4B Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vi. Evidence of Marriage (copy of marriage certificate)

R4B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for R4B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R4B visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. R4B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R4B – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

R4C: Dependant (Minor) of Employed Expatriate (Government Official) Visa

R4C Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are Minors accompanying expatriates employed as Government Officials in Nigeria.

R4C – Eligibility

R4C Visa is available to dependants who are MINORS accompanying expatriates employed as Government Officials in Nigeria.





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R4C - Requirements

- i. Formal application for R4C Visa from the Employer (Government) / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R4C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R4C at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R4C visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R4C Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R4C – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R4D: Dependant (18 Years and above) of Employed Expatriate (GO) Visa

R4D Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are 18 years and above accompanying expatriates employed as Government Officials in Nigeria.

R4D – Eligibility

R4D Visa is available to dependants who are 18 years & above unmarried sons/daughters accompanying expatriates employed as Government Officials in Nigeria.

R4D – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R4D Visa from the Employer (Government) / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R4D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for R4D at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R4D visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R4D Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.



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R4D – Fees

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R4E: Dependant (Aged Parents - 65 years and above) of Employed Expatriate (GO) Visa

R4E Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are aged parents (65 years and above) accompanying expatriates employed by Governments as Government Officials in Nigeria.

R4E – Eligibility

R4E Visa is available to dependants who are aged parents (65 year & above) accompanying expatriates employed by Governments as Government Officials in Nigeria.

R4E – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R4E Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R4E – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R4E at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R4E visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R4E Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R4E – Fees

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R5 (A-E) – Employment Visa – INGO, Accompanying Spouse and Dependants

R5A: Employment Visa - INGO	•
R5B: Employment Visa - Spouse of INGO Staff	•
R5C Employment Visa - Dependant (Minor) of INGO Staff	Ð
R5D: Employment Visa - Dependant (18 years and above) of INGO Staff	•
R5E: Employment Visa - Dependant (aged parents, 65 years and above) of INGO Staff	Ð



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R5A: Employment Visa - INGO

R5A Visa is a class of visa issued to persons seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of taking up employment with International Non-Governmental Organisations operating in Nigeria.

R5A – Eligibility

R5A Visa is available to INGO workers in Nigeria.

R5A – Requirements

- i. Letter (MoU from National Planning Commission or other relevant agencies);
- ii. Formal application for R5A Visa from the Employer / Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- iii. Copy of registration of INGO;
- iv. Travel Document. See specification here;
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Letters of employment by the Government and Acceptance of Offer;
- viii. Educational qualifications (along with the original copy duly attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or Ministry of Education of the applicant's country) and curriculum vitae.

R5A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R5A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years which is renewable;
- iv. R5A visa is permitted for employment as INGO worker in Nigeria.
- v. R5A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R5A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R5B: Employment Visa - Spouse of INGO Staff + R5B Visa is a class of visa issued to spouse accompanying INGO staff working in Nigeria. R5B - Eligibility + R5B Visa is available to spouse of INGO Staff working in Nigeria. R5B - Requirements + i. Formal application for R5B Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility; ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;

iii. Travel document. See specification here



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- iv. Visa application form; and
- Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here</u>);
- vi. Evidence of Marriage (copy of marriage certificate)

R5B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R5B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R5B visa is not permitted for employment.

R5C: Employment Visa - Dependant (Minor) of INGO Staff

v. R5B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R5B – Fees

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R5C Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are Minors accompanying INGO staff working in Nigeria.

R5C – Eligibility

R5C Visa is available to dependants who are MINORS (sons and daughters) accompanying INGO staff working in Nigeria.

R5C – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R4C Visa from the Employer (Government) / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here</u>);

R5C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R5C at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R5C visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R5C Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R5C – Fees

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R5D: Employment Visa - Dependant (18 years and above) of INGO Staff

R5D Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are 18 years and above accompanying INGO Staff working in Nigeria.

R5D – Eligibility

R5D Visa is available to dependents who are 18 years & above unmarried sons/daughters accompanying INGO Staff working in Nigeria.

R5D - Requirements

- i. Formal application for R5D Visa from the Employer (Government) / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here</u>);

R5D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R5D at the Nigerian Mission only.
- Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R5D visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R5D Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R5D – Fees

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R5E: Employment Visa - Dependant (aged parents, 65 years and above) of INGO Staff R5E Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are aged parents (65 years and above) accompanying INGO Staff working in Nigeria. Ð

R5E – Eligibility

R5E Visa is available to dependants who are aged parents (65 year & above) accompanying INGO Staff working in Nigeria.

R5E – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R4E Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and



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v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R5E – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for R5E at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R5E visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R5E Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R5E – Fees

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R6 (A-E) – Employment Visa - Cleric, Accompanying Spouse and Dependants	Ð
R6A: Employment Visa - Cleric	Ð
R6B: Employment Visa - Spouse of Cleric	÷
R6C: Employment Visa - Dependant of Cleric (Minor)	÷
R6D: Employment Visa - Dependant of Cleric (18 years and above)	÷
R6E: Employment Visa - Dependant of Cleric (Aged Parents 65 years and above)	÷

R6A: Employment Visa - Cleric

R6A Visa is a class of visa issued to persons seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of taking up employment as a Cleric.

R6A – Eligibility	•
R6A Visa is available to clerics for performing cleric services in Nigeria.	
R6A – Requirements	•
 Formal application for R6A Visa from the Employer / Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility; 	
ii. Travel Document. See specification <u>here</u>iii. Visa application form; and	
iv. Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here</u>);	
v. Letters of employment by the Government and Acceptance of Offer;	hign

vi. Educational qualifications (along with the original copy duly attested by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or Ministry of Education of the applicant's country) and curriculum vitae.



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R6A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R6A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years which is renewable;
- iv. R6A visa is permitted for employment as cleric in Nigeria.
- v. R6A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R6A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R6B: Employment Visa - Spouse of Cleric

R6B Visa is a class of visa issued to spouse accompanying cleric performing clergy services in Nigeria.

R6B – Eligibility

R6B Visa is available to spouse accompanying cleric resident in Nigeria.

R6B – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R6B Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vi. Evidence of Marriage (copy of marriage certificate).

R6B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for R6B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R6B visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. R6B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R6B – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R6C: Employment Visa - Dependant of Cleric (Minor)

R6C Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are Minors accompanying cleric performing clergy services in Nigeria.

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R6C – Eligibility

R5C Visa is available to dependants who are MINORS (sons and daughters) accompanying cleric performing clergy services in Nigeria.

R6C - Requirements

- i. Formal application for R4C Visa from the Employer (Government) / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and
- Passport Photograph (See specification <u>here</u>);

R6C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R6C at the Nigerian Mission only.
- Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R6C visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R6C Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R6C – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R6D: Employment Visa - Dependant of Cleric (18 years and above)

R6D Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are 18 years and above accompanying clerics performing clergy services in Nigeria.

R6D – Eligibility

R6D Visa is available to dependants who are 18 years & above unmarried sons/daughters accompanying clerics performing clergy services in Nigeria.

R6D – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R6D Visa from the Employer (Government) / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

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- R6E Requirements
 - i. Formal application for R6E Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;

R6E Visa is available to dependants who are aged parents (65 year & above) accompanying clerics

- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here;
- iv. Visa application form; and

performing clergy services in Nigeria.

v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

R6E – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R6E at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R6E visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R6E Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R6E – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

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R6D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R6D at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R6D visa is not permitted for employment;
- v. R6D Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R6D – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R6E: Employment Visa - Dependant of Cleric (Aged Parents 65 years and above)

R6E Visa is a class of visa issued to Dependants who are aged parents (65 years and above) accompanying clerics performing clergy services in Nigeria.

R6E – Eligibility

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R7 (A-B) – Student and Accompanying Spouse	•
R7A: Student Visa	÷
R7B: Spouse of Student Visa	÷
R7A: Student Visa	Ŧ
R7A Visa is a class of visa issued to foreign students seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of stud	ying.
R7A – Eligibility	Ŧ
R7A Visa is available to foreign students seeking to study in Nigeria.	
R7A – Requirements	Ð
 i. Formal application for R7A Visa by the Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility; ii. Admission Letter from an accredited institution; iii. Visa application form; iv. A travel document. See specification <u>here</u>; v. Passport Photograph. (See specification <u>here</u>); vi. Proof of payment of required minimum tuition fee. 	
R7A – Application Procedure and other Conditions	•
 i. Complete online visa application and make payment<u>here</u> ii. Submit required documents for R7A visa at the Nigerian Mission only. iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years which is renewable; iv. R7A visa is permitted for residence as student in Nigeria. v. R7A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission. 	
R7A – Fees	Ð
Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.	
R7B: Spouse of Student Visa	+
R7B Visa is a class of visa issued to spouse accompanying foreign student studying in Nigeria.	
R7B – Eligibility	•
R7B visa is available to spouse accompanying foreign student in Nigeria.	
R7B – Requirements	•
 Formal application for R7B Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility; Letter from the principal immigrant; 	



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- iii. Evidence of means of sustenance; and
- iv. Travel document. See specification here
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Evidence of Marriage (copy of marriage certificate).

R7B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R7B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R7B visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. R7B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R7B – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R8 (A-B) – Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) and Accompanying Spouse	Ð
R8A: Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) Visa	Ð
R8B: Spouse of Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) Visa	÷

R8A: Academic Exchange Programme	(AFP) Visa
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R8A Visa is a class of visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of Academic Exchange Programme.

R8A – Eligibility	÷
R8A Visa is available to Academic Exchange Programme participants in Nigeria.	
R8A – Requirements	÷
 MoU with relevant Institutions; Formal application for R8A Visa by the Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility; Visa application form; A travel document: See specification <u>here</u> Passport Photograph. (See specification <u>here</u>). 	
R8A – Application Procedure and other Conditions	÷
 i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u> ii. Submit required documents for R8A visa at the Nigerian Mission only. iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years which is renewable: 	

- iii. Duration of permitted stay is two (2) years which is renewable;
- iv. R8A visa is permitted for residence as student in Nigeria.



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v. R8A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R8A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

R8B: Spouse of Academic Exchange Programme (AEP) Visa

R8B Visa is a class of visa issued to spouse accompanying AEP participants in Nigeria where applicable.

R8B – Eligibility

R8B Visa is available to spouse accompanying AEP participants in Nigeria

R8B – Requirements

- i. Formal application for R8B Visa from the Employer / Institution of principal accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- ii. Letter from the principal immigrant;
- iii. Evidence of means of sustenance; and
- iv. Travel document. See specification here
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Evidence of Marriage (copy of marriage certificate).

R8B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for R8B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is subject to validity of the principal's permit;
- iv. R8B visa is not permitted for employment.
- v. R8B Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R8B – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

R9A: Interns Visa

R9A Visa is a class of visa issued to foreign nationals seeking to enter Nigeria for the purpose of internship programme.

R9A – Eligibility

R9A is available to foreign interns.



R9A – Requirements

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- i. Letter of acceptance of internship by institution in Nigeria;
- ii. Formal application for R9A Visa by the Institution accepting Immigration Responsibility;
- iii. Visa application form;
- iv. A travel document: See specification here
- v. Passport Photograph. (See specification here).

R9A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R8A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is one (1) year.
- iv. R9A is permitted to reside to participate in internship programme.
- v. R9A Visa is valid for only 30 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R9A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.



Permanent Residence Visa (PRV) Categories

N1A – Spouse of Nigerian Citizen Visa

N1A Visa is a Permanent Residence Visa issued to Spouse of Nigerian Citizens in compliance with the provision of Section 37 (10) of Immigration Act 2015.

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A Spouse is a legally wedded husband (male) and wife (female).

Note:

- Merely living together does not qualify as marriage for immigration purpose.
- In case of polygamy, only one spouse may qualify for immigration purpose.

N1A – Eligibility

N1A visa is available to spouse of Nigerian citizens

N1A – Requirements

- i. Formal application for N1A visa by Nigerian spouse;
- ii. Evidence of spouse's Nigerian citizenship;
- iii. Evidence of marriage (marriage certificate, etc);
- iv. Visa application form;
- v. Travel document. See specification here
- vi. passport Photograph; See specification here
- vii. evidence of visa fee payment.

N1A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N1A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is permanent (Residence Permit is subject to Passport Validity). Multiple Entry.
- iv. N1A is not permitted for employment.
- v. N1A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.
- vi. Visa fee is as stated under table of fees.
- vii. Filing fee as applicable.

N1A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

N2A Visa is a Permanent Residence Visa issued to Nigerians by birth who renounced Nigerian citizenship. The objective is to fulfil the provision of Section 37 (12) of Immigration Act 2015 and foster family links.

N2A – Eligibility

N2A visa is available to Nigerians by birth who renounced Nigerian citizenship.

N2A – Requirements

- Formal application for N2A visa;
- ii. Certificate of renunciation of Nigerian Citizenship;
- iii. Visa application form;
- iv. Travel document See specification here
- v. passport Photograph; See specification here
- vi. evidence of visa fee payment.

N2A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N2A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is permanent (Residence Permit is subject to Passport Validity). Multiple Entry.
- iv. Duration of permitted stay is permanent (Residence Permit subject to Passport Validity). Multiple Entry.
- v. N2A is permitted for residence.
- vi. N2A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N2A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

N2B – Nigerian by Birth who Renounced Nigerian Citizenship Visa

N2B Visa is a Permanent Residence Visa issued to Spouse of Nigerians by birth who renounced Nigerian citizenship.

N2B – Eligibility

N2B visa is available to spouse of Nigerian citizens who renounced Nigerian Citizenship.

N2B – Requirements

- i. Formal application for N2B visa by Nigerian spouse who renounced Nigerian citizenship;
- ii. Certificate of Spouse's renunciation of Nigerian Citizenship;
- iii. Evidence of marriage;
- iv. Visa application form;
- v. Travel document. See specification here

N2A – Nigerian by Birth who Renounced Nigerian Citizenship Visa



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N3A visa is available to Small scale enterprise investors.

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- vi. passport Photograph; See specification here
- vii. evidence of visa fee payment.

N2B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N2B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is permanent (Residence Permit is subject to Passport Validity). Multiple Entry.
- iv. Duration of permitted stay is permanent (Residence Permit subject to Passport Validity). Multiple Entry.
- v. N2B is not permitted for employment.
- vi. N2B Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N2B – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

N3 (A-E) – Investors Visa

This is a special class of Visa issued to investors who import and invest a minimum level of capital into Nigeria in a verifiable, existing or new business for a minimum of five (5) years. This is similar to the current system related to the Permanent Until Review (PUR) Quota Holders. In the new system, an investor who imports a certain threshold of capital will be entitled to receive a Permanent Residency status.

N3A: Investors Visa (Small Enterprise)	Ð
N3B Investors Visa (Medium Enterprise)	•
N3C: Investors Visa (Large Corporations)	•
N3D: Investors Visa (Ultra Large Corporations)	•
N3E: Investors Visa (Oil/Gas/Power Sector)	•

N3A: Investor Visa (Small Scale Enterprise)

N3A Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to potential small enterprise investors who wish to invest in Nigeria.

N3A – Eligibility

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N3A – Requirements

- i. Evidence of US\$250,000 US\$500,000 as importation and retention of investors' capital;
- ii. Police report from each country in which applicant was resident in the last 5 years;
- iii. Documentary proof of investment in Nigeria such as: Corporate Affairs Commission (CAC) documents, land property/office location, C of O/tenancy agreement;
- iv. Travel Document. See specification here
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Evidence of visa fee payment.

N3A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N3A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Residence Permit is 5 years (renewable). Multiple entry,
- iv. N3A permits holders to invest and reside in Nigeria. Investor capital retained in Nigeria;
- v. N3A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N3A – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

N3B: Investor Visa (Medium Scale Enterprise)

N3B Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to potential medium enterprise investors who wish to invest in Nigeria.

N3B – Eligibility

N3B visa is available to medium scale enterprise investors.

N3B – Requirements

- i. Evidence of US\$500,001 US\$1,000,000 as importation and retention of investors' capital;
- ii. Police report from countries in which applicant was resident in the last 5 years;
- iii. Documentary proof of investment in Nigeria;
- iv. Travel document. See specification here
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Evidence of visa fee payment.

N3B - Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for N3B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Residence Permit is 5 years (renewable). Multiple entry;
- iv. N3B permits holders to invest and reside in Nigeria. Investor capital retained in Nigeria;
- v. N3B Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R6B – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

N3C: Investor Visa (Large Scale Corporations)

N3C Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to potential large-scale corporation investors who wish to invest in Nigeria.

N3C – Eligibility

N3C visa is available to large-scale corporation investors.

N3C – Requirements

- i. Evidence of US\$1,000,001 US\$10,000,000 as importation and retention of investors' capital;
- ii. Police report from countries in which applicant was resident in the last 5 years;
- iii. Documentary proof of investment in Nigeria;
- iv. Travel Document. See specification here
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Evidence of visa fee payment.

N3C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N3C at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Residence Permit is 5 years (renewable). Multiple entry;
- iv. N3C permits holders to invest and reside in Nigeria. Investor capital retained in Nigeria;
- v. N3C Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N3C – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

N3D: Investor Visa (Ultra Large-Scale Corporations)

N3D Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to potential ultra large-scale corporation investors who wish to invest in Nigeria.

N3D – Eligibility

N3D visa is available to Ultra large-scale corporation investors.

N3D – Requirements

- i. Evidence of US\$10,000,000 and above as importation and retention of investors' capital
- ii. Police report from countries in which applicant was resident in the last 5 years
- iii. Documentary proof of investment in Nigeria



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- iv. Travel Document. See specification here
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Evidence of visa fee payment

N3D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R6D at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Residence Permit is 5 years (renewable). Multiple entry;
- iv. N3D permits holders to invest and reside in Nigeria. Investor capital retained in Nigeria;
- v. N3D Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission;

N3D – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

N3E: Investor Visa (Oil, Gas & Power Sector)

N3E Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to potential Oil, Gas & Power Sector investors who wish to invest in Nigeria.

N3E - Eligibility

N3E visa is available to Oil, Gas & Power Sector investors.

N3E – Requirements

- i. Evidence of US\$100,000,000 and above as importation and retention of investors' capital;
- ii. Police report from countries in which applicant was resident in the last 5 years
- iii. Documentary proof of investment in Nigeria;
- iv. Travel Document. See specification here
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Evidence visa fee payment.

N3E – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N3E at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Residence Permit is 5 years (renewable). Multiple entry.
- iv. N3E permits holders to invest and reside in Nigeria. Investor capital retained in Nigeria.
- v. N3E Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

R6E – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

N4A – Highly Skilled Immigrant Visa

N4A Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to foreign nationals who possess knowledge, abilities and technical skills to be classified as highly skilled in the areas considered relevant to the current and future needs of the Nigerian economy.

N4A – Eligibility

N4A visa is available to Foreign nationals who possesses knowledge, abilities and technical skills to be classified as highly skilled in the areas considered relevant to the current and future needs of the Nigerian economy.

N4A – Requirements

- i. Recommendation by National Scarce Skills Audit;
- ii. Vetted Credentials and Curriculum Vitae/skill;
- iii. Visa application form;
- iv. Travel document. See specification here
- v. passport Photograph; See specification here
- vi. evidence of visa fee payment.

N4A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment <u>here</u>
- ii. Submit required documents for N4A visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. Duration of permitted stay is permanent (Residence Permit is subject to Passport Validity). Multiple Entry.
- iv. N4A visa permits issuance of 5 years work permit and Multiple entry;
- v. N4A permits holders to work and reside in Nigeria;
- vi. N4A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N4A – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

N5 (A-B) – Retirement Visa	•
N5A: Retirement Visa (Retired in Nigeria)	÷
N5B: Retirement Visa (Retiree from abroad)	÷

N5A: Retirement Visa (Retired in Nigeria)

N5A Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to foreign national retirees who wish to reside in Nigeria after 20 years of service in Nigeria and aged 65 years and above.





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N5A – Eligibility

N5A visa is available to Foreign National Retirees (65 years and above) who retired in Nigeria after a minimum of 20 years of Service.

N5A – Requirements

- i. Retirement letter in Nigeria/Records;
- ii. Evidence of continuous residence for an aggregate period of 15 years;
- iii. Evidence of means of livelihood;
- iv. Visa application form;
- v. A travel document: See specification here
- vi. Passport Photograph. (See specification here).
- vii. Evidence of visa fee payment.

N5A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N5A visa at the Nigerian Mission/Service Headquarters only.
- iii. N5A visa permits issuance of 2 years residence permit (renewable). Multiple entry.
- iv. N5A permit holders to reside in Nigeria. Not valid for employment.
- v. N5A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission/Service Headquarters.

N5A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

N5B: Retirement Visa (Retiree from abroad)

N5B Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to foreign national retirees (65 years and above) who retired abroad and wish to reside in Nigeria.

N5B – Eligibility

N5B visa is available to Foreign National Retirees (65 years and above) who retired abroad.

N5B – Requirements

- i. Importation of funds (Bank instruction);
- ii. Health insurance;
- iii. Evidence of means of livelihood;
- iv. Travel document. See specification here
- v. Visa application form; and
- vi. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vii. Police clearance from home country; and
- viii. Evidence of visa fee payment.





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N5B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N5B visa at the Nigerian Mission only.
- iii. N5B visa permit issuance of 2 years residence permit (renewable). Multiple entry.
- iv. N5B permit holders to reside in Nigeria. Not valid for employment.
- v. N5B Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N5B – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

N6 (A-D) – Accompanying Spouse and Dependants of Permanent Resident	\bullet
N6A: Spouse of Permanent Resident Visa	Ð
N6B: Dependant (Less than 18 years) of Permanent Resident Visa	•
N6C: Dependant (18 years and above) of Permanent Resident Visa	+
N6D: Dependant (Aged parents, 65 years & above) of Permanent Resident Visa	•

N6A: Spouse of Permanent Resident Visa

N6A Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to spouse accompanying Permanent Residence Visa holders (Investors, Highly Skilled Immigrant and Retiree) to reside in Nigeria.

N6A – Eligibility

N6A visa is available to Spouses of holders of N3A, N3B, N3C, N3D, N3E, N4A, N5A and N5B Visas.

N6A – Requirements

- i. Application for N6A visa by the principal;
- ii. Evidence of marriage;
- iii. Travel document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vi. Evidence of visa fee payment.

N6A – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N6A visa at the Nigerian Mission.
- iii. N6A visa permits issuance of residence permit subject to validity of the principal's permit.
- iv. N6A permits holders to reside in Nigeria. Not valid for employment.
- v. N6A Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N6A – Fees

Check here for visa fee.



N6B: Dependant (less than 18 years) of Permanent Resident Visa

N6B Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to dependant (less than 18 years) of Permanent Residence Visa holders (Investors, Highly Skilled Immigrants and Retirees) who wish to reside in Nigeria.

N6B – Eligibility

N6B visa is available to Dependant (less than 18 years) sons and daughters of holders of N3A, N3B, N3C, N3D, N3E, N4A, N5A and N5B Visas.

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N6B – Requirements

- i. Application for N6B visa by the principal;
- ii. Visa application form;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);
- vi. Evidence of visa fee payment.

N6B – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for N6B at the Nigerian Mission.
- iii. N6B visa permits issuance of residence subject to validity of the principal's permit.
- iv. N6B permits holders to reside in Nigeria. Not valid for employment.
- v. N6B Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N6B – Fees

Check here for visa fee.

N6C: Dependant (18 years and above) of Permanent Resident Visa

N6C Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to dependent (18 years and above) of Permanent Residence Visa holders (Investors, Highly Skilled Immigrants and Retirees) who wish to reside in Nigeria

N6C – Eligibility

N6C visa is available to Dependants (18 years and above) unmarried sons/daughters of holders of N3A, N3B, N3C, N3D, N3E, N4A, N5A and N5B Visas.

N6C – Requirements

- i. Application for N6C visa by the principal;
- ii. Visa application form;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (See specification here);

vi. Evidence of visa fee payment

N6C – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- i. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- ii. Submit required documents for R2D at the Nigerian Mission.
- iii. N6C visa permits issuance of residence subject to validity of the principal.
- iv. N6C permits holders to reside in Nigeria. Not valid for employment.
- v. N6C Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N6C – Fees

Check <u>here</u> for visa fee.

N6D: Dependant (Aged Parents, 65 years and above) of Permanent Resident Visa

N6D Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to dependant (Aged Parents, 65 years and above) of Permanent Residence Visa holders (Investors, Highly Skilled Immigrants and Retirees) who wish to reside in Nigeria.

N6D – Eligibility

N6D Visa is a class of Permanent Residence Visa issued to dependant (Aged Parents, 65 years and above) of Permanent Residence Visa holders (Investors, Highly Skilled Immigrants and Retirees) who wish to reside in Nigeria

N6D – Requirements

- i. Application for N6D visa by the principal;
- ii. Visa application form;
- iii. Travel Document. See specification here
- iv. Visa application form; and
- v. Passport Photograph (see specification here);
- vi. Evidence of visa fee payment

N6D – Application Procedure and other Conditions

- vi. Complete online visa application and make payment here
- i. Submit required documents for R2D at the Nigerian Mission.
- ii. N6C visa permits issuance of residence subject to validity of the principal.
- iii. N6C permits holders to reside in Nigeria. Not valid for employment.
- iv. N6C Visa is valid for only 90 days from the date of issue at the Mission.

N6D – Fees

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GENERAL REQUIREMENT INFORMATION

Travel Document Specification

- i. Travel document (Passport) must be valid at least 180 days after the intended date of departure to Nigeria. If a multiple-entry visa is applied for, the passport must be valid 90 days after the last intended date of departure; and
- ii. Passport must be valid in the country of issue;
- iii. Passport must have at least 2 blank visa pages for endorsement.

Passport Photograph Specification

- i. Two (2) recent colour passport photographs taken within the last 30 days to reflect current appearance.
- ii. Passport photograph should be of size 35/40mm.
- iii. Passport photograph should be on plain white background

Visa Application form

- i. Each applicant must submit a completed and signed application form in a prescribed format for Visa on Arrival, e-Visa and Visa at the Embassy Application Channels.
- ii. Application form must be filled correctly.
- iii. The person(s) exercising the parental authority or the legal guardian for minor must sign for the minor.
- iv. Application form is to be completed in English Language.

Biometric

Applicants fingerprints (biometric) will be taken upon successful submission of application at the designated Visa Application submission Centres or at the point of arrival in Nigeria. Certain classes of persons may be exempted from biometric capturing.

Interview

Irrespective of where an application has been submitted (Nigerian Mission or VAC) and whether the application has been submitted by the applicant in person or not, the applicant may be called for an interview at the Nigerian Embassy High Commission or Consulate.

How to Apply for Nigerian Visa.

There are three main channels through which Nigerian Visas can be applied for. These are:

- i. Visa on Arrival system;
- ii. e-Visa system; and
- iii. Visa at the Embassy.

Visa on Arrival (without Pre-Approval) System: At the moment, eligible holders of Passports of African Union Countries can apply for and obtain Short Visit Visa for business and tourism purposes at the point of arrival without pre-approval. This is done by:

i. Queue up at Visa on Arrival Desk upon arrival to Nigeria at the airport



- ii. Complete online application form and make payment <u>here</u>.
- iii. Get biometric capture
- iv. Get visa upon approval.

***Approval for Visa on arrival is subject to applicant's eligibility and fulfilling all requirements/ entry conditions.

e-Visa (Visa on Arrival with Pre-Approval) System: The e-Visa system for Nigeria is a simpler and faster process. Eligible foreign national (African and Non-Africans) travelers can complete the Nigeria e-Visa form from the comfort of their home or office. The application for the Nigeria e-Visa takes a few minutes to complete. The process of application includes:

- i. Complete online visa application for short visits only <u>here</u>.
- ii. Upload photo and other required documents
- iii. Make payment online
- iv. Receive electronic Travel Authorization Letter (eTAL)
- v. Proceed to Nigeria with eTAL

Only the following classes of Short Visit Visas are available for Nigerian e-Visa System

S/N	Visa Code	Visa Class
1.	F3B	Transit Visa
2.	F4A	Business Visa (Single Entry)
3.	F4C	Business (Frequently Travelled Executives)
4.	F5A	Tourism Visa
5.	F7A	Journalist Visa
6.	F7C	Medical Tourism Visa
7.	F7D	Religious Tourism Visa
8.	F7E	Sports Visa
9.	F7F	Artist(e)/Entertainer/Musician Visa
10.	F7G	Study Tour Visa
11.	F7H	Academic Exchange Programme Visa
12.	F7I	International Cultural Exchange Visa
13.	F7J	Humanitarian Services Visa
14.	F7K	Emergency/Relief Work Visa
15.	F7L	Staff of INGO Visa
16.	F7M	Staff of NGO Visa



17.F9AReturning holders of other National Passports who are
Nigerians by birth

Visa at the Embassy: All the classes of Nigerian Visas can be processed and granted at any of the Nigerian Diplomatic Missions i.e. Embassy, High Commission or Consulate. Applications for Nigerian Visas can also be submitted and processed through established Visa Application Centres (VAC) operating in some countries. The centres receive and submit applications on behalf of visa applicants to the Nigerian Diplomatic Mission for processing and approval. Application procedure includes:

- i. Complete online visa application <u>here</u>
- ii. Make applicable visa fee payment
- iii. Submit required documents at the Embassy/High Commission/Consulate or Visa Application Centre
- iv. Appear for interview or biometric capturing where applicable
- v. Obtain visa, if approved.