

TIER 4 (GENERAL) STUDENT VISA APPLICATION

GUIDE TO COMPLETING THE ONLINE FORM

This guide is to help applicants aged 18 years or over apply for their Tier 4 student visa.

Step 1 Register for an account at www.visa4uk.fco.gov.uk

Step 2 Follow the link that will be sent to your email and log in

Step 3 Click on **Apply for Myself**

Step 4 Read the guidance, then click on **Continue**

Step 5 Complete the **Applicant Details** section, including your passport details and your intended date of travel

Step 6 Complete the **Select Visa Type** section.

- The Reason for Visit is 'Study'
- The Visa Type is 'PBS Tier 4 Student'
- The Visa Sub Type is 'Tier 4 (General) Student'

Select Visa Type

Please select the correct visa category. When you select the visa category you want, we will ask you a series of questions to ensure you are applying for the correct visa.

Reason for Visit	Study	*
Visa Type	PBS Tier 4 Student	*
Visa Sub Type	Tier 4 (General) Student	*

To apply for this visa you must hold a valid Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS)
Further information can be found at: www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/adult-students/apply-outside-uk/

Visa Confirmation Question(s)

No confirmation questions are required.

Create Application

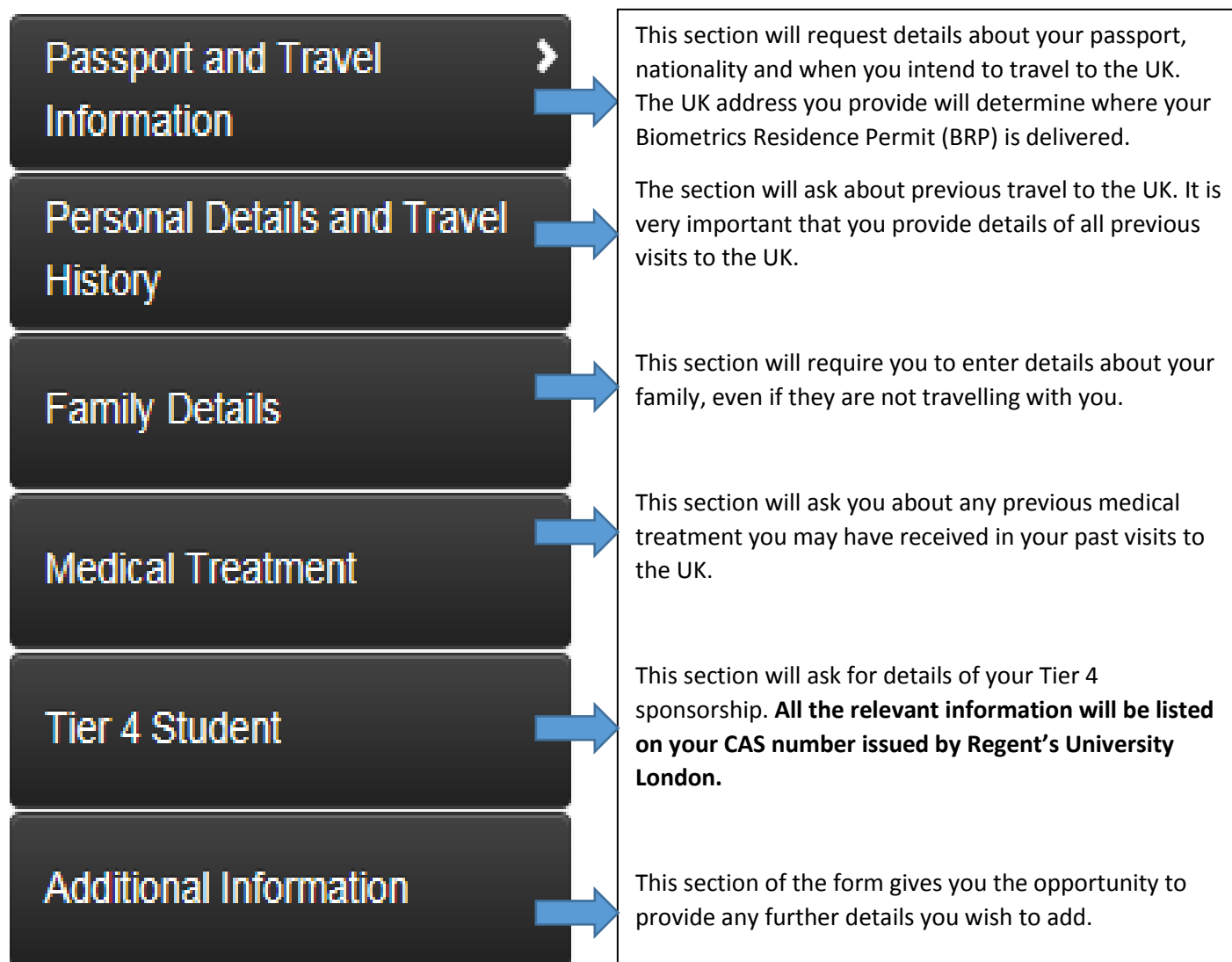
Step 7 Click on **Create Application**. Make a note of your unique application reference and complete each section of the form.

The following links will help guide you completing the relevant sections on the form:

www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/273841/vaf9-guidance.pdf

www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/540421/T4_Migrant_Guidance_July_2016.pdf

Step 8 Complete each section of the application. Please ensure you save the form regularly.



Key tips for completing the form

What is the main address and contact details of where you will be staying whilst in the UK?	What is the main address and the contact details of where you will be staying whilst in the UK?
Enter the postcode below and click on 'find address'.	
UK Postcode: <input type="text"/> Find Address	
<input type="text" value="--- Please enter a postcode ---"/>	
Name of Person / Hotel <input type="text"/>	
Line 1: <input type="text"/>	
Line 2: <input type="text"/>	
Line 3: <input type="text"/>	
Line 4: <input type="text"/>	
Postcode: <input type="text"/>	
Primary contact no: <input type="text"/>	
Secondary contact no: <input type="text"/>	
Email: <input type="text"/>	

If you have not yet secured accommodation in the UK when completing this part of the form, we strongly recommend that you list:

Regent's University London
Inner Circle
Regent's Park
London
UK Postcode: NW1 4NS
Contact number: 020 7487 7700

Sponsor	
Give your Tier 4 Sponsor's licence number	What is your Tier 4 Sponsor's Licence Number?
<input type="text"/>	NV71MM1N4
What is the name of your sponsor?	What is the name of your sponsor?
<input type="text"/>	Regent's University London

Please ensure you refer to your CAS letter when completing this form

Studies

What is your Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies Number?

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What is the title of your course?

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What is the name of the course?

What is the level of the course and qualification?

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This is the NQF Level stated on your CAS

What level of qualification is expected?

Start Date of course

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When does the course begin?

End Date of course

  *

When is the course expected to finish?

Have you already started studying this course?


- ☐ Yes
☐ No

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What is the address of the main site of study?

Enter the postcode below and click on 'find address'.

UK Postcode: [Find Address](#)

 --- Please enter a postcode --- 

Please enter details of the address and contact details of your place of study. You must enter at least one contact phone number

Maintenance and Fees	
How much are the fees for your course of study?	<p>The course fees and the amount payable must match what is stated on your CAS letter.</p> <p>If you make a payment after your CAS is issued, you must inform us and we will update the CAS online.</p>
Have any of your course fees been paid?	
Have any of your accommodation fees been paid to your sponsor?	
Do you receive support from a financial sponsor that meets the UK Visa and Immigration definition of a financial sponsor?	<p>If you are financially sponsored by your government, an international company, or University, tick 'Yes', otherwise tick 'No'. Your parents do not count as a UKVI official sponsor.</p>
Do you have any remaining fees and maintenance still due for payment?	
Do you have money in your own name?	<p>If the money is in your own bank account, you must tick 'Yes'. If the money is in your parent's bank account, you must tick 'No'.</p>
Points Claimed	
Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies	<p>30 points for the CAS</p> <p>20 points for a CAS number</p> <p>The total = 40 points</p>
Maintenance	
Total	

Once you are ready to submit your application, you will be prompted to:

- Complete an online declaration
- Enter a code for the delivery of your visa (see below)
- Book an appointment at your nearest visa application centre or UK Embassy
- Pay the Immigration Health Surcharge
- Pay for the application online
- Print your own record of the application

IMPORTANT

You will be asked to enter a code for the delivery of your visa, which will be in the form of a Biometric Residence Permit (BRP) card (see screenshot on the next page). You must enter the correct code to ensure that your BRP card is delivered to Regent's University London, where you will collect it on arrival.

The University ACL code is **2HE957**

The screenshot below shows where you must enter the code for the delivery of your Biometric Residence Permit (BRP) card.

The screenshot shows the UK visa application website interface. At the top, there are three tabs: 'Apply For Myself', 'Apply For Someone Else', and 'View My Applications'. Below the tabs is a banner that reads: 'BETA: This is the new UK visa application website. We are testing it. It is designed to make the application process simpler and clearer.'

Biometric Residence Permit (BRP) Collection

If you are granted leave to enter the UK for over six months, you will be given a BRP as proof of your leave and conditions of stay. You can read more about the BRP here <https://www.gov.uk/biometric-residence-permits>.

If you enter a UK postcode you will be assigned to a Post Office. If neither your Sponsor Address Postcode nor Residential Address Postcode gives you a suitable Post Office branch, you may enter another UK postcode in the 'Alternative Location' field.

You can find details of the location and opening hours of any Post Office branch here: <http://www.postoffice.co.uk>

If your sponsor offers collection from their own site, rather than the Post Office, they will have told you to use an **ACL code**. Please enter that code in the 'Alternative Location' field. Your sponsor will tell you about the opening hours of their collection point.

If you are applying to enter a Crown Dependency (Jersey, Guernsey or the Isle of Man) you will not be given a BRP and will not need to visit a Post Office branch. If this applies to you, please enter SW1H 0AX in the "Alternative Location" field.

Alternative Location: Your assigned collection location:

- Please ensure you enter the correct code, so that the BRP card can be safely delivered to the University
- The unique Regent's University London ACL code is: **2HE957**

If you have any questions about the online visa application form, please contact CAS@regents.ac.uk