

Important Information for Non-local Students to study in Macao

- Non-Macao resident students have to enter Macao with valid identification document/visa, and comply with the relevant laws and regulations in the Legal Regime of Stay Authorization of the Macao Special Administrative Region Government. **According to the regulations of the Macao Special Administrative Region Government, all students who do not hold the Macao Resident Identity Card must apply for "Special Authorization to Stay" from the Residence and Stay Affairs Department of the Macao Public Security Police Force in order to legally stay in Macao for study.**
- Below are some of the important notices about the application requirements and required documents. For details, please visit the website of the Residence and Stay Affairs Department of the Macao Public Security Police Force at <https://www.gov.mo/en/services/ps-1479/>, or consult with the relevant institution or department directly.

Non-local applicants must ensure that the identification documents they hold for application for "Special Authorization to Stay" in Macao are comply with the relevant laws, regulations and requirements of Macao SAR government.

- Applicants must provide valid identification documents for application and registration. During the application period, the applicant must upload valid identification documents on the "Upload Files" page of the Online Application System (OAS) as required:

Types	<u>Valid</u> identification documents that are required to be uploaded on OAS
Mainland Students	People's Republic of China Identity Card
Hong Kong Students	Hong Kong Permanent Resident Identity Card; or Hong Kong Non-Permanent Resident Identity Card (must provide documents proving eligibility for the student category "Special Authorization to Stay" application, such as the HKSAR Document of Identity for Visa Purposes).
Taiwan Students	Taiwan Passport and Identity Card
Other International Students	Passport from Other Countries

- If an applicant was found using invalid identification documents for application or admission, the University reserves the right to cancel the applicant's application and admission qualifications. (The University reserves the right to reject to accept application or admission of those students who have applied to the University with expired or invalid identification documents. During the period of application, admission and study, if students are unable to legally stay and study in Macao due to problems with their Residence Authorizations in Macao or overdue/unrenewed identification documents, thus affecting their studies, students must bear the responsibility for any possible consequences.)

[Important Information for Different Type of Applicants]

Applicants holding the People's Republic of China Identity Card:

1. After receiving the "Acceptance Letter" and "Letter of Certificate for Acceptance" mailed by the University, the admitted applicants must go to the Public Security Bureau directly along with their identity card, and other required documents in order to apply for the PRC Exit-Entry Permit and Endorsement for Hong Kong and Macao (Endorsement D).
2. Mainland students mentioned above will receive a printed "Authorization to Stay" document at the time of entering Macao; they must apply for "Special Authorization to Stay" within the period of validity.

Applicants holding Hong Kong Identity Card:

1. Students holding Hong Kong Non-Permanent Resident Identity Cards will be issued an "Authorization to Stay" at the first time of entering Macao. Students must apply for a "Special Authorization to Stay" within the period of validity.
2. Students holding Hong Kong Permanent Identity Cards will be issued an "Authorization to Stay" for one year each time they enter Macao. Students must also apply for a "Special Authorization to Stay" within the period of validity.
3. One of the following documents must be presented when applying for "Special Authorization to Stay", otherwise, students will not be eligible to apply for the "Special Authorization to Stay" for students.
 - 3.1 Hong Kong Identity Card with the word "Permanent" or the symbol "*", "****" or "A"; or
 - 3.2 Certificate of Entitlement to the Right of Abode in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region; or
 - 3.3 An endorsement stating their eligibility for Hong Kong Permanent Identity Card (with the sentence "the holder is eligible to receive Hong Kong Permanent Identity Card"; or

3.4 HKSAR Document of Identity for Visa Purposes.

Applicants holding Taiwan Passport and Identity Card, or Passport from other countries:

1. Generally, students do not need to apply for study visa (stay permit) in order to study in Macao, but students might need to apply for "Entry Permit" before coming to Macao.
2. Students should enter Hong Kong or Macao with "Entry Permit (visit visa)". The "Acceptance Letter" might be required to present for entry.
3. Students will receive a printed "Authorization to Stay" document at the first time of entering Macao; they must apply for "Special Authorization to Stay" within the period of validity.

Remark: The important notices mentioned above are based on the current general situation. Specific qualifications and procedure details should be subject to the latest announcements by the relevant government institutions.