



**EMBASSY
OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC
IN RIYADH**

List of Requirements for National D visa – Bahrain

LANGUAGE EDUCATION

(if the applicant is older than 15 years and has been accepted for language education at a language school with a minimum of 25 lessons per week)

Basic Documents:

1. National visa application form:

- Completed and signed by the applicant.
- Parent/Legal representative signs the application form for children under 18 years old.
- The application form is free of charge.

2. Passport/Residence permit:

- A valid travel document (its validity shall be at least 90 days after the intended date of departure from the Slovak Republic).
- Valid biometric passport not older than 10 years containing at least 2 blank pages.
- If the passport does not state the place of birth, a copy of ID card or a birth certificate must be submitted.
- **Non Bahraini nationals:** A valid Bahraini residence permit (ID).

3. Actual Photograph:

- A full-face high quality colour photograph 3 x 3,5 cm showing applicant's current appearance.
- The photograph must be taken against white background.

4. Travel Medical Insurance:

- Original travel medical insurance covering the whole period of the validity of the national visa (starting with the intended date of travel);
- Valid for all Schengen States;
- The minimum coverage is 30.000 EUR;
- The insured party, policy validity period, geographical coverage and schedule of benefits must be mentioned on the policy schedule/certificate.

5. Flight ticket:

- flight ticket (the decision process takes up to 30 days, therefore the date on the flight ticket has to be at least 30 days from the application date).

In addition to the basic documents listed above, the applicant shall submit documents confirming the purpose of stay for language education.

Document not older than 90 days which confirms the purpose of stay:

- ☐ *confirmation/decision of the language school on the admission.*

Document not older than 90 days which confirms provided accommodation:

- ☐ *affidavit of a third country national's ownership of real estate, or*
- ☐ *lease contract concluded with a real estate owner and other document proving the entitlement to use the real estate in case of a lease agreement with the real estate user (e.g. proof of assignment of the apartment), or*
- ☐ *confirmation of the accommodation facility on provision of accommodation, estate, or*
- ☐ *statutory declaration of a natural person or legal entity on provision of accommodation to the foreigner in the territory of the Slovak Republic and the extract from the title deed or the document proving the entitlement to use the real estate (Art. 122 of the Act on residence of foreigners).*

Document not older than 90 days which confirms financial resources for residence:

- ☐ *employer's confirmation of the amount of agreed salary, or*
- ☐ *statement of balance of a bank account of third country national (a bank statement for last 3 months), or*
- ☐ *affidavit of sponsorship along with the statement of balance of a bank account (the bank statement for last 3 months) and copy of a sponsor's valid passport.*

Other Information:

- The diplomatic mission shall decide about an application for the granting of national visa within 30 days from its receipt. The diplomatic mission may grant the national visa only after prior consent of the Ministry of Interior of the Slovak Republic.
- The Embassy has the right to invite the applicant to a personal interview.
- Public documents issued abroad must be officially authenticated (apostille/consular legalization).
- Documents issued in a language other than Slovak must be translated into the Slovak language by a certified translator registered in the List of Translators at the Ministry of Justice of the Slovak Republic - [Translators - MSSR \(justice.sk\)](https://www.justice.sk/).
- Signatures on affidavits, powers of attorney, tenancy agreements and photocopies must be notarized.
- **The visa application can only be accepted with complete documents.**
- Each applicant must come in person to the VAC in order to proceed to the biometric data capture.
- Payment of the visa fee does not guarantee that the visa will be granted. The visa fee is non-refundable and non-transferable if the visa application is rejected.
- The validity of the national visa (language education) may be granted for the duration of language education at a language school, no later than July 31 of the relevant school year (multiple entries).

Visa fees:

- The fee for submitting the national D visa application (language education) is 30 EUR.

Declaration:

I have been informed that an application without a complete set of documentation according to the above-mentioned checklist may result in the rejection of my visa application. Besides, the Embassy of the Slovak Republic in Riyadh reserves the right to request additional supporting documents and may require a personal interview at the Embassy.

Date:

Full name:

Signature: