

Specific Purpose Work Visa

New Zealand Visa Information Checklist

Visa summary

For people coming to New Zealand temporarily to complete an approved specific purpose or event.

Length of stay: As needed to complete work | Cost: NZD \$1455 | Processing time: 3 weeks

General requirements

- ☐ be coming to New Zealand for a specific purpose or event that meets our requirements
- ☐ meet the requirements for the specific purpose or event
- ☐ have relevant qualifications and experience, if required
- ☐ have enough money to pay your living expenses, if required
- ☐ meet the other requirements of this visa.
- ☐ do work for a specific purpose or event as specified on your visa.

Documents and evidence

- ☐ certified English translations of police and medical certificates that are not in English
- ☐ scanned copies of the original documents.

Official source and verification

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Official page: <https://www.immigration.govt.nz/visas/specific-purpose-work-visa/>

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