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Documents Required for a Visa Application

- ☐ Completed visa application form;
- ☐ One recent [ICAO](#)-compliant passport photograph;
- ☐ Passport valid for at least three months beyond the visa expiry date;
- ☐ Proof of residence (e.g. driver's licence);
- ☐ Proof of legal residence status in Australia – VEVO (Visa Entitlement Verification Online);
- ☐ Proof of accommodation in Italy, such as a hotel reservation or a letter of invitation/accommodation ([official form](#));
- ☐ Copy of the travel itinerary and round-trip flight booking;
- ☐ Proof of sufficient financial means (bank statements for the last three months);
- ☐ If married or in a registered civil partnership, a copy of the marriage certificate or registered partnership certificate;
- ☐ Documentation confirming the applicant's employment or professional status (employer's letter and/or recent payslip);
- ☐ Travel medical insurance with a minimum coverage of €30,000 for emergency hospital treatment and repatriation;
- ☐ Documentation certifying the applicant's religious status or affiliation;
- ☐ A declaration issued by the host religious institution, endorsed by the Vatican Authorities, confirming the duration of the period of religious formation or novitiate, the arrangements for board and lodging, and the means of financial support available to the applicant during their stay in Italy.