

# TRANSIT VISA

A Transit Visa is only issued to travelers who will stop over in Japan enroute to another country due to flight schedules.

**If you are transiting within the same day, same airport and do not leave the secure transit area, then visa is NOT required.**

You must apply for a [Temporary Visitor Visa \(Visa Type A\)](#) if you are staying in Japan for more than 2 nights.

New Zealand passport holders do not require a visa.

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**We will NOT accept any visa applications more than 2 to 2.5 months before your departure date from New Zealand**

**\*Incomplete documents will cause of you to re-visit\***

**\*Do NOT use staple/clips/post-it\***

## 1) Valid passport (Original)

- print out your valid NZ visa (Resident / Work / Student / Guardian)  
**OR**  
print out your valid "E-VISA" (Resident / Work / Student / Guardian)
- transfer your NZ visa when you renew your passport, otherwise we can't accept your visa application
- applications from those in NZ on **any types** of VISITOR VISA will not be accepted (no exception)

## 2) One passport photograph

- USE A PROFESSIONAL SERVICE (we may reject if it's not acceptable quality)
- NZ standard passport size OR 45mm x 35mm size
- must be taken within the **last SIX months**
- DO NOT: scan and print onto paper  
attach with staple or tape  
use the filters/photoshop

### 3) One completed original visa application form

- write “n/a” if it doesn’t apply to you or leave a section blank if you are unsure
- **DO NOT** use digital signature (hand written signature only)
- Tick “single” box if you are not legally married
- Non-schooling age minor, parent or legal rep can sign a form but indicate the relationship (e.g. signed by mother)

### 4) A copy of e-tickets / flight details (must provide ALL the destination flight booking)

- We will NOT accept any application more than 3 months before your departure date from New Zealand
- issued by the travel agent/airline or copy of e-tickets with your passport name on them
- Must provide flight leaving from New Zealand (even though stopped over in other countries before arriving in Japan)
- **WE DO NOT require proof of purchase**

We DO require a confirmed reservation

The Consulate-General of Japan is not responsible for any tickets that become unusable due to visa delay or denial

### 5) Accommodation booking confirmation

- If you are staying overnight to catch next flight

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## CONNECTING FLIGHT INFORMATION

(Narita Airport)

<https://www.narita-airport.jp/en/airportguide/connect/>

(Haneda Airport)

<https://tokyo-haneda.com/en/flight/transit/index.html>