### **IMMIGRATION**

## Canada

# **Temporary Resident Visa**

## **Visa Office Instructions for:**

#### Lima



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#### **Application for a Temporary Resident Visa – Checklist**

- A visa officer will make a decision based on the documents you submit.
   Additional documents will not be requested. Failure to submit relevant documents may result in your application being returned, delayed or refused.
- Any documents not in English or French must be accompanied by a certified translation. Please submit photocopies only of official documents, as no documents will be returned to you once your application has been processed.
- False statements or submission of fraudulent documents will result in refusal of your application. In addition, you may become inadmissible from entering Canada for five (5) years.
- The submission of an application does not guarantee the issuance of a permit/visa. Do not finalize travel plans until you have received a visa.
- For more details, visit the IRCC website (www.cic.gc.ca)

All applicants must submit the following documents:	√
<b>Original, valid passport</b> . Include all cancelled or expired passports, if applicable. The passport should be valid for the duration of proposed travel, as the validity of visa cannot exceed the validity of the passport.	
<b>Minors travelling alone</b> or with a person other than their parents or legal guardians should have a letter of authorization signed by both parents or legal guardians. It should also include the name of the adult who will be responsible for the children in Canada.	
Minors travelling with only one parent or legal guardian should have a letter of authorization from the non-accompanying parent or guardian.	
A copy of the page of the passport or other government-issued identification document showing the name, photo and signature of each non-accompanying parent should be submitted with the application.	
These documents should be available for presentation at the Canadian Port of Entry.	
If you have answered "yes" to any of the background information questions on the application form, provide a completed and signed <b>Schedule 1</b> form (Application for Temporary Resident Visa – IMM 5257B) and include it with your application.	
<b>Completed Military table</b> : If you are or have been part of the military or police forces, fill out the <b>military table</b> at the Visa Aplication Centre (VAC) or request a questionnaire by sending an email to <a href="mailto:lima.immigration@international.gc.ca">lima.immigration@international.gc.ca</a> .	
Family Information Form (IMM 5707) fully completed, dated and signed.	

#### CAN+: Visitors with previous travel to Canada in the past 10 years or hold a valid US non-immigrant visa If you have travelled to Canada in the last ten (10) years or currently hold a valid United States non-immigrant visa and can provide proof (entry stamps in passport, proof of the valid visa), no proof of financial support is needed. For all others, provide proof of financial support to cover the expenses for the duration of your visit: Copies of bank statements or bank book covering the past three months. · Any additional relevant documentation (employment letter, pay slips, proof of pension, business registration, investments, etc.) If you are not paying for your own trip: Provide a letter signed by the person paying and a photocopy of their passport, or other official identification with photo and a bank certificate proving that they have sufficient funds. Describe how this person is related to you. These documents must be dated within three months of the date on which the application is submitted. Visiting family or friends: $\sqrt{}$ If you are employed: A signed letter on company letterhead from your employer granting leave of absence. This letter must include the following information: your name and position; your current salary; your date of hire; your employer's name, address and telephone number. If you are a student traveling outside of school holidays: An original letter from your school confirming that you are enrolled and in good standing and that the school has approved vour absence. Information on the inviter in Canada: Letter of invitation indicating the purpose and duration of the visit; A list showing the number of people in the inviter's household; A copy of the inviter's immigration status or citizenship documents; Proof of inviter's income and financial situation including but not limited to Notice of Assessments (NOA), T1 or T4, employment letters, pay stubs, bank statements; If the inviter is a student, a letter of acceptance or good standing from the school. If visiting family, proof of relationship with the inviter (examples: copy of birth certificate, copy of marriage certificate, etc.). Tourists: $\checkmark$ **Detailed travel itinerary** and hotel booking.

If you are a student travelling outside of school holidays:	_
An original letter from your school confirming that you are enrolled and in good standing and the school has approved your absence.	
Super Visa for parents and grandparents (if you are visiting children or grandchildren who are citizens or permanent residents of Canada for an extended stay of up to 2 years):	<b>~</b>
Required Documents from the applicant:	ı
<ul> <li>Evidence of private medical insurance from a CANADIAN insurance company; valid for a minimum of 1 year from the date of entry; and which minimum \$100,000 coverage.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Undergone a medical examination from an authorized panel physicians. You may find a list of panel physicians and a list of documents you will need to submit in <a href="http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/information/medical/medexams-temp.asp">http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/information/medical/medexams-temp.asp</a></li> <li>After the completion of your medical examination, the panel physician will provide you with one copy of your medical examination form. Submit this form with your</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>super visa application.</li> <li>Proof of relationship to your relative in Canada: through birth certificates</li> </ul>	
<b>NOTE</b> : The key difference with the regular multi-entry visa is that with the super visa, eligible parents and grandparents can visit family in Canada for up to two years without the need to renew their status. Parents and grandparents planning to visit their family for periods of less than six months may still apply for a regular multi-entry visa.	
Required documents from your inviter (and spouse if applicable):	
<ul> <li>A written and signed invitation letter promising financial support for the duration of your visit.</li> <li>A list showing the number of people in the inviter's household.</li> <li>A copy of the inviter's citizenship or immigration status document.</li> </ul>	_
Proof of the inviter's (and spouse's, if applicable) ability to provide promised financial support including but not limited to:	
<ul> <li>Notice of <u>Assessment</u> (NOA), T4 or T1 for the past tax year;</li> <li>employment letter identifying salary;</li> <li>pay stubs, bank statements, etc.</li> </ul>	

Business (company international business activities, trade shows, conferences):	√
Company international business activities:  Invitation letter must come from the party in Canada with whom you will conduct direct business. This letter must include:  • the company name;  • full name of the inviter and title;  • business address, email, website address, telephone numbers;  • a brief summary of the reasons for the invitation including:  • details of the business activities;  • duration of trip;  • statement specifying who will be responsible for all expenses related to the trip.  Letter from your employer, confirming the following:  • your employment and title;  • the purpose of your trip;  • the full name of the company; and	
company contact information (address, telephone and email address).  If you are travelling on an official passport, an official note from the Peruvian Ministry of External Affairs supporting the intended visit.	
Short-term studies (6 months or less):  A copy of the Letter of Acceptance from a Canadian school showing the exact amount of tuition fees you are required to pay, the anticipated start and end dates and the latest date you may register.	<b>√</b>
If applicable, tuition fee receipts.  A copy of the highest diploma you have obtained.	
For organized study groups, an invitation letter with details of the program, list of participants and an indication of who will be paying the associated fees and expenses.	
Signed parental employment letters issued by the employer on company letterhead indicating position, salary and date of hire of your parents.	
Bank documents showing financial history over last six months (for example: Certificates of Deposit, bank statements, etc.).	
Returning students holding a valid study permit:	<b>√</b>
<ul> <li>Proof of good standing at the school where you are studying, such as:</li> <li>Transcripts showing academic performance;</li> <li>Tuition fee receipts;</li> <li>Letter of good standing and anticipated return.</li> </ul>	

Returning workers holding a valid work permit:	√
Signed letter from your employer in Canada confirming ongoing employment. This letter must include:	
<ul> <li>your employer's name and address;</li> <li>your employer's telephone and fax number;</li> <li>your position;</li> <li>your salary;</li> <li>your date of hire.</li> </ul>	
Supporting evidence of this employment such as pay stubs and bank statements.	
Seamen:	√
Copy of Seamen's Book.	
Employment contract, agreement or a letter from the foreign shipping company or employer with contact information.	
Invitation letter from the Canadian shipping agent.	
Reference letter from the local Peruvian shipping agent.	
Religious workers:	√
Invitation letter from Host organization in Canada.	
Letters of reference from organizations in Peru.	
Supporting evidence of religious work or training.	
Persons transiting through Canada	√
Copy of your air ticket and travel itinerary. Please indicate the number of times you will be entering Canada, and the dates and times for each entry and exit.	
A valid visa for country of final destination, if applicable.	
A letter of invitation from the inviter in the country of destination or a letter of intent stating the purpose of your trip.	
If you are employed, a letter from your employer on company letterhead granting your leave of absence and including the following information:  • your name;  • your position;  • your current salary; and  • your date of hire.	