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RÉPUBLIQUE FRANÇAISE

Ambassade de France aux Philippines

LONG STAY VISA - STUDENT

1st STEP

Setting the appointment

Prior to the consular interview, the applicant will have to schedule a pre-consular interview with the Attaché for Higher education to the French embassy. Contact: manille@campusfrance.org

Appointments may only be set through calling the Embassy's appointed Call Center:

For PLDT/Smart/Touchcard Subscribers 1 (909) 101- 3333

For Globe/Innove/Touchmobile Subscribers 1 (900) 101- 3333

For Bayantel Subscribers 1 (903) 101- 3333

* *Appointments may only be taken from within the Philippines*

2nd STEP

Requirements

All documents must be presented in the order specified below and in three (3) sets: the original and 2 sets of photocopies (1 set of the photocopies shall be submitted during the pre-consular interview)

1. Signed long stay visa application form with photo (35mm x 45mm, white background)
2. Passport with a validity of at least 6 months and photocopy of valid and former visas
3. Certificate of pre-enrollment in a French school or university
4. If going on an exchange program, proof of enrollment in a Philippine university (enrollment certificate, valid school ID, or tuition receipt)
5. Scholarship certificate (if applicable)
6. Diplomas (including High School diploma)
7. Proof of lodging in France
8. Proof of financial resources (personal, parents, or eventual "sponsor")
 - Certificate of employment with monthly salary
 - If self employed: official business registration for current and previous year
 - Income tax return from previous year, if applicable
 - Recent bank certification
 - Photocopy of the last three months statement of account of the same bank account
 - Affidavit of support
9. Birth certificate
10. Visa fee (prevailing peso equivalent of EUR 99), payable in cash

*** Processing time: 5-10 working days (unless further verification is needed)**

*** Warning: Incomplete files may result to the refusal of the application**