



**HIGH COMMISSION
OF MALTA
AUSTRALIA**

Dear applicant

As requested, please find enclosed the forms for a Working Holiday Permit to Malta. I am also enclosing a guide to temporary employment in Malta as well as the relevant application. Please note that this scheme is available to Australian /NZ citizens between 18 and 30 years of age.

The following documents are required to assess your application:

1. Two recent identical passport size photos.
2. A certified copy of a current Australian / NZ passport (data page and stamped permit pages) (the passport should be valid for over 12 months).
3. A police history criminal clearance report from your state/territory of residence.
4. A bank statement demonstrating that you have sufficient funds to provide for your initial stay in Malta (Minimum: \$4,500 AUD / \$ 4,860 NZD).
5. Your flight itinerary so that your permit may be issued from the day of your arrival in Malta and intended departure date.
6. accommodation for the first month in Malta
7. Bank Transfer for \$100, payable to the Malta High Commission at the following account:
Bank Account Name: Malta High Commission
BSB: 062-902
Bank Account Number: 000 000 25

Applications must be lodged with this Office no less than 6 weeks prior to intended departure.

Please note that we are unable to assist you to find either work or accommodation in Malta. However, if you require any assistance with your application, please do not hesitate to contact us. Furthermore, I am attaching a copy of the employment licence form, which is to be filled by prospective employers and submitted to the Employment & Training Corporation in Malta.

Yours sincerely

Malta High Commission

COVID-19 Travel Requirements

Latest travel Requirements prior to travelling to Malta can be found on:

<https://deputyprimeminister.gov.mt/en/health-promotion/covid-19/Pages/travel.aspx>
& <https://foreignanddeu.gov.mt/en/Pages/Travel-Advice.aspx>



Working Holiday Scheme to Malta

You must

- hold an Australian/NZ passport (valid for up to 2 years)
- be 18 to 30 years old
- not be accompanied by dependent children
- meet the financial, health, and character requirements

With this visa you can

- stay in Malta for up to 12 months (multiple entries)
- work to fund your holiday
- learn more about Maltese culture and tradition, including opportunities to study Maltese language (one of the official languages of the EU)

Cost

\$ 105

Work

You can do any kind of work as long as your prospective employer obtains an employment licence on your behalf from the Department for Citizenship and Expatriate Affairs and conforms to related employment requirements. Sportsmanship and entertainment are not included in this working holiday scheme.

Health

There is a reciprocal arrangement between Malta and Australia. Health care will be provided for a period of up to six months from your date of arrival. Australians visiting Malta requiring medical attention should contact or visit a Health Centre or the Accident and Emergency Department at Mater Dei Hospital and consult the general practitioner on duty. Visitors staying over six months will need to take out private medical insurance to cover them while they are in Malta.

Study

Studying in formal educational settings is prohibited. A short Maltese language course is allowed.

Prepare the documents

- Two recent identical passport size photos
- A certified copy of a current Australian passport with validity for up to 2 years (bio page and stamped permit pages)
- A police check certificate from your state/territory of residence
- A bank statement demonstrating that you have sufficient funds to provide your initial stay in Malta (minimum \$4500 AUD)
- Your flight itinerary so that your permit may be issued from the day of your arrival in Malta
- Money Order/Bank Cheque for \$105, payable to the Malta High Commission

How to Apply

To apply, please contact Malta High Commission in Canberra (+61 2 6290 1724)

Processing times

6 weeks

After you get the visa

Upon your arrival in Malta, you must present yourself at:

Identity Malta

Expatriates Unit

Valley Road Msida MSD 9020

Please present the following documents at the non-EU front office desk for the mentioned department:

- [Form ID1A](#)
- [DCEA Form O](#)
- Original current passport as a form of ID and a copy of its bio page and all stamped pages
- Lease/ rental agreement in Malta
- Travel insurance and policy details

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MALTA HIGH COMMISSION
IN CANBERRA

DECLARATION BY WORKING HOLIDAY MAKERS

The Memorandum of Understanding signed between the Government of Malta and the Government of Australia provides the power to refuse or to cancel a permit when a person is not of good character or does not meet the applicable health criteria.

The Memorandum of Understanding provides the power to cancel a permit if a person has made an incorrect statement in relation to his/her application.

If it is determined that an applicant has concealed information, such as an offence, his/her application for grant of a permit may be refused. If an applicant has already been granted a working holiday permit and such concealed information is subsequently discovered, his/her permit will be revoked.

Note: Each applicant must sign the declaration below.

I declare that:

1. I am in possession of at least \$4,500 AUD / \$4,860 NZD for my maintenance
2. I understand that any registration or licensing that is required before I can begin employment in Malta will be my responsibility.
3. I am aware that I must advise the immigration Authorities in Malta immediately I am aware of a change in circumstances relating to any information I have provided in this application. If I subsequently discover that any of the information submitted is incorrect in any way, then I must inform the Immigration Authorities in writing of the correct information.
4. Any employment is incidental to my holiday in Malta and the purpose of working is to supplement my holiday funds.
5. I will depart from Malta at the end of my authorised stay.

I agree to abide by these conditions.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Work Holiday Permit No..... Receipt No.....

WORKING HOLIDAY PERMIT APPLICATION FORM
(FOR AUSTRALIAN CITIZENS AGED 18-30yo PROCEEDING TO MALTA)

Please answer all questions in BLOCK letters

1. Family name: _____
2. Given name: _____
3. Sex (Please circle): Male Female
4. Status (Please circle): Single Married Widowed Divorced
5. Maiden surname: _____
6. Present Nationality: _____
7. Nationality at birth: _____
8. Place & date of birth: _____
9. Date of arrival in Malta: _____
10. Permanent address: _____
_____ Phone No: _____
11. Address in Malta: _____
_____ Phone No: _____
12. Intended occupation: _____
13. Duration of stay: _____
14. Dates of previous visits to Malta and/or Schengen zone
: _____
: _____
: _____
15. Financial means: Travellers cheques: \$ _____ Cash: \$ _____ Credit card: \$ _____
16. Passport No: _____ Issued at: _____
Issued on: _____ Valid until: _____
17. Expiry date of return ticket: _____
18. Name of referee in Malta: _____
19. Address of referee in Malta: _____
_____ Phone No: _____

I declare the above information, to be a full and true statement.

(Signature)

(Date)