

Genuine Temporary Entrant (GTE) Guide

This guide is based on information on the Australian Government website. This information is used as a guide to meet GTE requirements. The requirements are used to decide if the student is coming to Australia temporarily to gain a quality education.

Please see information from the Department of Home Affairs (DoHA) website on [GTE Requirements](#) and [Ministerial Direction 69](#).

Any statements must be supported by evidence. The student must provide examples of supporting evidence. This evidence can be documents, a curriculum vitae (CV/resume), employer's references/contracts/offers, website links, and financial statements.

The GTE statement must be written by the applicant even if using an agent. If you are an agent, do not write the statement for your student. If the student cannot write the statement in English, it can be written in their own language; however, a translated copy must be submitted.

The GTE statement must include and provide the following detailed information and evidence:

1. Personal information and circumstance

- a) full name (as per passport)
- b) date of birth
- c) marital status
- d) duration of marriage
- e) current living arrangements
- f) planned living arrangements in Australia
- g) dependants
- h) potential dependants accompanying you on your visa
- i) relatives in Australia/location of relatives/how they are related (example: brother/sister/aunt/uncle)
- j) ties to Australia that may present a strong incentive to stay in Australia
- k) evidence of financial capacity to fund studies, accommodation, living costs

2. Previous and future study

- a) academic transcripts showing qualifications achieved and certificates of attainment, length of study, name of the education provider(s)
- b) reason for not studying in your home country or region if a similar course is available there
- c) reason for not studying in an alternate country if a similar course is available there
- d) level of knowledge of the proposed course content, duration of study, education provider and city

3. Gap in previous study in Australia or offshore

- a) reasons why there is a gap in your studies including where you did not maintain enrolment

4. Value of the course to your future

- a) if the course is consistent with your current level of education
- b) if the course is relevant to past or proposed future employment in your home country or a third country
- c) expected salary and other benefits in your home country or a third country obtained with your qualifications from the proposed course of study

5. Employment in your home country or third country

- a) future career intentions
- b) potential employment offers, including salary and other benefits, after course completion

6. Current employment (this can be presented as a CV/resume)

- a) your current employer
- b) company address
- c) period of employment
- d) details of your position

7. Ties to home country or country of residence

- a) evidence of financial, family or social ties, you need to show you have significant incentives to return home
- b) ties to your home country that support an intention to return after study is finished
- c) your economic situation
- d) military service commitments
- e) political and civil unrest in your home country

8. Financial/Economic situation in home country or country of residence

- a) documents showing employment or business activities for 12 months before lodging an application
- b) potential employment offers including salary and other benefits, after course completion
- c) income tax return or bank statements

9. Your immigration history

- a) previous visa applications for Australia or other countries
- b) visa refusals or cancellations