Immigration

Type of Matter	Fee Estimate
Family and private life applications	
Entry Clearance Partner or Parent*	**£2,000 - £3,000** (VAT not applicable)
Entry Clearance Partner or Parent with dependent	**£3,000 - £4,000** (VAT not applicable)
Leave to Remain Partner or Parent	**£2,000 - £3,000** (VAT may be applicable)
Leave to Remain Partner or Parent with dependent	**£3,000 - £4,000** (VAT may be applicable)
Indefinite Leave to Remain (including parent, partner and child)	**£2,000 - £3,000** (VAT may be applicable)
Indefinite Leave to Remain Partner with dependent	**£3,000 - £4,000** (VAT may be applicable)
Urgent applications/Removal/Deportation, as well as appeals to the First-Tier Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber)	**£3,000 - £5,000+** (VAT may be applicable), exact fees will depend on urgency and complexity
Long Residence Leave to Remain	**£2,500 - £3,000** (VAT applicable)
Long Residence Indefinite Leave to Remain	**£2,500 - £3,000** (VAT applicable)
Dependent Child Entry Clearance	**£2,500 - £3,000** (VAT not applicable)
Dependent Child Leave to Remain	**£2,000 - £3,000** (VAT may be applicable)
Dependent Child Indefinite Leave to Remain	**£2,000 - £3,000** (VAT may be applicable)
Adult Dependant Relative Application	**£2,500 - £4,000** (VAT applicable if client is in the UK), exact fees will depend on urgency and complexity
Private Life Application	**£2,500 - £4,000** (VAT applicable if client is in the UK), exact fees will depend on urgency and complexity
EU Settlement	
Applications to the EU Settlement Scheme	**£1,500 - £2,500 + VAT per applicant** (depending on complexity)
Citizenship and Nationality	
Naturalisation and Registration as a British Citizen	**£2,000 - £2,500** (VAT applicable if client is in the UK, no VAT if client is overseas)
Passport Application	**£750 - £1500** (VAT applicable) per applicant
Visitor visa application (including business, tourism, marriage and transit visa)	**£1,500 - £2,500** (no VAT) for a straight-forward application (but cannot guarantee until after initial consultation)
Work and Sponsorship Routes	
Sponsor licence applications (Skilled Worker and Global Business Mobility	**£3,500 - £7,500 (VAT applicable)** depending on the size and complexity of the organisation, the number of workers involved, and the level of support required.

Skilled Worker visas (this includes entry clearance, leave to remain and indefinite leave to remain)	**£1,500 - £3,500** (VAT may be applicable if client is in the UK) ***This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application
Global Business Mobility route visas (entry clearance, leave to remain and indefinite leave to remain)	**£2,500 - £4,000** (I/AT may be applicable if client in the UK) ***This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application
Students and Graduates	
Student visas (this includes entry clearance, leave to remain and indefinite leave to remain for adults and children)	**£1,500 - £2,500** (VAT may be applicable if clients in the UK) ***This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application.
Graduate visas	**£1,500 - £2,500** (I/AT applicable) *** This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application
High Potential visas	**£1,500 - £2,500 (I/AT applicable)** *** This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application
Youth Mobility Scheme	**£1,500 - £2,500 (I/AT applicable)**
Business Immigration Routes	
Start up	**£2,000 - £4,500** (I/AT may be applicable if client in the UK) ***This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application
Innovator	**£2,000 - £4,500** (I/AT may be applicable if client in the UK) ***This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application
Global Talent visa (entry clearance, leave to remain and indefinite leave to remain)	**£2,000 - £5,000** (I/AT may be applicable if client in the UK) ***This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application
UK Ancestry	**£2,000 - £2,500** (I/AT may be applicable if client in the UK) ***This figure generally increases by £1,000 per dependent on the application
Other	
Checking Service for all applications	**£235 - £420 + VAT per hour**

*The term partner refers to unmarried partners, civil partners, fiancées, proposed civil partners and spouses

This pricing document sets out our fees in respect of the preparation and submission of private immigration applications (excluding asylum) and/or the provision of advice and representation at the First-tier Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber) for appeals against Home Office visa or immigration decisions (excluding asylum appeals). For information regarding our fees for corporate immigration matters, please contact the team directly.

Legal aid is no longer available for the vast majority of UK immigration and asylum applications. In any event, we do not offer legal aid assistance in immigration or asylum matters at our Firm. That said, our specialist team of Immigration Lawyers offer competitive fixed fees in immigration matters.

The exact legal fees payable depend on the circumstances and complexity of your case. If any of the following apply our legal fees are likely to be towards the higher end of the fee estimate:

- you have an adverse immigration history
- you do not meet the eligibility criteria for the visa and/or your circumstances change during the application process
- you have a criminal record
- unforeseen matters arise during the application process
- unreasonable delay from you or any other relevant third parties

WHAT WORK IS INVOLVED IN THE PROCESS?

- discussing your circumstances in detail and confirming what is the most appropriate application for you to make and what other options may be available to you;
- giving you verbal and written advice about the requirements of the Immigration Rules that you are intending to apply under and whether you meet the criteria
- if you do not fulfil certain criteria, whether this can be overcome and if so, providing you with proactive advice on how this can be done;
- reviewing/advising you on the supporting evidence you have provided* and where necessary, assisting you with obtaining further evidence (such as medical records, reports and witness statements);
- advising you on the timelines and likely outcome of your application
- preparing your application and submitting it to the Home
- Office on your behalf;
- being named as your legal representative on the application and liaising with the Home Office (where required) during the application process
- supporting your application with a letter of representations setting out how you meet the requirements for the route under which you are applying
- booking your biometric appointment and uploading your supporting documents to the Home Office systems in advance of your appointment (where applicable)
- if the Home Office ask you to attend an interview, we will give you clear advice at the appropriate time
- following the decision, we will provide you with written advice about the outcome of your application, the conditions attached to your visa and any further steps you need to take

**The number of hours required depends on how many documents you have provided, whether they need to be translated, whether anything is missing and how long it will take to obtain the missing documents*

EXPENSES (NOT INCLUDED IN COSTS SET OUT ABOVE)

In addition to our fees, there may be additional expenses applicable to your application, such as Home Office application fees. These expenses are referred to as disbursements. We may handle the payment of the disbursements on your behalf to ensure a smoother process. All disbursements are not included in the fees set out above, but may include:

- Interpreter and/or translation fees: we usually gain quotes from several external interpreters and/or translators to ensure that our clients get the best deal
- Independent expert reports. These reports are not required in many cases but we will let you know as soon as possible if we consider that an expert report is necessary and obtain quotes on your behalf if you wish to proceed
- If there is an interview and we attend with you, there will be additional disbursements in respect of our mileage/travel expenses in addition to our fees
- English language test/ECCTIS reports
- Life in the UK test
- Tuberculosis test
- Administrative fee for undertaking identity checks (£50 plus VAT per client)
- Home Office fees for submitting the application on your behalf, including priority service fees and the Immigration Health Surcharge (where applicable). You will pay these fees directly to the Home Office as part of the application process
- Counsel's fees
- Where the Home Office refuses your application, advice and assistance in relation to any appeal, administrative review or reconsideration request, including the relevant fee

TIMESCALES

We cannot guarantee how long the Home Office will take to process your application. The current processing times for applications from outside the UK can be found here and inside the UK can be found here.

We will normally be able to prepare and submit applications within 2 - 3 weeks of you instructing us depending on the complexity of your matter, but we will let you know at the earliest opportunity if it is likely to take longer than this. However, where your application is urgent, we may be able to prepare and submit your application within 2 – 3 working days. This is dependent on you meeting the requirements of the Immigration Rules applicable to your application and you being able to provide all the necessary information/documentation promptly.

Please note the anticipated number of hours and fees are an estimate based on the facts above. All applications are likely to vary and of course, we can give you a more accurate estimate once we have more information about your specific case.

WHO WILL CARRY OUT THE WORK?

Our specialist team of Immigration Lawyers offer competitive fixed fees for immigration matters.

The work on your application will be conducted by one of our specialist lawyers. Details of their qualifications, experience and professional credentials can be found here.