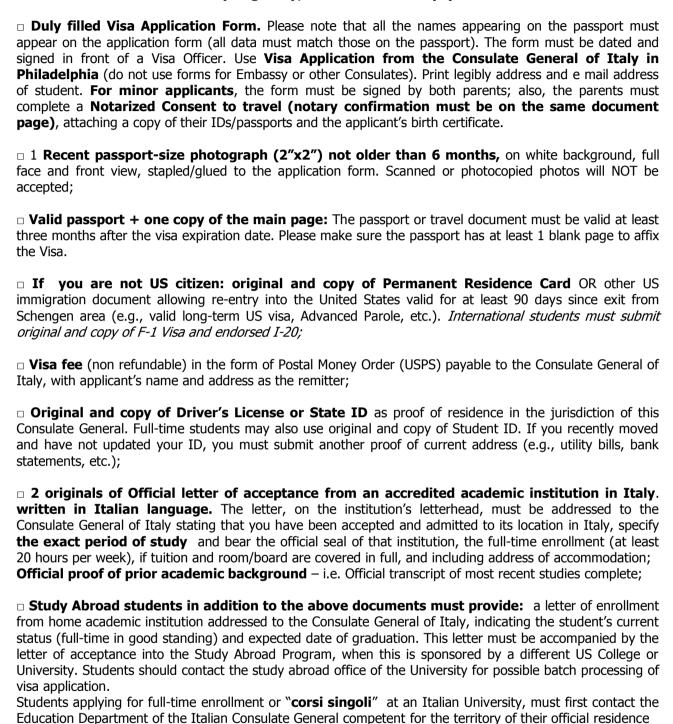
STUDY VISA

(long-stay, more than 90 days)



□ **Proof of financial means.**must be presented in **one** of the following manners:

Visas will not be issued for private school programs in basic language instruction;

- An original/standard **bank statement** or a **letter** on the bank's letterhead, signed by a bank official and with recent date, indicating **account balance**. (at least \$35 per day of stay in Italy is required, in accordance with the means of support guidelines);
- if parents are financially responsible: submit their Notarized Affidavit of financial support (notarization must be done on the same document) stating their financial commitment for expenses incurred in Italy. A letter or bank statement from their bank, in the bank's letterhead, signed by a bank

official and with a recent date, indicating **account balance**. (at least \$35 per day of stay in Italy is required, in accordance with the means of support guidelines);

- □ **<u>Health Insurance</u>** coverage **must** be presented in **one** of the following manners:
 - ➤ a signed **declaration** from your health insurance company **OR** by the Study Abroad Program, stating that the student has **full** coverage for hospitalization, emergencies, evacuation and repatriation incurred in Italy during his/her period of stay there for a minimum of \$50,000. The dates of program must be mentioned;
 - If you cannot obtain the above mentioned declaration or do not have a health insurance policy, then you must show proof of purchase of an Italian health insurance, OR present a notarized Affidavit of Overseas Health Insurance Coverage (under "forms") stating you will purchase an Italian insurance policy upon your arrival in Italy, before registering with the local Police dept. Questura;
- □ **Proof of suitable lodging** if not included in the letter of acceptance from the Italian Institution;
- □ **Confirmed flight reservation** for a round trip. Note: Exact border of entry must be indicated (page 2 of application). US Citizens Students may arrive earlier and leave later than the exact program dates, but not to exceed 90 days for tourism in a six month period;
- □ **Return envelope**: required if applicant cannot pick up passport with the visa in person. Please provide **postage paid**, **self addressed envelope** with tracking number plus mailing disclaimer form. Take care to fill out mail label completely with all required information;

Students should prepare at least one duplicate copy of the complete application package submitted for their own file and record to keep at home, but do not submit to this Consulate, as well as copy of return envelope. The submittal should be one original application. We return an important notice of instruction and one original acceptance letter with our Consular stamp — required in student's possession upon arrival in Italy.

- > In case the applicant might have acquired the Italian Citizenship, it is his/her duty to notify the Consulate immediately to avoid immigration problems.
- > This consular administration has full authority to evaluate and request additional documentation, if deemed necessary, in addition to what is submitted. Furthermore, the applicant is hereby informed that submitting all required documentation does not guarantee the issuance of a Visa.