



DECLARATION OF AWARENESS AND AUTHORISATION FOR VISA APPLICATION

More information about the subjects in this declaration can be found in the information brochure. Read this information carefully before signing this declaration.

I, the undersigned,

Name:.....
First name:.....
Born on: Day...../Month...../Year.....
Place of Birth:.....
Nationality:.....
Passport number:.....

1. General conditions

I hereby declare that I am aware of all immigration and ArtEZ University of the Arts conditions mentioned below:

- The IND requires you to have a study progress of at least 50% annually. One year equals to 60 ECTS, which means that you need to acquire at least 30 ECTS in one academic year for your residence permit to stay valid.
- **IMPORTANT:** In the first year of your Bachelor, the Binding Study Advice (BSA) regulations have to be met. This means that at the end of the first study year, the Exam Committee issues its recommendations concerning each student's continued course participation. These recommendations can be negative and binding if a student fails to gain enough ECTS credits. The exact regulations and the required minimum number of credits are defined in the Education and Exam Regulations of each course.
- You are responsible for your own study progress. You can check your study progress in the student information system OSIRIS Student.
- You must have enough financial means to provide for yourself. The IND requires you to have at least € 870,46 each month (2018). This means starting the 1st year (and any subsequent years) you are, as per IND regulation, required to have enough financial means to afford living in the Netherlands. ArtEZ will check this annually.
- ArtEZ will arrange an AON Student Insurance in your name for the first academic year. It covers medical costs, repatriation, liability, home contents and baggage, accidents and legal aid. For this purpose ArtEZ will provide your data to the AON insurance company. After this year, you have to prolong the insurance yourself. However, if you prefer to stay insured in your home country, you can do so. In that case, you must inform Student Affairs in advance that you don't want us to arrange the AON insurance. In this case, it is your own responsibility to have a proper coverage in the Netherlands. ArtEZ cannot be held responsible for any damage if you're not properly insured.
- You must be willing to undergo a medical inspection for tuberculosis unless you have an exemption based on your [nationality](#).

I am aware that I will have to leave the Netherlands:

- if I do not meet above mentioned conditions
- upon completion of my studies or
- when I decide to terminate my studies earlier (unless I change the purpose of stay).

2. Visa & permit and financial guarantee

I hereby authorize ArtEZ to execute all necessary actions needed for the application of my entry visa (if applicable) and residence permit with the purpose of study. For this purpose, ArtEZ provides my personal data to the Dutch Immigration and Naturalisation Service (IND). I also declare that I have transferred the financial guarantee of € 18,610*

I am a citizen of the USA, Australia, New Zealand, South Korea, Japan, Monaco, Vatican City or Canada, so I don't need an entry visa. Expected date of arrival in the Netherlands (d/m/y):

I need a visa and I hereby authorize ArtEZ to take care of my visa application.

I want to collect my entry visa at the embassy in (city & country):.....

Expected date of arrival in the Netherlands (d/m/y):

*The visa procedure cannot be undertaken until your financial guarantee has been transferred to our bank account. All transfer costs are charged to the sender. Under Dutch immigration laws, students are required to apply for a visa and residence permit through the university. Do not apply for an entry visa yourself!

You can find all the information about payment of the financial guarantee and banking details in paragraph # 1.2 of the brochure.

3. Dutch bank account

I want ArtEZ to arrange a Dutch bank account in my name at the ABN-AMRO bank. I hereby authorize ArtEZ to provide a copy of my passport to the ABN-AMRO. This copy is necessary for preparation of the bank account and the bank will not use it for other purposes. ArtEZ will transfer the remainder of my financial guarantee to my ABN-AMRO bank account, as soon as the account will be activated.

I don't want ArtEZ to arrange a Dutch bank account for me. I will arrange it myself after my arrival in the Netherlands. ArtEZ will transfer the remainder of the financial guarantee to my Dutch bank account, as soon as I have provided ArtEZ with my Dutch bank account number.

4. Tuberculosis test*

(*Only for students that have to undergo a TB-test. Please check the [list of countries](#) that are exempted from this obligation)

I hereby authorize ArtEZ to provide the necessary personal data to the Municipal Health Services (GGD) in order to arrange an appointment to undergo the TB-test.

5. Signature

My signature below indicates that I have read, understand, and agree to the conditions listed in this document and that I need to adhere to these conditions if I want to stay at ArtEZ and in the Netherlands.

Day...../Month...../Year.....

Place/country:.....

Signature:.....

Declaration from parent/guardian (if the student is under the age of 18):

Mr / Mrs / Ms....., mother/father/official guardian of.....

declares on behalf of her/his son/daughter to be aware of all above mentioned conditions

Day...../Month...../Year.....

Place/country:.....

Signature:.....