



Working Holiday Luxemburg

Complete Guide to Requirements and Application

Universal Requirements

Key rules that apply to all nationalities for the Working
Holiday Visa program.

Proof of Funds

How is it proven?

Via an official bank statement in your **sole** name (less than 30 days old). Generally, a minimum of **2,500 EUR** must be proven. No sponsors are accepted; the account must be in your name and the funds freely disposable.

Can I extend my WHV?

No. The visa has a maximum and non-extendable limit of **exactly 12 months**. To change your immigration status or apply for another visa (such as study or regular work), you must leave the country and reapply from abroad.

Additional Documents



Medical Certificate

It is mandatory to present a recent medical certificate that proves you enjoy good health and do not suffer from diseases that put public health at risk.



Criminal Record Certificate

A criminal record certificate from your current country of residence is required, properly apostilled, proving good civic conduct.



Language and Translation

Official documents must be translated by a sworn translator into one of the official languages (French, German, Luxembourgish) or English.

Mandatory Medical Insurance

Comprehensive Coverage

To have your visa approved, it is strictly mandatory to have valid medical and **travel insurance for the full 12 months** of your stay in the Grand Duchy.

The policy must cover hospitalization, comprehensive medical assistance, emergencies and, very importantly, it must include an **explicit repatriation** and **funeral** clause of at least 30,000€.



Specifications by Country

Quotas, processes, fees and details vary according to the passport you are applying with.

Country Comparison

Nationality	Permitted Age	Annual Quotas	Application Process Type
Chile	18 to 30 years	100 quotas	In-Person at Embassy
Australia	18 to 30 years	Unlimited	Consular / Mail-in
New Zealand	18 to 30 years	Unlimited	Consular / Mail-in
Taiwan	18 to 30 years	40 quotas	Consular

Timeline and Costs

- **Annual Opening:** Applications generally open at the beginning of the year. The process is usually continuous until the quotas are filled.
- **Quota Speed:** For countries with very limited quotas, it is recommended to send the application immediately once the process opens.
- **Visa Costs:** The process usually requires payment of an administrative consular fee (around 50 EUR, subject to the embassy).
- **Approval:** Processing time varies between 4 to 8 weeks, depending on the volume of applications and document verification.



Application Types

In-Person Application

Applicable for citizens of countries like Chile. You must gather all physical documents (apostilled and translated), fill out the official form, and present yourself on the day of your scheduled appointment at the Embassy or Consulate of Luxembourg corresponding to your jurisdiction.

Application by Mail

In certain jurisdictions (such as Australia or New Zealand), it is possible to send the documentation by certified postal mail and then, if required, attend the biometrics data collection. Always check the exact method on the official website.

Official Application Checklist



Official Form: Printed, duly completed, and signed by hand.



Valid Passport: Complete copy of all pages, valid for more than 12 months.



Financial Solvency: Bank certificate demonstrating at least 2,500 EUR.



Medical Insurance: International policy for 12 months with repatriation.



Motivation Letter and CV: Explaining the cultural reasons for your trip along with your curriculum vitae.

Key Visa Details

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Months Maximum Duration

A Unique Opportunity

The Working Holiday Visa for Luxembourg is granted only once in a lifetime per person. It allows you to work temporarily to support your trip and travel freely throughout the Schengen area during your year-long stay.

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Secondary Activity

The primary purpose of the Working Holiday Visa is to vacation and work temporarily. You can undertake short courses, such as language studies or workshops, but not enroll in full-time university degree programs, as this would require a Student Visa.

Permitted Duration

Any academic training or course you decide to take must be short-term. It is recommended that studies do not exceed 3 to 6 months during your one-year stay, ensuring that the main purpose of your trip remains tourism and cultural exchange.

Get ready for your trip!

With all documentation in order, all that remains is to discover the beautiful corners that the Grand Duchy has to offer.

Top Destinations for Your Adventure



Luxembourg City

The charming capital, which perfectly blends its imposing medieval architecture with cosmopolitan modernity.



Vianden Castle

A true architectural gem of the Middle Ages and one of the most beautiful and well-preserved castles in all of Europe.



Mullerthal Region

Known as 'Little Switzerland', it is famous for its impressive rock formations, green trails, and waterfalls.

Questions?

Thank you for your attention and good luck on your application to Luxembourg!

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