

Entry Guidelines and Quarantine Process for New International Students Travelling to Malaysia (effective 28 December 2021)

The information in this document is from the Malaysian Government and correct at the time of publishing.

	NEW STUDENTS
PRE-ARRIVAL	<p>Step 1 Check your eligibility to travel to Malaysia</p> <p>The Government of Malaysia has lifted the temporary restrictions to allow the entry of international students into Malaysia effective from 21st September 2021.</p> <p>However, re-entry of citizens from the following countries shall be considered on a case-to-case basis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • United Kingdom • India • Bangladesh • Pakistan • Nepal • Sri Lanka <p>The Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) on international students entering Malaysia is available on the Education Malaysia Global Services webpage.</p>
	<p>Step 2 Declaration of Accommodation and Declaration for Commencement of Online Classes</p> <p>Start looking for your accommodation in Malaysia. You may refer to this link.</p> <p>Once you have secured your accommodation in Malaysia, please submit the details here. Note: Education institutions must provide the “Declaration of Accommodation” and “Declaration for Commencement of Online Classes” for all New International students prior to the application being submitted to Immigration Department of Malaysia for the Visa Approval Letter (VAL). Your submitted accommodation details in Malaysia must be accurate.</p>
	<p>Step 3 Apply for the Visa Approval Letter (VAL)</p> <p>Once approved, you will automatically receive the Travel Authorisation through the EMGS system. You may check your status in Track My Application</p> <p>Note: You must plan your travels to enter Malaysia <u>at least 3 months before your e-Visa Approval Letter (eVAL) expires.</u></p>

Step 4 Check if you require a Single Entry Visa (SEV) before travelling to Malaysia

Please check [here](#) if your country is listed as one of those which may require a SEV prior to entering Malaysia.

You must check with the [Malaysian diplomatic mission](#) closest to you if you require a SEV and the length of time for processing of the SEV (if required).

Step 5 Purchase your flight ticket to Malaysia

When booking your flight ticket to Malaysia, please remember that international arrivals are only permitted at KLIA and KLIA 2.

Step 6 Apply for home quarantine 7-10 days before travelling to Malaysia

Fully vaccinated travellers have the option to quarantine from the comfort of their homes upon arrival in Malaysia. You must lodge your [application](#) 7-10 days prior to leaving for Malaysia. Approval for home quarantine is at the discretion of the authorities and subject to the qualifying criteria.

Please note that Sunway Monash Residence does not allow for home quarantine. Kindly contact Sunway Monash Residence at enquiry_residence@sunway.edu.my for further information.

Step 7 Undergo a RT-PCR Covid-19 Test three (3) days before travelling to Malaysia

The RT-PCR Covid-19 test result must be translated in **ENGLISH**.

Step 8 Getting ready to board your flight to Malaysia

You are required to make an online payment for a COVID-19 swab test and the quarantine cost through the MySafeTravel System accessible on <https://safetravel.myeg.com.my/> or the MyQR phone app prior to their arrival into Malaysia.

Beginning 15th November 2021, the Malaysian Government has decided to remove the RM2,600 Quarantine Station Operations charged to Foreign Citizens (including International Students). Please note that all expenses including the full cost of COVID-19 detection screening tests, quarantine requirements, and hospital admittance fee (if required) will be borne by you.

QUARANTINE COST	
ACCOMMODATION/ OPERATIONAL COST	FEE (RM)
Accommodation Cost (RM150/day)	1,050 (7 days of quarantine)
	1,500 (10 days of quarantine)

CHARGES FOR COVID-19 SCREENING TEST AT INTERNATIONAL ENTRY GATE & MOH FACILITY	
COVID-19 SCREENING TEST	FEE (RM)
RT-PCR at entry point	250
RT-PCR upon completion of quarantine	250

The expenses are subject to change by the Government of Malaysia.

You must download the [MySejahtera](#) mobile application and complete the registration process on the app prior to arriving in Malaysia. Please check with your respective airlines if there are any specific requirements to undergo COVID-19 screenings before you can board the aircraft.

You must bring along all of the following documents before boarding your flight to Malaysia. You will not be able to complete your journey without these documents.

- A valid passport (must have a minimum validity period of 6 months beyond the duration of the Student Pass you are applying for)
- Offer letter issued by Monash University Malaysia
- e-Visa Approval Letter (e-VAL) (must be valid for **at least 3 months** from the date of arrival)
- EMGS Travel Authorisation
- RT-PCR Covid-19 test results (in English)
- payment slip for COVID-19 swab test and the quarantine cost
- sufficient funds to cover the [cost of living](#) in Malaysia for approximately 12 weeks (see Steps 13 & 14 below)

IMPORTANT NOTICE

All international arrivals are required to undergo mandatory quarantine at a government-designated quarantine centre and mandatory COVID-19 screening

ON ARRIVAL

Step 9

You will have to undergo COVID-19 screening upon arrival in Malaysia. The screening will be conducted by officials from the Ministry of Health (MOH, Malaysia).

Step 10

You will undergo a registration process and Immigration clearance.

Present the Travel Authorisation and e-VAL to the Malaysian Immigration Department officer at the airport.

Failure to present these documents will result in the Malaysian Immigration Department denying you entry into Malaysia.

Step 11

You will now have to begin your mandatory quarantine for seven (7) or ten (10) days at a government-designated location. Transport to the designated quarantine centres will be provided by the Malaysian authorities.

International students that are not able to provide RT-PCR Covid-19 test results or if the test results are not valid/acceptable by the Ministry of Health, will be subjected to a quarantine period of ten (10) days.

Step 12

Check that you have filled up the pick-up form

If you have been approved for home quarantine, you should fill up this [form](#) at least five (5) working days prior to boarding the flight if you are opting for airport pick-up,

If you are undergoing the quarantine at the quarantine centre, you may fill up this [form](#) the moment you have checked into your quarantine centre.

Step 13

Upon completion of quarantine, Monash University Malaysia will arrange to pick you up from the quarantine centre to your accommodation within the Kuala Lumpur/Petaling Jaya area. For students based in Johor Bahru, Monash University Malaysia will arrange to pick you up from the quarantine centre to KLIA.

Step 14

Complete a post-arrival medical screening within 7 days of you completing your quarantine.

- Click [here](#) for a list of EMGS appointed clinics or hospitals. The nearest clinics to Monash University Malaysia are located in Subang Jaya. **Please ensure that the clinic has an in-house X-ray facility for your convenience.**
- You must bring the following documents with you to the clinic for your medical screening:
 - Your original passport
 - A copy of your passport info page
 - [Health Examination Report](#)
 - [Consent Letter](#)
 - [Letter of Undertaking](#)

Once you have completed the post-arrival medical screening, the clinic will issue you a medical slip.

Kindly refer [here](#) for FAQs for new international students.

Step 15

Submit your documents to the International Student Pass office at Monash University Malaysia for the Student Pass endorsement to be processed. You are required to submit your passport to the International Student Pass office for endorsement within 7 days of completing your quarantine. Please make an appointment with the International Student Pass Office and bring the following documents with you.

- Your original passport
- Two copies of passport info page and entry stamp
- Two copies of your Single Entry Visa (SEV) OR copy of electronic SEV (if applicable)
- Original medical slip

We will provide you further information during your quarantine period on how to submit your documents. Please check your Monash email regularly.

Please note that the Student Pass endorsement process takes between 4-6 weeks, which means you will not have your passport with you for up to 6 weeks while this process is taking place.

Once your passport has been endorsed, we will contact you via email to arrange for collection.

Step 16

Open a bank account.

Step 16A: Apply to open a bank account

You must bring the following documents with you to submit an application to open a bank account:

- Your original passport with the Student Pass endorsement sticker
- [Bank account opening forms](#)
- Student verification letter (will be sent to you via email)

The bank will process your application and make the necessary verifications with the authorities. This may take up to 2 weeks.

Step 16B: Open a bank account

Once your application is successful, the bank will contact you to come in person to the bank to open the bank account.

You may consider opening a bank account at Maybank which is located at :
No. 30 & 32, Jalan PJS 11/28A, Bandar Sunway, 46150 Petaling Jaya, Selangor
Opening Hours : 9:00 AM-4:15 PM (Monday-Friday)

You are welcome to open a bank account at any other bank of your choice but please note that requirements may differ from bank to bank. You are strongly advised to ensure that you have sufficient funds to cover the [cost of living](#) in Malaysia for approximately 12 weeks as it may take up to 12 weeks from the time of your arrival until your bank account is ready to receive funds transferred from abroad.

GOT A QUESTION?

If you have any questions regarding the procedures for re-entering Malaysia, please contact [International Student Pass](#)

Tel: +603 5514 4411 / +603 5514 5806 (9am - 5pm weekdays only)

Email: mum.student.visa@monash.edu

Virtual Student Hub : studenthub.monash.edu.my/student-advisory-services (9am - 5pm weekdays only)

If you face any difficulties after arriving in Malaysia, please contact

[EMGS International Student Arrival at Kuala Lumpur International Airport \(KLIA\)](#)

Tel: +603 8776 0974 (7 am - 11 pm)