

## Easier travel to New Zealand from Australia for Pacific

From 3 November people from Pacific Islands Forum countries will be able to travel to New Zealand from Australia with a **New Zealand Electronic Travel Authority (NZeTA)**, rather than applying for a visa.

### Requirements

To be eligible travellers must:

- Be travelling to New Zealand **from Australia**. This does not include transiting through Australia.
- Hold a **valid eligible Australian visa** at the time of your flight to New Zealand
- Hold a valid NZeTA
- Meet the standard NZeTA requirements to be of **good character, good health** and a **genuine visitor** returning home at the end of the trip.

### New Zealand Electronic Travel Authority (NZeTA)

With a NZeTA, you can:

- travel to New Zealand without first applying for a visa
- stay in New Zealand for up to 3 months at a time
- travel to New Zealand multiple times while your NZeTA is valid. You must be travelling from Australia each time.

You cannot work for a New Zealand employer if you are in the country on an NZeTA.

### How to apply

Apply for an NZeTA on the **official Immigration New Zealand website**: [New Zealand Electronic Travel Authority \(NZeTA\) :: Immigration New Zealand](#), or download **the free NZeTA app**.

### Cost

An NZeTA costs just **\$17** through the **app**, or **\$23** through the **INZ website**.

### Processing timeframe

**Allow up to 72 hours** for your NZeTA request to be processed, although this is often much quicker.

## Eligible Australian visas

<b>FA600</b> - Visitor	<b>TO300</b> - Prospective marriage partner visa (temporary)	<b>UC457</b> - Business (long stay)
<b>TU500</b> - Student	<b>GA400</b> - Temporary work (short stay specialist)	<b>VF476</b> - Skilled – Recognised Graduate
<b>UR162</b> – Investor (provisional)	<b>GF407</b> - Training	<b>GK482</b> - Skills in Demand
<b>UY405</b> - Investor retirement	<b>TQ410</b> - Retirement	<b>VC485</b> - Temporary Graduate visa
<b>UR163</b> - State/Territory Sponsored Business Owner (provisional)	<b>TZ417</b> - Working Holiday	<b>SP489</b> - Skilled Regional (provisional)
<b>UR164</b> - State/Territory Sponsored Senior Executive (provisional)	<b>TK445</b> - Dependent Child visa	<b>PS491</b> - Skilled Work Regional (provisional)
<b>UR165</b> - State/Territory Sponsored Investor (provisional)	<b>UP461</b> - New Zealand citizen family relationship	<b>PE494</b> - Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional (provisional)
<b>UT173</b> - Contributory Parent (temporary)	<b>US462</b> - Work and Holiday	<b>TV651</b> - e-Visitor
<b>EB188</b> - Business, Innovation and Investment	<b>UU884</b> - Contributory Aged Parent	<b>UR160</b> - Business Owner (provisional)
<b>UK820</b> - Partner Visa	<b>GH870</b> - Sponsored Parent	<b>UR161</b> - Senior Executive (provisional)
<b>TU590</b> - Student Guardian		

## Eligible Pacific Islands Forum countries

These changes apply to the following Pacific Islands forum countries:

The Federated States of Micronesia	Palau	Solomon Islands
Fiji	Papua New Guinea	Tonga
Kiribati	Republic of the Marshall Islands	Tuvalu
Nauru	Samoa	Vanuatu