

### **Student Visa – Pakistan Online Visa System**

Government of Pakistan has launched online visa system (Pakistan Online Visa) w.e.f April 2019. The time required for processing study visa cases is 28 working days which translates into approx 6 weeks.

All Nepalese students studying in Pakistan under various programs are therefore advised to apply for new/ extension in study visa online at least six weeks before their entry (or re-entry) into Pakistan. Online visa can be applied from anywhere in Pakistan/ own country, that provides an easy way of applying for visa well in advance. The same timeframe (6 weeks) would also be followed for applying manual visa at Pakistan Embassy Kathmandu, Nepal.

As can be seen on NADRA (Pakistan) website, following documentation will be required for issuance of manual as well as online study visa:-

- 1. Photograph**
- 2. Passport**
- 3. Admission/ Bonafide letter**
- 4. NOC from HEC/ Economic Affairs Division/ IPC/ Health Ministry/ Education Ministry**
- 5. For Entry Visa: NOC from the concerned Government (Nepal)**
- 6. For Extension: NOC from concerned Embassy in Pakistan of students country (Embassy of Nepal in Pakistan)**
- 7. Sponsorship/ Bank Statement (in case of accompanying family)**

The above mentioned timeline may kindly be strictly followed to avoid loss of precious academic time.

For details, please visit website: <http://visa.nadra.gov.pk/student-visa/>

The Embassy would appreciate if this information is disseminated to other Nepali students as well.